

News of the Week.

CANADA.

The British warship *Charybdis* has recruited 103 reserve men from the fishermen of Newfoundland coast. These men sign for six months at full pay. In the spring they will go back to Newfoundland and to their regular work drawing smaller pay for the summer, thus retaining their connection with the navy.

Fire did \$50,000 damage at the premises of the Consumers' Gas Company, Toronto, on Wednesday.

At London, Ont., Bartholomew Clampitt, a teamster, was instantly killed while superintending the unloading of a seven ton lathe at the McClary works. The lathe slipped and pinned Clampitt against the building, crushing his life out in an instant.

A most remarkable anti-United States demonstration occurred in the Academy of Music, Montreal, Wednesday evening during a performance. When the two stars and stripes were brought on the crowd hooted and yelled and groaned, and general pandemonium reigned until finally the Union Jacks came on, accompanied by the figure of Britannia.

William Dryart, an employe of the saw mills at the Union, at Milltown, had one of his legs badly damaged last Saturday by the slipping of a log which was being hauled up into the mill.

Two cases of small pox are reported from Montreal.

There is a sharp contest in Westmorland and Albert over the appointment to the position of inspector of schools. Among the candidates are Mr. O'Brien (of Model School, Fredericton), Fred. A. Dixon, B. A., head master of the Sackville High School, and George Oulton, B. A., of the Moncton High School.

To the surprise of the three doctors in attendance, Patrick Upton, of Strathroy, Ont., who was murderously assaulted on Saturday night by his niece, Fanny McGarvey, who gave him three terrific blows with an axe, splitting open his head and laying bare his brains, still lives.

Through the explosion of a lantern in the barn of Isaac Fallas, of Peterboro, Ont., his six-year-old son James was burned to death and his seven-year-old daughter Maria was so badly injured that she is not expected to recover. The children were alone in the barn doing some light work when the explosion occurred.

The trial of King vs. Alex. Goodine, of Kingsclear, charged with stealing logs, the property of the St. John River Log Driving Company, resulted in the disagreement of the jury.

Five Doukhobors in Winnipeg jail, on their way to the penitentiary, refused to touch the food tendered them for breakfast. In its place they sat on the floor in their cells and devoured raw potatoes. The five men are those, who under the leadership of Ivan Briscoff, one of the most fanatical of fanatics, burned some binders, used by their more enlightened co-religionists, for the purpose of harvesting their crops.

Mr. Moses S. Hall died in Fredericton last Thursday. He had been a bookseller and stationer in the city for a generation, and was widely known.

The Hamilton, Ont., Brass Manufacturing Co. were badly gutted by fire Thursday morning. Loss, \$40,000; insurance, \$33,500. About 100 men were thrown out of employment.

Samuel Boyer, a well-known citizen of Carleton County, was found dead in bed at his home at Victoria Corner, Friday morning. Apoplexy is the supposed cause of death.

It is reported that good catches of haddock are being made along the Nova Scotia shores. The herring fishing in

St. Mary's Bay continues excellent, and eight or ten canning factories are being kept in operation.

Premier Murray, of Nova Scotia, says the legislature will be called together early to deal with the needs of the Dominion Coal Co. and the Dominion Iron and Steel Co.

The Secretary of Agriculture, N. S., reports favorably of nearly all crops.

There is talk of extending the Midland Railway from Truro to Burle in order to shorten the route to P. E. Island.

Members of the society of St. Andrews and other sons of Scotland in Fredericton, have conceived the patriotic and ambitious design of erecting a statue of Burns in the provincial capital.

Mr. W. A. Lockhart, collector of customs, St. John, died on the 9th.

Snow has visited New Brunswick; it has come, but not to remain. The whole province had a touch of winter, but in the north the snow was six inches deep.

Canadian butter maintains its value and the demand has further improved. The imports in England during October averaged about three hundred and fifty tons.

Mr. Geo. E. Boak states that the codfishery of Nova Scotia has yielded this year less than 40 per cent of the average, namely, 73,000 quintals in place of 190,000.

Two cases of small pox have been discovered at Glace Bay.

G. A. Asselin, who stole money from the C. P. R. at Sudbury, was sentenced to three years imprisonment at Montreal.

Mrs. G. A. Lounsbury, Fredericton, lost a valuable horse. The animal ran away while standing alone on Queen street. It was found perishing in the bog back of the city, and died during an attempt to get it out.

THE EMPIRE.

Times are bad in South Africa. The United Kingdom in 1902 produced 227,095,000 tons of coal. The production of the United States was 268,688,000 tons, and of Germany 107,436,000 tons.

A Newfoundland fierce gale has been raging along the seaboard this week, and several vessels have been driven ashore.

It is estimated that the people of Newfoundland will pocket \$1,000,000 extra this autumn by the enhanced value of fish and oil.

FOREIGN.

A terrible accident happened Thursday night on the Erie Traction Company line, in which five people were instantly killed and several badly injured, two fatally. The accident was caused by the brakes on a car of gravel becoming loose and allowing it to run from the side track on which it had been placed to the main track where there was a heavy down grade. While running at a high rate of speed it met and almost crashed through the passenger car which left Erie shortly after six o'clock, and which was filled with people.

The whole Pacific coast from British Columbia to Southern California was swept by a storm that has resulted in almost total prostration of telegraph service over that territory and in the mountains has all but tied up the railways in a regular mid-winter blockade.

It is believed in Japan that peace will only be made possible by Russia's complete acceptance of Japan's claims regarding Manchuria. The Japanese government finds it increasingly difficult to restrain popular sentiment.

Dowieism has made a miserable collapse in New York. The great invasion proved a despicable fizzle. An effort

has been made in London by young Dowie, but he failed to attract an audience. It is time such folly were played out.

The number of employes in the New York municipal service has reached 45,299, of whom 12,000 are teachers and 10,000 members of the police and fire departments.

Angered because the hogs of Hosea Stephens, his neighbor, had been allowed to wander on his property, John Blomily, of Rome, Maine, shot and killed Stephens while the latter was laughing in his face. Blomily gave himself up.



RUM TRAFFIC NOTES.

GET RIGHT.

The *Christian Standard* of Cincinnati, an organ of the Christian Church, says bravely and sensibly:

"It is altogether proper that the saloonkeeper should be denied church membership, but, in turning the liquor man away, let the pulpit, the official boards and the men in our churches take care that while straining at gnats they do not swallow camels. When we have taken the beam of fellowship with saloon politics out of our own spiritual eye, we will then see clearly to remove the mote from the eye of the erring saloonkeeper."

PROVERBS

"When the butter won't come put a penny in the churn," is an old time dairy proverb. It often seems to work though no one has ever told why.

When mothers are worried because the children do not gain strength and flesh we say give them Scott's Emulsion.

It is like the penny in the milk because it works and because there is something astonishing about it.

Scott's Emulsion is simply a milk of pure cod liver oil with some hypophosphites especially prepared for delicate stomachs.

Children take to it naturally because they like the taste and the remedy takes just as naturally to the children because it is so perfectly adapted to their wants.

For all weak and pale and thin children Scott's Emulsion is the most satisfactory treatment.

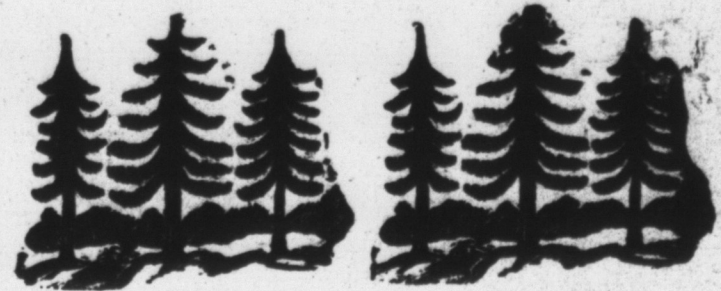


We will send you the penny, i. e., a sample free.

Be sure that this picture in the form of a label is on the wrapper of every bottle of Emulsion you buy.

SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, Toronto, Ontario. 50c. and \$1.00; all druggists.

Dr. Wood's



Norway Pine Syrup

Cures Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Hoarseness, Croup, Asthma, Pain or Tightness in the Chest, Etc.

It stops that tickling in the throat, is pleasant to take and soothing and healing to the lungs. Mr. E. Bishop Brand, the well-known Galt gardener, writes:— I had a very severe attack of sore throat and tightness in the chest. Some times when I wanted to cough and could not I would almost choke to death. My wife got me a bottle of DR. WOOD'S NORWAY PINE SYRUP, and to my surprise I found speedy relief. I would not be without it if it cost \$1.00 a bottle, and I can recommend it to everyone bothered with a cough or cold. Price 25 Cents.

The State and the Church need nothing so urgently at the present time as the harmonizing of the church member's conduct at the ballot box with his vow at the communion table."

A TEETOTAL ISLAND.

F. N. Charrington's scheme of a teetotal island off the Essex coast is worthy of the man, says London *Tid-Bits*. He is earnest to his heart's core in his work, both temperance and religious; but his record is such that all men respect him, however much they may differ from his methods. Most people know the story of how for conscience sake he sacrificed his share in his father's brewery—a share valued at a million and a quarter sterling—and lived on a mere pittance that he might pursue his work among the poor and outcast.

"How much do you get for wearing that?" asked a young man on a tram car, pointing to Charrington's blue ribbon.

"As nearly as I can make it out, it cost me £20,000 a year," was the reply.

RUM AND MISSIONS.

Before the Synod of the Presbyterian Church of Pennsylvania and West Virginia, which convened in Allegheny in October, Rev. Dr. Brown, Secretary of Foreign Missions of the Presbyterian Church, made this statement:

"In my travels in foreign fields I learned that not only the customs of the people hinder missionary activities, but I found the slime of the pit as represented in the American saloon, had been transferred to those fields.

"There is a brewery in Jerusalem.

"There is a distillery on Mt. Lebanon.

"There are American saloons in Damascus."

The saloon is the church's greatest foe in its foreign missionary work. The missionary goes to Christianize, while the rum shop follows in his steps to destroy his work—even to hurl the people back into a worse than heathen darkness.

The barroom is the church's deadliest enemy at home. It is the spawn-shop of infidelity. It is the hot-bed of anarchism. It is the inexorable enemy of both church and home.