and burned with great fierceness. The wind increased in volume and large burn-

ing cinders were carried along with great

force. These embers, fanned by the

breeze, soon burst into flames as they

er without a sign of fire about it.

on the roof and the inevitable would fol-

By three o'clock half a dozen building

were in flames and the fire

spreading. From that hour the

were given all the freedom they . c

Both sides of the street were l

fiercely, and two hours later a solid

of fire extended along the street.

large breaks did not serve to check

The heat from the many buildings be-

came so intense that it was impossible to

get men to face the unequal battle. Mean-

while the feeling of danger had spread to

the residential portion of the town. We

men and children left their homes in ter

ror and gazed on the weird scene. For-

tunately the progress of the destroying

element was to be arrested ere it could

render the population homeless. Within

a few hours the fire had control of the

whole half mile of business structures.

Simon Ernst, jeweler, was the last mer-

chant to suffer. His place of business is

situated at the extreme south end of the

town and is half a mile away from the

Music Hall, in which building the fire

Loss estimated at \$300,000. Insur-

Everyone suffering with a bod cold, or

Burned to Death.

NEW YORK, Jan. 11 .- Fire destroyed the

three upper floors of the seven story brick

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THE EXPERIENCE OF A LADY WHO HAD GIVEN UP HOPE.

Tortured with Pains in the Stomach for Four Years-Doctors and Hospital Treatment Failed to Help Her-In Her Extremity Dr. Williams' Pink Pills Restored Her to Health.

From the Pembroke Observer. Wherever man is to be found there also, side by side with him, is disease and suffering. Those who have devoted there lives to the alleviation of the suffering and bodily weakness of human organization are surely benefactors of their kind. For special honors in this line may be pointed out the discoveror of that wonderful remedy, Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. Recently the case of Mrs. Maggie Brunette, of Chichester, Que., came prominently under the notice of the Observer reporter. 62 UNION STREET, ST. JOHN, N. B. | He felt it to be his duty, on hearing of Mrs. Brunette's restoration from pros-Agent for Pelee Island Wine, Teas, &c trate illness to health, to interview the lady and record her experience for the benefit of others who may need the healing influence of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Mrs. Brunette's farm home was found to be very comfortable and even elegant, located near the base of an immense hill. an outguard of the Laurentian Mountains. Mrs. Brunette said she was very glad to have an opportunity to testify to the great benefit Dr. Williams' Pink Pills had conferred upon her. She is 42 years of age now. Her husband, the late Chas. Bruuette, died 14 years ago, and after his death she worked very hard for some years, with the result that she became completely run down, so much so that, although quite tall, she weighed only about 90 pounds. After taking the slighest food she felt such distress that she was compelled to lie down for hours, being so weak that she was unable to sit up. At last she thought she must have been attacked bycancer of the stomach, so violent were the pains that constantly harassed her. She consulted the best physicians and spent more than a hundred dollars as Dr. Cook's Sure Cough Cur in treatment and medicine, in addition to which she spent nine weeks in the hospital at I breing But withall say was ill four years and despaired of ever being well. Finally she decided to give Dr. Williams' Pink Pills a trial, and accordingly she procured six boxes. Although they benefitted her almost from the time she began taking them, she kept on taking the pills until she had taken sixteen boxes, and then felt that she was completely cured, the pills accomplishing in three months what four years of medical treatment had failed to do. From that

to milk. I never fail to say a good word

an opportunity, for they did wonderful

things for me." Mrs. Brunette is a well

educated lady, speaking French and Eng-

Swept By Fire.

business portion of Bridgewater was in

fact that both these important services

were gone made it hard to get particu-

lars, but advices from Lunenburg indi-

The fire started on the main street.

Nearly all the business interests are

fare of the town. The stores were noted

merchants of the place endeavoured to

have their premises up to date in every

The stores destroyed are all of wood,

amount of money. Nearly all the prin-

cipal merchants had plate class fronts

in their establishments and carried heavy

stocks. Such buildings as J. T. Power

& Co's, the Music Hall, Patillo Bros.,

Simon Ernst, H. C. Barnaby & Sons,

J. W. Hobbs, the Merchants' and Hali-

fax Banking Company banks and the

post office were among those burned,

and hardly a vestige of the once pros-

The flames were carried to the shop ad-

joining, and in a few minutes the second

building was all ablaze. Then it dawned

upon the citizens that they were face to

hand, and soon the wooden structure on

perous business community remains.

face with a terrible calamity.

cate that the loss will be very heavy.

interests of the town, is in ashes.

lish fluently.

particular.

building, No 144-150 Franklin street, tenight. The place is occupied by the Cook & Bernheimer Co., dealers in and manufactures of whiskey, cordials, liquors, etc. It is estimated that the loss to the building and its contents will amount to about \$100,000, covered by insurance. Emile Vincene, the chief comtime, nearly three years ago, Mrs. Brupounder of cordials in the establishment, nette has been in good health, needing no medicine. "You can see," said Mrs. who was on the sixth floor at the time the fire broke out, became excited and Brunette, as the reporter was departing, made his way toward the roof and was "that I am in perfect health, I attend to all my household work and the dairy and burned to death. poultry, and have a large number of cows

The Grippe and Sulphur.

for Dr. Williams' Pink Pills when I have In my daily papers of December 22nd, find that there are supposed to be something like 100,000 cases of grippe in New York City, and that it is also prevailing largely at Washington, Philadelphia and other cities, and is now threatening Boston. It is a fact that when it was pre-Halifax, Jan. 12.—Bridgewater, or vailing as an epidemic largely in our city the part of it devoted to the business a few years ago, I ascertained, by enquiry of my officers at "Byam's Match Factory," This morning a dispatch was flashed that of the forty-three persons employed over the wires from Lunenburg that the there not had been troubled by it.

I have at various times told the press how many at Memphis, Tennessee, (in-The fire, which started early this morn- cluding the agen's of 'The Howard Being, has wiped out all the principal nevolent Association") escaped the terbusiness houses of the town, including rible epidemic of yellow fever there (as telegraph and telephone offices. The they claimed) by wearing powdered sulphur in their shoes, -also the evidence of a distinguished German medical writer translated into English, that wearing sulphur in this way has proved a complete protection against cholera and other epidemic diseases, -also that those working the sulphur mines of Italy escape the malaria which prevails all about them, -also for there handsome appearance, and the that sulphur in the shoes has cured various cases of rheumatism, -also that sulphur taken internally or worn in the shoes has sufficient power to pass through the body, the clothing and the pocket-book, but nevertheless represent a large blackening the silver there.

Disorders Feared.

Paris, Jan. 12.—An exciting time in the Chamber of Deputies was expected to-day and extensive police measures were taken in and about the Palace Bourbon in view of possible disorders.

The evident tendency abroad to minimize and even redicule the declarations of M. DeBeaurepaire, the former president of the civil section of the Court of Cassation, is regarded here as a further example of the disposition outside of France to belittle every incident and all evidence unfavorable to the Dreyfus The fire was rapidly getting the upper

the western side of the street caught fire COOK'S ANODYNE LINIMENT.

SPOILED MATERIALS.

Well Known Druggist Gives His Experience.

were carried through the air and falling A successful and well known Canadian on dry roofs of other buildings, a dozen druggist said recently: "I know from fires were started in as many different experience what it means to sell dyes that have no standing or established re-The fact was soon apparent that the putation. Over a year ago, I put in a business portion of the town was doomsmall stock of --- Dyes. I had ed. Merchants quickly saw the forlorn been asked by three or four persons for hope, and books, valuable documents and these dyes which they saw advertised, money were first secured. Attention and I was under the impression the dewas then directed to saving stock. Above mand would increase. In a year's time I the heads of those fighting to rescue their sold probably from twenty to twenty-five goods the flames were ever breaking out. packets, and had so many complaints A building would be entered by the ownfrom disappointed women who had spoiled good materials and garments with minute later a burning brand would fall these new dyes that I banished everyone one of them to my back storehouse, they now are. I find the Diamond

perfect satisfaction to all my , and will sell no other make in business. What a tale could women about spoiled goods g cheap and trashy dyes!"

statement from an old established ast has its notes of warning. His long and extended experience is in favor of the Diamond Dyes. There are too, hundreds of other druggists and dealers and tens of thousands of women who could give clear and convincing testimony that Diamond Dyes are far ahead of all other Dyes in purity, strength, fastness of color, brilliancy and beauty.

As long as there are imitation and adulerated dyes sold, it is well that all should ist upon getting the "Diamond" when ying dyes for home dyeing. See that fame is on each packet.

Boston News.

11. - The weather in this vicinity peen extremely cold. For the two t days it has been ten below zero; but smoderating tonight and we are in es of having milder weather.

he death of Mrs. Johnson, who died rda morning of pneumonia, has gloom over this place. She was nother of the well-known Mrs.

man Thompson, in the old homeis be play in the oston theatre 18.

rs. A. D. McPhee and Miss Damey Higgins spent a very ujoyable time in South Boston visiting Deacon McGregor Dr. Bateman, who had his leg broken

in the war in August, is slowly recovering, and is in hopes of taking his practice again in a few weeks in Charlestown.

Samuel Withrow, of Salmon Creek, is working in the same camp that Harry Fowler was shot in.

The Oddfellows Lodge, of Boston, gave a swell supper and entertainment Monday evening of which Mrs. E. H. Elliott of Charlestown was one of the head com-

Mrs. Wm. Kadey is spending the winter with her daughter, Mrs. M. Gove, in Biddeford Maine.

Summer Hill.

Jan. 15.—The school in this district has not yet been opened, owing to the illness of the teacher, Miss L. Lorne Corbett, who has been confined to her home for several days with a severe attack of lagrippe. There are several other cases of lagrippe reported in this community. Rev. J. B. Gough is holding a series of revival services in the Methodist church here. The meetings are largely attended. The pastor is ably assisted in his work by Mrs. Gough who gives some

COOK'S NEW BLOOD PILLS.

La Bourgogne Was To Blame.

soul-stirring addresses.

London, Jan. 12.—The Admiralty Court to-day found that La Bourgogne, of the Campaign, Generale Transatlantique was alone to blame for the collision with the British ship Cromartyshire, on July 4 last, near Sable Island, off the coast of Nova Scotia, resulting in the sinking of the steamer and the loss of five hundred lives.

Moonshiner's Revenge.

ROANOKE, Va., Jan. 12.—The report reaches here from Floyd county that a man named Uuderwood, suspected of being a United States internal revenue spy, was decapitated by moonshiners. Underwood for some time had been causing the moonshiners trouble with the government. A few days ago a party of men caught him and cut his throat, threw him on a log and cut his head off with an axe. No arrests have been made.

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Calf skin, per lb...... 0 09 " 0 10 Lamb skins, 0 45 " 0 50 Hides, per lb...... $0.7\frac{1}{2}$ " 0.08Beans per bus. yellow eye. 140 " 150 Beans per bus, white..... 105 Carrots per bbl..... 0 75 " Cheese per lb...... 0.8_{4}^{3} " 0.9_{4}^{1} Maple sugar per lb, 0 07 Beets per bbl...... 0 75 " Tomatoes 30 lb box..... 0 40 " 0 50 Celery per doz...... 0 00 " 0 00 syrup per gal..... 0 80 " 1 00 Blue Berries per pail..... 0 00 " 0 00 Black Duck per pair..... 0 50 " 0 00 Squash per cwt...... 0 80 " 0 90 Corn per doz..... 0 00 " 0 00

ST. JOHN MARKET FEES.

Currants box...... 0 00 " 0 00

Peas, green, per bush 0 00 " 0 00

Beef per quarter, four cents. Hogs of two hundred pounds or under, five cents, each additional hundred pounds, one cent. Sheep, lamb, goat or veil, per carcass,

each four cents. Butter in tub, jar, pail or firkin, of ten pounds and under, two cents; every additional ten pounds or division thereof, one cent.

Butter in roles and lard in cakes, for every ten pounds or under two cents. Tallow for every ten pounds or under,

Cheese for every ten pounds or under, Potatoes per one hundred pounds, two

Turnip per one hundred pounds, one Oysters in tub or other vessels per gal-

Oysters in shell per bushel, two cents. Turkey each, one cent. Geese each, one cent. Pigeons per dozen, one cent.

Partridges, fowl or ducks per pair, one

Flour or meal per one hundred pounds,

Oats per one hundred pounds, two

pounds, five cents. Hams, shoulder, bacon per piece, one Eggs for every five dozen or under, one

Peas and beans per one hundred

Beets, carrots, parsnips per one hundred pounds, three cents. Apples per one hundred pounds, five

Plums per one hundred pounds, five

Cherries per box one-quarter cent. Cucumbers per dozen, one cent. Fish smoked per hundred pounds, two

Fish smoked (if staked), one half cent Sugar maple for ten pounds or under, one cent, each additional ten pounds, one

Socks and mittens per dozen pairs, Yarn woolen per pound, one cent.

Corn green per dozen, one half cent

Peas and beans per one hundred bounds, five cents. Onions per one hundred pounds, three Cabbage per dozen, four cents. Berries for five quart pail, one cent.

Berries over five quart and not exceedmg ten quart pail, two cents. Berries, in packages over ten quarts, to any additional ten quarts, two cents. Moose, caribou and bear per quarter,

four cents. Deer, per quarter, two cents. Hides, ox or cow, each four cents. Skins sheep, each two cents.

Skins calf, tanned or untanned, each Wool per pound, one cent. Feathers per pound, one cent.

Salmon, each two cents. All other articles not enumerated, two ents on each dollar of value.

Chains, Trace Ropes, Horse Bells, Halters and Blankets.

Peevies and Axes, Bolts, Nuts and Rivets. Flour, Meal, Pork and Fish, Molasses, Sugar and Tobacco.

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