

The Case of Riell.

The Supreme Court of Manitoba have dismissed the appeal in Riell's case, and confirmed his conviction. Another course is open to his counsel, namely that of appeal to the Privy Council of England.

The Government will do well to let the law take its course in Riell's case. There are no justifying circumstances, and nothing but Riell's execution will satisfy the great majority of the people of Canada.

One by one the North-West rebels are getting their deserts. On Saturday Big Bear was found guilty and sentenced to three years in the Penitentiary.

PROMINENT NEW BRUNSWICKERS RECENTLY DECEASED!

The late Hon. Robert Robinson. The Bay Polit in noting Hon. Robert Robinson's death has the following facts concerning the deceased gentleman:—Mr. Robinson was a native of the town of St. John, N. B., and was born in the town of Castleton, County Donegal.

More than fifty years ago, Col. Tupper came to this town from Annapolis, Nova Scotia, and has ever since been actively engaged in the business of the town. When he first came here, it was as an assistant to the late Richard English, for a long time an active merchant in this town; then he went into business for himself at Florenceville, where he was able to accumulate some property, but after a time left it to return to Woodstock to enter into partnership with Mr. English. Subsequently he became contractor for the mail routes from Fredericton to Woodstock, and afterwards to Grand Falls and Edmundston, at that time a very important enterprise, requiring considerable energy for its successful working, a position which he filled with much satisfaction to the Government and the people for many years, up to the time when it was a great extent superseded by railway communication.

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As to Mr. Robinson's political career, it is not necessary to go into details. He was a member of the Legislative Assembly of the Province, outside of St. John to observe, in the enthusiasm with which Messrs. McLellan and Ritchie of the Local Government, and their supporters, Mr. Stockton, have thrown themselves into the contest on the side of the Grit party.

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NEW BRUNSWICK.

A Digest of the Week's Doings from all parts of the Province.

Albert County Teachers' Institute meets Oct. 1st, at Surrey. Dr. Parker's horse and barn at St. Andrews, were destroyed by fire Friday.

The Railway Bridge at St. John is to be repaired, and the work will be completed in the month of October. The Suburban Agricultural Society is to hold a show at the Lower Hall, Marguerite, about the 15th October.

The Bishop of Fredericton will hold a convocation service on the evening of the 22nd inst., in All Saints Church, Grand Falls. H. Humphrey, W. F. George and Thomas Eater, of Sackville, will ship about 200 head of cattle to England by steamer York City.

The Florenceville Bridge, destroyed by ice last spring, is again under contract for rebuilding. Albert Brewer, the original contractor, has been re-appointed.

The Carleton County Teachers' Institute meets at Woodstock to-morrow. Chief Supt. Crockett, Inspector Oakes and W. G. Gaunce are to take part in the proceedings.

Carleton County is now gathering in her fruit crop. The apples and plums are a good crop, and will, under the sun of money that will be realized from the export will be something handsome.

Prof. Spjstedt and family, who have been visiting their relatives in Woodstock, left for their home at Kathadin, Me., last week. The Professor is a graduate of John C. Winslow, Postmaster of Woodstock.

F. P. Sharp of Upper Woodstock, has begun to ship his Arctic plants to the several Provincial markets. He has for shipment some 6,000 peck boxes, and that quantity, at present selling prices, is worth \$100,000.

Alex. McRoberts, formerly of St. John, died at Kouchibouctou, Kent County, on the 8th inst., after an illness of one day. Mr. McRoberts was a brother-in-law of Wm. Girvan, of the Bank of New Brunswick.

Burglars on Thursday night rifled the safe of Messrs. F. H. Bannan and McEwen, in the town of St. Stephen, obtaining \$500 in money and valuable papers to a large amount. There is no clue to the robbers.

At Woodstock, last Wednesday, a three-story wooden building belonging to George W. English, Suburban contractor, was destroyed by fire. Joseph Howe, Inspector of the North West Mounted Police, is visiting his relatives in St. John. He has fully recovered from his illness, and is expected to return to his post at Woodstock.

The "Icherman" house at Dalhousie, has closed for the season. It has been crowded with guests and it is intended to demolish the house and erect a new one. Dalhousie is becoming a very popular watering place.

There is a freshman class this year of 22 at the Acadia College, of whom 13 are from the Maritime Provinces. The total number attending colleges is 62.

Carleton County's new Registry Office is now occupied by Recorder Munro. The vault for the safe keeping of the records and other papers is a fine structure, and is conveniently arranged, well lighted, handsomely finished, and the building itself is a credit to Carleton County and an ornament to the town.

The Yacht "Leda" of Calais, with her owner, Mr. C. H. Eaton and his wife and daughter on board, arrived Friday evening and after a short stay, left for the coast. Saturday afternoon they visited the harbor, and were accompanied to an excursion down river, which proved a very enjoyable affair. The visitors made many friends during their brief stay.

BUDGET OF NEWS.

Unlaid, Clipped and Collected from Everywhere.

In San Francisco there are 300 Chinese laundries employing 3,000 men. There are three hundred and eighty Anglo-Canadians in Antigonish County, N. S.

German geologists estimate that the Dead Sea will be a mass of solid salt 1,000 years hence. It is stated that Gen. Roberts will urge an increase of the Indian army by 10,000 British troops and 17,000 native troops.

There is a boom in Nova Scotia gold mines, 2,000 ounces were brought into Halifax in one week this summer. The run of salmon in Fraser River, British Columbia, this year has been enormous. One night the boats took from 2,000 to 3,000 fish each.

Lord Lansdowne left Ottawa, on Saturday, on a special through train over the Canadian Pacific Railway for Winnipeg and the Northwest territories. Cape Town advises state Congo cannibals have attacked several stations of the African railway, and roasted and devoured a number of whites.

The English language is coming into use by the natives of India, and, owing to their sources of learning, they leave out and put in the English language. The head of the Roman Catholic missions in China reports that 10,000 native converts have been made within the last year. Five white missionaries have been lost.

A son of Admiral Cooper of the U. S. Navy, has been arrested for breaking into the rooms of a family who lodged in the same house, and stealing \$5 from a child's toy saving bank. If Prof. Wiggins is correct, next winter will be one of exceptional cold and storm. He bases this prediction on the fact that Jupiter, Saturn, Uranus and Neptune are near their perihelion.

There is nothing you could present to an invalid, that would be more appreciated than a bottle of Bartol's Beef Iron & Wine, it enriches the blood, gives strength and comfort and does permanent good. The Dominion Travelers' Association propose to make a tour of the Maritime Provinces, and carry to the Privy Council the question whether Halifax, St. John, Fredericton and other cities have the right to impose a tax on commercial travellers selling goods in these cities.

Truro Canned Milk Factory is now canning milk and coffee together, so that any one in want of a cup of coffee has only to put a teaspoonful of it into a cup of hot water and the most delicious coffee is served. The coffee made use of in this factory is of the best quality.

Lightning killed five horses at Camilla, N. Y., lately in a singular manner. They were standing with their necks over a wire fence and the lightning struck the wire and the horses were killed. The current traversed the wire and went to the ground through the horses.

A party of moonlighters raided a farm house near Truro one evening last week. They pulled a girl out of bed and cut off her hair, and tied two donkeys together tail to tail and burned them alive. They also burned a rick of hay and stabbed a horse to death.

The Toronto Globe of Wednesday last is a triumph of journalism, and fully illustrates the growth of Toronto. It is a forty-page journal, including cover, and contains over two hundred columns of advertisements. The holding of the Globe at Toronto and the 41st anniversary of the paper are celebrated together.

A new political party has been launched in Texas, with a membership of 10,000 men, and a platform of reform. It proposes to keep its ranks clean, and to avoid the "dangerous" classes of society. These are bankers, lawyers, saloon-keepers, gamblers, and professional politicians.

It is reported the Government of India has ordered the withdrawal of the 10th and 11th regiments of the 1st and 2nd Divisions of the British Army from the Punjab. The regiments are to be sent to the Cape of Good Hope.

There was a series of outrages on the night of the 9th inst., in the town of Tulla, County Clare, Ireland. The house of a man named O'Connell and another were surrounded at midnight by armed men, who fired into them and posted notices threatening the inmates with the death of a dog if they paid no ransom. Similar outrages were posted on the doors of houses of many other tenants in the same place.

In some of the large American cities a new system for the immediate delivery of letters goes in force on the first of next month. The system is simple and efficient, and is the result of the prompt delivery of letters when it reaches the post office to which it is addressed places a special ten cent stamp upon it in addition to the regular postage. On its arrival the postmaster despatches a messenger with it to the individual whose name it bears.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

Newly Notes and Notions of Everything.

Los Angeles has raised a watermelon weighing 178 pounds. At Yakutsk, Siberia, the earth is always frozen to a depth of over fifty feet. A good-sized dog requires more food to keep him in order than a 6-year-old boy or girl.

It was customary in England to applaud the preachers in the pulpit two hundred years ago. A barber in Auburn has just been "installed" in a new "tonsorial parlour and capillary studio." "Blood-food" is the suggestive name often given to Ayer's Sarsaparilla, because of its blood-enriching qualities.

A man who saw the heading in a newspaper, "An editor at Wimbledon" wanted to know what Wimbledon had done. A woman made the first orange box used in California, and she now runs a factory which turns out 50,000 of them a year. The London Lancet regards the increased use of fruit in ordinary diet as one of the most important of domestic management in our day.

A new form of insurance fraud has been detected in Pennsylvania. A Philadelphia man named himself in order to draw money on an accident insurance policy. It costs 50 cents in a Western city to have a barrel of flour taken from the mill to the door of a dwelling. Thirty-five cents more will land it on the dock at Liverpool. Statistics just gathered show that the population of Ireland is under 5,000,000, and that the number of births and marriages is below the average of the previous ten years.

There is any difference between a journalist and an editor, the journalist is a man who writes things for a newspaper. The editor is the man who leaves out what the journalist writes. Boston possesses not only one of the swiftest mail routes, but also one of the best. It is the fastest route in the world, and is the slowest—the Rev. Dr. Bartol, whose average is sixty words per minute. The American army is very unpopular with the Americans. In Memphis, two thieves were caught on the 10th inst., and were sentenced to the penitentiary for three years. The importance and value of Johnson's Amalgam Lotion to a family cannot be overestimated. It is a perfect remedy for internal and external use and will prevent cure diptheria and all dangerous throat and lung troubles.

What is said to be the largest gun in the world is being constructed in Jersey City. It is a breech-loading, 90 feet long. The propelling power will be compressed air which will discharge a 150-pound dynamite cartridge five feet long. A New York family went to Europe and were gone eight months, and during every day of the time they were away, the clock in the house was running. The owner is trying to persuade the gas company to take the house and land and give him a receipt for the bill.

The internal heat of the earth is being investigated by the German Government. The shaft sunk at Schladbach has penetrated about 4,500 feet underground, believed to be the greatest depth yet reached by boring. At this point the earth's temperature is 120 degrees Fahrenheit. Matthew Walker, of New Centreville, Chester County, Pennsylvania, has entirely recovered from a broken neck, sustained by being thrown from a wagon. Physicians had pronounced him incurable, but Walker, by the injury he healed himself, and now Mr. Walker has complete use of his neck.

There are only two kinds of progress in space. One is that of matter, the other is that of force. An arrow in flight, a bullet from a gun, represents the former of these, while the ever-widening circles which follow the plunge of a stone into a pool of water represent the latter. A watch, the gold cases of which are studded with diamonds and bear a representation of American colours and an eagle, supported by female figures with harps in their hands, is the safe of a New York jeweller, and was presented to Charles Stewart Parnell. The watch is the gift of a Philadelphia friend.

In some parts of the African coast the shark is still worshipped and offerings of poultry and goats are made. Once a year a child is sacrificed to propitiate it. The child is bound to a post in the sands at low water and as the tide rises, mingling its shrieks and screams with those of its mother until it is devoured by sharks. Children in Congo are the property of the relatives of the mother. The right of inheritance is from uncle to nephew, and a man's slaves and real property go to the oldest son of his oldest sister, or the next of kin in the same line. A wise nephew usually leaves his father's house and lives with his uncle, to keep his eye on his future property.

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