

GENERAL NEWS.

The peach crop on Pelee Island is a great one.

The cure of a crippled boy and an ailing woman are reported from Ste. Anne de Beupre, Que.

The New York Grand Jury has handed in a presentment, condemning the condition of the Tombs Prison.

Of 15,000 tailors employed by contractors in New York, Brownsville and Brooklyn, fully 12,000 are on strike.

John Cole, of Southampton, Ont., was found dead with a bullet in his forehead. The jury returned an open verdict.

Sells Bros' circus tent-lighting apparatus was destroyed by the burning of two cars near Windsor Junction, N. S.; loss \$2000.

By ploughing on each side of its tracks on the prairie, and burning over this "guard," the C. P. R. hope to avert prairie fires from locomotive sparks.

Hon A. W. Harvey, of the Newfoundland Executive, has been forced to resign by Governor O'Brien. The latter has gone to England, his term having expired.

Nazaire Fecteau, laborer, aged 27, fell from the stairs of his boarding house, in Lower Town, Que., broke his skull, was taken to the General Hospital and died.

Miss Mable Kent, a young lady well known in Winnipeg, who left last autumn for San Francisco, was murdered there by a lover because she refused to marry him.

The New York bankers have made final payment for Toronto's latest bond issue; \$1000 was saved the city in charges. The bonds will be delivered in London the second week in August.

A train crowded with pilgrims returning from the shrine of St. Dauray, was wrecked near the town of St. Brieux, France, on Friday. Twelve persons were killed and twenty-five injured.

Gauthier, the young man who killed his lover, Alma Conyng, in Montreal on Tuesday, was declared guilty of murder by the coroner's jury and sent to the Criminal Court to stand his trial.

Shortis, the Valleyfield, Quebec, murderer, who is now on trial for his life, is known in Waterford, Ireland, his native place, as a regular madman. This will be a strong point in the hands of his lawyer who is trying to prove him insane.

Rev. Edward Beecher, D. D., brother of the late Henry Ward Beecher, died at Brooklyn on Sunday morning. He was ninety-two years of age and had spent the greater part of his life in the ministry. He was taken ill three days ago.

Dr. Clarke, of the Rockwood Insane Asylum, Kingston, has just sent in his report to Mr. G. G. Foster, who is representing Shortis. An examination of the report reveals the fact that he, as well as Dr. Anglin, considers the prisoner to be insane.

Saturday afternoon as the Wild West Show teams were on the way from the cars to the tent grounds at Yarmouth the driver of one of the heavy wagons was pitched forward of the team as the front wheels dropped into a deep ditch. The wheels passed over his body and he was instantly killed.

Thomas James, a Winnipeg butcher, was charged by the "Free Press" of Winnipeg with manufacturing sausages from deceased cats. The charge is resented by Mr. James, who has brought an action for libel against the Free Press. It is probable that the public will then find out from what material sausages are really made.

Lake Baikal, in Siberia, is called by the Russians the largest fresh water lake in the world in spite of the fact that our own Lake Superior and two African lakes have greater areas. It is chiefly remarkable for furnishing a zoological puzzle, as it is the habitat of seals seemingly of exactly the same species as those formerly so abundant in the salt waters about Spitzbergen. Are they relics of ocean life there, aged and nobody knows.

Rains Mutual, in the employ of Mrs. Thomas Enders, East Amherst, N. S., on Monday met with a terrible accident. While assisting with a moving machine he stepped in front of the cutter, with the result that he received a fearful gash on one of the legs, the bone being broken and all the muscles being severed on one part of the leg. He was removed to Victoria hospital at Halifax. The boy is fifteen years old and formerly worked in Westmoreland county.

A London, Ont., girl has won the prize offered by a Washington paper for the best essay on the late lamented George after whom the capital of the United States is named. A Canadian (Hall) was the best member of the Cornell crew at Henley, a Canadian (Hackett) was the fastest oarsman at Saratoga, a Canadian (Hayhurst) won the Queen's prize at Bixley, and now a Canadian school girl beats the whole United States in writing an essay on the Father of the American Republic.

Henry McNutt, a young man 18 or 19 years of age, met with a horrible death at Canaan, N. S., on Friday. He was employed in J. A. McNeil's saw mill and was working there when a young man entered and asked to be allowed to sharpen his knife. Young McNutt, who was friendly and obliging, said he would put

the belt on the grindstone. As he was about to do so he fell on the balance wheel, which threw him on the engine, and his body was broken and torn so badly that he only lived a few minutes.

Two gentlemen of Kentucky named Goines and Jones both of whom were married men, fell in love with a pretty girl named Gilbert and became very jealous of each other. The other day they met at the Gilbert girl's house, and seizing axes from the wood-pile started out to chop each other up. Goines got his work in first, cutting off Jones' left arm at the shoulder, Jones then got a blow in at Goines's neck, severing the jugular, but Goines had time before he died to hit Jones on the head, cleaving his skull. This is the way they settle such little affairs in Kentucky.

Governor and Lady O'Brien left Newfoundland on Sunday, the Governor's term of office having expired. His departure was made the occasion of a great ovation. The British flag ship Cleopatra, cruiser Buzzard and French Frigate Nièvre, when the mail steamer with the Governor aboard started from St. John's, fired farewell salutes of fourteen guns. Governor O'Brien being on bad terms with the Whiteway ministry none of the ministers were present and they had refused to allow the colonial government steamer Fiona to display flags. The officers of the war-ships were highly indignant. Chief Justice Sir Frederick Carter has assumed the administration and will hold the position till a new Governor is appointed.

It is Well to Get Wisdom.

McNAIRN, Aug. 1.—"In all your getting get understanding or in other words get wisdom." These are the words of Solomon, one of the greatest and wisest rulers of his day. Solomon the son of David strengthened his fathers kingdom and the Lord magnified him in the sight of all Israel. Solomon asked for neither wealth or long life, but for wisdom, and the Lord granted unto him wisdom and knowledge and unto these were added wealth, riches and honor, and Solomon decided to build an house for the name of the Lord and for his kingdom and he built an house, the like for beauty which has never been surpassed and he dedicated it and methinks as I read that prayer if only such fervent prayers were offered to-day that God would hear from Heaven, his dwelling place, and churches and schools would be erected every three miles (which is the bible limit) instead of every seven or eight and people would live more harmonious lives, the lion would lie down with the lamb and a little child would lead them.

Let us consider the evils which attend strife, hatred, malice, indifference, ignorance, licentiousness, blighted lives and morality, while love is the stepping stone to heaven, the building of churches and the maintaining of public schools, the doorway into which the sunlight of God ever shines, where the home is the home of happiness, "where the children like olive plants about thy table grow." People may not possess wealth in this world but they may possess that which is a thousand times better by putting forth their own efforts and with God's assistance and in this country where education is non-sectarian we may get wisdom and when we obtain that priceless gift nought can take it away. Then give unto your children good education, do not thrust upon their mental palate that which is obnoxious or implant tendencies into their youthful minds, the sting of which must degrade their youthful characters. Then let there be more love in the christian denominations, let the preachers take as Solomon did, a broader view of the necessities of his followers, let the Sabbath school teachers pray more fervently for their scholars and the professing christians overlook the faults of their fellow-beings and parents and guardians take more interest in the common school education of their boys and girls. See that their schools are not hot beds of corrupt and degrading practices, where public sentiment is formed by the older and more hardened, where they implant their habits to little fellows whether they will or no, where the last fibre of what might be noble man and womanhood are banished, and the last blush of shame destroyed.

Let the father be the closest friend of his son, the mother the choicest earthly blessing to her daughters, let their books be of a pure standard. Stimulate admiration on the part of the boys for the girls intellectual achievements and on the part of the girls for the many noble traits of character of their brothers.

The Baby Girl Elephant.

A baby girl has just arrived in the little town of Southwest City, Mo., who will be the biggest woman on earth if she lives. The very day she made her appearance in the world the mammoth youngster tipped the scales at 65 pounds. She is now says the New York Recorder, more than 95 pounds in weight and measures 30 inches around the waist. Her arms and her hands and feet are as large as a man's. This champion fat baby is the daughter of T. J. Matthews, a farmer, who lives in the Cherokee Nation. He is an old man, says the Little girl's mother. If the fat girl keeps on growing as rapidly as she has since her birth she will soon weigh more than the combined weight of her papa and mamma. Just the same, she is a happy and healthy baby.

Curious Statistics.

A German lover of figures has made the following curious calculations: A man smoking a pipe of medium size blows out of his mouth for every time he fills the pipe 700 smoke clouds. If he smokes four pipes a day for twenty years he blows out 20,440,000 smoke clouds.

If two lovers spend four hours together and the lover takes or receives 200 kisses—low calculation—and each kiss lasts ten seconds, in five years' time the lover would have 365,000 kisses and their lips would have been united for the space of forty-two days and six hours.

If the entire population is considered to be 1,400,000,000 the brains of this number of human beings would weigh 1,922,712 tons, or as much as ninety-six ironclads of the ordinary size.

The air pressure on a person of ordinary size is thirteen and a half tons.

A man of 50 years of age has in ordinary cases undressed himself 18,350 times, and, of course, dressed himself just as many times.

When a person on the street raises his hat and makes a bow, the work of a second, he is carried by the movement of the earth 500 meters round with the planet, three miles round the sun, and nearly a mile forward with the sun.

He Let off a Letter Too.

What makes one instructor popular and another not popular is not always easy to define. The late Prof. Blackie of the University of Edinburgh was much loved by his "boys." Among the amusing stories which illustrate the professor's aptness at the meeting of the "boys" on their own ground and good-naturedly turning the joke against them is the following incident:

On one occasion Prof. Blackie's regular class room at Edinburgh was undergoing repairs, so temporarily he took another room and on the door wrote with a piece of chalk:

"Prof. Blackie will meet his classes here to day."

Along came the boys; one was erased the initial "c" of the inscription, and all stood about to see what the old man would say to the amendment.

He came, glanced at the inscription, did not smile or frown, but without a second's hesitation erased the initial "c" and walked on to his desk.

The boys never tried to play such a joke on him again.—Ex.

See My New Dress!

It used to be my mamma's old cashmere, which she took to pieces and dyed with Diamond Dyes and made me two new dresses, a blue and a brown. Brother's got a new suit too; it's made from Uncle Jack's old coat dyed over; mamma said 'twas easy to dye with Diamond Dyes,—that anybody can use them.



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Love of Country Life.

There comes in the life of every man who cannot afford it a time of burning unrest, when he is overpowered by an uncontrollable desire to live in the country. A railroad man who doesn't know for the life of him which end of the plow you hitch the horse to is always longing to go on a farm. A successful merchant, who vaguely knows that you dig potatoes, although by that he rather understands that you mine them as you do coal, bankers, after a certain time of life, for a cheap little place, not too far out of town where he can "put an artesian milk well and raise his own bananas, of which he is very fond. We cannot help it. Out of the dust we came; back to the soil we are drawn. We are children of the earth, and we do love to creep back into the mother arms and get our faces down close to the sweet old mother heart when the shadows begin to grow long, when the days of the second childhood come upon us and the time draws near when she will take us into her arms for the last time and hush us to sleep on her cool, peaceful bosom.



Colquhoun.—At Richibucto, Aug. 6, to the wife of H. T. Colquhoun, a daughter.



McKENZIE-FORDWARD.—At the residence of Mr. H. McKenzie, July 2nd, 1895 by the Rev. E. H. Fuller, M. A. D. D., R. C. of Toronto, Wash. to George E. F. Fordward, formerly of Kingston, Kent Co., N. B.

Seeing Ourselves and others.

How often one whispers to oneself. "O, wad some power the giftie gie us," and the rest of it. One's friends are so apt to comment upon the very thing in others which one has sadly marked in themselves, as a woman of good family has often been heard to insist upon her favorite dictum, "Blood will tell," while all her acquaintances wonder what it tells in her case, as they agree that she is the rudest, the most careless in behavior, and the farthest from elegance of anyone of her circle. Yet she holds to her dear saying with determination, as if it were a talisman to make all the world see her as she sees herself, which, as some wit has observed, is what we want, after all, and not Burns' famous thought. It is humiliating to reflect that we, in our turn, may be causing as much surprise, if not amusement, to others by our inconsistency as others do to us.

When baby was sick, we gave her Castoria. When she was a child, she cried for Castoria. When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria. When she had children, she gave them Castoria.

Advertisement for THE WEAK LINK IN A LIFE, featuring Piny-Pectoral and a small illustration of a person.

Notice of Sale!

To Aime D. Cormier, formerly of the Parish of Saint Mary, in the County of Kent, and May his wife and all others whom it shall or may concern:—

Notice is hereby given that there will be sold at Public Auction on TUESDAY, THE TWENTY-FOURTH DAY OF SEPTEMBER next, at 12 o'clock noon, in front of the Court House, Richibucto, the following lands and premises, namely:—All that certain piece and parcel of land situate lying and being in the Parish of Saint Paul in the County of Kent bounded and described as follows, to wit:—Beginning at a fir tree standing at the south-easterly angle of lot number thirty-six located to Z. Arseneault in the north division Rhomboid Settlement, thence north nine degrees and fifteen minutes west, sixty-seven chains to a pine tree, thence north fifty-seven degrees east with a rectangular distance of fifteen chains to another pine tree, thence south nine degrees and fifteen minutes east, sixty-seven chains to a fir tree, and thence south fifty-seven degrees west with a rectangular distance of fifteen chains to the place of beginning containing one hundred acres more or less and distinguished as lot number thirty-seven in north Rhomboid settlement.

The said sale will be made under and by virtue of a Power of Sale contained in an Indenture of Mortgage bearing date April 12, 1889, made by the said Aime D. Cormier and wife and recorded in Book F., No. 2, folio 270 of the Kent County records, and for default in payment of the moneys secured in and made payable by the said Mortgage.

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Advertisement for CANADA'S International Exhibition, 1895, Sept. 24th to Oct. 4th, St. John, N. B.

Advertisement for Fair Grounds, South of Sheffield Street, on September 24th, 1895.

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