A Maine newspaper notes the fact that H. Price Webber is on the road again with the Boston Comedy Company and says this about the performance:-

H. Price Webber concluded a most successful seven nights' engagement in Townsend Hall, last Thursday evening. All the plays have been produced in a manner worthy of the large patronage given. The acting of each member has been the subject of warm praise by the audiences, especially the fine impersonations of Miss Grey. The costumes were elegant and appropriate, and are much better than travelling companies usually carry. Manager Webber has certainly shown a great deal of enterprise in fitting up so well, and his energy and courage in investing a heavy outlay of money to purchase such fine scenery and dresses are deserving a substantial return, which he will undoubtedly receive. Mr. Webber has been coming to Booth bay harbor for the past sixteen years, and he has given the best series of entertainments this year he ever did. The company lett for towns on the Grand Trunk R. R., yesterday, where they will be for a week, after which they go direct to Nova Scotia.

Webber writes to Progress that he opens again in the Maratime Provinces September 18, picking up his tour at Antigonish where it was broken off by the disastrous Truro Fire.

### HIS GREAT STAGE HITS.

The "Back Fall" of the Late Joe Nagle Which Crowned His Fame as an Actor.

"None of the newspaper notices of the death of the old-time actor, Joseph E. Nagle, the other day, mention one great piece of business that he prided himself on, tor the Hawker Medicine Co.'s remedies. which made him famous in the days of his prime, gaining him the nickname of Backfall Nagle, by which he was familiarly known in the profession everywhere," said a contemporary of the dead actor. "In the days when legitimate actors were not expected to be acrobats as well, the business of the stage known as the back tall drug business. Mr. McDiarmid says had more terror to the actor, and was attempted with more apprehension by him, than any other physical accessory of the art. There was one man on the stage though, and the only one I ever saw, who could do the back fall to perfection, and who was not only not atraid to do it, but who insisted on working it in on about every part he played, and that was Joe Nagle. As I remember him at his best he was a man over six feet tall, and his gigantic frame was splendidly proportioned to his height. His principal stamping ground was in the untamed West, but he was also years ago a favorite at the Old Bowery Theatre and Balsam of Tolu and Wild Cherry, Hawat Wood's Museum on Broadway, in the ker's Catarrh Cure and Dr. Manning' Gerrobust plays that generally hold the boards | man Rheumatic and Neuralgia Cure. at those houses of a past and gone generation. He was an exce!lent representative of that school the drama, and, with his effective back tall to help him, his climaxes never failed to bring down the

"Joe was as straight as an Indian. And that great form of his toppling over and falling backward, as stiff as a falling tree, and with no more apparent resistance to the consciousness of the fall than a tree would have, was something so startling realistic that it never failed to drive even the coldest audience to applause. He would come down with a thud that showed plainly there was no nonsense about the results. tall, but at the same time he caught all ofhis weight on his hands, the same as any actor does in doing an ordinary, every-day

"Whenever Nagle was to play with a strange company he always rehearsed this backfall to the members, so that they might become familiar with it, for he knew if he sprang it on them without warning it would more than likely break them up for the whole performance. But even after the perilous acrobatic feat had been done before the company time and time again, actors were yet so nervous and rattled when Nagle came to do his fall that they would trequently start torward involuntarily with outstretched hands, as if to catch him, so real and unstagy was the act.

"Frank Murdock, who was a good actor, but got more fame and money out of the play 'Davy Crocket,' which he wrote for Frank Mayo, than he did out of his art as a player, came near giving Joe his last back tall through this nervousness and involuntary interference in the performance of the act. Joe had noticed Frank's nervousness and had warned him on several occasions to control himself.

"'I've got to do this fall all alone,' he said, 'and I've got to have my mind entirely on it. If it isn't I'm more likely to break my neck than my fall.'

"One night Joe stiffened himself for the great fall under particularly exciting circumstances. Frank's business was to be near him: in fact it was some overwhelming bit of news in the play that he had hurled at Joe as the hero that was to cause the mighty fall. The news had been hurled and Joe began to fall. When Frank saw that big form of Nagle's begin to tumble over like some great column, the sight was so real that he lost control of himself and stepped quickly forward and stretched his arm out under the falling actor before he knew what he was doing. The arm touched Joe. Instead of coming down on the stage rigid and straight as was his wont, he tell all in a heap, and was so badly hurt that he had to be carried off the stage.

"I guess Clara Morris has a vivid recollection of poor old Joe, it the story they tell in Cleveland is true. It was years ago, before Miss Morris became great, and she was learning the alphabet of her art by playing minor parts at John Elsler's theatre in Cleveland. Joe was playing a star engagement, but what the play was I don't know. Whatever it was, Miss Morris was cast as the daughter of the hero, who was Joe. There came a crisis in the play that nothing could meet but Joe's back tall. The crisis was when his daughter was bidding him farewell. Although his hands played a very important part in his tall. Joe caught Miss Morris's hands through some strange whim. and took her down with him in his awful tumble. According to the story. Miss W. Benj. Smith, 24 Dock street, has all only black as shoe blacking. Morris afterward said that it seemed to her as if she was falling from some great height, as she went down in one grand sweep with the gigantic form of the actor. Joe had not the support of his hands in this fall, but he spread his length out upon the stage without the relaxation of a muscle, and, as the astonished and frightened daughter disentangled herself safe and unburt from the awful wreck of her father, the audience went wild with enthusiasm, and Back-fall Nagle never received such a recognition of his over-topping genius as he received on that

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What St. John Druggists Say.

T. B. Barker & Sons are an old St John firm of high standing and conduct one of the largest wholesale drug houses in the maritime provinces. Messrs. Barker & Sons say dealers from all parts of the pro-vinces are increasing their orders for Hawker's Nerve and Stomach Tonic, Hawker's Liver Pills, Hawker's Catarrh Cure and Hawker's Balsam of Tolu and Wild Cherry.

W. C. R. Allen, King street, West End, says there is a steadily increasing demand Geo. A. Moore, 109 Brussels street, says the Hawker Medicine Co.'s preparations

are standard medicines. S. McDiarmid, 49 King street, has a large and well assorted stock of medicines and receives a good share of the wholesale Hawker's Nerve and Stomach Tonic, Hawker's Liver Pills and Hawker's Balsam of Tolu and Wild Cherry are the best selling medicines in the wholesale department.

E. J. Mahoney, 38 Main St., North End, says his customers are well pleased with The Hawker Medicines Co, remedies. He has sold Hawker's Balsam of Tolu and Wild Cherry for several years.

C. P. Clarke, 100 King St., bas a fine city trade and is well known as a super or chemist. Mr. Clarke says there has been a remarkable growth in the sales of Hawker's Nerve and Stomach Tonic, Hawker's

R, N. Knight, cor. King and Ludlow St. West End, says there is a great demand in Carleton, for the Hawker's Medicines Co.'s Preparations.

A. Chipman Smith & Co., 41 Charlotte St., do a good city business and have a fine Branch Store at Bathurst, N. B.

Mr. Struan Robertson of this firm says there is a wonderful increase in the demand for Hawker's Liver Pills and Hawker's Nerve aud Stomach Tonic. Their Branch Store at Bathurst, N. B., has had several shipments of The Hawker Remedies this year and report satisfactory in stock.

Chas. F. Wade, Wall St., North End, says :- The Hawker Preparations are leading. Mr. Wade has received a number of Testimonials for Hawker's Liver Pills and Hawker's Nerve and Stomach Tonic.

Dr. Wm Christie, Main St., North End, Finds an improved demand for The Hawker Medicine Co's Remedies and has all the Preparations in stock.

Hazen J. Dick, 148 Charlotte St., says Hawker's Nerve and Stomach Tonic, Hawker's Liver Pills, Hawker's Catarrh Cure and Balsam of Tolu and Wild Cherry are a fast selling line of Preparations. .

R. E. Coupe, cor Main & Acadia St., North End, says there has been a rapid increase in the sales of Hawker's Liver Pills, Hawker's Nerve and Stomach Tonic, Hawker's Pile Cure and Dr. Mannings German Rheumatism and Neuralgia Cure. S. Waters, cor King and Union St., West End, says there is a good demand for The Hawker Medicine Co's Remedies.

Parker Bros., 19 Market Square, occupies one of the oldest drug stands in St. John. Mr. Parker says there is a great improvement in the sale of the Hawker Medicine Co.'s preparations.

James McKinney, Jr., corner Charlotte and St. James street, says he has sold Hawker's Preparations for upwards of ten years and finds the demand increasing for DIRECTORS: Hawker's Tonic and Hawker's Liver Pills, which are considered a superior purgative, anti-bilious and blood purifying medicine.

Chas. McGregor, 137 Charlotte street, says Hawker's Nerve and Stomach Tonic, Hawker's Catarrh Cure, and Hawker's Balsam of Tolu and Wild Cherry are selling in good form.

Dr. H. McLean, 39 Main St., North End, carries a tull line of the Hawker Medicine Co.'s Remedies.

W. H. Mowatt, Hay-market Square, says Hawker's Preparations are selling rapidly. He has received testimonials for Hawker's Tonic and Dr. Maning's German Rheumatic and Neuralgia Cure.

Geo. W Hoben, Union Hall 219 Main St. North End. finds the demand increasing for Hawker's Remedies and says his customers speak highly of Hawker's nerve and stomach Tonic as a good nerve and brain invigorator biood builder and appe-

Morris V. Paddock. Cor. Union & Coburg St., has a good demand for Hawker's Pills, Hawker's Tonis, Hawker's catarrh

Hawker Medicine Co.'s Remedies.

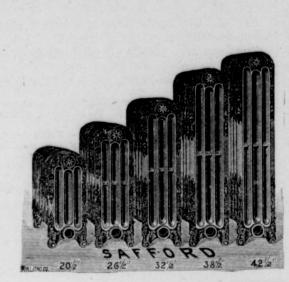
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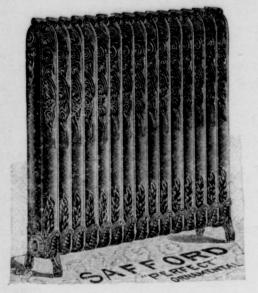
the sales are increasing rapidly. W. S. Barker, 35 King St., says the Hawker Medicine Co.'s remedies are a fast selling line of medicines, and notes a rapid increase in the demand for Hawker's Liver Pills, Hawker's Nerve and Stomach Tonic

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is a big demand for The Hawker Medicine Co's Preparations he has all the Remedies Orlando V. D. Jones, Golden Ball corner sells the Hawker Medicine Co's

Richard W. McCarty 185 Union St. is a druggist of advanced experience. Mr. McCarty says The Hawker Medicine Co's Preparations are the best selling Remedies in this market. He has received a number ot Testimonials for Hawker's Nerve and Stomach Tonic, Hawker's Liver Pills and

Hawker's Pile Cure. McArthur Drug Store, 59 Charlette St., is an old and well established drug house. Mr. James W. Racine, manager, says Hawker's Preparations are having a won-derful sale. Customers speak highly of Hawker's Nerve and Stomach Tonic, Hawker's Balsam of Tolu and 'Wild Cherry, Hawker's Liver Pills and Hawker's Catarrh

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Mr. Paddock says they are very satisfactory from the adjacent volcanoes as to appear a part of the surrounding ground, which is Thos. A. Crockett, 162 Princess street, all the same dull gray tint. The ashes are only a thin vail for a thick, licorice-like fluid of the consistency of thin molasses,

At first the party of pioneers who discovered the lake inclined to the theory that it was but a mire hole, but the condition of the clothes of one of their party who fell into it quickly disproved this, for the dirt left an indelible stain. It was called ink alcohol, one of the draughtsmen of the party took the occasion of supplying himhow extensive the supply is, are matters of 1 A Good Endorser.

ALMA, Sept. 11. R. C. Donaghey is well-known merchant here, and a man of the highest respectability. His endorsement of any person or thing is, therefore, valuable. He told your reporter a couple of days ago that he had been cured by Dodd's kidney pills of the severe pains he suffered in his back for three years past. He has given practical proof of his belief in the efficacy of the pills by recommending them to several friends who are now using the pills and being benefited by them. It's the same good old story that is always told after anyone uses this magic remedy.

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