

News of the Week.

NEW BRUNSWICK.

The Coldbrook mills are very busy. In raw material they received via St. John within the past week, two cargoes of scrap iron and steel, a cargo of clay and a cargo of sand.

The Moncton refinery is importing quite a stock of raw sugar via St. John just now, about a thousand tons having been forwarded per the I. C. R. within the past few days.

On Friday afternoon a lamentable accident occurred directly opposite the wharf at Riverside in which, by the capsizing of a sail-boat on the Kennebecasis, two bright and intelligent young men were drowned. John Boyd, aged 16, son of Wm. Boyd, section man on the I. C. R.; and Samuel Paul, aged 18, son of Andrew Paul, both residents of Riverside. The accident has cast a deep gloom over the place. Paul and Boyd were smart, industrious young men and held in high esteem by not only the residents of the place to which they belonged but also in St. John where both had many friends.

The great freshet destroyed the bridge across Milkish Creek. Some time ago repairs were made on the structure, but, owing to the displacement of the abutments which, it is said, were not properly set in position, the bridge is not considered safe for traffic of any kind.

Mr. John Ryan, of Bartibogue, was crushed to death Monday afternoon in the French Fort Quarry by a heavy stone falling upon him. Mr. Ryan was at work picking out stone when a large one became loosened above him and, rolling down, struck him upon the legs, crushing them badly. He died a few moments afterward.—Advocate.

A gang of men are at work getting the St. Martins and Upham railroad ready for the steel rails, which are now on the way from England. The locomotives are being repaired also. It is said that the road will be run all winter.

The disorderly occupants of a disorderly house in Fredericton having been ejected by the vigilant police of the capital, are said to be in St. John. The police should send them along.

Beginning at Edmundston seven miles of the St. Francis railway has been located. The promoters expect to locate as far as the mouth of the St. Francis this fall. A Dominion subsidy of \$96,000 for that distance has been granted. It is said the contract for this section has been signed. Its promoters intend in the future to build it up the valley of the St. Francis and across to Point Levis, province of Quebec. The construction is expected to commence as soon as the contractor finishes grading the River du Loup railway.

Wm. Ingram, of St. Martins, was arraigned before William Skillen, parish court commissioner, on Monday last, for selling liquor while the Scott Act was in force in St. John County. He was found guilty, fined \$50, and in default of payment of fine, placed in jail, where he now lies. Ingram intends taking steps to test the validity of the Scott Act in the county.

Mr. Samuel Barr, an old resident of St. John met with a mishap in the Y. M. C. A. building by which he broke one of his legs. He was taken to the city hospital for treatment.

A fatal form of cholera morbus is raging in Dorchester penitentiary. A score of the prisoners are very ill. Jim Collins from St. Andrews, who had served four years out of a sentence of 14, died of the disease.

The following post offices were opened on the 1st August: Gloucester Station, Bathurst, W. R. Welch, postmaster; Urney, Sussex, J. A. Leak, postmaster. Blissville office, Sunbury Co., has been closed. The name of McNaughton office, Kings Co., has been changed to Mount Hebron.

Counterfeit notes of the Merchants' Bank of P. E. Island are afloat.

A mammoth storage shed, 30x100 feet is being erected at the Woodstock Woodworking Factory, in order to accommodate the increasing business of the firm.

About two o'clock on the morning of the 27th inst., a fire was discovered in the Victoria Hotel on Queen street, Sussex, and in a short time the whole building was in flames. The fire department were called out, but the fire had made such headway before their arrival that they were unable to prevent the flames from spreading to adjoining buildings. A couple of wedding houses on Tannery street were also destroyed. The boot and shoe factory and the tannery caught, but the flames were

extinguished before much damage was done.

The total loss is estimated at \$25,000; insurance \$10,000.

Mr. Clarence Spooner, who owned and managed the Island Press, was about starting a newspaper and had all his plant stored in the Masonic Hall; it has all been destroyed.

Consumptives should try Allen's Lung Balm; it can be had of any Druggist.

NOVA SCOTIA.

The Cape Sable Advertiser says: The crew working at the wreck of the Sulina, on the Horse Race shoal, have had occasion, while operating there, to observe many peculiarities of the tide off the Cape, which has hitherto been unnoticed. They say that the ebb tide runs its ordinary course only for four hours. It then meets the flood setting westerly by Baccaro and is deflected to the south, running in that direction with a very brief slack, and soon turning to the regular westerly current, so that there are actually eight hours of flood and only four of ebb. It might be of service to mariners to make a note of this fact.

The Acadia steamship company (limited) held its annual meeting here today. There was a very large attendance and considerable interest manifested on account of a concerted movement to oust the present management, especially Mr. Mills, M. P., the secretary-treasurer of the company. After considerable discussion the report of the board of directors was accepted and the following gentlemen elected directors for the current year: S. W. W. Pickup, W. E. Starrat, T. R. Jones, T. R. Harris, J. B. Mills, John Harris, Thomas S. Whitman, Shippy Spurr, W. M. Forsyth and N. A. Piggot.

A story comes from Pictou which alleges that a nurse who had complained of being unwell for some time, vomited a live lizard two or three inches in length.

An electric light company is about to start operations in Yarmouth, with a capital of \$15,000. All the stock has been taken up, in 30 shares of \$500 each, and the old knitting factory has been leased by the company. A contract has been made with the American Electric Manufacturing company, of New York and Toronto, for the necessary plant, including engine and boiler, which are expected here on September 15th. Contracts have been made with the council to light the streets, and also with 30 of the shops on Main street.

On Saturday, 20th inst., a special preventive office of inland revenue seized an illicit still at Ashnale, Antigonish county, N. S. The parties engaged in the production of the ardent were Wm. McDonald and Ed. and Jordan. They were tried before magistrates in Antigonish town, on Monday and Tuesday, the result being conviction. The penalty imposed was \$100 and a month's imprisonment in the county jail; but on account of Mr. McDonald's age, the punishment by imprisonment was remitted in his case, with the consent of the prosecution.

The first trip over the Joggins railway was made on 24th inst. The locomotive went three miles to the Amherst coal mines. The president, Mr. Crookshank; the manager, W. C. Milner, Messrs. Gillespie and Wilnot of the contractors' staff, and Mr. Patrick, manager of the Amherst mine, were on board. Track-laying is now being proceeded with and River Herbert will be reached early next week.

A cablegram to the Halifax Herald from St. Johns, Nfld., says: The steamer Eagle, Capt. Dunbrack, from St. Johns for Glasgow with lumber, six day's out, arrived there in tow of the steamer Damara, from London for St. John. The Eagle broke her shaft and the Damara, took her in tow. The Eagle will probably dock and repair at St. Johns. The Damara, which has ten passengers, sails immediately.

PAIN-KILLER has cured cases of Rheumatism and Neuralgia of years standing.

OTHER PROVINCES.

It is reported from Ottawa that the Minister of Marine has summarily dismissed the officer of the Vigilant who fell among thieves and publicans at Souris recently.

A report comes from Terrebonne, Quebec, stating that while two ten-year-old boys, sons of Simard of Montreal and Paquet of Terrebonne, were constructing an impromptu raft, young Simard fell into the water, and as he couldn't swim, sank. Paquet jumped after him, but Simard threw his arms around him and drew him to the bottom.

New Dominion notes of the two-dollar denomination have been issued, and contain very artistic vignettes of Lord and Lady Lansdowne.

An extensive and destructive fire broke out in Montreal, Aug. 26, in the buildings occupied by the Herald and others. The Herald is completely burned out. The loss is about one hundred and fifty thousand dollars. The Herald is owned by Hon. Peter Mitchell, and its editor is John Livingston, formerly of New Brunswick.

Joseph Priestman, jr., agent of the North Western Masonic Aid Association of Chicago was robbed and murdered Aug. 26. About five o'clock his body was found lying on the sidewalk near his residence, with a bullet hole through his head and his pockets turned inside out. His watch and chain and money were gone. He left home about nine last night, intending to return shortly. A revolver was found near his body. He was 45 years of age and leaves a wife and three daughters. At present there is no clue to the murderers.

Advice has been received, that the Canadian Pacific railway will, within the next 30 days, put on a new and powerful steamer between Portland and Vancouver. This means a new route between Columbia River and the east, especially New York, Boston and Chicago. The trade in canned goods and wool will be heavily promoted.

The scaffolding, 40 feet high, on the new addition to Forbes' woollen mill gave way to-day precipitating 15 men to the ground. John Sacks was killed; Henry Conewarf and E. D. Johnson seriously injured. All the others are more or less injured.

The Canadian Pacific Railway is making arrangements for representatives of the leading eastern newspapers to attend the fairs in the territories, commencing at Mooseomin, Sept. 28th, and ending at Regina, Oct. 11th. Invitations have been extended to fourteen leading newspapers in Ontario, four in Quebec, five in New Brunswick, three in Nova Scotia and two in Prince Edward Island. Of the New Brunswick five selected, the Farmer is one, and arrangements are being made to accept the invitation on its behalf.

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UNITED STATES.

The American fishing boats belonging to Eastport, Me., recently seized near St. Andrews, N. B. which were loaded with fish and which were allowed to go on condition that after the fish were taken care of the boat's should return and be given up, have been released on paying a fine of \$20 each.

It is said that U. S. Secretary Whitney and his wife have spent \$100,000 for charitable purposes since last September.

The reports of the lost cattle in the Upper Panhandle by the cattle syndicate have not been exaggerated. The company have thousands more cattle than it has water to supply, and they are dying by the thousand. The losses for the past 22 days will average 500 head per day.

DON'T PRACTICE false economy by buying Common Flavoring Extracts. Ask for the "Royal," none other can equal them.

BRITISH AND FOREIGN.

A London cable says: John Ruskin, the famous author and art critic, is insane.

The Paris Pays claims to have received news from London that an agreement has been reached on the New Hebrides question, and is only awaiting the signatures of the proper officials. The Pays adds: "It goes without saying that our flag will be hauled down and our troops evacuate Port Sandwich and Port Habana in obedience to the yelping of the Australian colonies."

The excursion yacht Monarch was capsized by a squall in Bristol Channel Aug. 26 and 15 persons were drowned.

A conflict is imminent between the government and the municipal council. A decree was on Aug. 26 published annulling the latter's resolution inviting delegates from all municipalities in France to a grand congress here, but a large number of towns are certain to respond. The government announces that it is determined to prevent the congress, which will be the first step towards the federation of the communes.

It is rumored that a powerful syndicate of American capitalists, headed by one of the Vanderbilts, is negotiating with the government for permission to work the Ural gold mines.

There were 17 deaths from cholera in Catania, Rome, Aug. 25. In Palermo there were 20 new cases and nine deaths.

These advices are one day later than any others that have been received, and completely overthrow the possibilities of the correctness of the reports announcing Mr. Stanley's death, which nobody now believes to be true.

Advices have been received to the effect that Ayoub Khan, with his principal followers has escaped from Persia, where he has been held as a prisoner of state and is hurrying toward Herat. Troops are in pursuit.

A letter was received at London, from Dr. Parke, dated Aruwimi, June 20, stating that Stanley and all of the Europeans comprised in his party were well. The followers of Stanley, the letter says, were entrenched in a camp affording all necessary advantages, and the whole party would begin on June 28 a forced march of 400 miles to Wadella, where they would meet Emin Bey.

Malarial poisons can be entirely removed from the system by the use of Ayer's Ague Cure. This remedy contains a specific, in the form of a vegetable product, used in no other Ague preparation. Warranted.

There are so many cough medicines in the market, that it is sometimes difficult to tell which to buy; but if we had a cough, a cold or any affliction of the throat or lungs, we would use Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup. Those who have used it think it is far ahead of all other preparations recommended for such complaints. The little folks like it as it is as pleasant as syrup.

Among the Warmest Advocates of the use of Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery and Dyspeptic Cure are ladies formerly in delicate health, whose vigor and bodily regularity have been restored by it. Cases of debility of long standing, chronic biliousness, weakness of the back and kidneys, feminine ailments, and obstinate types of nervous indigestion, are overcome by it.

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D. Sullivan, Malcolm, Ontario, writes: "I have been selling Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil for some years, and have no hesitation in saying that it has given better satisfaction than any other medicine I have ever sold. I consider it the only patent medicine that cures more than it is recommended to cure."

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MARKET REPORTS.

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JULY, 1887.

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