

News of the Week.

NEW BRUNSWICK.

E. L. Wetmore Esq., has been appointed Judge of the Supreme Court of the Northwest Territories.

Notice is given that the horses imported by the government will be offered for sale on Wednesday, March 30th.

Mr. Charles Smith, of Florenceville, Carleton county, was found dead on his sled on Election day. He had just come from voting.

Alfred Virtue has been committed for trial on a charge of assaulting and robbing John Knox in this city on Monday night of last week.

The Hibbard Antimony Mines at Lake George has been sold to the New Brunswick Antimony Mining Company. It is proposed to work the mines in the Spring.

For some time past a distemper has prevailed in some of the stables of St. John and several valuable horses have been lost from its effects. A similar distemper is spreading among the horses in Bangor.

Elections to fill seats in Assembly vacated by Mr. Ellis (St. John) and Mr. Adams (Northumberland) will be held immediately.

In St. John nomination will take place on 8th of March, polling on the 15th March; Northumberland nomination on 9th and election on 16th.

In this Province the following gentlemen were elected to Parliament.

Government supporters:—Albert, Weldon; Gloucester, Burns; Kent, Landry; Kings, Foster; Restigouche, Moffat; Sunbury, Wilnot; Victoria, Costigan; Westmorland, Wood; York, Temple.

Opposition:—Carleton, Hale; Charlotte, Gilmore; Northumberland, Mitchell; Queens, King; St. John city, Ellis; St. John county, Skinner and Weldon.

NOVA SCOTIA.

Halifax proposes to commemorate the jubilee year of the Queen's reign by establishing an art school.

An educational exhibition for the Province of Nova Scotia will be held in Dartmouth next July.

A telegram to the Halifax immigration agent requested him to send two women, who are to arrive from England in the Circassian, back, as they are wanted by their husbands.

Archy Gillis, of Judique, on his way to Port Hastings, N. S., with a load of trunks, when about a mile from Hastings was whipping up his horse vigorously, and having his foot on the dash-board, the horse kicked him, breaking his leg.

A melancholy accident occurred at Vale, N. S., last Thursday. While M. Spoor, Wm. Hyde and Peter McMillan were doing some timbering in a balance in McBean pit, a piece of roof coal fell and caught Mr. Spoor and Wm. Hyde. Matthew Spoor was instantly killed and Wm. Hyde seriously injured.

A despatch from Tor Bay, N. S., to the *Herald* says: Schooner Frank Irwin, Kent, master, from Boston, bound to St. John's, Newfoundland, with a general cargo, struck on a rock known as the Tomcod, off Green Island, about seven miles from the mainland, some time during last night. The vessel sank shortly after and the crew landed on Green Island. Nothing was saved.

The following gentlemen are the chosen representatives of Nova Scotia.

Government supporters:—Antigonish, Thompson; Annapolis, Mills; Cumberland, Tupper; Colchester, McLellan; Cape Breton, D. McKee and H. F. McDougall; Digby, Campbell; Halifax, Kenny; Hants, Putnam; Inverness, Cameron; Pictou, Tupper; Pictou McDougall; Queens, Freeman; Victoria, McDonald.

Opposition:—Guysboro, Kirk; Halifax, Jones; Kings, Borden; Lunenburg, Eisenhaur; Richmond, Flynn; Shelburne, Robertson; Yarmouth, Lovitt.

OTHER PROVINCES.

The elections in British Columbia take place March 4th, 6th and 23d; in the North West territories, March 15th, and Gaspe Quebec, March 16th—eight seats.

News has been brought to Victoria B. C., by Indians, that an unknown bark has been wrecked on the west coast of Vancouver Island and that 12 out of a crew of 20 were drowned. The rescued are with the Indians. A steamer has been sent to their release. A light house keeper reports having found wreckage and lumber branded "P. L."

A special cablegram to the *Mail* says the Colonial Secretary stated yesterday in the House of Commons that Newfoundland is in danger of permanent commercial ruin owing

to the impossibility of maintaining her staple industry of cod fishing against the competition of French fishermen, who are allowed a bounty by their Government of over 50 per cent.

UNITED STATES.

The lumbermen say that lumber will be high this spring. More teams than usual were put into the woods this year, but no more logs than usual were cut. It has been a hard winter for the lumbermen.—*Bangor Whig*.

On Wednesday night Fred George, of Orono Me., went to Great Works to the house of a man named McIntosh, where the former's wife was stopping. Going into the Kitchen, he shot his wife and then shot himself, both dying instantly. The coroner is holding an inquest.

A wooden box, addressed to James Osborne, arrived at Pittsburgh, Pa., from Cincinnati by the Baltimore and Ohio Express Co. As the owner could not be found, the box, which had a suspicious odor, was opened and found to contain the mutilated remains of a man in an advanced state of decomposition. The legs and arms were severed from the trunk in order to crowd it into the box.

In New Bedford, Mass., three churches were broken into Wednesday night, by professional burglars who knew enough to take articles of solid silver and leave the plated ones. At the Canadian Catholic Church of the Sacred Heart they took two ciboriums, a chalice and an ostensorium valued at \$66. At St. Lawrence Irish Catholic Church they took a ciborium and tested several other articles, but found them plated. At the Unitarian church there was a large quantity of spoons and forks used at church tea parties, but all were plated and none taken.

BRITISH AND FOREIGN.

Five European governments have applied to English firms for tenders for supplying several million cartridges.

Prince Alexander, the deposed King of Bulgaria, is at his father's residence at Darmstadt, seriously ill with small-pox.

The Hawaiian *Gazette* of Feb. 8th says the eruption of lava from the crater of Mauna Loa has ceased. The length of the flow which reached the sea was 20 miles.

The editor of the *Tagblatt* has been sentenced to a month's imprisonment for printing the story that the Czar had shot Herr Villame, military attaché of the German Legation at St. Petersburg.

A marked feature of the report concerning the India indigo crop this season is the large demand from America, ten thousand chests having been taken for that country.

The *Freundenblatt* says that many of the inhabitants of Alsace-Lorraine who desire to remain neutral in the event of war between Germany and France are applying to be made citizens of Austria.

At Marchiennes au Point Brussels, two immense flywheels in Brison Rolling Mills, flew into fragments, totally wrecking the works. Thirty-five workmen were injured, three of whom have since died.

Australian advices by steamer "Zealandia" state that sixty lives were lost by recent floods at Brisbane, Queensland. The damage to property is enormous, but cannot be yet estimated.

The results of the elections in 338 districts in Germany are now known. The Reichstag will consist of 230 supporters of the government and 177 opponents of all shades. Fifty-six supplementary ballots are necessary.

Diplomats surmise that the statements of the Russian press that Russia will abstain from action in Bulgaria until the relations between France and Germany become more clearly defined, are intended to divert the attention of the powers from Bulgaria, where startling surprises may be apprehended.

In the House of Commons W. H. Smith, replying to a question said it was not intended to release Irish or other convicts on the occasion of the Queen's Jubilee. The recent release of the prisoners in India in the commemoration of the jubilee has been ordered by the government in accordance with the oriental custom. The order did not apply to Great Britain.

The *Auckland Bell* of January 26 prints a private letter received from Kimberly, which contains an account of a terrible slaughter of negroes in that district. A miner stole a young black, and in retaliation the negroes killed the miner and two companions. The latter escaped, secured assistance and pursued the blacks, and out of a band of forty of the latter all but one were shot down.

The earthquake in Italy, Wednesday morning, devastated the whole of the Italian Riviera at Noli, on the gulf of Genoa, not far from Savona. Several houses fell; 15 persons were killed. Six persons were killed and 30 injured at Oneglia, also on the Gulf of Genoa. At Deano Marine, near Oneglia, scores of people were killed and hundreds injured. Fully one-third of the town is destroyed. Second and severe shocks of earthquake have occurred in Genoa, Pavia, Lucca, Gunes, Albissola, Porto Manrico, Oneglia and Noli. At Savona eight persons were killed and 15 others injured. Immense damage was done to property. In the neighborhood of Dordigera many houses fell killing the inmates.

A despatch from Nice on Friday says another earthquake shock was felt in that city that morning. The disturbance was slight.

Despatches give the following official list of killed and wounded:—Bajardo, 300 killed and wounded. Diavo Mariana, 250 killed and injured.

Bressano, 50 killed and 36 injured. Diavo Castello, 30 killed. Castellavo, 30 killed and many injured.

The number of persons killed is less than at first supposed. It is estimated that in the province of Ponté Maurizio 570 persons were killed and 156 injured. In the province of Genoa 34 killed and 37 injured. Bajardo and Diavo Marina were the only places destroyed. Cervo was only partially damaged. Churches at Bayardo, Castellavo and Aurigo were thrown down by the severity of the shock.

A despatch from Genoa says the populace slept outdoors last night. Many persons went on board ships in the harbor, and 20,000 fled from the city by rail.

At a house near Diavo Mariana a ball was proceeding when the shock came. The building was completely wrecked, and a terrible loss of life resulted. The dancers lay dead in heaps upon the ground. Many of the houses destroyed had large tanks underneath them, which were filled with new olive oil intended for exportation to France and Germany. A party of soldiers, while exploring the ruins, found Judge Rossi lying beneath the mass of debris. He was still alive. While men were trying to extricate him a beam fell killing the judge and wounding one of the soldiers.

Fifteen thousand persons have left Nice and the exodus continues. Throughout Riviera railway stations are thronged with people anxious to get away.

Business Notices.

FREE TRADE.

The reduction of internal revenue and the taking off of revenue stamps from Proprietary Medicines, no doubt has largely benefited the consumers, as well as relieving the burden of home manufacturers. Especially is this the case with *Green's August Flower* and *Bosche's German Syrup*, as the reduction of thirty-six cents per dozen, has been added to increase the size of the bottles containing these remedies, thereby giving one-fifth more medicine in the 75 cent size. The *August Flower* for Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint, and the *German Syrup* for Cough and Lung troubles, have perhaps, the largest sale of any medicines in the world. The advantage of increased size of the bottles will be greatly appreciated by the sick and afflicted, in every town and village in civilized countries. Sample bottles for 10 cents remain the same size.

The great demand for a pleasant, safe and reliable antidote for all affections of the throat and lungs is fully met in Bickie's Anti-Consumptive Syrup. It is a purely Vegetable Compound, and acts promptly and magically in subduing all coughs, colds, bronchitis, inflammation of the lungs, etc. It is so palatable that a child will not refuse it, and is put at a price that will not exclude the poor from its benefits.

Jacob Lockman, Buffalo, N. Y., says he has been using Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil for rheumatism; he had such a lame back he could not do anything, but one bottle has, to use his own expression, "cured him up." He thinks it is the best thing in the market.

Peter Kieffer, Buffalo, says: "I was badly bitten by a horse a few days ago, and was induced by a friend who witnessed the occurrence, to try Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. It relieved the pain almost immediately, and in four days the wound was completely healed. Nothing can be better for fresh wounds."

DON'T DO IT.

Don't rack and ruin your lungs with a tight, harrowing, distressing cough, when a few doses of Hagar's Pectoral Balsam will loosen the phlegm, soothe the irritation, and heal the sore throat and bronchial pipes, and may avert that destructive disease, consumption.

MORE THAN CLAIMED.

"For the past four or five years," says Mrs. Emery, of Cottam, Ont., "I have been subject to kidney troubles. I was advised to try Burdock Blood Bitters. It has done me more good than what was claimed for it. I can recommend it to all sufferers from like diseases."

A LIFE SAVED FOR A DOLLAR.

BREWSTER, ME.
This is to certify that having been troubled for a number of years with a distressing cough and bleeding at the lungs, and receiving no benefit from medical aid, I was to all appearances in the last stage of consumption. My legs swelled so that I was unable to stand or help myself. At that time Johnson's Anodyne Liniment was providentially recommended to me—and, by the use of three or four bottles, I was entirely cured, and have since been able to work every day. I have also for the last twenty years been subject to severe attacks of bloody dysentery, and never found permanent relief until I took your Liniment, since which I have had no return of this complaint. I can truly say I think your Anodyne Liniment was the means of saving my life.—JOHN T. ARKINS, The Doctor Said, "Let Him Try It." SOUTH JEFFERSON, ME.

"Some time ago my son was taken sick with a serious lung difficulty, which threatened to end in quick consumption. We summoned our family physician, who attended him faithfully for four weeks, during which time he gradually grew weaker. Becoming very much alarmed about himself, and being satisfied that he was growing worse all the time, he finally refused to take any more medicine from the physician, and expressed a wish to try Johnson's Anodyne Liniment. I immediately told the physician, expecting that he would object to his using it; but he did not. He said 'let him try it; it won't hurt him, and may do him some good.' He did try it, and continued to use it some time, taking it inwardly, and bathing the chest and lungs outwardly. Very soon he began to improve gradually gaining strength, until at last we had the satisfaction of knowing that the foundation of his disease was broken up. My son is alive and well today, possessing a strong and vigorous constitution, which we attribute, under God to the use of Johnson's Anodyne Liniment. I can further say that I never allow myself to get out of the article; and that in my judgment, it is the best family medicine in the world." [Dea.] JOHN HODGKINS.

What Toronto's well-known Good Samaritan says: "I have been troubled with Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint for over 20 years, and have tried many remedies, but never found any article that has done me as much good as Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery and Dyspeptic Cure."

CLARA E. POETER.

Dr. Barker, of the Brighton (England) Hospital, says, "Ridge's Food resembles mother's milk so closely that infants are reared and well reared, exclusively upon it." Another physician, at the head of an orphan asylum, says, "I have been using this preparation for five years or more, and have the almost unbounded faith in it." Another says, "I had long tried to procure for a pair of twins in my practice a food that would not acidulate, etc." Ridge's Food fulfills the condition perfectly.

IMPORTANT.

It is of the utmost importance that some good household remedy should be kept within handy reach in case of pain and accidental injury. The most useful remedy of this kind is undoubtedly Hagar's Yellow Oil, for internal and external use in all painful complaints.

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WORTHY OF CONFIDENCE.

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MARKET REPORTS.

FREDERICTON.	
Pork, per lb.,	\$0 05 to 0 06
Beef, " "	" 04 " 0 05
Mutton, " "	" 04 " 0 05
Lamb, " "	" 06 " 0 08
Veal, " "	" 03 " 0 04
Hams, " "	" 10 " 0 11
Sausages, " "	" 08 " 0 09
Chickens, per pair,	" 35 " 0 40
Ducks, " "	" 40 " 0 50
Turkeys, per lb.,	" 11 " 0 12
Geese, " "	" 04 " 0 05
Butter, per lb.,	" 20 " 0 21
Cheese, " "	" 12 " 0 13
Lard, " "	" 08 " 0 10
Eggs, per dozen,	" 20 " 0 22
Potatoes, per bbl.,	" 1 00 " 0 00
Turnips, " "	" 50 " 0 06
Carrots, " "	" 00 " 0 00
Hay, per ton,	" 8 00 " 12 00
Straw, per ton,	" 5 00 " 6 00
Oats, per bush,	" 36 " 0 38
Buckwheat, per cwt.,	" 1 20 " 1 40
Socks and mits, per pair,	" 20 " 0 00

ST. JOHN.

Corrected weekly by Geo. Lyman, Esq., Deputy Clerk.	
Beef, country, per lb.,	\$0 03 to \$0 05
" butchers, " "	" 04 " 0 07
Lamb, " "	" 06 " 0 06
Mutton, " "	" 06 " 0 05
Pork, " "	" 06 " 0 07
Butter, " "	" 18 " 0 22
" Roll, " "	" 22 " 0 25
Lard, " "	" 12 " 0 13
Turkeys, " "	" 13 " 0 14
Chickens, per pair,	" 35 " 0 40
Geese, each, " "	" 70 " 0 80
Potatoes, early rose, per bbl.,	" 1 00 " 0 00
" kidneys, " "	" 1 75 " 0 00
Carrots, " "	" 1 00 " 0 00
Beets, " "	" 0 50 " 1 00
Turnips, " "	" 0 70 " 0 80
Parsnips, " "	" 1 40 " 0 00
Cabbage, per dozen, " "	" 0 80 " 1 00
" red, per dozen, " "	" 0 80 " 0 00
Celery, " "	" 50 " 0 60
Buckwheat, rough, p. cwt.,	" 1 35 " 0 00
" grey, " "	" 1 75 " 0 00
Hams, per lb., " "	" 10 " 0 11
Shoulders, per lb., " "	" 08 " 0 00
Calf skins, per lb., " "	" 08 " 0 00
Hides, per lb., " "	" 06 " 0 06

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