

## News of the Week.

## NEW BRUNSWICK.

On the evening of the 11th. inst. the pig sty of Mr. Charles Colwell at Cambridge, Queens County, was destroyed by fire. Eleven fat hogs were roasted alive.

It is estimated that Grand Manan puts up annually over a million boxes of herring and is able to control the New York market or glut it at any time.

Three boys, True Oliver, Harry and Charley Stiles, were fooling with a dynamite cartridge at Albert last Friday. They tried to drive a nail into the Cartridge with a stone and succeeded in exploding it. They were quite badly injured about the hands and legs.—*Maple Leaf.*

Wm. McDonough, of Woodstock, met with a painful accident while coupling cars at McAdam Friday. In trying to step on the pilot of the engine, his right foot caught between it and the rail, twisting his leg so as to break the bone just above the knee.

Mr. Gibson's lath mill, at Marysville, is cutting laths faster than the woodboats can take them away, and there are several carloads ahead waiting to load.

Burglars have been at work in Westmorland and Albert Co's. Tuesday. They blew open safes in J. M. Steeves' and John Lewis & Co's. Hillsborough, and secured about five hundred dollars in money from both and notes held by Lewis amounting to three thousand dollars.

The burglary at Dorchester, referred to in last week's issue the *Times* says, was the most extensive in this section for some time. Alex. Robb, county treasurer, was the heaviest sufferer. Over \$400 in cash, a gold and a silver watch and some jewelry were taken. Two \$10 bills and some coins were found scattered about the floor. The attempt to enter F. C. Palmer & Co's store was unsuccessful, though the panel of the door was split. H. A. Colpitts' store at Middleton, a mile from the corner, was visited the same night, the safe drilled and blown open and about \$125.00 stolen.

The Electric Light Company's building is completed, the engine is in and they expect to have lights burning in a few days. The Company is also intending to manufacture gas.

L. R. Harding, Esq., died quite suddenly, of paralysis on Tuesday morning, at his residence, Jacksonville. The deceased was at work in his field on the day previous to his death. He was 86 years old.—*Sentinel.*

## NOVA SCOTIA.

It is rumored that a syndicate of Halifax capitalists will build the missing links in connexion with the Nova Scotia railway system, viz: Annapolis to Digby, Truro to Windsor, Halifax to Musquodoboit thence to Pictou and other small branch es.

Hon. William Annand, agent for Nova Scotia in London, died at Sydenham on Wednesday. Mr Annand was for many years a prominent figure in Nova Scotia politics. He was first elected to the house of assembly a half-century ago. He was premier of Nova Scotia from 1867 to 1871. From 1877 to 1879 he occupied the position of agent-general for Canada in London.

Mr. DeWolf of Windsor, revising barrister for Hants Co., and Captain Grey, of the Salvation Army, were married last Thursday.

A young man named Larkins, of Wood's harbor, went out duck shooting Tuesday and when he stepped out of his gun, took hold of the muzzle of his dory to lift it out of the boat. The trigger caught and the discharge blew off the top of the poor fellow's head. He was only 21 years old.

Joseph Richardson, belonging to Ramsey, in the Isle of Man, but who has lived at Bridgewater, N. S., for upwards of 12 years, lately received news that £5,000 had been left him by some near relation. Two hundred and fifty dollars was sent him to pay his way home, and he left Monday, en route for the Isle of Man. He was at one time a soldier in the British army, but deserted. The jubilee year, however, brought him his pardon.

A large number of Belgian coal cutters are settling in N. S. each mail boat bringing a contingent.

The Truro hat factory is manufacturing large quantities of soft felt hats.

Some citizens of New Glasgow are in correspondence with a Scotch firm to open iron works in New Glasgow. The citizens agreeing to take forty per cent. of stock not to exceed \$240,000.

The troopship Himalaya arrived Thursday from England via Gibraltar and Bermuda, with relief troops for Halifax.

The Colchester *Sun* reports that Truro is a busy hive of industry just now. Some of the factories are working over-time. In the wood working factory and hat factory some 70 or 80 hands are employed that would be idle but for the national policy.

Repairs and alterations of quite an extensive nature are being carried on in the Provincial building at Halifax. The Assembly room is being completely remodelled. The Speaker's chair which was formerly at the west end of the Chamber will be placed at the north end. The room is to be semi-circular with galleries all round under which will be committee, speaker's and other rooms. It will be heated by hot water.

## OTHER PROVINCES.

Ryan and Haney, contractors of the Red River Valley railway, have abandoned the contract.

A movement is on foot to settle a colony of Scottish crofters on the western side of Vancouver island. It is said their knowledge of deep sea fishing will aid in developing that important industry on the Pacific coast. The local government are offering free homesteads as a special inducement to this class of immigrants.

## UNITED STATES.

Nine years ago the bank in Dexter, Me., was robbed and Cashier Barron was found dead, bound and gagged in the vault. The affair created a great sensation. It has generally been believed since that Barron robbed the bank and committed suicide. On Wednesday David L. Stair was arrested at Franklin, Mass., for the murder. His son confessed and told how a gang led by his father planned and executed the robbery and murdered Barron.

The Northern Ohio insane asylum at Newburgh was partly burned Wednesday night, while about 35 or more of the manageable patients were enjoying their weekly dance. The bodies of six have been recovered. Three more were found injured.

Diphtheria is raging to such an extent in Portland, Me., that the Centre street school has been closed, and there is talk of closing the others.

Tuesday night of last week a train near Koutz, Indiana was run into. Three rear cars of the passenger train were telescoped and set on fire and burned.

It is estimated that 30 persons were killed or cremated and 15 more were injured.

Latham, Alexander & Co's annual cotton circular, just published, estimates that the cotton crop of the United States for 1887-88 will amount to 6,550,000 bales, as against 6,505,000 bales for 1886-87.

## BRITISH AND FOREIGN.

There were 30,780 deaths by cholera in the northwest provinces of India during August.

A steamer owned by the Morelli company was wrecked Monday in the Bay of Bormes, and 22 passengers drowned.

A Berlin special says: The latest reports regarding the condition of the Prince Imperial are very disquieting. There is no doubt that the cancerous growth destroyed temporarily has reappeared with greater virulence than ever. Even the court papers speak of his condition being very grave.

Chamberlain speaking at Bushmills, county Antrim, Friday, said it was not the upper classes but the poorer classes of Ulster who were opposed to the Parnellite proposals. The artisans and farmers did not see any chance of improving their condition under the rule of men like the Home Rule members of parliament. The poorer classes rightly looked forward with the greatest dread to the changes involved in the creation of a parliament at Dublin. He admitted that part of the north of Ireland was strongly in favor of home rule, but he was certain if they could infuse into the people of Donegal the same resolute law abiding disposition as was shown by the people of Antrim, the outcry for great constitutional changes would be little heard.

Private letters from Colon British Honduras and Guatemala, state there have been many deaths from yellow fever in that city. The disease is still prevalent and absolutely no precautions are taken to prevent its spread. The city is filthy. Despite constant presence of yellow fever, certain consuls grant clean bills of health to steamers trading with or touching at American ports. Advice from Belize, British Honduras, and Livingston, Guatemala, report several cases of yellow fever at both places.

The discovery of a rich deposit of gold near Port Adelaide, Australia is reported. Two thousand men have gone to the mine and large amounts of gold have been obtained.

## PEOPLE DEMAND PROTECTION.—PATENT MEDICINES.

What are they? As a general thing they are prescriptions having been used with great success by old and well-read Physicians. Thousands of invalids have been unexpectedly cured by their use, and they are the wonder and dread of Physicians and Medical Colleges in the U. S., so much so, that Physicians graduating at Medical Colleges are required to discountenance Proprietary Medicines, as through them the country doctor loses his most profitable practice. As a manufacturer of Proprietary Medicines, Dr. G. G. Green of Woodbury, N. J., advocates most cordially, in order to prevent the risk that the sick and afflicted are liable to, almost daily by the use of Patent Medicines put out by inexperienced persons for aggrandizement only, and the employing of inexperienced and incompetent doctors by which almost every village and town is cursed; and men claiming to be doctors who had better be undertakers, experimenting with their money and health,—for the good of the afflicted that our government protect its people by making laws to regulate the practice of medicine by better experienced and more thoroughly educated Physicians, and thereby keep up the honor and credit of the profession, also form laws for the recording of recipes of Proprietary Medicines, under examination and decision of experienced Chemists and Physicians appointed for that purpose by the Government, before they are licensed for general use. He would most freely place the recipe of Boschee's German Syrup and Green's August Flower under such laws, had he the proper protection, and thereby save the prejudice of the people, and avoid the competition and imitation of worthless medicines.—*Copied from the Chicago Mail, Aug. 3, '87.*

## PAID IN GOLD COIN.

In Dec. 1886 I. S. Johnson & Co., 22 Custom House St., Boston, Mass., offered eight premiums payable in gold coin, which they say created a great interest among people who kept hens, so much so, in fact, that Johnson & Co. authorize us to say they shall offer Nov. 1st 1887, another list of premiums for the best results from the use of Sheridan's Powder to Make Hens Lay. Of course all who compete cannot get one of the premiums, but some of the last year's reports which Johnson & Co. send us show that the parties ought to have been well satisfied if they had not received any other benefit than the increase of eggs they got while making the trial. For example the first premium was

## TWENTY-FIVE DOLLARS,

taken by C. A. French, Washington, N. H., who fed thirty hens the Sheridan's Powder for eight weeks. The first week he got only ten eggs, the third week the hens laid 201 eggs, and the eighth week 208 eggs. During the eight weeks trial he got 1398 eggs which, at the price of eggs in Boston market, mid-winter, would have yielded \$46.00, or \$1.55 for each hen in eight week's time. Considering the small expense of keeping a hen no animal on a farm will pay like that.

## THE \$12.00 PREMIUM

went to Mrs. Evelyn C. Meserve, Centre Lovell, Me. She commenced to feed Sheridan's Powder Jan. 4th, 1887. For the first trial week her hens did not lay at all, but during the last week she got 56 eggs from only eight hens, and in the eight weeks they laid 382 eggs.

## THE FOURTH PREMIUM

which was ten dollars went to another woman, Mrs. E. B. Carlin, Conklin Centre, N. Y., who in the eight weeks received from forty hens 1707 eggs.

This clearly demonstrates that the use of Sheridan's Powder to Make Hens Lay will increase the profit several hundred per cent.

Johnson & Co. will send two 25 cent packs of Sheridan's Powder post-paid to any address for 50 cents in postage stamps; or a large 2½ pound can of Powder for \$1.20. To each person ordering a large can as above they will send free one copy of the "Farmer's Poultry Guide" (price, 25 cents).

## GIVE THEM A CHANCE!

That is to say, your lungs. Also all your breathing machinery. Very wonderful machinery it is. Not only the larger air passages, but the thousands of little tubes and cavities leading from them.

When these are clogged and choked with matter which ought not to be there, your lungs cannot half do their work. And what they do, they cannot do well.

Call it cold, cough, croup, pneumonia, catarrh, consumption or any of the family of throat and nose and head and lung obstructions, all are bad. All ought to be got rid of. There is just one sure way to get rid of them. That is to take Boschee's German Syrup, which any druggist will sell you at 75 cents a bottle. Even if everything else has failed you, you may depend upon this for certain.

Nursing mothers, reduced by over-taxing of the nervous force or by the drain upon the system induced by prolonged nursing, should at once commence using Ridge's Food as a daily diet. It will give strength to the mother and improve the supply for the little one. Remember Ridge's Food has been in use for thirty years in England and America, therefore is not an untried preparation. Four sizes. Retail at 35c., and \$1.00.

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If you feel languid and bilious, try Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery, and you will find it one of the best preparations for such complaints. Mr. S. B. Maginn, Ethel, used Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery, and cured a severe bilious sick headache which troubled him for a long time.

## CHRONIC COUGHS AND COLDS

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Thomas Robinson, Farnham Centre, P. Q., writes: "I have been afflicted with rheumatism for the last ten years, and have tried many remedies without any relief. I got a bottle of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil, and found it gave instant relief, and since then have had no attack. I would recommend it to all."

Like all Sterling Remedies, Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery and Dyspeptic Cure deserves a fair trial. It would be absurd to suppose that this or any other medicine of kindred nature could produce instantaneous effect. For the thorough removal of Chronic Dyspepsia, Constipation Liver Complaint, and other ailments to which it is adapted, its use should be continued some time, even after the chief symptoms are relieved. That it then effects complete cures is a fact established by ample and respectable evidence.

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C. A. Livingstone, Plattville, says: "I have much pleasure in recommending Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil, from having used it myself, and having sold it for some time. In my own case I will say for it that it is the best preparation I have ever tried for rheumatism."

Why suffer with that aching head when you may be cured with Ayer's Cathartic Pills?

Send a 2 cent stamp to Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass., for a set of their attractive album cards.

Every wife and mother in the country should know the great value of Ayer's Sarsaparilla, as a blood purifier. It gives tone, health, and strength, to the vital organs, corrects all irregularities, and expels impurities from the system. Young and old use it. Price \$1.

**RAILWAY BRAKES.**—The fifth series of tests of the automatic air brakes on freight cars was concluded at Burlington, Iowa, last week. This test was to determine whether the brakes are practicable on long trains, and do away with the severe shock in the rear part in emergency steps without the use of electricity. The tests demonstrated that a fifty-car train, 1,900 feet long, equipped with the Westinghouse brake, running at a speed of forty miles an hour, can be brought to a stand in a distance of 695 feet without any shock, and at twenty miles an hour in 155 feet without any shock, which is without precedent, and excites surprise among railway officials. In the May tests, with a train of twenty cars to represent a passenger train running forty miles an hour, the stop was made in 999 feet with a heavy shock of twenty-eight inches while in the recent tests the same train, at the same speed, was stopped in 484 feet without shock, showing an improvement of more than 100 per cent in distance and totally eliminating the shock.

"Professor," said a graduate, trying to be pathetic at parting. "I am indebted to you for all I know." "Pray do not mention such a trifle," was the not very flattering reply.

## MARKET REPORTS.

## ST. JOHN.

Corrected weekly by Geo. Lyman, Esq. Deputy Clerk.

Beef, country, per lb.	04 to 06
" butchers, "	05 " 06
Lamb, "	07 " 08
Mutton, per lb.	06 " 08
Pork, "	07 " 08
Butter, "	18 " 20
" Roll, "	22 " 00
Lard, "	00 " 00
Turkeys, "	14 " 15
Chickens, per pair,	50 " 60
Geese, each,	70 " 00
Potatoes, early rose, per bush,	150 " 00
" kidneys, "	175 " 00
Carrots, per doz, bunches	20 " 00
Beets, "	25 " 30
" Turnips, "	100 " 00
Parsnips, "	40 " 00
Cabbage, per dozen,	40 " 60
" red, per dozen,	100 " 120
Celery, "	60 " 00
Squash, per lb.	00 " 00
Corn, per doz.	00 " 00
Beans, per bush,	00 " 00
Peas, "	00 " 00
Buckwheat, rough, p. cwt.	150 " 00
" grey, "	00 " 00
Hams, per lb.	00 " 00
Shoulders, per lb.	00 " 00
Calf skins, per lb.	00 " 00
Hides, per lb.	00 " 00
Eggs, per doz.	00 " 00
Rhubarb, per "b.	00 " 00
Lotus, per doz.	00 " 00
Radishes, "	00 " 00

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JUST received—Another lot of COOK STOVES. For sale low, at NEILL'S Hardware Store.

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THAT Valuable Farm Property situate in the Parish of New Maryland, York County, lately occupied by the late Wellington Yerxa, containing 500 acres more or less; Also, that Farm situate in Blissville Sunbury County, near the Ashcroft Junction, lately occupied by the late Ashcroft Seely, containing 70 acres more or less; Also, that Freehold Property situate in Southampton, York County, lately occupied by Nehemiah Grant

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**KENNETH MCGILVER.**

The above statement was sworn to as correct in every particular, by the above-named Kenneth McGilver, before me, at Spring Hill, this 4th day of August, 1881. R. DRUMMOND, J. P.

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