

BUSINESS NOTICE.

Some of our subscribers have not yet paid for the present year. We find on examining our books that they are a considerable number. Besides these there are some who are in arrears for a longer time.

To all these, and to no others, this note is addressed.

We need all the money due. We need it now. The amount due by any one person is comparatively small, but the aggregate of these small bills is a large sum, the withholding of which is a serious and perplexing matter to us.

The date on the label tells the time to which the subscription is paid. Please consult it, and send the amount necessary to pay the subscription to the end of the current year.

We hope no one addressed in this note will longer neglect to make payment. We desire to hear from them all, and we trust they will not delay. It is important.

News of the Week.

NEW BRUNSWICK.

A fire on Tuesday morning destroyed the residence of Post Master McPeake on Northumberland St. Part of the furniture was saved. Mr. McPeake was only partially insured.

Sir Leonard Tilley has gone to the Poland Mineral Springs in Maine. He is accompanied by Lady Tilley. They expect to be gone about a fortnight.

A family of Indians, consisting of a man and his wife and two children, passed through this city Tuesday morning on their way from Bangor to Apolauqui. The family came through from Bangor in a Pullman palace car. They were all neatly dressed and appeared to be in comfortable circumstances. It is not often that Indians choose such a luxurious mode of travelling, yet if they can afford it, whose business is it?—*Globe*.

York County Teachers Institute was held on Thursday and Friday of last week. The session was most interesting and satisfactory.

Mr. A. W. Macrae, third master in the St. John grammar school, passed the London university matriculation examinations being 36th in a class of 1,600. His marks entitle him to a scholarship in London.

The ship *Chrysolite*, which arrived at Bathurst, N. B., the other day from Rio Janeiro, had two cases of smallpox on board. The disease broke out on the vessel after she left port on August 8th, but both the parties affected are now convalescent. On arrival at Bathurst the vessel was boarded by Dr. Whelan under the quarantine regulations for unorganized ports, and the necessary steps taken to prevent the introducing of the disease into Canada. The case was reported to the department of agriculture.

The Drug Clerks of St John have petitioned that the drug store be closed on Sabbath, that they may be able to attend church.

Civil service examinations will be held in St. John on November 8th. Applications will be received until the 18th of October.

Harry Broecker, who was up for trial at Chatham on the charge of smuggling liquor, has been fined \$50 and sentenced to confinement for 30 days.

The Gas Company's building in Fredericton for the electric light is going up very fast, the walls having risen a good many feet today. The first instalment of poles for the Electric Light Company arrived today. The city will be well lighted before long.

A deed placed upon record in the registry office shows that under authority of an act passed at the last session of the dominion parliament, the New Brunswick railway company have effected a loan of £200,000 stg., (say \$1,000,000) from the Central Trust Company of New York, and have given as security a mortgage on their entire railway, its interest in leased lines and all its lands and territory, rolling stock, equipments, rights, franchises, easements, privileges and appurtenances. The lands deeded aggregate 1,647, 272 acres. This mortgage is subject to a prior mortgage, on a portion of the property, given in 1884, to secure a loan of \$600,000 from the same company.

Work on the stone piers at the Fredericton end of the bridge has been temporarily abandoned in order to permit operations to be pushed forward on the opposite side. The circular saw and engine for cutting off the piles even with the bottom of the river, are now at work at the last pier, the one which is to support the draw-bridge.

Work on the Central Railway has been somewhat held back on account of the non-arrival of a vessel with a consignment of steel rails. A small bridge, now under construction, will have to be completed before rails can be laid at Salmon river. The company have 12 ballast cars and 20 flat cars delivered, besides the locomotives and 10 box cars are being built.

The canning factory at Sheffield is a busy place and affords employment to quite a number of hands.

The railway bridge was illuminated Wednesday night last for the first time by electricity. Thursday night the number of lights was increased to four. In a very short time we may expect to see the city lighted in the same manner, as the companies are pushing forward their operations as rapidly as possible. After that we may look for elevated railways and a few repairs put on Queen Street.

PERRY DAVIS' PAIN-KILLER as a diarrhoea and dysentery remedy seldom ever fails.

NOVA SCOTIA.

Special customs officer Bonness is proving himself a terror to Annapolis and Digby smugglers. He says the district from Granville Ferry to Digby is the worst place in Canada for smuggling. He has just seized the schooner *Canning Packet* for smuggling two years ago. This is the fourth or fifth vessel Bonness has seized within ten days.

A despatch from Annapolis says: Bonness seized the schooner *P. Blake*, Thursday, for smuggling in 1884-5. A deposit of \$400 was made. This completes his work here for the present.

Rhodes, Curry & Co. of Amherst, have now employed, including their regular staff of workmen, 135 men.

The annual statement of the Nova Scotia Steel Co., limited, of New Glasgow, shows a profit of nearly seventeen thousand dollars. The report further says:—Operations were greatly affected, and heavy direct losses occasioned by the protracted strike at the coal mines, which almost entirely cut off the supply of fuel for three months, caused the melting furnace to be shut down and led to the loss of many desirable orders. The prices realized were, on an average, even lower than those during the preceding period, but the current year opens upon a full demand and improving prices.

The Nova Scotia Telephone company have completed the connection between Truro and Halifax. The work is very satisfactory, conversation being conducted free from interruptions and the words passing with distinctness. The company's office in Halifax is to be opened in a few days, and connections with Pictou, New Glasgow and Stellarton will be effected in a short time.

Efforts are being made by the city council and agricultural societies of Halifax to secure the grants for both the Dominion and Provincial Exhibitions next year. The exhibition buildings and grounds at Halifax are extensive and are in immediate proximity to the famous public gardens.

THE "ROYAL" FLAVORING EXTRACTS are absolutely pure.

OTHER PROVINCES.

Forest fires have been raging in Gaspé. Miles of woods have been destroyed and many houses are in danger.

A book firm, a few months ago, canvassed Ottawa as agents. The farmers were evidently under the impression that they were to receive only one copy of the work, and readily signed an agreement, which, it now turns out, included a complete set of the books. This afternoon one of the agents was captured by 13 infuriated farmers, placed in a wagon and rapidly driven into the interior of the county. Up to a late hour, nothing has been heard of either captured or captors.

Roland G. T. Barnett, a broken Toronto man has disappeared, leaving creditors, it is said, to the extent of \$7,000.

Samuel Johnston, treasurer of the Hamilton Powder company, defaulted to the extent of \$7,000. He was, yesterday, traced to and arrested at Ogdensburg, N. Y.

Navigation on the St. Lawrence between Prescott and Quebec has been stopped for the past week owing to dense smoke from bush fires, and the two forwarding companies doing business at Kingston are completely blocked. Bush fires are doing immense damage in upper Ottawa district and along both sides of Lievre River.

A Charlottetown despatch says that two fishermen named Goulet, brothers, were drowned while returning from the fishing grounds at Rustie in a sail boat last Tuesday. A squall upset the boat. The bodies have been recovered.

Word came from Buckingham, Quebec, that both sides of the river Lievre for a considerable distance are on fire and property in this vicinity is in great danger, as wells and creeks are dried up.

The fisheries department has completed arrangements for the transportation, early in November, of a carload of live lobsters to the Pacific coast. As the outcome of this department anticipates the successful propagation of lobsters in Pacific waters.

In future only Canadian made projectiles will be used by the batteries of the dominion.

Small lights are to be erected on Campobello Island, Bras d'Or Lake, Cape Breton, and Port George, Bay of Fundy.

The Governor General has proclaimed Thursday, November 17th, a thanksgiving day throughout the Dominion.

There appears to be little doubt that Mr. Norquay has failed to raise money outside, for the Red River Valley Railway and doubts are expressed as to the bona fide character of the offers made before Norquay's departure for the east, but Duncan MacArthur, the banker, says English capitalists through him have offered 12 per cent. above par.

Four sons of Andrew Gauthier were mackerel fishing off Rustico, P. E. I., on Tuesday last, when a squall struck their boat and upset it. John and Moses kept themselves afloat by means of an oar apiece, while Joseph, aged 28, and Napoleon, aged 16, were carried down with the boat and drowned.

NEGLECTED COLDS, pain in the chest, and all diseases of the lungs, are cured by using Allen's Lung Balm.

UNITED STATES.

A young man named Campbell became intoxicated and set fire to two Maine Central railway buildings at Bangor. He was found by the firemen and taken from the building terribly burned. He is not expected to recover.

In the race between the American clipper volunteer, and the Clyde built cutter *Thistle*, for the American cup, the volunteer defeated the *Thistle*.

Michael Davitt has arrived at New York.

The United States naval board appointed to estimate the cost of building the six thousand ton armored battle ship designed by the Barrow Ship Building company of England, has completed its labors. The last estimates for constructing the hull and fittings are \$1,890,000, and for engines and machinery \$486,000, making a total of \$2,376,000, which is \$124,000 less than the sum appropriated by Congress for the purpose.

The assessed value of the property of New York is a fraction below the assessed values of the twelve States of Alabama, Arkansas, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisiana, Mississippi, North and South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas and Virginia. But these Southern States are gaining rapidly. They show an increase in the past seven years of \$900,007, 641.

THE MOST DELIGHTFUL handkerchief odor is "Lotus of the Nile."

BRITISH AND FOREIGN.

Count Von Munster, the German ambassador, has informed M. Flourens that the German government, without awaiting the issue of a judicial inquiry has decided to grant indemnity to the widow of the game keeper who was shot.

The *Standard* in an article on the rumor that Napoleon's body had been taken from the Invalides, remarks: "It is even doubtful whether the tomb at Mount Vernon holds the body of Washington. At all events it has been again and again asserted and proofs adduced that the head was stolen from the first grave in which the founder of the great republic was laid and was carried to Paris by a curiosity hunter."

The present Conservative British Government is threatened with a new and most unexpected peril—the ill-health of Premier Salisbury. It is giving serious concern to both his friends and colleagues. His medical advisers have enjoined as much repose as it is now possible for the Premier to obtain, and their orders are being scrupulously observed; still a reconstruction of the Government within the next six months is considered probable.

Miss F. H. Muller of London, a member of the London school board and a leader in all the different movements for the advancement of women, is in Indianapolis conferring with Mrs. Mary Wright Sewall about the coming international council of women. Miss Muller says the United States is certainly the earthly paradise of the gentler sex.

Timothy D. Sullivan, Lord Mayor of Dublin, who is proprietor of several newspapers, and William O'Brien, publisher of *United Ireland*, have been summoned to appear at the police court on Wednesday next, to answer to the charge of publishing reports of the doings of suppressed branches of the National League.

Gen. Ferron minister of war, yesterday inspected the forts at Nice. Entertained at a public banquet, he praised the patriotism of the inhabitants of Nice and promised that the garrison should be increased.

HOW TO MAKE MONEY.

The following statistics gathered from reliable sources are both interesting and instructive and may be turned into money, so to speak, by farmers and poultry raisers. The number of fowl has greatly increased in the United States during the last five years but this increase has been larger in the New England and Middle States than in any other. Twenty seven States report over one million each. Seventeen States report over two million each. Thirteen States report over three million each, while the States of Illinois, Iowa, New York, Ohio and Pennsylvania report over five millions each. In eighteen of the States the annual average product of eggs per hen is as follows:

Me.,	7.5	Doz.	Tenn.,	4.7	Doz.
Mass.,	7.2	"	Ky.,	4.4	"
Conn.,	7.1	"	Iowa,	4.3	"
N. H.,	6.7	"	Ohio,	4.0	"
R. I.,	6.4	"	Ill.,	3.6	"
Vt.,	5.9	"	N. C.,	3.5	"
Penn.,	5.2	"	Ala.,	3.2	"
N. Y.,	5.0	"	S. C.,	3.1	"
Ind.,	5.0	"	La.,	3.0	"

It will be noticed that the average number of eggs laid per hen per year ranges from three dozen to over seven dozen and that those states which reported the largest number of hens did not make the most money because, as the figures show, they only got an average of four to five dozen eggs per hen per year while the New England States showed an average of from six to over seven dozen. The question arises then why do hens in the New England States average more than seven dozen eggs per year per hen, while in Louisiana they only average three dozen? The reason must be found in the fact that in the New England States, *Sheridan's Powder* to make hens lay is almost universally used, while in the West and South, it is not used much. Louisiana has not gone behind, but the Northern States have gone ahead. There is no doubt at all but what the extensive use of *Sheridan's Powder* to make hens lay, and for the improvement of poultry, has boosted the poultry industry more than all other influences put together. The poultry industry of this country now amounts to between five and six hundred millions of dollars annually and the profits are said to be enormous. One man in Mass. near Boston has made twenty thousand dollars a year for the last five years and many more have from five hundred to thousands of dollars, while thousands of women, children and invalids have earned a comfortable living. All who want to know just how to make money, keeping and tending poultry should send to J. S. Johnson & Co., 22 Custom House St. Boston, for a copy of the *Poultry Raising Guide*, Price 25 cts.

Quick transit from a state of feebleness, heady languor, nervous irritability—induced by dyspepsia—to a condition of vigor and physical comfort, follows the use of the standard regulating tonic and stomachic, *Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery and Dyspeptic Cure*, which speedily conquers indigestion, constipation, bilious complaints, and female complaints, purifies the blood, and reinvigorates the vital energy.

A lady in Syracuse writes: "For about seven years before taking *Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery and Dyspeptic Cure*, I suffered from a complaint very prevalent with our sex. I was unable to walk any distance, or stand on my feet for more than a few minutes at a time, without feeling exhausted; but now, I am thankful to say, I can walk two miles without feeling the least inconvenience. For female complaints it has no equal."

CERTAIN CURE.

A CURE FOR CHOLERA MORBUS.—A positive cure for this dangerous complaint, and for all acute or chronic forms of bowel complaint incident to summer and fall, is found in Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry; to be procured from any druggist.

MARKET REPORTS.

ST. JOHN.
Corrected weekly by Geo. Lyman, J. Esq. Deputy Clerk.

Beef, country, per lb.	\$0.04	\$0.06
" butchers,	" 05	" 06
Lamb,	" 07	" 08
Mutton,	per lb.	" 06
Pork,	" 08	" 09
Butter,	" 18	" 20
" Roll,	" 22	" 23
Lard,	" 00	" 00
Turkeys,	" 16	" 00
Chickens, per pair,	" 50	" 60
Geese, each,	" 00	" 00
Potatoes, early rose, per bbl.	" 50	" 60
" kidneys,	" 70	" 00
Carrots, per doz, bunches	" 20	" 00
Beets,	" 40	" 00
Turnips,	" 35	" 00
Parsnips,	" 40	" 00
Cabbages, per dozen,	" 50	" 60
" red, per dozen,	" 00	" 00
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.	1.50	" 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
Ribbed, per "b.	" 00	" 00
Let us, per doz.	" 00	" 00
Radishes,	" 00	" 00

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STOVES, STOVES.

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

VALUABLE FARMS For Sale.

THAT Valuable Farm Property situated in the Parish of New Maryland, York County, lately occupied by the late Asrael Seely, containing 70 acres more or less.

Also, that Farm situated in Blissville Sunbury County, near Fredericton Junction, lately occupied by the late Asrael Seely, containing 70 acres more or less.

Also, that Freehold Property situated in Southampton, York County, lately occupied by Nehemiah Grant.

For prices and terms, apply to J. A. & W. VANWART, Barristers, Fredericton N.B. March 1 1887.

CUT TACKS.

3 BOXES Cut Tacks—assorted sizes; 2 boxes Iron and Zinc Shoe Nails; 1 box Trunk and Clout Nails; 2 boxes Carpet Tacks; 10 boxes Clinch Nails; 1 case Tire Bolts.

Just received and for sale by R. CHESTNUT & SONS.

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Just received from New York: 2 CASES Oneida Traps—For sale low, at NEILL'S Hardware Store.

I was given up by the Doctors but am nearly Cured by GATES' MEDICINE.

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Your preparations given to the public as a cure for Asthma and Consumption may be considered reliable in my experience. My neighbors can also say the same of me. They had no hope whatever, and advised my wife to spend no more money on me, thinking it was no use, as I had been given up by the doctors; but I thought I would try your medicines, and consider it is by their use only that I am living and maintaining my family by my own work. The doctors advised me not to take it, because, they said, when the cough stopped I would not live 24 hours; but I am alive, thanks to GATES' MEDICINE, and am doing better than I have been for a great many years.

KENNETH MCGILNARY. The above statement was sworn to as correct in every particular, by the above-named Kenneth McGilnary, before me, at Spring Hill, this 4th day of August, 1881.

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