

News of the Week.

NEW BRUNSWICK.

The residence of Mr. Chas. Chase, Upper Brighton, C. Co., was badly damaged by fire on the 27th ult. The loss is estimated at \$1000. Partially insured.

Reports to the fisheries department show that fourteen million salmon fry have been distributed from the Dominion hatcheries this year. Of this amount, three millions were supplied from Bedford and Sydney and two and a half millions from the Miramichi, Restigouche and St. John river hatcheries.

Mrs. Michael Keefe died in St. John on Tuesday last from "the excessive use of intoxicating liquors."

T. A. Fisher has bought and shipped from Edmundston, three hundred and twenty-seven tons of strawberries, blueberries and raspberries this season, paying therefore the round sum of \$50,000.

Mr. John M. Wiley's rapidly increasing business has necessitated the enlarging of his drug store, and an addition of several feet is now being made in the rear of the building. The store will be otherwise improved before the carpenters are through. Mr. Wiley's wholesale business has become extensive.

The names of Mr. Wilson, M. P. P., Hon. R. J. Ritchie and Hon. James Mitchell are mentioned in connection with the position of clerk of the house of assembly. [Farmer.]

The recent rains started Connors' big drive down stream again, and it is expected that all the logs will yet be rafted this season.

The St. John Forwarding and Trade Promoting Company, held a meeting on Wednesday evening. The first business discussed was the extension of the railway along the harbor front. After hearing the views of all present it was resolved to ask the Common Council to take the necessary steps to secure the right of way for the railway over the property of those persons who are not willing to give it free of charge. Messrs. Robertson, Skinner, McLeod, Pugsley and Parks were appointed a committee to bring the matter before the council. The Board of Trade was asked to concur in the resolution. The importance of grain elevators at St. John, in view of the recent utterances of President Cleveland, was dwelt upon by several gentlemen, and a resolution adopted giving it as the opinion of the association that the Dominion government should be urged to at once undertake the erection of a grain elevator at this port, and the providing of terminal facilities in connection with the Intercolonial railway. It was resolved to memorialize the government on the matters contained in the resolution, also to communicate with the city councils of St. John and Portland suggesting to them to aid in the construction of a grain elevator.

A fatal accident occurred at Junction Road (near Elliott's mill) on Friday last. Mr. Roland McLean was engaged in assisting his son to build a new barn. Ascending a ladder he went out on the roof and immediately fell through a hole a distance of 27 feet, dislocating his neck and dying instantly.

Saturday night a thunder storm of great violence visited Charlotte County. A lamb owned by Messrs. Lumb & Billings, was killed in an open field in St. Andrews. A barn owned by Mr. P. McLaughlin, parish of St. Patrick, was set on fire and with the contents burned to the ground. A thunderbolt entered the house of Mr. R. McKibbin, same parish, near the chimney and tore the walls on the inside, rendering unconscious Mr. McKibbin, his wife and children. Mr. McDowell's house at Chatham was struck and slightly damaged. James Russell, M. P. P., Parish St. Croix, lost a valuable horse by the same storm.

Attorney General Blair last week began an examination of the prisoners charged with the shooting of Mrs. Howes, on Tobique. The facts elicited point quite clearly to the arrested men as the guilty parties. The sister of the prisoner Philibine, a young woman of 22 or 23, gave evidence, in substance, thus:

I remember Saturday evening, August 18th. My brother was fishing on Saturday night with Frank Trafton. He returned after 1 o'clock Sunday morning. He said he had caught a small fish, but had been fired at. He did not say what he intended doing till at breakfast. He said that they had been fired at and two could play at that game; that those people had the drop on them last night but they would have the drop on them that day. He explained that he meant to wet them. Frank Trafton came in while we were at breakfast. I heard them say that they were going to fire to scare the parties. I heard my brother say before Trafton came that if Trafton did not come he would not go alone. When they went out my brother took his gun. He returned about 11 or 12 alone. I asked what had happened. He said, "there is murder, Mrs. Howes is shot dead." I said, "My God, tell me it is not you." He said, "No, it is not me." I said, "are you sure." He said he was. He said he fired the first shot, and only one at the stern of the canoe; Frank fired two. He then told Frank to stop, but Frank was excited and kept on firing.

The bar-keeper of the Commercial hotel, Moncton, has been convicted of violation of the Scott act, and fined \$50.

There was exported from Fredericton during the month of August, just closed, goods to the value of \$20,137, as compared with \$15,139 for the corresponding month of last year, being an increase of \$5,998.

James Robinson, of Derby, Northumberland Co., has thirty-five men engaged in clearing land on his farm.

A number of fines have recently been collected at St. Stephen for violation of the Scott Act. One law-breaker was sent to St. Andrews, but rather than stay there six days paid his fine.

NOVA SCOTIA.

A Sydney despatch says: Dr. McKay, M. P. P., while driving from Bridgeport to Reserve mines Monday night, during the storm, was struck by lightning and severely injured.

Efforts are being made to get a fast steamer to put on the East River between Pictou and New Glasgow next season.

The shad fisheries in the Basin of Minas, which have been growing less and less profitable for several years, have this season proved an almost total failure. Most of the boats in the business have abandoned the work as the catches have been so small. For the last three weeks no boat has caught more than fifteen fish at a "drift," but very often, as did the fishermen of old, they "toil all night and catch nothing."—*Windsor Tribune*.

C. R. Casey, prohibition candidate in Cumberland, has petitioned against Dickie, the returned Tory member, for alleged bribery.

The first brick of gold from the Malaga Mining company's mine was brought into Halifax a few days ago. It weighed about 38 lbs., contained about 460 ounces of the precious metal, and is estimated to be worth \$9,000. It represents 233 days' crushing.

At Liverpool, N. S., a house was struck by lightning during a terrific storm and totally destroyed. At New Berlin, Queens Co., a barn and contents struck by lightning were burned to the ground.

The merchants' bank of Halifax has issued a writ against Jacob Walton the Nova Scotia potato king, for \$14,164.92, including a note of hand for \$4,500 and money lent \$9,664.92. The bank holds ample collateral against this amount.

The shipment of piling, which is a brisk business at Two Rivers, N. S., is about ended for this season. The Peiro, now loading, will carry away the last cargo save one.

Albert Victor Duple Singh, an Indian prince, has been appointed A. D. C. to Sir John Ross, commander of the forces on this station. The prince holds the rank of lieutenant in the 2nd Royal dragoons. He will arrive at Halifax shortly.

The steamer Arcadia from Lunenburg arrived at Halifax Thursday afternoon. The vessel brought a bar of gold, valued at \$9,000, from the Malaga mine.

F. W. Beckman's extensive lumber mill at Beaver Bank was destroyed by fire, Friday afternoon, together with a large quantity of lumber piled near the building. The mill was insured for \$2,000, and the lumber for \$3,000.

250 Icelandic immigrants arrived in Halifax last week. They settled in Winnipeg.

Captain Graham, who runs a ferry boat on Pictou harbor, fell over the wharf there, while getting into his boat and was drowned.

OTHER PROVINCES.

The superintendent of the eastern division of the Pacific railway states that the number of actual settlers who have passed through to the Northwest this season is at least double that of any previous year.

UNITED STATES.

At present it takes about 70 cars to bring the daily shipment of peaches to New York. This means 270,000 baskets in one week. More than half of the fruit goes to fill orders from other cities, as New York is the distributing point for a large territory. One of the largest receivers of peaches informed a *Bulletin* reporter that the Delaware crop is not turning out as large as was expected. The estimates made a month ago placed the crop anywhere from 8,000,000 to 10,000,000 baskets; but now it is not expected to exceed 5,000,000 baskets. But, as last year's crop was only 1,500,000 baskets, there will be no peach famine this season.

Since last reports were given about cholera nothing from any definite source has been received. The *Advertiser*, the only paper published in Presque Isle Co., Mich., says that the disease is undoubtedly contagious and all means of its spreading will be prevented. Many persons have died and many are hovering between life and death. There is no telegraphic communication in the whole country, and no reports have been received from the interior of the country for several days. Late frosts will undoubtedly allay all fears of its spreading.

Yellow fever cases are multiplying in Jacksonville, Florida.

A despatch of the 31st says Hot Springs, Ark., is gutted; ruin and wreck meet the visitors everywhere. Nothing like it is known to compare with the results of last night's storm. It was a water spout and the valley was swept with a mighty tidal wave. The loss of property is fearful while the sacrifice of human life under the circumstance was appalling.

A fire in Baltimore Sunday morning destroyed nearly a block, causing a loss of about \$1,500,000 and killing seven firemen. Scarcely had the firemen entered the drug store when the inside of the building seemed sudden-

ly to drop in. A terrific explosion followed and the immense building collapsed. Holes were cut through the pavement and every effort made to reach the imprisoned men, but only one escaped.

BRITISH AND FOREIGN.

Advices from Lorenzo, a Portuguese town in Africa, says that a mutiny broke out among the soldiers of the garrison and marines have been landed from the warships to quell it. Fighting is expected.

Five hundred dervishes recently attacked an Egyptian fort near Wady Halfa capturing a portion of the works. Reinforcements arrived from Wady Halfa and the Egyptians repulsed the dervishes killing over 100. The Egyptian loss is 16 killed and 27 wounded.

The official report of the world's harvest shows that the wheat crop in Italy, France, Great Britain and Russian Podolia is from 20 to 25 per cent below the average; in Austria, Hungary, southeastern Europe and Egypt is deficient from one to 25 per cent. In Germany there is an average crop, and in Moldavia the crop is 25 per cent above the average.

A hurricane in Algoa Bay, Friday wrecked number of vessels, many lives were lost.

August reports have been received, showing that the Egyptian corn crop has seriously suffered. The reports also say that it will be impossible to grow wheat in upper Egypt in 1889, and that the greater portion of the crops only can be cultivated at increased expense.

The London Standard in a leader on the fisheries question says: "It will be well for the president and government of the United States to remember that Canada is a dependency of Great Britain and that, if the necessity should unfortunately arise, she has behind her guns and iron-clads. If the American cousins fail to understand this allusion; if, in deference to the tone of coarse brutality which seems to be a distinguishing feature of their domestic politics, they invite us to reply to their insults in a strain they will comprehend, perhaps we may be allowed to remind them of the Trent affair."

It now seems to be a fact that the Old World needs from seventy million to eighty million bushels of wheat more than the harvests of wheat will produce. To put it in the another way: countries which always have to buy wheat must this year buy some 370,000,000 bushels, while countries raising more than they consume will have about 295,000,000 to sell. The English must now import at least 170,000,000 bushels and France 68,000,000 bushels. We understand here that the United States and Canada can be counted on to supply about 103,000,000 bushels; Russia 90,000,000, and India 35,000,000 but in these latter countries there is much more uncertainty than in the former. It is evident that somebody must cut down the consumption of bread and that there will be a fierce competition for the possession of the grain markets on the continent which have been showing an almost steady rise for the last 10 days with few fluctuations resulting upon declines in America. As a rule, prices have been higher and advances sharper in Paris than elsewhere, but yesterday, London and some English provincial markets distanced any other by the sudden advance of from six to nine cents per bushel upon last week's prices for foreign wheat. Already the Northern workhouse authorities have their hands full with an army of Irish laborers who are accustomed to come to England for the harvest. This year they find no work for them to do, and the laborers have no means with which to get home. What adds to the sinister aspect of the outlook is a failure of the potato crop in many parts of England and all along the west coast of Ireland. This alone would have made a bad winter here; combined with dear bread it is gloomy enough.

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"It goes right to the spot," said an old gentleman, who found great benefit in Ayer's Sarsaparilla. He was right. Derangements of the stomach, liver, and kidneys are more speedily remedied by this medicine than by any other. It reaches the trouble directly.

Mr. Henry Harding, of Toronto, writes: "My little daughter, 7 years of age, has been a terrible sufferer this winter from rheumatism, being for weeks confined to her bed, with limbs drawn up, which could not be straightened, and suffering great pain in every joint of limbs, arms and shoulders. The best of physicians could not help her, and we were advised to try Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil, which we did, and the benefit was at once apparent; after using two bottles the pain left, her limbs assumed their natural shape, and in two weeks she was as well as ever. It has not returned."

Rev. J. McLaurin, Canadian Baptist Missionary to India writes: "During our stay in Canada, we have used Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil with very great satisfaction. We are now returning to India, and would like very much to take some with us, for our own use and to give to the diseased heathen."

Mr. George Tolen, Druggist, Gravenhurst, Ont., writes: "My customers who have used Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery and Dyspeptic Cure say that it has done them more good than anything they have ever used." It has indeed a wonderful influence in purifying the blood and curing diseases of the Digestive Organs, the Liver, Kidneys, and all disorders of the system.

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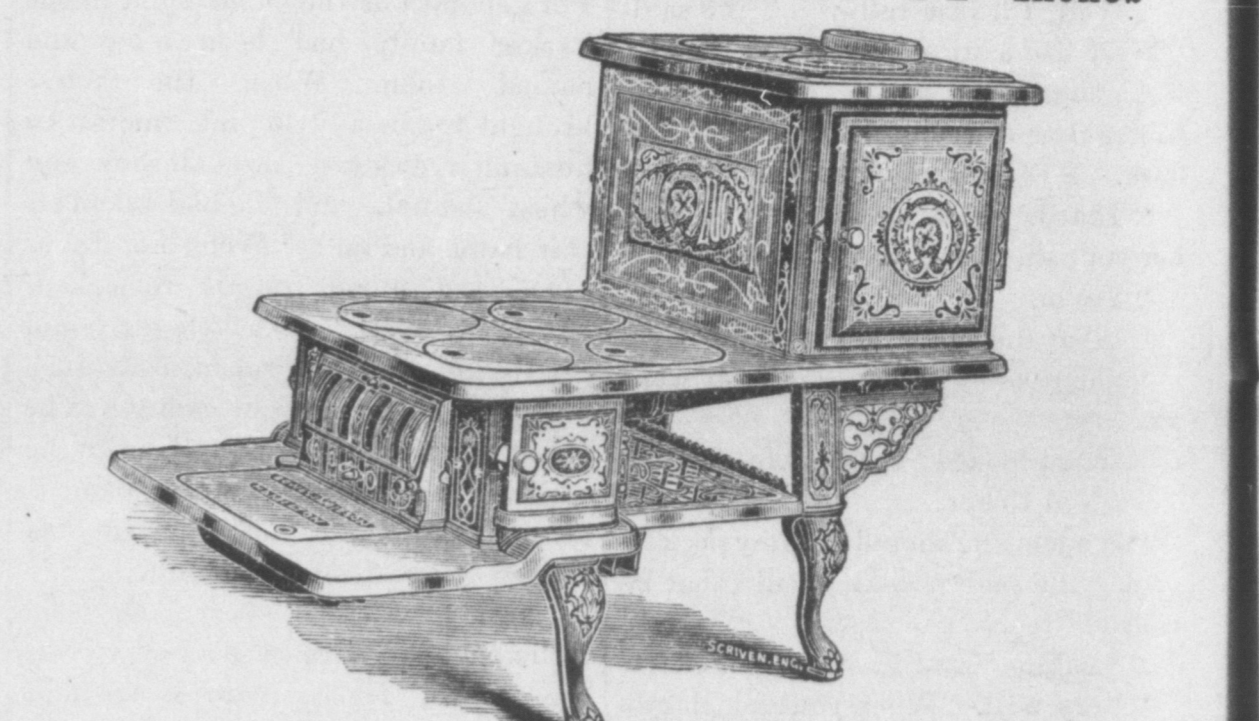
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