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The Hon. Jas. McShane, Mayor of Montreal, is a man who possesses many strong characteristics which help to make the successful ruler, politician and business man.

Last spring Mayor McShane, owing to overwork, was completely run-down and prostrated. He was confined to his house for a time, and was truly a sick man.

Wells & Richardson Co., Montreal. GENTLEMEN:—It is with extreme pleasure that I give you a testimonial in favor of your great remedy, popularly known as Paine's Celery Compound.

Mr. Henry Theakston, Secretary Y. M. C. A., Halifax, says: "I have used Putter's Emulsion for simple and obstinate cough and general debility. In every case it has given the utmost satisfaction. I recommend it as a family medicine."

News of the Week.

New Brunswick

C. H. G. writes from Greenwich, Kings Co., Dec. 14th: The river is still open here. There are eight woodboats laid up here for the winter.

The parish of Madawaska increased from 900 to 1600 in the last decade, the increase being nearly all in the town of Edmundston.

Horatio Grant, merchant of Canterbury, displays a bear skin, one of the largest known in this province, being over seven feet in length.

On Wednesday, Alex. Atkinson, indicted in the County Court for aggravated assault on Rev. Mr. Manzer, pleaded guilty and was sentenced to six months' jail.

Is it old people are forgotten, they always remember Johnson's Anodyne Liniment.

Fire started Tuesday evening in a shed in rear of the old slaughter house at Newcastle. The main building was completely destroyed.

It is reported at Dalhousie that Mr. George Moffat has purchased the machinery of the O'Leary mill at Mission Point, opposite Campbellton, which has been idle for several years past.

Hezekiah McKenzie, an old man over 80 years of age employed as a carpenter in Harris's car works, fell dead while at his work, Wednesday.

Tuesday night Robert Longon, a young man of 23, was shot in the neck by Levina Lindsay, in St. John.

WOLVES, MOOSE AND DEER.—Two wolves were recently seen back of the Greenwood cemetery at Sand Cove and chased by some of the residents of that locality.

A despatch from Hinton, West Virginia, Thursday morning announced that W. J. Ward, son of George T. Ward, Charlotte street, this city, was killed in a railroad accident near that place.

A number of small vessels arrived Friday from down the bay, with cargoes of fresh cod, herring and smoked fish.

C. P. Brown, for several years connected with the Manitoba government, holding the portfolios of provincial secretary and minister of public work is dead. He was a New Brunswicker.

Chilblains, chapped hands, frost bites are cured by bathing in Johnson's Anodyne Liniment.

Smith's bakery at Hampton was destroyed by fire Friday morning. The fire caught from the furnace. The building was insured for \$200.

The C. P. R. flour shed on the west railway wharf near the ferry is being built rapidly. The shed is rather small, but will no doubt accommodate a good deal of traffic.

Smallpox has entirely disappeared from Restigouche county. The cases at Dalhousie have all been discharged and nothing now remains but to pay the bills.

The Millville Cheese Manufacturing Co. is gaining headway, and stock subscribers are coming in rapidly. The building of the factory is looked for at an early date; so we expect before long to furnish a first-class article of cheese.

C. A. Harmon died at his home in Peel Thursday morning. For a number of years he had been one of the leading business men of Carleton county, and was well known among the business men of St. John.

A Grand Manan correspondent says that a light-house and fog horn on Yellow Murr Ledges, the outermost of that dangerous reef of rocks called Murr Ledges, so terrifying to the average mariner, is highly essential to the safe navigation of the Bay of Fundy.

Safe, Sure, and Painless. What a world of meaning this statement embodies. Just what you are looking for, is it not? Putnam's Painless Corn Extractor—the great sure-pop corn cure—acts in this way.

Nova Scotia. Only one case of diphtheria has been recorded this month in Halifax against 28 cases in December last year.

Eben Seakens, of Dartmouth, was found drowned in the harbor Wednesday morning. It is supposed to be a case of suicide.

Hon. L. E. Baker has presented Yarmouth with two and one-third acres of land for use as a public garden or park, the only condition being that within four years the ground will be properly graded and prepared as a park or garden.

At a Wednesday night a sailor named Snow, belonging to Granville, on board the fishing schooner Haskell, while lowering a sail on arrival at Digby port, was caught in the ropes and lifted some twenty feet in the air, when the rope slipping, he fell, striking on the back of his head. It is thought he will recover.

Is your dyspepsia chronic? Is it severe? Is it a mild form? Try K. D. C. It is guaranteed to cure any form or money refunded.

At exhibition 1891, K. D. C. has been awarded a Silver Medal and five Diplomas—the highest awards for any medicine.

A Correspondent writes to the Yarmouth Times: In September of this year a lady lost her husband and child by diphtheria somewhere in the vicinity of Boston. Recently she returned to Pembroke, Yarmouth Co., and visited in several families. Close upon this visit have come several mild cases of diphtheria, and lately one of a more malignant type, which after a few days terminated fatally.

The executors of the J. P. Mott estate expect to pay another instalment of \$17,000 to each of the city charities provided for by Halifax's greatest philanthropist. The sum of \$3,000 was first named as the amount likely to be received by each beneficiary charity; but the sum will probably be over \$30,000.

During the past season H. J. Vaughan of Grand Pre, marketed cucumbers to the value of \$315 and sold them to the pickle factory.

Fox, the man who has been incarcerated in Kentville jail for some years is to be placed in Mount Hope asylum.

Wm. H. Maxwell, aged 21 years, formerly a student in the School of Agriculture, Truro, Nova Scotia, was committed at New York Monday for examination as to his sanity. He was acting strangely when arrested and had on his person a loaded revolver, a razor and a long-bladed knife.

K. D. C. is "worth its weight in gold," "sells like hot cakes," "is all it is recommended," "an excellent remedy," and the "best dyspepsia cure ever offered to the public." See testimonials.

Mr. R. C. Hamilton, formerly editor and business manager of the Annapolis Spectator, has assumed the editorial and business management of the Digby Courier.

A five year old child of Thomas Alfred of Halifax was burned to death Saturday morning. Its clothes caught fire from a grate.

Rungo Glasgow, the fourteen year old son of H. Glasgow, watchmaker, Kentville, N. S., accidentally shot himself in the breast last Sunday with a pistol. His life is endangered.

Use Dr. Kendrick's White Liniment for Lameness, Pains and Cramps.

Other Provinces. Fire did ten thousand dollars damage to the Kingston, Ont., gas works Wednesday morning.

A ten thousand dollar fire occurred in Brodeur's confectionery store on Bonsecours street Montreal, Wednesday.

Alexander Dale, of Toronto, recently died, leaving a thousand dollars of insurance. Two women now claim the money, each alleging to be the widow of deceased and the rightful heir. The money has been paid into Court pending the outcome of enquiry into the matter.

The revised voter's lists have been received at Ottawa from Halifax, Annapolis, Inverness, N. S., and Westmorland, Kent and Victoria, N. B.

The Dyspeptic's Hope—K. D. C. Why? Because it cures when all other remedies fail. A free sample package mailed to any address. K. D. C. Company, New Glasgow, N. S.

Three convicts, named Hayes, Hollingsworth and Catellier, who were sentenced to five years' imprisonment in Kingston penitentiary for robbing mails, will be released on Christmas eve. They have served two years and were formerly mail clerks.

Dun & Russell report 28 Canadian failures the last seven days; there were 41 the corresponding week last year. Bradstreet's reports 23 Canadian failures this week and 35 for the same week last year.

John Lewis, of Kingston, Ont., supposed to be the oldest Orangeman in Canada, is dead; aged 96.

Can Dyspepsia be cured? Yes! K. D. C. is a positive cure. "A safe cure," "a complete cure," "a marvelous cure," "the best cure," and a guaranteed cure.

United States. John C. Wheeler, aged 65, keeper of a hotel at Rindge Centre, N. H., was murdered in front of his hotel by John Burnell (Burnell drove up to the hotel and asked Wheeler for liquor. This was refused, high words followed. Burnell became enraged; seizing a whistle tree he dealt Wheeler a blow over the head killing him instantly.

Glendale woolen mill in Burrillville, R. I. was burned Wednesday night, loss on stock estimated at 20,000, insurance \$10,000; the building and machinery were valued at \$65,000 insurance \$50,000.

Special despatches from a number of the largest cities of the country from New York to San Francisco show that on account of the prevailing mild damp weather the grippe is again prevalent.

Drought in Mexico has caused much distress in Durango, Chahita and other states. Appeals for aid for the starving people have been sent out.

Winfield Huntley, his son Hiram, and Alex. Huntley, of East Machias, Me., started to cross Hadley's lake Wednesday, and all are supposed to have been drowned in the lake. No traces of the boat or men can be found.

All through trains on the Santa Fe Road N. M. have been tied up at various points between Las Vegas and Ration Tunnel the past four days on account of the snow blockade. Snow is from 2 to 4 feet deep on the level and is drifting badly. Hundreds of passengers are in the blockade.

Baird's Balsam of Horehound for Croup and Whooping Cough.

Physicians report about 1,000 cases of la grippe in Haverhill, Mass., some very severe, the majority mild.

Ware county Ga. jail was broken into by a mob of fifty masked men, who went to a cell containing Welcome Golden and Robert Knight, and shot them dead.

John Burns lately said at a labor demonstration that the trades unions' effort to obtain eight-hours a day was a failure. The trades themselves cannot and will not enforce it, so the only hope is through legal enactment.

The old trouble between the presence of Canadian laborers in Portland during the time of the coming of the foreign steamers is being stirred up again. The labor unions are taking it up, and are moving for an enforcement of the contract labor law. Their representatives and the United States District Attorney have complained to the collectors of the port and these officers have the matter under advisement. Meanwhile the rumor is going the rounds that the steamers may go to some other port, if they are troubled in the matter.

James Daley, while working in the woods chopping trees for Abbott & Bailey of Jackman, Me. was struck by a falling limb and had his skull crushed on Saturday. He died before assistance could be obtained. His exact residence is unknown, but his parents are supposed to live in St. John.

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Emperor Francis Joseph of Austria, has been confined to bed for several days past with illness. His condition is causing some anxiety.

The British ship Entarikon, from Hull for Brisbane, was driven on Galloper sands, off Ramsaght. Thirty lives were lost; every person except the apprentice boy was drowned. The survivor owes his safety to accidentally clutching a yard when the vessel overturned, holding on until she righted.

Reports of the ravages of influenza in various parts of Europe are being constantly received. The epidemic is spreading rapidly in Jutland, Holland and Denmark.

The proof of the pudding is in the eating." K. D. C. has been tried and tested and has proved itself to be King of Medicines, "the Greatest Cure of the Age, and the only Perfect Dyspepsia Cure in the market."

Influenza has assumed alarming forms in St. Petersburg. Some patients become mad and rush wildly through the streets in violent paroxysms, then have high fever and utter prostration, often followed by death. In other cases there are typhoid developments.

The serving of diplomatic relations with Bulgaria on the part of France continues to be an exciting topic of conversation in political circles. The gravity of such a step is increased by the possible serious consequences that may follow concerning the Balkan question.

A scheme for the reunion of Christians, proposed in the Review of the Churches, is for a winter trip of ministers and laymen of different religions to Norway. In the long, dark evenings they can present their views and endeavor to harmonize.

ECZEMA ON A LADY

Scabrous Case of Skin Disease covered her Face and Body. Many Doctors Baffled, Marvellous and Complete Cure by CUTICURA Six Years have elapsed and no Return.

A lady customer of ours (Miss Fanny Atwood of Caroline Depot, N. Y.) has been cured of a stubborn case of skin disease by the use of CUTICURA REMEDIES. She remarked that her case had baffled the skill of many well-known physicians.

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In sending a remittance for any of the above goods please remember that the prices are net, and if you wish them sent by mail add sufficient to cover the postage.

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