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News of the Week.

New Brunswick.

The catch of haddock at Briar Island and the fishing grounds in that vicinity is so large at present that the fisherman experienced considerably difficulty in procuring help to dress their harvest when it is landed.

The Royal Gazette announces the following Provincial appointments: In the city and county of St. John, John McGolderick to be a commissioner of the general public hospital, in place of the Hon. Charles Watters, deceased. Frederick Sandall and Ezekiel M. Sipprell to be justices of the peace.

On Tuesday, last week, a man named Murloch was shot and killed in Drummond, V. Co. There was a marriage in the place and several rough fellows including Murloch, attended and made a disturbance. A coroner's inquest was held, and the jury found that the deceased came to his death by means of a loaded gun discharged at him in the hands of Baptiste Theriault.

This year the fall shad fishing will likely be a failure. A few fish have been taken around St. John harbor and vicinity, but they have been very small, and brought the fisherman little remuneration. Up the bay this fishing has been a failure.

The recent storm has caused considerable damage to the Negrotown Point breakwater.

Mr. Edward Jack expects to visit Great Britain during the coming winter and lecture on the resources of New Brunswick.

There was quite a serious fire at Blackville on Thursday. It broke out in Mr. Gibson's lumber piles and a quantity of lumber was destroyed. Fortunately the mills were saved.

N. & M. Connolly, contractors for the West side wharf, in St. John, have put in a bill for \$52,663.04 extras. The contract was \$132,902.92. A law suit is likely to result.

The Courier says: Canada has lost nothing by the delimitation of the boundary in Passamaquoddy Bay, between this country and the United States. The commissioners finished their work on Saturday last and one result of it is that the four rivers in Lubec Narrows, which have been claimed by the Americans for fifty years, are left on the Canadian side.

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Nova Scotia.

The Woodside sugar refinery, Dartmouth is to close down soon. Its monthly pay roll for some time has been \$4600.

A young man, named John McLeod was drowned at Springhill last Tuesday.

The Bridgetown Brick and Tile company have done a flourishing business the present summer, giving constant employment to about forty hands.

A barn owned by Charles Johnson of Wolfville, with its contents, was destroyed by fire last week.

George Alexander, aged 60, a colored man, was run over Wednesday, while crossing the track at Richmond, one mile from Halifax, by the Windsor & Annapolis railway express. He died in the ambulance while being conveyed to the hospital.

The result of last Tuesday night's gale at Digby was to rip up several of the large fish weirs that withstood the last storm and drive the mackerel, which had begun to strike in, out to sea. The schooners Princess and Surprise lost their anchors during the night and went ashore. A large fish weir that was built last season at Sandy Cove, at a cost of some thousand dollars, is completely wrecked.

Two attempts were made Wednesday to burn the Hotel Lorne at Yarmouth. At five o'clock the cook discovered a pantry ablaze. It had been saturated with kerosene. A hour later another fire added by kerosene, burned through the roof. The insurance companies cancelled their policies.

John F. Powell, a farmer, of Fort Lawrence, N. S., fell from a load of hay on Tuesday and received injuries which caused his death.

The mayor of Halifax is holding an investigation into the origin of recent fires. There is evidence that the fire at Stairs, Son & Morrow's hardware, when the loss was \$120,000, was set in seven different places on three floors.

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Other Provinces.

Hon. D. Ferguson, Charlottetown, is mentioned as likely to be appointed to the Senate.

There has been regrettable trouble between N. S. and American fishermen at Souris, P. E. I.

The Souris, P. E. I. breakwater has suffered severe injury from the late storm. About 150 feet have been carried away.

At Gananoque, Sunday six young men were sailing in a skiff in St. Lawrence, when the boat capsized and two Joseph Davis and Chas. Chadwick, were drowned.

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United States.

Forty persons are reported killed by a cyclone at Savannah, Ga., and \$10,000,000 of damage done.

Edward Turney, 16 years of age, was run over by a loaded wagon while crossing the railway track at Presque Isle, Aroostook, and instantly killed. The accident was caused by the breaking of the harness, the horses becoming unmanageable.

On Thursday the Chicago limited express train for Boston broke through a frail iron bridge on the Boston & Albany railroad one and a half miles east of Chester. Four Wagner cars were crushed, killing at least 13 persons and fatally injuring several others.

In Malden, Mass., Gertrude Connelley, aged 8, died of Hydrophobia last week. She had been bitten by a dog about six weeks before.

A correspondent from Colorado writes: Here we have hard times, the hardest the State ever felt. The principal industry, silver mining, is now suspended if not entirely closed. From 30,000 to 40,000 men are out of employment. Many thousands are in need of the very necessities of life.

The storm of Monday and Tuesday was very severe in all parts of the United States. On the Atlantic coast telegraphic communication was so interrupted that news from points south of Washington is very meagre. It is reported that property in South Carolina and Georgia is damaged to the extent of over one million dollars. The damage to crops is especially severe in the south of Maine and Connecticut.

A special to the Augusta, Ga., Chronicle from Yemassee, near Port Royals, referring to the late storm says the facts are worse than the rumors. Six hundred people are dead and the loss of property is \$2,000,000.

Nearly five years ago John W. Stebbins of Brockton, Mass., was bitten by a cat, and Thursday after intense suffering, he died from blood poisoning, occasioned by the wound. Soon after sustaining the injury, Mr. Stebbins' hand and wrist began to trouble him. Despite all that medical aid could do the nuckles appeared to contract, and slowly the hand was drawn out of shape. At times the hand would trouble him but slightly, but he has never been entirely well from the effects of the bite. Recently the member grew worse, and the result of the last attack was blood poisoning, which resulted in death.

The latest reports from Beaufort, S. C., put the number of deaths by the storm at 800—and the number may go up to 1,500. Inquests have been held on 300 bodies. All attempts at identification are abandoned. Whole settlements on the Island have been wiped out. The money loss at Beaufort is \$500,000.

In Denver, Colo., Saturday Dr. T. Thacher Graves, the convicted poisoner of Mrs. Josephine Barnaby, committed suicide in his cell in the county jail, presumably by taking poison.

A case of leprosy has been found in the penitentiary at Laramie, Wyo. Ed. Fisher, a prisoner, is the victim.

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British and Foreign.

The vote on the third reading of the home bill, in the house of commons, resulted in favor of the motion, 301 against 200.

A telegram from Delatini in Austrian Galicia says, 28 deaths from cholera have occurred there, the epidemic is spreading rapidly. The wealthier residents are fleeing from the town.

A report on the harvest in Italy places the yield of wheat, barley and oats at a better figure than last year.

More than 60,000 miners resumed work in South Wales Thursday. Their return means practically the collapse of the strike in South Wales and Monmouthshire. Some 40,000 men still hold out. It is understood the men who returned to work have been granted the 20 per cent advance for which they struck.

A London despatch says The critical time in the cholera danger, according to last year's experience, has now been reached and the outlook is hopeful. The disease is much more widespread now than just one year ago, but it is under control, and nowhere has it manifested the virulence of last season.

Analysts have been examining the dust of the streets of Paris and Naples. In the former city a gramme of dust showed 130,000 bacteria, including bacilli of cholera, typhus, diphtheria and erysipelas. In Naples a gramme of dust yielded as high as a billion microbes, some of which, when cultivated, produced tetanus, tuberculosis, malignant edema and other diseases in animals. These facts seem to prove that something more than the presence of bacilli is necessary to produce the epidemic.

A hurricane passed over the Azore Islands on the 28th. Five vessels were wrecked, 40 houses destroyed and five people killed.

Their Name is Legion.

There is no lack of so-called cures for the common ailment known as corns. The vegetable, animal, and mineral kingdoms have been ransacked for cures. It is a simple matter to remove corns without pain, for if you will go to any druggist of medicine dealer and buy a bottle of Putnam's Painless Corn Extractor and apply it as directed the thing is done. Get "Putnam's," and no other.

Chautauqua Bulletin, Sept. 1893.

PLANS FOR HOME READING.

Chautauqua goes to those who cannot go to Chautauqua. Many a frontier cabin, southern plantation, ship on the sea, has felt the influence of the Chautauqua Circle. Wherever there are earnest people who would make life more than dull routine or idle play, Chautauqua is ready to go with a definite plan of reading, with specified books, with hints and suggestions, with a monthly magazine and other means of stimulus and aid. Individual readers may join, even though there be no "circle" in the community. There is genuine satisfaction in cultivating the intellectual side of one's nature, in accumulating mental treasures which are beyond the reach of fickle fortune.

There is discipline in it as well. Chautauqua urges that education end not with school and college days, but with life only, and that every intelligent man or woman is by nature under obligation to obtain all possible self-culture. The Chautauqua course for 1893-94 is very attractive. It deals with the rise and fall of Rome, and with the making of modern Europe during the much maligned Middle Ages. It has to do with the art and letters of those times, and lays the foundations for that thorough knowledge of the nineteenth century which every one should seek, as this great page of history is as the turning point.

LOST FACULTIES.

Our language shows its pictorial origin. We speak of immaterial things very much as if they were tangible. An old woman sits in dejected attitude, forgetful of all that was once her most familiar life; an old man wanders about with lack-lustre eye and dulled perceptions, and we say they have lost their faculties. Lost them? When? How? Is it hopeless to search for them? It is all a mystery, and yet there is something to be said about it in explanation and in warning. There is one great law of our being that cannot be ignored. We must use our powers or lose them. How often we hear the remark, "I used to have a good memory but it is all gone." Now if anything in the world is subject to law it is memory. Keep it active and it grows; confide nothing to its keeping and it dwindles away.

Do you dread age? The body must grow old, though activity is a wonderful preventive of decay. But the soul! Keep it young. Keep it vigorous. How? Use all its powers. Think; commit to memory; be interested in every good thing. Read good books; make them your own by reviewing and re-viewing. In short, be a Chautauqua!

A NEW CHAUTAUQUA PLAN.

The recently announced Chautauqua Extension Lecture plan serves as an admirable introduction of the University Extension idea to communities which are unable at present to bear the expense of a lecturer. It consists, in brief, of courses of lectures by eminent scholars, written in a clear, forcible style, and then printed and loaned to local centers. Each center is furnished with the six lectures of a given course, tickets being sold at fifty cents each, with a syllabus for each ticket holder, and announcements for general distribution. The great value of the plan lies in the fact that it gives to any community, however small, the opportunity of securing a set of scholarly lectures with absolutely no financial risk, the arrangements being such that only a certain proportion of the receipts are paid to the Chautauqua management. There are five courses in literature, social science and art now ready.

CHAUTAUQUA EXTENSION AND THE CHURCH.

The leaders of the Chautauqua system of education have devised a plan which promises to be of great service to the pastors of churches. The scheme includes the furnishing at a nominal sum printed lectures and

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syllabuses, course tickets, etc., to any community. Among the courses offered for the autumn and winter is a series of six lectures on a Biblical topic, by Pres. W. R. Harper of the University of Chicago, being a course delivered at Chautauqua in the summer of 1893, on "Prophecies Concerning the Fall of Jerusalem." Another course of peculiar interest at the present time is that on "Social Science," by Prof. Albion W. Small. These lectures deal with the many social problems of our own day. The plan contains all the elements of success, and pastors of churches are congratulated on their opportunity of presenting valuable courses to their people at little expense of time and labor.

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Literary Notes.

Although only three numbers of McClure's have been issued, this magazine takes good rank with many monthly periodicals. The opening article of the September number is an interview with the Doctor Edward E. Hale. The story of Doctor Hale's life and work is illustrated. The instalment of "Human Documents" for the month is interesting. In all the glory of gorgeous uniforms the Emperor of Germany is the first "Document" given us to study. Eugene Field is the second "Document." Colonel A. A. Pope of war time and bicycle fame is the third on the "Human Documents" list. "Pasteur at Home" is good. Pasteur is a remarkable personality. The sketch gives every side of the great savant, from the bland old gentleman in his study to the relentless scientist interfering with the nerve tissue of little rabbits. Full of the savor of tropic swamps and jungles is Stanley's story of the "Elephant and the Lion." The great explorer explains, in preface, that it is one amongst many stories told to him by his dusky followers, in the light of the campfire. "At the Throttle" an animated story of a ride in the cab with an engineer of a swift express train. It gives a

minute account of the arduous life and thrilling experiences of an engineer of one of these "flyers." The author seems to have come to the conclusion that, however great the speed of an engine may become, it is impossible to get an engineer with a physique sufficient to stand the wear and tear of one hundred miles an hour. Altogether, McClure's for September is one of the most interesting of the magazines of the month.

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