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### News of the Week.

#### New Brunswick.

A barn belonging to Albert Henderson of Musquash was destroyed by fire last week, together with seven milch cows, one calf and a lot of farm implements. No insurance.

A fire occurred at Dorchester, Monday, in which the Amos Weldon homestead was burned to the ground. A young lad got his leg broken by the falling of the chimney.

The local law is now in force which prohibits minors under eighteen years of age from using tobacco in any form. Boys who violate the law will understand that they are liable to arrest any moment.

Judge Fraser granted a decree of divorce to Win. Hoyt from his wife Hannah Hoyt (both colored). Hannah did not contest the case.

Burglars entered the store of T. E. Roberts at Blissville, Sunbury Co., a few nights ago and stole about seventy dollars in cash. A pocketbook containing \$50 and a railway ticket and the remainder from a money drawer in the store.

The rotary saw mill, owned by Thomas Burns, situated on the Richibucto river, one mile above Kingston bridge, was totally destroyed by fire Tuesday morning, caused, it is said, by the bursting of the boiler. All the lumber yard and the contents of the mill were burned. No insurance.

The dwelling house of John Ellison of Henderson Settlement, Q. C., was destroyed by fire on Sunday. Some of the furniture was saved. No insurance.

Lewis Geldart, of Elgin, A. Co., who was digging a well and using dynamite had a cap discharge in his hand, blowing his thumb and finger off and otherwise injuring the hand.

The Carleton County council have refused to make any grant toward the proposed provincial exhibition in Woodstock this fall. The committee have declared that unless they get a grant of \$1,000 the scheme must fall through.

In the Kings county court, Michael Gallagher pleaded guilty to the indictment against him for shooting with intent to kill at Smithtown on June 10th the wife of Mr. Robert Fowler. The prisoner was sentenced to 14 years in the penitentiary.

On Monday of last week Fairville, St. John, was swept by fire, as disastrous as the fire of a little more than a year ago. Roughly estimated the amount of property destroyed will total almost \$100,000 in value. The fire found Fairville, as on previous occasions, totally unprepared in every way to meet it. Ladders were very scarce, water was still scarcer and as for means of carrying it there was none. Experience has taught the people not to trust to any accident which might stop the flames, and accordingly as soon as the fire was discovered nearly all the householders began to carry away their furniture to places of safety. The fire was discovered about 4:30 in the afternoon, in the barn in the rear of the Currie hotel, which is situated on the corner of Main street and the road which leads to Milford. The burnt district will comprise about four acres, all of which was well built up and upon which there now stand but a few old chimneys. It extends from Milford road along Main to Station, down Station street to Franklin, which was swept clear on both sides, along Franklin to Maiden Lane then to Prospect street and along Prospect to the Milford road which the fire line strikes about 50 yards from the Currie Hotel.

The Middle Southampton Cheese Manufacturing company, John W. Grant, president, have chosen the site for the factory at the mouth of the Campbell settlement road, factory is to be completed by the last of October, '93.

At Woodstock, Thursday, a boy nine years of age, son of James Brown, was drowned while playing upon some logs in the river.

The present year has been a very good one for the fishermen of eastern and northern New Brunswick. District No. 2, which comes under the inspection of R. A. Chapman of Moncton, and includes Westmorland, Northumberland, Gloucester, Kent, and Restigouche counties, returned a catch of only \$1,500,000 in 1889. Last year the official returns showed a yield of over \$2,000,000, and in the present year it is estimated the yield will exceed \$3,000,000 worth. Salmon have not only been very plentiful, but the young salmon, or grilts, are said to be more numerous than ever before known, showing that the prospect for the future increased supply of this most toothsome of all our fish is excellent. The increasing supply of salmon is understood to be due to the better regulations now governing the fisheries.

The Roman Catholic church and five houses, including the handsome presbytery and residence of Father Smith, at Mission Point, near Campbellton, were destroyed by fire on Monday.

Alex. Gibson has again assumed the management of the Canada Eastern railway. It is understood that Thomas E. Hoban has been appointed superintendent and P. A. Logan chief mechanic of the road. The headquarters of the road will also be removed from Chatham to this city.

At Norton, K. Co., James Sherwood was found dead in his bed Saturday morning. He was the previous night in his usual health. Heart disease was the probable cause of death.

Saturday afternoon fire destroyed the residence and barns of Stephen O. Humphrey, at Sunny Brae, a suburb of Moncton. The residence was the finest in the village.

Those suffering from indigestion are the first to be attacked by cholera. K. D. C. is the Greatest Cure of the Age for indigestion. It is the best cholera preventive.

Cholera morbus and diarrhoea yield to Johnson's Anodyne Liniment taken often internally.

#### Nova Scotia.

A brakeman on the Yarmouth & Western Counties railway, named Robichau, was terribly injured Thursday at Hectanooga. As he jumped from a box to a flat car which was running at a fair rate, the latter became uncoupled and dropped behind. Robichau fell through the opening between, and the flat car running over his body broke his hip and several ribs.

At the Joggins one day last week a man named McCoy turned his family out of doors; Mark White, interfered and asked McCoy, why he had done so. McCoy told White to shut up and ordered him away from the house. As White stepped out of the house McCoy threw an axe striking him on the head, inflicting a terrible gash. White cannot recover. McCoy was arrested.

Donald McDonald, probably the last survivor of the battle of Waterloo, died at Gairloch last week, aged 99 years. He had the use of all his faculties until the last.

Frank Blount, who was arrested at Milwaukee on a charge of grand larceny, proved to be a woman, who said her name was Annie Morris. She stated that fourteen years ago she ran away from her home at Halifax, N. S., accompanied by her brother, two years younger. She was at the time 13 years of age. The mother was dead and the cruelty of the father, the girl says, caused them to leave home. Annie put on a suit of her brother's clothing and from that time until now she has passed for a man.

Wm. McKenzie, of Farloeh Mountain, Sydney, is supposed to be the oldest man in the maritime provinces. He is now in his 103rd year. Mr. McKenzie is still hale, and can read with the aid of glasses. Last summer he walked 10 miles to attend a camp meeting.

Nova Scotia lobsters are popular, on account of their excellent flavor. During the present season 54 cargoes of live lobsters have been brought from Nova Scotia, comprising 393,335 lobsters. Many of these have gone to the canneries along the coast, and others have supplied the retail trade.

Lower Stewiacke is excited by the finding of the clothing of an Englishman named Smith, on the banks of the river at that place and no trace of the man himself can be found. The man was employed in managing the farm of G. R. Archibald.

The Nova Scotia game society appears to be coming into life. The society has lately imported and set free a number of English pheasants; it also proposes to introduce the Newfoundland grouse, and has arranged with the New Brunswick government to permit a herd of deer to be caught in that province and taken to this province upon the assurance that they will be kept for the public good.

The Orange demonstration at Shubenacadie was the largest ever held in Nova Scotia. Fully 8,000 people were present.

Charles Robinson, aged 27, was killed by the Halifax and Truro local train Tuesday evening at Truro. He was standing directly in front of the train, evidently trying to see how long he could do so before the engine reached him, and as he stepped off the corner of the baggage car struck him, killing him instantly.

There is a boom in the Halifax potato market, owing to the demand from the States being greater than was anticipated. Prices have gone up about 10c. a bushel. P. E. I. are now retailing at 45c.; Nova Scotia at 50c., with scant supply. It was thought last month that all the old stock wouldn't be used up; now there is not likely to be enough for the demand until the new crop comes in sufficiently. There have been a few new ones already.

Delicate children find a wonderful tonic and invigorator in Puttner's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil and Hypophosphites. Its pleasant taste and ready digestibility especially adapt it for their use. All the leading physicians prescribe it.

#### Other Provinces.

It is said that an insect has come forth which is destroying the potato bug in various parts of P. E. Island. It eats the bug out of its shell.

The people of Prince Edward Island have upwards of \$2,328,000 in the Government savings bank; more than \$21 per head of the total population or an average for each family of at least \$109. This is a good showing.

Mrs. Jean Martin, a French immigrant, on the way to Manitoba, attempted with her child to board a moving train at Ottawa. They were both thrown beneath the wheels. The child was killed instantly, and the mother died in a few hours.

The sixteen families of Russian Jews who were recently induced to settle in Alberta are giving a great deal of dissatisfaction, and they are not regarded as desirable immigrants.

At Berlin, Ont., Sunday, lightning struck a residence in course of construction killing two of the workmen, Chris Mecklinger and Wesley Learn outright, and severely injuring two other workmen and a young girl who had come with her father's dinner.

Do you realize the importance of a healthy stomach, now that cholera threatens? K. D. C. acts as a cholera preventive, by restoring the stomach to healthy action.

#### United States.

The total number of persons killed by the Iowa tornado is placed at eighty. It is believed fully 20 of the injured will not be able to survive their injuries. It is estimated \$20,000 has been stolen from the ruins on Sunday.

At Maxwell, Cal., fire supposed to be of incendiary origin, destroyed 12 buildings in the business portion of the town. The loss is \$100,000, insurance \$35,000.

There is widespread suffering among the miners in the upper peninsula of Michigan and northern Wisconsin owing to the shut down of the iron mines in those regions. It is estimated that 12,000 men are idle. Mining is the only possible source of income for these people, agriculture and manufacturing being practically unknown.

On Monday, last week, the cold storage warehouse at the World's Fair grounds was burned and nearly 40 men fell victims to the fire. The building contained the skating rink and exhibits of the Hercules iron works and ice and refrigerating machine manufacturers. The fire started in the tower about 150 feet from the ground. Captain Fitzpatrick, with about 40 men climbed the stationary ladders inside the tower to the balcony around the tower. From there ropes were lowered to haul up the hose. When the fire burst out around the base of the cupola, 80 feet beneath the balcony, all ropes save one were burned away in an instant. The longest ladder fell short of reaching them by fully 30 feet. The rope that was left was fastened to the factory railing and thrown to the roof. Two firemen attempted to slide down, but were swallowed in the flames. Five jumped and were crushed to death on the roof. Captain Fitzpatrick tied the rope and dropped from it to the ladder 20 feet below. Marshall Murphy was on the roof; he went up the ladder and brought down the captain through the flames. Both fell unconscious on the roof and were lowered to the ground; probably both will die. The tower fell with an awful crash, carrying several firemen, who were playing on the flames with a hose from the roof. In less than two hours from the time the fire started the big cold storage warehouse was levelled to the ground. The loss of property is estimated at half a million dollars.

The cotton crop in the Southern States will be but poor this year. Other crops generally promise well.

Dr. Lewis, health officer of Northampton county, North Carolina, reports the existence there of a disease resembling cholera. Persons attacked die in six or seven hours. Twelve deaths have occurred.

An army of crickets has descended upon the corn and potato crops of Wyoming, devouring at an incredible speed all forms of vegetation. The army is three-fourths of a mile deep. They make a great noise, which may be heard for miles. In the neighborhood of Casper, Wyo., authentic reports convey the news that the crickets cleaned up a 10-acre potato field in one hour. At the present rate they will reach Nebraska in time to cut down the ripened sweet corn.

A terrific cyclone struck Stillwater, Minn., Friday. The bodies of two men killed have been recovered. Buildings were blown down and others damaged. Many people are injured and some are missing.

Physicians in cholera districts state that where there is no indigestion there will be no cholera. K. D. C. will cure your indigestion and make you cholera-proof.

British and Foreign.

The cholera now existing in Hungary is of the Asiatic type. Prompt measures have prevented its spread. There has been an average of two cases daily.

A medical delegate sent to Mecca by the Egyptian boards of quarantine says that the number of deaths of pilgrims from cholera is double that reported officially, and that, it being impossible to bury the dead, the roads are strewn with corpses. Unless these are interred speedily another deadly epidemic will soon make its appearance.

There are 6,000,000 Russian laborers in search of work in Russia.

A resolution in the House of Commons in favor of Scottish Home Rule was recently lost by a majority of 18 votes in a small house. Purely Scottish affairs are to be remitted to a Scottish Committee.

Not much light has been thrown upon the melancholy tragedy of the wreck of the *Victoria* on the Syrian coast. Any theory proposed bears hard on Admiral Tryon who, however, paid for his blunder with his life. Possibly the investigation now going on at Malta will explain all. It is quite possible that the fate of the *Victoria* will lead to a change in the additions made to the navy.

Emperor William's army bill passed the reichstag Saturday by a vote 201 to 185.

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WILL WONDERS NEVER CEASE?—The *Cosmopolitan* Monthly Magazine of New York City has been considered for some time the brightest periodical in the list of great magazines and it has always been in the first rank of illustrated publications. Its subscription price for one year is \$3, and on this account the wonderful offer made by the publisher of *PROGRESS* of St. John comes in the nature of a surprise. It is well known that *PROGRESS* has built up a great circulation at a subscription price of \$2 and now it proposes to still further increase its readers by offering the *Cosmopolitan* for one year for 85 cents additional. To explain further, any one not now a subscriber to *PROGRESS* who sends \$2.85 to the publisher of that bright weekly, will not only receive the *Cosmopolitan* Magazine for one year but *PROGRESS* as well for the same time.

#### How to Get a "Sunlight" Picture.

Send 25 "Sunlight" Soap wrappers (wrapper bearing the words "Why Does a Woman Look Old Sooner Than a Man?") to LEVER BROS., Ltd., 43 Scott St., Toronto, and you will receive by post a pretty picture, free from advertising, and well worth framing. This is an easy way to decorate your home. The soap is the best in the market, and it will only cost 10 postage to send in the wrappers, if you leave the ends open. Write your address carefully.

SOME FOREST ITEMS.—Shoe-peg require 100,000 cords of timber annually in their manufacture; matches, 300,000; last and boot-trees, 500,000. All this is of the most superior quality, straight grained and clear of knots and gnarls. To raise the telegraph poles of the country required 800,000 trees and 300,000 more are required for annual repair. The railway ties of the country annually consume 75,000 acres of timber at least thirty years old, and the fencing of railways represents \$45,000, and the annual repair \$15,000,000 annually. These are but a moiety of what is required of our forest supply. The burning of brick alone requires 2,000,000 cords of wood annually.

#### THIS WONDERFUL STORY

Was Told Mr. Frank H. Colley, Local Editor of Age, Belfast, Me.

"For 15 years I have been a sufferer from Salt Rheum of head, with its attendant itching and burning. Crusts 1-8 inch thick would form over my whole scalp, crack and bleed. I also had a general Salt Rheum on my body from which I suffered torture. My food distressed me badly and a severe palpitation of the heart added to my suffering, and unfitted me for labor.



LUCIUS H. DUNCAN, Chairman of the Board of Selectmen of the town of Northport, Me.; member of Maine Legislature for 1885-86.

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During all this long period I have tried many popular medicines, as well as prescriptions from the regular medical practitioners, but without producing any improvement.

In the fall of '92 I concluded to try a bottle or two of your medicine and such were its effects that I continued it and now I can drink cold water or milk without any inconvenience. Those dizzy pains are all gone and my mouth is as sweet as a baby's. In short, your medicine has cured me and I am sure that all Dyspeptics can be cured by its use.

(Signed) W. H. ROGERS, Late Inspector of Fisheries for Nova Scotia.

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