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News of the Week.

New Brunswick.

Rev. G. M. W. Carey, of the First Baptist Church, Ottawa, in reply to the unanimous call extended him by the congregation of Brussels street church of St. John says that he will accept the invitation and that he will name the date when he may be expected.

Mrs. Robt. Stothart, Lower New-castle, was seriously, perhaps fatally, burned on Saturday morning. She went up stairs to a dark room, with a lamp in her hand, to look for a kitten, and placed the lamp on a bed. It upset, the bed caught fire, and while Mrs. Stothart was trying to extinguish the flames her clothes were ignited. She ran out of the house in a blaze, screaming in pain and terror, and some men went to her rescue and put out the fire. Then they ran upstairs and threw the burning bed out of the window. Mrs. Stothart is badly burned and is not expected to live.—*Richibucto Review*.

Policeman Soy of Amherst paid Moncton a visit May 31, with papers for the arrest of one Gross for the violation of the Scott act at Amherst. It appears that Gross, who is now employed in a wholesale grocery house there, was convicted as lessee of the Terrace Hotel. Officer Soy visited the place where Soy worked, but the latter skipped and escaped.

Gaspereaux have been very plentiful on the Kennebecasis. Jack Sprout of Hampton, caught over 30,000 in the Ossekeag creek.

The trial of Mrs. Stevens commences at Dorchester this week. It attracts much attention.

A Nova Scotia prospector is making a thorough examination of the rocks at Miscoe. Copper and iron have been located and he also expects to find gold there.

Forest fires are raging extensively back of Sackville. It is reported that a quantity of lumber, worth in the neighborhood of \$1,000, belonging to J. L. Black, was destroyed. It was stated that several buildings and much lumber and other property in the neighborhood of Upper Sackville, and Dorchester, is seriously threatened.

So far all efforts to float John Gibson's new three masted schooner have failed. The river has fallen considerably since Saturday and it is doubtful now if the vessel can be got off till next spring. However Alex. Gibson has taken hold of the work of floating, he and everybody says "she will have to come now." Mr. Gibson began by sending to St. John for some wreckers.

Alex. Torrens of Hanwell, York Co., lost his dwelling and outbuildings by fire Thursday. The house was new, only being completed last summer. It is said the fire was caused by a running bush fire started by parties clearing up land. The buildings were insured.

About two hundred delegates of the Baptist churches throughout New Brunswick met in the Brussels street Baptist church Thursday evening and decided to separate themselves from the Maritime Baptist Convention.

Sub collector of customs of Edmundston, N. B., Maxime Cyr, has been peremptorily dismissed from office for exacting moneys in connection with seizures for which he could not account to the department and which he denied having received. Cyr has also been found guilty of making illegal and improper seizures, largely out of personal spite. When the matter was brought before Mr. Wallace's attention he at once dismissed the officer.

The University of New Brunswick held their closing exercises, Thursday evening. The following Students received honour certificates:

Senior class, classics—Miss Everett. Philosophy—Robert Watson, Miss Marion Peake. Physics—H. H. Hagerman, S. G. Ritchie, Sarah McKee. English—Robt. Rosborough, Mand McLean.

French—Miss May Clarke. Junior class, classics—A. B. Maggs, Miss Williamson. Physics—A. B. Maggs, D. A. McIntosh, C. H. Elliott. Philosophy—Miss McIntosh, Stanley Downey.

English—Miss McIntosh, Miss McLeod, Miss Shaw, Miss Cameron. German—Miss Shaw, Miss Cameron, Miss McIntosh, Miss McLeod.

French—Miss McLeod, Miss Shaw, Miss Cameron, Miss Johnston. Sophomore class, classics—W. A. Cowperthwaite, Miss Thompson. Physics—Francis Allen, A. T. Hoban.

Philosophy and English—Miss M. F. McIntosh. Science—Frank D. Phinney. Freshmen—Classics—Miss White, Miss Tibbitts, Miss Sterling. Mathematics—Miss Taylor. English—Miss Ross.

Chemistry—Isaac Burpee.

The graduating class numbered fourteen besides six who received special certificates in engineering.

The directors of the Bank of New Brunswick at their meeting declared a dividend of six per cent payable half yearly.

Nova Scotia.

Thursday large forest fires were raging in the direction of Lower Cove, Barronsfield and River Hebert, N. S. Dense clouds of smoke and cinders have been carried by the heavy winds over and even into the houses in Amherst. Two hundred acres are reported on fire between Lower Cove and Barronsfield, and Fred. Seaman's barn is burnt.

Owing to rebellions in Hayti and Cuba a number of big fish—which brings a large price in both these markets—have been returned to this port and Halifax, and have had to be reshipped to other ports in the West Indies. Owing to this and the fact that both countries consume a large amount of fish, it will be seen that it is a great drawback to our shippers.—*Lanenburg Argus*.

On Wednesday the captain of the schooner Beatrice refused to take on board of his vessel three barrels of bottled ale, which was sent to the vessel by one of the largest firms in Halifax, to be taken to Charlottetown. The captain is said to be a temperance man, hence his refusing to carry the ale.

An attempt was made to wreck the I. C. R. train on Monday evening, a few miles north of Truro. A piece of timber was placed on the rails in order to throw the train off the track. No one was hurt.

Wm. S. Corbett, aged 76, a respected citizen of Folly Village, Colchester county, was burned to death there Friday while trying to extinguish forest fires near his house.

The Warship Blake arrived at Halifax Friday afternoon, bearing the flag of Admiral Hopkins. The officers speak enthusiastically of their reception in New York and with some degree of commendable pride admit that the Blake was easily first in every phase of the naval demonstration.

Christian Nelson and John McKay of Port Clyde, Shelburne, N. S., were drowned while returning in their boat from N. E. Harbor a day or two since. They had a load of salt. Their boat was struck by a squall and capsized. Before assistance could be sent from the shore they had gone down for the last time. Nelson leaves a wife and six children.

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Other Provinces.

The dwelling house of Capt. Thos. McRae, of Eldon, P. E. I., was destroyed by fire recently. There was no insurance and the loss is estimated at from \$1,800 to \$2,000 besides some valuable papers and some money.

Most of the Canadian banks paid their half-yearly dividends Thursday. The amount to be paid to the shareholders by banks in Quebec and Ontario is \$1,551,904. The Bank of Montreal pays \$600,000, the Commerce and Merchants coming next with \$210,000 each.

A break has occurred in the Cornwall Canal. While the tug "Hall" was on her way down she ran into the gates of lock 19, breaking three of the gates; two were completely carried away and the third was badly bent. It is expected that navigation will be suspended for some days.

Ten years ago, there were 1,000 peach trees in the county of Welland, Ont. Now there are 25,000, and the rate of increase is constantly going upward. Large numbers of Americans come over to invest in lands suitable for fruit growing, and \$100 an acre is a common price for them to pay.

Bradstreet reports 29 Canadian failures this week, and 34 for the corresponding week last year.

Canadian exports for the last ten months are \$93,500,000, an increase of \$4,000,000. The imports were \$97,312,000, an increase of \$7,000,000. The duty collected increased a million and a half.

The whole district of Bedford, Que., has been thrown into the wildest excitement by a foul murder committed by unknown assassins June 3. At Beach Hill, a few miles from there an aged couple named Edy and their daughter were found dead in their house this morning. The dwelling had been set on fire to cover up the crime. Robbery is supposed to be the motive. There is no clue to the murderers.

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United States.

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An entire family named Hoy, consisting of mother, father and two children, were found murdered in their house at New Haven. Hoy lived in a thickly settled neighborhood. The victims were all lying in the same room, and apparently had been dead for some time. The discovery caused intense excitement, and the house was soon surrounded by an immense crowd. The theory prevails that Hoy killed the other three and then committed suicide.

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British and Foreign.

A Panama despatch says work on the Panama canal will be renewed at the end of the year. Fifty million francs are already subscribed to continue the operations.

A gentleman from St. John's Nfld., says the work of rebuilding the burnt city since spring opened up, has been resumed with an energy which leaves nothing to be desired. New houses and stores are springing up on all hands. It becomes evident, he states, as the ruins are cleared away and new buildings rise that the city will be greatly improved in many respects and when completed will present a much finer appearance than before the great fire. The citizens have unbounded faith in its future.

James Gilbert, sentenced in 1885 to penal servitude for life for having caused a dynamite explosion, was released from Portland prison Tuesday afternoon on account of the breaking down of his health.

The grand jury found a true bill against Wm. Townsend, arrested recently on the charge of having discharged a pistol in Downing street, London, on suspicion of intending to kill Mr. Gladstone. He is also held on the additional charge of sending a threatening letter to Mr. Gladstone.

In the House of Commons Tuesday it was decided to proceed with the discussion of clause 3 of the Home Rule bill. Viscount Wolmer, Liberal Unionist, moved an amendment forbidding the Dublin legislature to discuss subjects on which they were not allowed to make laws. After a debate it was defeated, 259 to 238.

A cable despatch from Iquique, Chili, Monday, says a hurricane destroyed the mole at the nitrate port at Junin and did damage to the amount of \$150,000.

During a fearful cyclone which has been raging in the Bay of Bengal the ship "Germania" was lost and the sixty-four men on board lost their lives. The British Barque "Kydalmere" was swept high and dry on the shore near Diamond harbor, on the river Hoogly, thirty-four miles from Calcutta. The ship "Glengarry" has been abandoned at sea. The crew were saved. The British steamer "Germania" sailed from Batoum April 22, and is probably the vessel above mentioned.

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Literary Notes.

The first issue of *McClure Magazine* is a surprise in many ways. The cover is designed by the famous artist Will H. Low, and, unlike the covers of most new magazines, it easily ranks in beauty and effectiveness with the best magazines. Another surprise in the magazine is its price; it is just half that of its older rivals. Then, it is very fully illustrated. The first issue contains ninety-five pictures and fourteen different articles.

Perhaps, the greatest novelty, however, in the magazine, aside from its extraordinary price, is a real dialogue between William Dean Howells and Professor H. H. Boyesen. This is really the interview carried to perfection, and is, besides, an extraordinarily interesting article, in which Mr. Howells in a frank manner tells more of his early struggles and literary career.

The veteran journalist De Blowitz has written an article which will provoke thought and discussion on Europe at the present moment, in which he characterizes the men and measures of the great nations of Europe.

The personal interest in the magazine is marked. Besides the "Real Conversation," which is really an autobiographical interview with Mr. Howells, there are twenty-three portraits of four famous people at different ages of their lives. Mr. Howells being honored with nine. The articles describing "A Day in Gladstone's Life" and "Count de Lesseps at the Present Moment" are full of great personal interest.

The new department, invented by this magazine, "The Edge of the Future," contains some very interest-

ing matter gained by interviews with Thomas A. Edison and Alexander Graham Bell.

In the way of adventure there is a description of training wild animals, the material being furnished by Karl Hagenbeck of Hamburg, who is the greatest importer of wild animals in the world.

The conductors of the magazine announce contributions for the next two or three issues by Stevenson, Kipling, Thomas Hardy, Octave Thanet, Conan Doyle, W. D. Howells, Elizabeth Stuart Phelps Ward, Henry M. Stanley, Archibald Forbes.

This magazine, with the completeness in illustration, the timeliness and interest of the articles and its extraordinary price, which is only \$1.50 a year, and 15 cents a copy, make the advent of *McClure's Magazine* noteworthy. Published by S. S. McClure, Limited, 743, 745 Broadway, New York City.

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Acadia College.

(Messenger and Visitor.)

The University of New Brunswick has this year named Prof. Keirstead, of Acadia University, as one of the examiners for degrees. He has also for some years past been called upon to perform a similar service for King's College, Windsor. The selection in the case of the university is quite natural, as the professor is a graduate of that institution, whose ability as an educationist is justly recognized. In the case of King's College it is an instance of interdenominational courtesy, which deserves recognition at our hands. In this connection we may remark that Acadia cannot be accused of any narrow or intolerant spirit in this respect. While most, if not all, the professors and instructors in all our schools at Wolfville are active Christians, and most of them Baptists, there are several positions filled by those whose church connection is with other denominations. Thus one of the instructors in the college, we understand, is a Methodist; one in the academy a Presbyterian, while the seminary finds room for a Lutheran, an Episcopalian and a Free Baptist on its staff. These facts may be taken as showing that, while the Wolfville institutions are Baptist schools, they are not open to the charge of being too narrowly sectarian.

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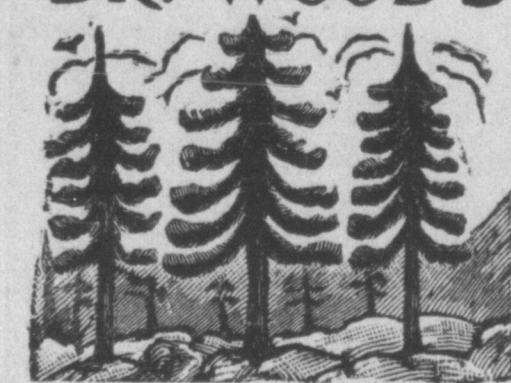
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