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### News of the Week.

#### New Brunswick.

St. John had two fires Wednesday. The first destroyed the eels of two houses on Peters street owned by Miss Estey and John Russell respectively. The building was damaged considerably, as well as the furniture of the people who lived in it, viz: Miss Estey, Robt. Reed and W. J. Parks. Mr. Russell suffered about the same loss. Insured. A couple of hours later there was a fire in Peters' livery stable on Princess street. It did considerable damage. Insured.

Wm. D. Carter, Richibucto, has been appointed Indian Agent and Superintendent for the northeastern portion of New Brunswick, vice Mr. Charles Sargeant, deceased.

Wm. Barnaby, boiler maker, Moncton, while engaged putting in a boiler in the Post Office, Wednesday, was quite badly injured by some of the apparatus falling on him.

John Beck's residence near Harcourt railway station, Kent Co., was totally destroyed by fire last week, caused by the upsetting and explosion of a lighted lamp. Small insurance.

Messrs. Fred Moore & Son, of Woodstock, have contracted with the Tobique Plaster Company to build a plaster mill and dwelling house at Plaster Rock. The work of construction is now being pushed forward rapidly. A powerful engine and boiler are being put in and two run of stones and necessary crushers.

At Apohaqui, K. Co., on Monday of last week a young man, 17 years old, son of Mr. D. Buchanan's, accidentally shot himself. A younger brother had discharged an old rifle and it kicked so badly as to dislocate his shoulder. The brother seeing this said he could fire it off without kicking, and he thereupon picked up the rifle and commenced driving in a cartridge, causing the cartridge to explode, the bullet going in the ground and the cap of the cartridge lodging in his neck. He bled to death in a few minutes.

There are many applications for mining licenses just now. Among the applications lately received are some for licenses to search and prospect for asbestos in the Magaguadavic district in this county. The greatest run of applications has been from Westmorland County, where the applicants are all after gold. From Albert County there has been a number of applications for licenses to search and prospect for plaster.

With the exception of Sherwood's corner, all the burnt districts of Centerville, Carleton Co. is now built again with larger and much handsomer buildings. H. B. White's second storey is for a hall which is much needed. It will accommodate a goodly number.

A sad fatality, by which the infant son of William Buchanan of the I. C. R. shops lost his life, occurred at Moncton, Oct. 20. Mr. Buchanan was preparing dinner, and had taken a pot of boiling soup off the stove to cool, and went into an adjoining room. In his absence the child crawled up to the pot and pulled it over, scalding itself so badly about the face, neck and body, as to cause death in two hours. The little one's mouth, nose, ears and eyes were filled with hot soup, and it died in terrible agony.

Diphtheria has made its appearance in several sections of Kings county, necessitating the closing of the public schools. The school at Mt. Hebron has been closed for several days, also the school at Cedar Camp. The disease is reported to be prevalent in several other sections.

The Campobello Island syndicate has sold the Owen hotel property to a syndicate represented by James W. Riches of Boston, for \$25,000. It is said. [Beacon.]

Harry H., son of Henry Cripps, New Line Road, met with a painful—and it is feared fatal—accident on Wednesday, 11th, partridge shooting his gun was accidentally discharged, with the result that the whole contents were lodged in his leg, shattering it in a terrible manner. Doctors Burnett and Pearson declared the patient too weak to stand an operation and fear a fatal termination. We learn that the leg has since been amputated. [Sussex Record.]

On Tuesday morning last about five o'clock a fire broke out in the rear of Atkinson's building on the Main Street of St. Marys directly opposite Fredericton. Owing to the want of water service nearly the whole village was burned to the ground. Walter McFarlane's new residence was saved with difficulty. The soap factory alone was left standing on the river side of the village. The large majority of buildings were pretty well insured, but S. Dayton who lost about \$3000 had only \$500 insurance. After the Gibson fire all the vacant houses in St. Marys were taken by sufferers from the Gibson fire, so that in the fire of Tuesday morning this year. There is great difficulty in getting houses for these homeless people even in Fredericton.

Chatham is moving in the direction of incorporation, a large and enthusiastic meeting was held for that purpose Saturday evening.

The prohibitionists of the maritime provinces held their annual convention last week at Sussex and a large number of prominent temperance men from different parts of New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, and P. E. Island were present. A largely attended and successful public meeting was held in the I. O. O. F. hall. Strong speeches were made by Messrs. C. E. Knapp, of Dorchester; Capt. Corbett, of Annapolis; J. T. Bulmer, of Halifax, and C. S. Chapman, of Amherst.

Friday morning Capt. Henry Stinson was drawing a pail of water from a tank in St. Andrews, where a number of the townspeople have been accustomed to get their water, and was startled to find floating on the surface of the water the body of an infant male child. Dr. Harry Gove made a post mortem examination of the child, and the conditions showed it was a child about four days old; that it had been born alive, and met its death by drowning, and it is presumed that the child had been in the water from the time almost immediately after its birth. The coroner's jury, after hearing the testimony, gave as their verdict that the child came to its death by being put in the tank and drowned by the hands of some person or persons unknown. An effort will be made to get at the bottom of this case and ascertain who are the parties guilty of so cold blooded a murder.

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#### Nova Scotia.

Alfred Ogden, ex-M. P. P., has been appointed superintendent of the fish hatchery at Bedford in place of A. B. Wilmot, who has been transferred to Georgian Bay.

The government steamer Newfield is disabled at Yarmouth. Three or her propeller blades were broken off by a sunken ledge or rock while she was attempting to turn.

A four year-old son of Roland Porter accidentally fell in a well at Sand Beach, Argyle, and was drowned.

The failure of Max. W. Cohn, Halifax is announced. Cohn's rating at all the mercantile agencies was only \$25,000, with limited credits. In the face of this the preferential claims amount to \$16,856.

An application is to be made for the release from Dorchester penitentiary of John David, sentenced by Judge Johnston of Halifax to six years for shooting at his wife with intent to kill. The application will be on a habeas corpus and will be conducted by J. T. Bulmer of Halifax.

At a public meeting of ratepayers of Truro, the following resolution was adopted: Resolved, that the Truro Electric Street Railway Co. be exempted from taxes for the term of ten years from date on the real estate necessary for the true working of the road, not to exceed \$10,000, and on their personal property; and that the town council be authorized to apply to the local legislature for power to grant such exemption.

V. Whitman of Nictaux Falls, N. S. has killed two bears, five ducks and 27 partridges in the last month.

Edward Thurber and Frank McNeill, of Freeport, went boat fishing Thursday in the Bay of Fundy. A small boat, which capsized. Thurber was drowned, but McNeill, being a good swimmer, kept above water until another boat, manned by two brothers named Sutherland, rescued him in a very exhausted condition. The body of Thurber and the boat have not yet been found. Deceased was aged 40; he leaves a wife and three small children.

Herbert A. Bevis, the three-year-old son of Samuel Bevis, died Saturday at Halifax from a terrible accident. The child with another was left playing in a room. The latter in play placed a lighted match under the clothing of young Bevis, who was soon enveloped in flames.

G. C. Miller of Middleton, N. S., is feeling rather proud of his record in plums this year. From the trees on one-fifth of an acre he has just gathered five hundred pecks, or at the rate of over six hundred bushels per acre. That is getting more plums from an acre of ground than he could raise of putatoes. The trees from which these plums were taken are seven years old, and this is the fourth year in succession they have borne.

While out hunting partridges at Hubbard's Cove, a youth named Thos. Hashman was shot in the leg by his three year old brother. While Hashman was killing a snake, the small boy was playing with the trigger of the gun.

If the hair is falling out and turning gray, the glands of the skin need stimulating and color-food, and the best remedy and stimulant is Hall's Hair Renewer.

#### Other Provinces.

There was a collision between two freight trains 90 miles East of Port Arthur Wednesday afternoon. A Brake-man Elliott and fireman were killed. Both trains, one of which was loaded with tea, were badly wrecked.

R. D. Greet, a mine, mineral and investment broker in Montreal, formerly book-keeper for Messrs Slater & Brother, boot and shoe manufacturers, has been arrested on a charge of embezzling \$16,000 from his former employers.

Fire broke out in the Canada Bank Note Company's building, Craig street Montreal, Thursday. The total loss on building, stock, etc., is estimated at \$150,000.

Sir Robert Thorburn, one of the late leaders of the opposition party in Newfoundland politics, has turned his coat and joined Sir Wm. Whiteway. He stands as the Whiteway candidate in Bonavista. He was leader in the movement against Whiteway's coercion bill.

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#### United States.

In New York, Wednesday, Judge Martin, sentenced Emma Goldman, anarchist, convicted of inciting to riot, to one year in the penitentiary. Judge Martin said: "You are a woman above ordinary intelligence, yet you testify you have no respect for our laws. There is no room for you in this community."

The Union block in Houlton was entirely destroyed by fire last week. The ground floor was occupied by five stories as lodge rooms and offices. The total loss will reach \$50,000; insurance \$25,000.

Later particulars of the accident on the Grand Trunk railway near Battle Creek, Mich., on Friday, show that Conductor Burt N. Scott, of the special train, received orders at Battle Creek to wait on the double track for the passage of the Pacific express, but Engineer Harry Woolley, of the special, ran into the special track and met the Pacific express about an eighth of a mile east of the double track. The first four passenger coaches on the Pacific were telescoped by the collision and the wreck took fire and was consumed before the fire department could get water on it. The injured were taken to the Nichols home. A careful research of the debris brought to light 26 heads of charred and blackened flesh, each supposed to be the remains of a human being. Of the twenty-six dead, twenty are unidentified. Scott and Woolley both have seen long service with the company and are regarded as model employees. Woolley was arrested. Scott is missing and is supposed to have gone to Port Huron. Woolley says Scott told him at the station that the Pacific express had gone through, and that the despatcher wanted them to get away. He said his fireman heard Scott tell him this, and says his train was standing still, through his having shut the throttle and reversed the engine. Woolley was held in \$3,000 bail for hearing on Monday. He is on the verge of mental and physical prostration.

There was nearly a riot in Lady Aberdeen's village of industries at the World's Fair Grounds, Chicago, caused by the attempt of about fifteen Irishmen to haul down the Union Jack floating from the tower of Blarney Castle in honor of Lord Arberdeen, governor general of Canada. They hauled the flag down once and the guards recovered it. Upon the second attempt a fight ensued between the guards and the Irishmen and their friends, which nearly developed into a riot. Three of the ringleaders were finally arrested.

Rev. Dr. Philip Schaff, regarded by many as the greatest living authority on exegesis and church history, died at New York, Oct. 20, of paralysis. He was born in Coire, Switzerland, January 1819, and came to this country in 1844. In 1870 he adopted the professorship of Sacred literature in Union theological seminary. In which work he was active until a short time before death when he retired as professor emeritus. The work for which he is best remembered was done in connexion with the American Bible revision committee. He was a prolific writer.

The sardine factories at Eastport are all running, many being compelled to work over night to attend to the supply of fish which arrived last week. A special from Georgetown, S. C., tells a terrible story of the devastation and death wrought by a hurricane in and around that city and on the adjacent sea islands. The entire water front of Georgetown was flooded and much damage done to merchandise stored in the warehouses. At Magnolia beach almost every house was washed away and thirteen white and six colored people drowned. A number escaped by taking refuge in trees.

A serious accident occurred at Ennington, Ill., Monday afternoon in which the entire business portion of the town was wrecked by a premature explosion of dynamite. Five persons were killed and five injured, two of whom cannot live. The explosion was caused by two well diggers, who were among the injured, who were filling gas pipe with dynamite and tampering it.

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#### British and Foreign.

The reception to the officers of the British fleet in port by the Italian officials, was very warm, and the exchange of courtesies exceeding cordial.

The strike of German coal miners in the Charleroi district ordered by the Knights of labor proves to be a fiasco, about 8,000 men quit work Monday and Wednesday 7,000 went back to the pits and at once went to work.

The Herald's correspondent in Quilo, Ecuador, writes under date of Sept. 22: Hundreds of families are dying in Southern Ecuador, owing to the famine caused by the failure of the coffee and cocoa crops.

Two thousand striking miners attacked the Sutton Heath collieries at St. Helens, County Lancaster, Thursday. They were driven off by the police after a severe struggle. Ten policemen and three miners were wounded severely and several more on each side received injuries.

Field Marshal McMahon, duke of Magenta, died Tuesday, 17th. Marie Edmonde Patrice Maurice McMahon was born at Autun in 1808. He received his military education at St. Cyr, and at the age of 19 was sub-lieutenant of the 4th Hussars. He fought and fought well wherever duty called him, and in 1858 was made field marshal. For six years he served as president of France and honestly administered the affairs of the country. Since 1879 he had lived in retirement.

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RICH—YET POOR.—Two little girls, Gertrude and Ethel Hedger, who are wards in chancery and heiresses to \$100,000 each, were recently arraigned as vagrants in a London police court. Their fortunes are so securely locked up in chancery that by no process of law can any of the money be obtained until the children are of age. They are at present practically destitute, and unable to procure decent surroundings, clothing or education.

TWO MORE GOLD MEDALS.—It must be gratifying to the manufacturers of "Sunlight" Soap to find their goods so splendidly appreciated in the Canadian market; and it must also be pleasing to them to receive the highest recognition at Canadian Exhibitions for the superior quality of their soap. At the recent Fall Shows held at London and Ottawa, "Sunlight" was awarded a Gold Medal, which brings their gold medal list up to 14. Added to this grand record is the important fact that "Sunlight" is used in Windsor Castle and in the Royal Laundries, and owing to the excellence of their soap, the manufacturers have been specially appointed soap makers to the Queen.

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A HEATHEN CONVERT.—In the *Missionary Chronicle* Dr. Griffith John gives the history of a Chinese convert named Tang. In his youth this man sought to become a Buddhist priest, but was prevented by the largeness of the entrance fee. Afterwards he began to attend the preaching of the missionaries, and was converted. His house was five miles from Hankow; but every Sabbath, for sixteen years, he attended the services, bringing with him an ever increasing number of neighbors whom he had influenced. By-and-by he was made a deacon, and became a preacher. But his business allowed him for a time to give only an hour a day to the work. His usefulness grew to be so evident that his brothers and other relatives resolved to set him free for it entirely; and now, being supported by them, he gives his whole time to the mission gratuitously.

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