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News of the Week.

New Brunswick.

Hirman McLeod, mail driver between English Settlement and Coles Island, was Sunday morning found dead by the side of the road, evidently having fallen out of the sleigh. Heart disease is supposed to be the cause of his death.

H. Paxton Baird's house and barn Woodstock were burned last week. The house was insured for \$1,000. The furniture was partially insured.

The Lobster Fisherman along the coast are making good sales of their catch of lobsters. Each of the crustacean over 10½ inches in length fetch the fishermen 14 cents, or \$14 per 100. The catch has not been a very large one.

The Petitcodiac River is at present frozen over at high water mark from the Moncton and Coverdale bridge to the bend, a distance of fully three quarters of a mile. This is almost an unprecedented occurrence, and has not happened since sometime in the vicinity of 75 years ago.

Two houses, owned by Starr Jewett and Fred Jewett, at Gibson, were burned Wednesday morning. No insurance.

The contract for the super-structure of the Woodstock Bridge has been given it is said, to the Canada Bridge Co. for \$42,500.

The St. John Customs House will, it is stated, be ready for occupancy April 1st.

G. N. Kilner died in this City on Thursday. He was 77 years old and had lived here over thirty years. His wife died two weeks ago.

There is not too much snow up river for good lumbering. The Cut on the Tobique this year will amount 17,000,000, divided as follows:—F. H. Hale, 4,000,000; R. A. Estey, 3,000,000; A. J. Beveridge, 3,000,000; Jas. McNair, 3,000,000. This gives an excess over the cut of last year of about 7,000,000.

Henry J. Fowler, of Hampton, has been appointed to the deputy registrarship in Kings county in the room of James W. Sproul.

Bounty cheques, amounting in the aggregate to about \$7,000, are in the hands of Capt. Pratt for distribution among the Charlotte county fishermen.

An assault, in which Mr. Alexander, of Douglastown, was considerably injured in Mr. Gibson's store at Blackville several weeks ago, was a subject of a complaint made before Police Magistrate Niven at Newcastle, who was settled a few days ago by Bernard McCormack paying about \$100 in behalf of himself, Bryan McCarty and others engaged in the affair.

Schooner Aurelia arrived in St. John Thursday from Grand Manan, with ten tons of fresh codfish and 30,000 frozen herring. The fish were caught two weeks ago. None have been captured since about Grand Manan.

In the case of Baptiste Theriault, convicted of shooting a man in Victoria county some months ago, the Supreme Court, on the application of Mr. Gregory, has authorized that the prisoner be admitted to bail before two Victoria county justices, and fixed the amount for the prisoner at \$2,000, and two more sureties aggregating \$2,000, the sureties to be approved by the clerk of the peace. The condition of bail is that Theriault appear at the September circuit court and take his trial upon the indictment already presented against him for murder. No judgment on points raised was delivered, but from the above order it is clear that Theriault will at least have a new trial.

A committee of the Fredericton Board of Trade has filed a petition with the city clerk praying that the council direct that a bill be drafted for presentation at the coming session of the Legislature to amend the city charter so as to provide for the election of one alderman in each of the five wards of the city and three aldermen for the city at large instead of two aldermen for each ward as at present.

Mr. George Calhoun, registrar of deeds for Albert County, died on Thursday, aged 80 years. He has held office since the county was set off from Westmorland in 1846.

Mr. F. W. Emerson, Petitcodiac, has been appointed probate Judge for Westmorland Co. in room of Mr. Oulton, deceased.

Nova Scotia.

A man named Theriault from Bathurst, who has been exhibiting a double headed calf in Nova Scotia became violently insane at Annapolis on Wednesday.

The gross earnings of the Windsor and Annapolis Railway for the nine months ending September 30th, 1893, amounted to \$234,100.03, an increase of \$1,756.28, over the same period in 1892.

To be justices of the peace—Jos. Lantz, New Ross, Lunenburg Co.; Wallace A. Parry, Bear River, Digby Co.; Albert W. Atkinson, Advocate

Harbor, Cumb. Co.; Alex. McKay, Dartmouth. To be made coroner—Dr. Jas. W. Clarke, Tatamagouche.

Marriages by license in Nova Scotia during 1893 numbered 1455. By banns 154. But the figures are incomplete. Could we not have a reasonably accurate series of statistics? It is stated that Roman Catholics do not make returns.

The Halifax city council on Friday appointed H. B. Banks license inspector for the ensuing year, nine to six over Mackasey, who has held the position for the past eight years. The number of licenses granted was much less than last year, the refusals being on various grounds.

The pulp mill at New Germany, N. S. began operations on last Wednesday. The machinery worked smoothly and the company are confident of success.

The province of Nova Scotia paid over 1,000 in the first nine months of last year as expenses in the Cameron poisoning case. J. C. H. Parker, one of the prosecuting counsel, received \$370. J. M. Owen, the other counsel was paid \$500, while Mr. A. E. McIntyre, analyst, of St. John, is down for \$200.

Dr. H. J. Fixott, St. Peter's, says: Have prescribed Putnam's Emulsion, and judging by results, heartily recommend it.

Other Provinces.

Wednesday night fire badly gutted the five story factory and storehouse of the James Morrison Brass Manufacturing Co., Toronto. Loss \$30,000 covered by insurance.

In the Charlottetown civic elections W. E. Dawson was returned for mayor.

An order in council has been passed re-establishing Prince Edward Island as a separate military district.

In Toronto, Friday, about 500 sober able-bodied unemployed men marched in procession to the city hall and requested Mayor Kennedy to provide them immediate work. Many declared their families were starving and they wanted to go to work next day and be paid for it the same night so they could buy a dinner for Sunday. The board of works met subsequently and authorized a special expenditure of \$5,000 to provide immediate work for the unemployed.

The deadliest disease in the province of Quebec is consumption. Consumption last year carried off over 8 per cent. of those of whose deaths the Provincial Board of Health has record. In all 1,483 persons, out of 18,556 who died, perished from some form of pulmonary wasting.

James Smith, of Norman Bay Newfoundland, went to Dilko in a punt to get food for his wife and family. On the homeward trip the boat capsized and he was drowned. He was aged 35.

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United States.

Reports from Oklahoma and Indian territory make it almost certain that at least 30 lives were lost during the great storm of last week. Many isolated homesteads where families are very poorly prepared for winter, cannot be heard from for days and possibly for weeks. In western and southwestern Kansas there is great suffering, and probably in more than one sad house dead bodies will some day be found.

Scores of cattle and horses perished and in the Osage and Kiowa reservations. The number of cattle will reach thousands.

Bath, Me., had another serious fire last week. Loss \$75,000.

San Antonio, Texas, had a \$100,000 fire on Tuesday of last week.

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British and Foreign.

The editorial staff of the Warsaw newspaper Glos and the staff of another newspaper were arrested Wednesday. There have been numerous domiciliary visits at Warsaw during the last few days owing to the discovery of an extensive nihilist society. A number of Catholic priests have been arrested on the charge of conducting an agitation for the liberation of the Poles.

The poison of a considerable number of military at the government buildings at Honolulu occurred on the evening of the 6th. The indications are

strong that the poisoning was intentional. All the cases were promptly relieved. The police have received a great variety of reports, all pointing to an incipient plot of arson and an insurrection.

The storm last week in Europe did much destruction. At Radeburg, Saxony, a scaffold upon which a number of men were working was blown down; four workmen were killed, and others were injured. At Senzlin, Mecklenburg Zsewerin, a house was blown down and the inmates buried in the ruins; seven children were killed. At Rinteln, Hesse Nassau, a tall chimney of a stove and glass works was blown over, and some bricks struck and killed three persons. A Senderburg, Island of Alsen, a bridge collapsed, and several persons on it were killed. At Luckenwalde, Brandenburg, a factory chimney was blown down. Ten workmen were killed and many injured. The storm was the most violent experienced in many years. Dozens of trees were uprooted in Thiergarten, this city. Several houses were demolished in Harburg and a number of persons were killed.

Yellow fever is on the increase in Rio De Janeiro. There were 60 deaths yesterday, in addition to 15 deaths from other fevers. The captain of an Austrian warship died and there are a number of cases on board the same ship. The American warships only communicate with the shore by means of a hired tug. The British warship Racer has some cases of fever on board and the merchant vessels are reported to have several members of their crews sick with suspicious symptoms.

The weather in Australia during the present antipodean summer has been unusually hot and oppressive. In Adelaide, during December, the thermometer several times registered over 100 degrees in the shade, and one day climbed to 107 in the shade and 163 in the sun. In Melbourne, the hundred notch has been reached more than once, and the scorching north winds have made the atmosphere exceedingly oppressive. The foregoing figures are from weather observatory readings, and do not represent, by several degrees, the temperature of the city streets.

On Thursday an ice floe broke adrift from the coast of Ingermanland, province of St. Petersburg, and carried off many fishermen and their families. More than 500 persons are said to be in danger. Persons along the coast are making every effort to rescue them.

A terrible disaster has occurred at Kiel, owing to the explosion of a steam pipe on board the German ironclad Brandenburg. Forty-six of the crew are said to have been killed, a large number are reported wounded and many are missing.

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From the Ottawa Free Press.

Mr. R. Ryan, who is well known in Ottawa and vicinity, having been until recently a merchant of this city, relates an experience that cannot fail to prove interesting to all our readers. It is well-known to Mr. Ryan's acquaintances that he has been almost totally deaf since twelve years of age, and that some time ago this affliction was made still more heavy by a stroke of partial paralysis. Recently it has been noticed that Mr. Ryan has been cured of these troubles, and a reporter thinking that his story would be of benefit to the community requested permission to make it public, and it was given by Mr. Ryan as follows:—

"In the fall of 1883, when I was about twelve years of age, I caught a severe cold in the head, which gradually developed into deafness, and daily became worse, until in the month of July, 1884, I had become totally deaf, and was forced on account of this to leave school. The physician whom I consulted informed me that my deafness was incurable, and I concluded to bear my ailments as well as I could. In 1889 I started a store about two miles from Calumet Island, Que., but not being able to converse with my patrons on account of my deafness, I found it almost impossible to make business a success. However,

things were getting a little brighter until last April when I took a severe pain, or rather what appeared to be a cramp, in my right leg below the knee. I was then doing business in Ottawa, having come to the city from the place above mentioned. At first I gave no heed to the pain, thinking it would disappear; but on the contrary it grew worse, and in the course of a few weeks I had to use a cane and could scarcely bear any weight on my leg. I continued to go about this way for two weeks, when a similar cramp attacked my left arm, and in less than two weeks, in spite of all I could do for it, I could not raise the arm four inches from my body and I found that the trouble was partial paralysis. Judge my condition—a leg and an arm useless, and deaf besides. Being able to do nothing else, I read a great deal and one day noticed in one of the city papers of a man being cured of paralysis by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I immediately began the use of Pink Pills and before I had finished the third box I noticed a curious sensation in my leg, and the pain began to leave it excepting when I endeavored to walk. Well the improvement continued, gradually extended to my arm, and by the time I had completed the seventh box my leg and arm were as well as ever, and my general health was much better. And now comes a stranger part of my experience. I began to wonder why people who were conversing with me would shout so loud. Of course they had always had to shout owing to my deafness, but I was under the impression that they were beginning to shout much louder. After having bade them 'speak lower' several times, I enquired why they still persisted in shouting, or rather yelling at me, and was surprised to be informed that they were not speaking as loud as formerly. This led to an investigation and judge my joy when I found that Pink Pills were curing the deafness which was supposed to have been caused by my catarrh. I continued the Pink Pills for a month and a half longer, and I now consider myself perfectly cured after having been deaf for ten years. I can hear ordinary conversation and am fit for business, though I am yet a little dull of hearing, but this is not deafness, it is simply dullness, the result of my ten years inability to hear conversations, which still leaves me with an inclination not to heed what is being said. But I am all right and you may say from me that I consider Dr. Williams' Pink Pills the best medicine known to man, and that I shall be forever indebted to them for my renewed health and strength.

Newspaper ethics usually prevent the publication in the news columns of anything that might be construed as an advertisement, and thus much valuable information is suppressed that might prove of incalculable benefit to thousands. The praise of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills should be sung throughout the land, they should be familiar in every household, and newspapers should unite in making them so. An analysis shows that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills contain in a condensed form all the elements necessary to give new life and richness to the blood and restore shattered nerves. They are an unfailing specific for such diseases as locomotor ataxia, partial paralysis, St. Vitus' dance, sciatica, neuralgia, rheumatism, nervous headache, the after effects of la grippe, palpitation of the heart, nervous prostration, all diseases depending on vitiated humors in the blood, such as scrofula, chronic erysipelas, etc. They are also a specific for troubles peculiar to females, such as suppressions, irregularities, and all forms of weakness. They build up the blood, and restore the glow of health to pale and sallow cheeks. In men they effect a radical cure in all cases arising from mental worry, overwork, or excesses of any nature. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are manufactured by the Dr. Williams Medicine Company, Brockville, Ont., and Schenectady, N. Y., and are sold only in boxes (never in loose form by the dozen or hundred, and the public are cautioned against numerous imitations sold in this shape) at 50 cents a box, or six boxes for \$2.50, and may be had of all druggists or direct by mail from Dr. Williams Medicine Company, from either address.



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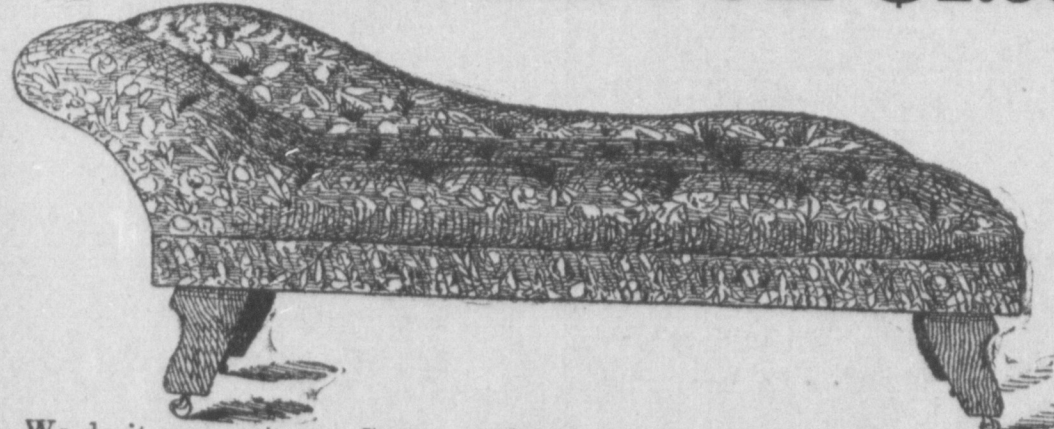
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