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News of the Week.

New Brunswick.

Moncton has had a grave-yard insurance case. A man named McAnn is charged with having secured policies amounting to \$9000 on lives that ought not to have been insured.

The New Brunswick Board of Health asks the government to provide it with means to secure a supply of anti-toxine the new remedy for diphtheria.

Moncton Y. M. C. A. are endeavoring to raise \$10,000 to partially relieve their building from debt. Half the amount is now pledged.

The Moncton Water Co., refusing to abide by the award of the arbitrators, the city will drop the negotiations to acquire the company's property and seek legislation to build new works.

James G. Forbes the well known St. John barrister has been appointed County Judge. Mr. Forbes is a native of Guysboro County, Nova Scotia.

Kent county is coming forward rapidly as a cheese producing county. A factory to cost \$1,200 will be erected this spring near Richibucto. Two hundred cows have been promised.

Smelt fishing on the Miramichi river continues good. Large catches are being made every day. The fish are shipped over the Canada Eastern railway and on to New York and Boston.

The granite works near St. George, Charlotte Co., will be opened in a few days. Business was very poor with them last year, but the different firms are looking for something better this year. It is stated that a company will operate this year at or near Cocoboc, where there is a valuable deposit of black granite.

Mr. Geo. Slipp of Lower Queensbury, one of the most extensive raisers of pork in the county, brought 36 hundred weight to Fredericton, one day last week. There is a great deal of pork coming to market just now and quick sales are made at 7 1/2 cents.

A handsome new printing press was placed in Archibald's building, at Moncton, Jan. 21, at the instance of H. T. Stevens, late of H. T. Stevens & Co., which managed the Times newspaper. It is understood a new daily will issue from this office at an early date.

The annual meeting of the New Brunswick Dairying Co. (Ltd) was held at Kingsclear Monday President Dykeman reported that the creamery had cleared expenses, but there was no surplus to pay a dividend to the stockholders. Nine and one third tons of butter were made during the season, giving a revenue of \$823.90 and the expenditure was \$823.24. The average price, after deduction of freight, discounts and commissions, was about 20 1/2 cents per pound.

A petition signed by all the residents and parties doing business at Apohaqui has been sent to the general manager of the L. C. R. asking that the Quebec express be stopped when signalled. As the morning express for Halifax is the only express going east of Sussex that stops at Apohaqui this will be a great convenience for the travelling public.

The town elections were held at St. Stephen, Jan. 23, but there was no contest in any ward. F. M. Murchie is mayor for the next year. T. R. Mitchell and D. Regan are councillors for Queens ward; Isaiah Bridges and J. T. Whitlock for Kings ward; J. A. Byrd and Hugh Love for Dukes ward. The assessors are L. A. Mills, T. K. McGeechey and John Lochary.

Judge Stevens, revising barrister, has completed his revision of the electoral lists of Charlotte and Carleton counties. The total number of names on the new list for Charlotte county is 6,232 being an increase of 56 over the 1891 revision. The number added was 880 and the number struck off 824. A little over one-half of this number is made up of removers; the balance is due to deaths. In 18 districts in this county there was an increase of 220 names, and in 16 districts a decrease of 164 names. In Carleton county 1,149 names were added and 1,252 struck off, making the total number 103 less than at the previous revision. The whole number of voters in Carleton is 6,177 this year.

Look Here.

Do you feel blue and despondent? Do pains rack and tear away at nerve and muscle, and have you been disappointed in finding a remedy that will afford certain and speedy relief? If so, go at once to any drug store and buy a bottle of Polson's Nerviline. Polson's Nerviline never fails to relieve neuralgia, cramps, headache, rheumatism, and all internal or external pains. J. B. Carman, druggist, Morrisburg, writes: "All the parties I supply speak very favorable of Nerviline, and always purchase a second lot." Polson's Nerviline is sold in bottles at 25 cents—by all druggists and country dealers everywhere.

Nova Scotia.

J. M. Owen, barrister, has been appointed Judge of Probate for Annapolis County.

James G. Foster, Halifax, has resigned the position of registrar of probate, and has been appointed Judge of Probate. H. T. Jones has been appointed Registrar of Probate.

The Imperial military authorities at Halifax are very much exercised over the disappearance of Pay Sergeant Balham and Corporal Hotson, of the Royal Engineers, and with them some \$3,000 of military funds. The sum stolen included money which was entrusted to Balham to pay the accounts of the regiment. The accounts of a number of merchants against the Royal Engineers, which were believed to have been paid, are still unsettled.

The Financial Times, in speaking of the Chignecto railway matter, says: "It calls for most careful consideration. In view of a failure to provide capital and general distrust as to the feasibility of the scheme the government would do well to think twice before renewing their offer."

For the past three days work at Springhill mines, has been interfered with by a series of daily minor disasters in the pit. There have been several bad falls of the roof, shutting off work until the clearance had been effected. One distressing accident was the result of one of these falls, an Italian named Christmas was severely crushed about the head and body and he died in two days from the injuries he received.

Wm. Cook, aged 22, steward on the schr. Carrie C. W., which is fitting out for the seal fishery in the Pacific, was fatally crushed between the wharf and the vessel repairing a fender broken during Sunday night's storm. He lived a few hours only.

Owing to heavy northerly winds during the last four or five days the first drift ice of the season arrived in the strait of Canso. Hawkesbury harbor, which is always clear of ice in mid-winter, is now completely filled and will probably remain so until spring.

OTTAWA, February 21st.

MESSRS. PUTNER EMULSION CO., of Halifax, N. S., Gentlemen—I have been troubled with weakness of the lungs and general debility during the past two years, so much so as to cause me considerable anxiety, and hearing that your EMULSION was highly recommended by the medical and other reliable authorities, I concluded to give it a fair trial. I have taken about seven of your fifty-cent bottles, and now find that my general health is much improved, my lungs and chest are a great deal stronger, and I have increased in weight twelve pounds, and feel pleased to be able to thus testify to the merits of your excellent EMULSION, which I can heartily recommend to all who are similarly afflicted. R. T. ALLEN, next door to MacCarthy's drug store, Ottawa.

Other Provinces.

The Department of Marine and Fisheries at Ottawa has been notified by its agent at Victoria, B. C., that up to 15th inst., twenty Canadian schooners have cleared for the seal fisheries, nineteen for the Japan side and one for the British Columbia coast.

R. G. Dunn & Co. report 59 failures in Canada this week, against 55 last year.

Mr. Tyrrell, of the Dominion geological survey department, has declined the offer of the Arctic exploration which is being organized for next spring in the United States.

The imports of Canada for last December were valued at \$235,720 more than those of the same month in 1894. But they paid \$40,688 less duty.

At Glenwilliams, Ont., Jan. 20th, Albert Turner, a tailor, while escorting a young lady home from church, was approached from behind and struck two terrific blows on the head by an unknown man. Turner has been unconscious ever since and will die. A warrant is out for the arrest of Joseph McMaster on suspicion.

The coroner's jury in the case of Mrs. Hannah Moore, at Windsor Mills, Ont., who, crazed with Christian Science doctrines, took her child and jumped into St. Francis river on Sunday night, brought in a verdict declaring such doctrines pernicious and dangerous, and that the woman had met her death in consequence of mental worry caused thereby, and while temporarily insane.

Timothy Healy, addressing a meeting at Kings' on Thursday night, exhorted his hearers to respect the memory of Lord Churchill. He declared that Lord Randolph had been a good friend to Ireland. Mr. Healy denounced the Redmondites as having fallen into a state of putrefaction. He declared against subservience to an English Parliament, and suggested some reunion to exclude Tories from the Dublin seats in the House of Commons. Upon leaving the Town Hall Mr. Healy was greeted with groans by a large crowd that had assembled outside. During the progress of the meeting the police were twice compelled to interfere to stop fighting.

After a week of intense excitement the great libel trial of Senator Ferguson vs. The Patriot Publishing Company of Charlottetown, P. E. I., ended in a drawn battle. The trial showed gross mismanagement in the land office under Ferguson, but personal responsibility was not proven. False issues of the Royal Gazette, involving titles of 3,000 farmers were proved to have been smuggled into the land office. Ferguson pleaded ignorance owing to the pressure of work. In taking part in federal politics and in other ways he neglected his duties as provincial minister. The Patriot escapes without

damages. The jury divided—four to three—and were dismissed Saturday morning.

Fruit culture is more profitable to the farmer now than his other crops. Brown Bros. Co., the most extensive nursery house in Canada, have a vacancy in this section. Write them at Toronto, Ont. for their terms.

United States.

A freight train on the Sanbury and Lewiston railway ran into a sleighing party at Kreamer station Friday morning. Two persons were instantly killed and a dozen others wounded—four of them seriously. The driver, was literally ground to pieces under the wheels. His father, was sitting on the seat. His skull was crushed and his body was found on the pilot. Lawyer A. W. Fetter had both arms crushed. Miss Mollie Buras, aged eight had her right leg so badly crushed that it was amputated at the knee. Miss Lottie Eby had both legs severely injured. Mrs. Charles Ulrich was injured about the spine. Not one of the party escaped without a bruise of some kind.

The worst storm for five years is raging in the Sierras and threatens to repeat the great railroad snow blockade of 1889. Hard packed snow lies from thirty to fifty feet deep in the railroad cuts, while on the level at the summit of the Sierras it measures twenty feet. On the line to Oregon every train for a week has been from ten to fifteen hours behind time. The worst part of the Central Pacific is the Truckee division and at Emigrant Gap and Blue Canon the snow lies so deep that tunnels will soon have to be dug to reach windows and doors.

Harold Johnson, Arthur W. Ewell and Alexander Middleton, three Yale students, attempted to run things at a fire at New Haven, Conn., and were arrested by the police. The fire lines were cut by the students, and when the police remonstrated, a short but decisive battle ensued between the police and the students. One of the latter was clubbed over the head and the three ringleaders were arrested. One of the officers was thrown down by the students and one of the police badly hurt.

A man having the appearance of a countryman and giving his name as John Sheffield of Manchester N. Y., entered police headquarters at Jersey City, on Tuesday and said he had just got the best of a green goods man at Taylor's hotel. The green goods man, he said, took a roll of bills from the inside pocket of his overcoat when they were in a bedroom together and threw it on the bed, saying: "That is the kind of stuff we are dealing in." Sheffield examined the money and saw it was genuine. He then struck the green goods man with a black jack, knocking him down. He grabbed the money from the bed and ran down stairs. Chief Murphy held Sheffield on a charge of carrying concealed weapons and took possession of the roll of bills, which amounted to \$1,600.

The recent extraordinary exposures made in Chicago regarding the stealing from the Associated Press by means of wire tapping has resulted in a movement to prevent theft of news in the future by this means. A bill has been introduced which has been referred to the committee on interstate commerce. Any person who shall wrongfully tap or connect a wire with the telegraph or telephone wires of any other person, company or association engaged in the transmission of news over telegraph or telephone lines between the states for the purpose of wrongfully taking or making use of the news despatches of such person, company or association, or its customers, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$2,000 or imprisonment not exceeding two years, or both fine and imprisonment.

The Children's Enemy.

Scrofula often shows itself in early life and is characterized by swellings, abscesses, hip diseases, etc. Consumption is scrofula of the lungs. In this class of diseases Scott's Emulsion is unquestionably the most reliable medicine.

British and Foreign.

The British steamer Recurial, from Cardiff for Fiume, has been wrecked off Port Reath. The ship went to pieces and only seven of a crew of nineteen were saved.

A despatch to the Times from Tien Tsin says that the Chinese met the head advance guard of the Japanese army near Yung Chang bay, on Thursday, and repulsed them. Some of the Japanese were killed. It is believed that the Japanese will bring a larger force before making another attack. A Peking despatch to the Times states that Wang Wen Strao, ex-viceroy of Yunnan, has been appointed to assist Li Hung Chang in the superintendence of trade, thus further curtailing Chang's functions.

The mortality in the recent earthquake in Kuchan, Persia, was very great. Some 800 persons were entombed in a mosque and 600 persons in various baths, and many were buried to death. The survivors suffered terribly from cold and want, neither food nor water being obtainable for three days. Not a single building in the city is standing.

SUNDRIES.—Russia raises \$1,500,000 a year by the sale of passports. Finland is the least taxed country in Europe. The total tax amounts to only four dollars per head of the population. Scotland has over one hundred deer forests. In the Sicilian sulphur mines 21,000 workers are employed under ground. The song of the nightingale can be heard a mile distant.

In all of Persia there are only twenty miles of railroad. A locomotive lasts fifteen years, and earns about \$300,000. The longest clock pendulum ever made is that of Eiffel tower—377 feet. Venice is built on eighty islands. The average life of a ship is about twenty-six years. Milan Cathedral will contain 37,000 persons. Rain falls in the Andes about once in seven years. No unvaccinated person is allowed to vote in Norway. Buddhism is represented by about a dozen newspapers. There are as many different dialects spoken in China as in all Europe. British vessels at sea number 5,000. Over three-fourths of the voting strength of Minnesota and Wisconsin is foreign. In times of war the armies of European nations can be raised to 6,356,000 men, and the daily expenses will be nearly \$20,000,000. Over 1,000,000 French women were made widows and over 3,000,000 children were made fatherless by Napoleon's campaign. Each human ear has four bones. The weight of a silver dollar is 412 1/2 grains; that of a \$20 gold piece is 516 grains. Camphor grows on trees in Japan. Kangaroos have been known to jump thirty-four feet. The total value of property in France is \$40,000,000,000.

KEEPING AWAY FROM CHURCH.—Annoyances must not keep us from church, while we should, indeed, strive to keep our churches free from annoyances. We should generally regard every one else as the possible weakling who must be shielded from annoyance by our considerate care, while we think of ourselves as the heroic one who braves all such trifles as mere nothing, not worthy to be mentioned. Selfish persons are most likely to be annoyed, as though everything which does not fit into their own peculiar conception of ease and comfort were meant as a direct insult to them, only second to the suggestion that other people ought not to be annoyed that they may be unable to think of anything left undone or unchanged to minister to their own satisfaction or caprice. Lutheran.

A RELIGIOUS CENSUS.—The Halifax Sunday School association has taken the religious census of this city. The work was done by three hundred and twenty-three visitors with the concurrence and endorsement of Archbishop O'Brien. The following is the result of the enumeration: Adults, 21 and over; Catholics, 5,542; Protestants, 9,798; total, 15,340; persons 4 to 20: Catholics, 3,421; Protestants, 7,329; total, 10,799; under 4 years: Catholics, 725; Protestants, 1,670; total, 2,395; regular church attendance: Catholics, 5,141; Protestants, 13,783; total, 18,924; not attending church: Catholics, 371; Protestants, 1,567; total, 2,948; attending Sunday school: Catholics, 1,266; Protestants, 5,212; total 5,478; not attending Sunday school: Catholics, 1,426; Protestants, 4,200; total, 5,716.

A CHALLENGE.—In addressing the Parliament of Religions at Chicago, Joseph Cook, looking around upon the representatives of heathenism there, asked: "Is there any provision in your religion to wash out the crimson spot on Lady Macbeth's right hand?" A deep and universal silence followed when Mr. Cook spoke again: "In our Bible is written, 'Come, now, let us reason together, saith the Lord; though your sins be as scarlet, they shall be white as snow; though they be red like crimson, they shall be as wool.'"

PHOTOGRAPHY IN MURDER CASES.—Science is putting many obstacles in the way of crime. It has long been held that the eyes of a murdered person contain evidence that should lead to the discovery of the assassin. This theory has been lately put to test in New York State and with most satisfactory results. A woman was murdered at Youngstown lately, but no clue could be obtained as to the identity of her slayer. A photograph taken from the retina of the eye disclosed the indistinct figure of a man, but another impression is to be taken, from which better results are expected. The time is coming when as soon as murder is committed the detectives will simply require to examine the eyes of the victim and, on their testimony, bring the criminal to justice.

BUSINESS APHORISMS.—Carlyle wasn't a man of business, but he would have made a success of it, had he tried it. In his writings one finds these lines of solid business truth: A laugh is worth a hundred groans in any market. Have a smile for all, a pleasant word for everybody. To succeed, work hard, earnestly and incessantly. All honest men will bear watching. It is the rascals who cannot stand it. Better have the window empty than filled with unreasonable and unattractive goods. When you hang a sign outside your place of business, let it be original in design and of good quality. Wondrous is the strength of cheer-

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Things in Short Metre.

—The Suez Canal is only 88 miles long but it reduces the distance from England to India by sea nearly 4,080 miles.

The Empress of Austria is said to have beaten the record in regard to being a juvenile grandmother, for she was only 36 when her first grandchild was presented to her.

The United States pension disbursements in Maine amount to \$5 apiece for every man, woman and child in the state, and pension cheques form about the only currency in certain remote and inactive hamlets.

—General Booth, asked by a newspaper interviewer: "Do you think the millennium will come if the whole world is converted to the Salvation Army?" replied: "It would be very near at hand. If the newspaper men were converted it would be a very long step in that direction."

When a Hindoo gets religious he leaves the world and seeks some secluded spot where he can step meditating with other people's business and meditate himself into heaven. Sitting day after day in one position, he gradually loses the use of his limbs, his body becomes covered with hair, his nails grow to claws, and he becomes a bear. We have known some people here in America to get religious, come into the church, sit down, and remain sitting until they were overtaken with the same fate.

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"Somebody has discovered the curious fact that the reluctance of women to tell their age is no piece of modern sensitiveness. It is as old as the hills. In the Old Testament, although great numbers of women are mentioned, there is but one—Sarah, Abraham's wife—whose age is recorded.

The most finished negro scholar in the world to-day, according to the Boston *Transcript*, is Edward Wilmot Blyden, who represented Liberia at the Court of St. James. He is a valued contributor to many English magazines, is a linguist of pronounced ability, and is one of the most profound thinkers the negro race has yet produced. He is the author of a work entitled "Christianity, Islam, and the Negro Race," which has had two editions in London. Dr. Blyden is a pure negro, without a trace of white blood in his veins.

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Express for Halifax, 13.50
Express for Quebec and Montreal, 16.30
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