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News of the Week.

New Brunswick.

The St. John board of health inspectors have just completed a tour of the residences in the entire city and report that there are in St. John 8078, persons who have not been vaccinated.

John McLellan met with a serious accident at Richmond Corner, C. Co. the other day. He was assisting in raising a barn and when twenty feet from the ground fell, breaking his skull.

Captain John S. Barker, the oldest resident of York county, died at his home at Kingsclear, Tuesday, in the 103rd year of his age.

John Mackay, the tea merchant, St. John, has been arrested on a charge of perjury. The information was sworn to by F. W. Dimock of Halifax, who with Mr. Mackay had a serious of lawsuits about two years ago. It is charged that while Mr. Mackay was in financial difficulties, and being sued, he made a declaration of his affairs, in which he said he had sold certain diamonds to a pawnbroker in Boston. The information charges that he had not sold the diamonds. Mackay has been admitted to bail.

Tuesday evening, fire was discovered in the hay loft in the barn belonging to the Depot house, Sussex, and but for the prompt work of the fire brigade the hotel and all the valuable buildings to the east of it, including the sheriff's residence and the Dominion building, would have been destroyed.

Last week, at Lower Coverdale, Albert Co. a house owned by Dr. E. O. Steeves, was totally destroyed. The loss is estimated at $2,500, insured for $1,500.

Burglars entered the store of Chas. E. Gallagher at Bath, N. B., one night last week, and carried away a quantity of goods. There is no clue to the robbers.

On Monday of last week a serious fire occurred at Victoria Corner, C. Co. The Woodstock Dispatches says it originated from a flue burning out in Mr. Oldbright's house. Sparks carried the fire to Oscar Thistle's barn, and soon his whole establishment was enveloped in flames. Across the street was the F. C. B. church, a large and modern structure, which next caught fire and in a short time was demolished. From the church the flames spread to the house occupied by Edward White. This also was destroyed. Mrs. Moses Boyer's residence was the next to catch on fire. Two unoccupied houses owned by G. W. Boyer were also destroyed. The wind was blowing a hurricane, sparks blew across the river and set fire to three barns belonging to Alex. Nevers, which were burned to the ground. Oscar Thistle was badly burned. He went into his barn to get out his cows. His hands and body were fearfully burned, and it is feared he may not recover. Very little furniture was saved in any case. Mrs. Boyer's piano was saved by cutting a hole through the building and carrying it out.

Now that the Carleton Co., orchardists are examining their fruit trees they find that very serious damage has been done in many places by the ravages of mice. The nursery stock too has suffered, the bark having been nibbled off the stems about four inches up.

The pier of the steel railway bridge which was moved by the ice-run has been replaced and all the damage repaired.

Capt. John Johnston, of North End, St. John, dropped dead in the store of Mrs. R. Farmer, on Tuesday.

The work on the foundation of the new canning factory on King street, this city, has been started, and will be pushed forward rapidly.

Over one thousand head of cattle have passed through Moncton last week en route to Halifax for shipment to England.

By fire on their farm at Centreville a few days ago, Messrs. Elijah and Somerville Hawkins lost seventeen pigs two hogs, one hundred and fifty bushels of seeds oats, clover and other seeds, and other things worth about $200. No insurance.

Two little girls, aged 7 and 3 respectively, children of Mr. John McCavour St. John, were drowned at Gondola Point on Friday. They went for a drive with Mr. John P. Wells, whose business took him to Rothesay and beyond. Arriving at Gondola Point he drove the horse into a shed there and went out to ring the bell, leaving the children sitting in the carriage. While he was at the bell the horse backed out of the shed and started toward the river bank. Under the bank was a large pond, and into this horse and carriage went, the carriage turning over. The children perished almost immediately. The horse was drowned. The bodies of the children were recovered and taken to the city that evening.

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Nova Scotia.

About three hundred and fifty ladies voted in the mayoralty election in Halifax last Wednesday.

The County of Colchester has four road-making machines.

Truro taxes come up to the respectable figure of $34.081. Schools take $8,250. This is the heaviest item in the budget.

Mr. Wm. Currey, barrister of Windsor, N. S., died quite suddenly on Sunday. He was 43 years of age.

Subscription Lists have been opened at the different branches of the Bank of Nova Scotia in aid of Miss Stirling's home for destitute immigrant children at Hillfort Farm. Aylesford, N. S., which has recently been destroyed by fire. This is a most praiseworthy charity which should be supported by philanthropic people every-where, more especially when such a calamity has overtaken it.

Robert Ripley, an elderly man living at Maccan, N. S., fell down stairs some time Saturday night, and sustained such injuries that death ensued a few hours later.

John Failes, of Amherst, a carpenter had his hand badly mutilated Tuesday. The thumb was completely severed from the hand.

David McPherson was elected mayor of Halifax on Wednesday, over James C. Mackintosh, by a majority, of 140.

John T. Bulmer, barrister, Halifax, gained a victory in the supreme court last week in his case against Chief of Police O'Sullivan, Deputy Chief Nickerson, Sergeants Collins and Baker and seven policemen for false arrest and imprisonment, the jury giving judgment to the amount of $700 and costs against the deputy chief and the policemen and letting the chief and sergeants off. The costs will bring the amount to over $2,000.

A 13 year old son of Capt. Powell, at Pictou Landing, intended to go out shooting Wednesday afternoon. There were two guns in the house, one loaded, the other empty. It is supposed that young Powell took the loaded gun and putting it across his shoulder started to go out of the house. His sister, 18 years of age, was behind him, and a few seconds after placing the gun on his shoulder it went off, shooting the girl and killing her instantly.

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Other Provinces.

A Calgary despatch says a sad drowning accident occurred in Bow river Monday. Mrs. Johnston, of Winnipeg while walking on the ice with a lady companion walked into an open hole. The current being strong she was immediately carried under the ice.

The Orangemen of Winnipeg will hold a great celebration on the 12th of July. It is anticipated there will be 4,000 Orangemen in line.

Robert McEachren, 23, of Afton Road, Charlottetown, P. E. I., suicided Wednesday, cutting his throat with a razor.

Thos. McGreevy has been declared elected for Quebec West, on a recount, by seven majority. McGreevy was expelled from the House of Commons a few years ago.

The following is the catch for the sealing vessels which arrived in the channel last week: Charming Lass, 1,100; Amazon, 1,170; May Queen, 800; United Brothers, 830; Evelyn, 1,300; Van, 600; Candid, 600, Maggie A. 1 200; Old Harps, Riesover, of Burgeo, 1,400. The Caroline Silver, Albert F. and Annie May have been crushed in the ice.

James Wright, of Cape Traverse, P. E. I, has been annoyed the past month with darting pains in the palm of his hand. He had the palm split open a few days ago, and the doctor took therefrom a rusty brass pin an inch and a half long. The pin penetrated his hand 10 years ago.

The Newfoundland legislature met Wednesday and the confederation delegates presented a formal declaration that the Canadian government is still considering the proposals submitted by the representatives of Newfoundland and that therefore it would be impossible to present a full report of the proceedings of the conference until further information was received.

The delegates recommended that the legislature adjourn for two weeks in order to receive a final answer from Canada. This recommendation was adopted.

The tobacco factory of W. C. McDonald, Montreal, was destroyed by fire Wednesday. About 800 were employed, half of them women and girls. The fire caught in one of the upper stories, and it worked down so rapidly that no doubt death came to a few in the attempt to escape. The fire escapes were defective, and it was with the greatest difficulty that the fire was prevented from being even more appalling. Windows were broken, and men, woman and young girls sprang for their lives. About a dozen were injured so badly that they had to be taken to hospitals with broken legs, arms and ankles. Two girls, named Fortin and Brauthamp, died from injuries received. Five persons are believed to have been burned to death, it is impossible to get the exact figures. The factory, built at a cost of $250,000 is a complete wreck, and the machinery and stock pretty well destroyed. The loss is estimated from half to three-quarters of a million.

The Newfoundland government has decided to adopt a policy of strict economy. It will abolish the St. John's municipal council, the government engineers department, the fisheries commission, special road grants, grants for ocean mail service and perquisites to government officials. A reduction of 10 per cent. will be made in the salaries of all government employes who received under $1,000 per year, while a cut of 20 per cent. will be made in salaries above that amount. A legislative commission will be appointed to reduce the membership of the legislative assembly one-third, and the executive council will be abolished. Economies will also be effected in other directions. It is expected that this scheme will effect a saving of $300,000 yearly to the colony.

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United States.

Lyttle, Texas, and a strip of country five miles wide was completely devastated by a terrible hailstorm. The damage to the corn and cotton crops alone is estimated at $50,000, and the damage to buildings will amount to not less than $150,000.

The Hotel Belvere, Boston, a new six story, unoccupied apartment house on the Bay State Road, near Beacon street, was badly wrecked by fire, Friday morning. Loss $50,000

Seven Polanders at work clearing land in the town of Wild Rose, Wisconsin, were burned to death, their shanty catching fire. The men had been carousing on Sunday with a number of kegs of beer.

Two thousand tailors in New York were out on strike Tuesday morning for higher wages. Some 2,000 women, girls and boys, whose work depends upon the strikers, are thrown out of employment.

Wednesday morning fire broke out on Broad street, Bangor, in a house occupied by H. F. Bailey, dealer in hay, grain etc. The building was destroyed. The loss on the building is $2 500; partially insured. Bailey's loss is $3,000 insured. Two horses were burned to death.

How to get "Sunlight Books."

Send 12 "Sunlight" Soap wrappers, to Lever, Bros., Ltd., 43 Scott St. Toronto who will send postpaid a paper-bound book, 160 pages. For 6 "Lifebuoy" Carbolic Soap wrappers, a similar book will be sent. This is a splendid opportunity to obtain good reading. Send your name and address written carefully. Remember "Sunlight" sells at 6 cts. per twin-bar, and "Lifebuoy" at 10 cts. One cent postage will bring your wrappers by leaving the ends open.

British and Foreign.

A violent earthquake, accompanied with thunder, shook Laibach, Austria, Monday afternoon. Eight of ten buildings collapsed.

The Russian government has sent a note to Japan intimating that there are various conditions in the treaty of peace between Japan and China that Russia cannot allow to be put into effect.

The London *Daily News* says: "We understand the government will not join any combination of European powers to interfere with the result of the Japanese victories. While the ministers are willing and anxious to avert war, they do not regard British interests as affected by the terms of peace."

Isaac Pitman, inventor of the shorthand system, died at Bath, Eng., Saturday, aged 82 years.

An explosion occurred recently in a coal pit at Denny, near Stirling, Scotland. There were 177 men in the pit at the time of the explosion, 13 of whom were killed.

The Hungarian towns of Mosrir, Kutez, Vilova and Rudolphsgred were nearly destroyed by floods and many persons and hundreds of cattle drowned. The damage is nearly 10,000,000 florins.

A Tokio special says Japan is amazed at the aggressive combination of Russia, France and Germany against the carrying out of the treaty with China. The Japan cabinet was in consultation yesterday over this new phase of the situation. The coalition of Japan and England is possible.

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.

SUICIDE IN ENGLAND. — Statistics show that more men than women commit suicide in the proportion of three males to one female. This proportion holds good generally in all countries. In both men and women the greatest number of cases occur between 45 and 55 years of age. There are more cases of suicide of girls than of boys under 15: but between 15 and 20 the number of males guilty of the deed slightly exceeds that of females. While in England in 1893, 248 men killed themselves by shooting, only 3 women resorted to this method of procuring death. The favourite last recourse of women are poisoning, drowning, and jumping from high places. While 572 men hanged themselves the women who did so numbered 134. Twice as many women as men drown themselves in continental Europe every year. In England, however, there were in 1893 more men than women who drowned themselves, the number being 363 to 218. It is strange to read of 6 old people, over 85, resorting to suicide,—and 112 people under 20.—*P. Witness.*

"Thou Hell o' a' Diseases."

'Oh for a lodge in some vast wilderness.
Some boundless contiguity of shade."
—*Cowper.*
Where I could get away alone and *cuss*
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Hold! Hold! my friend; no need of that!
Just try a little PRUSSIAN OIL.
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MCNEILL IN INDIA.—Late papers from India, tell of the wonderful interest excited by the visit and preaching of the evangelist McNeill. "The city is moved," says the *Indian Witness.* "There has never been anything of the kind witnessed, in Calcutta, within the memory, of the oldest inhabitant. Every body is talking about it. The best of it is, it is the simple old gospel that is preached. 'I, if I be lifted up from the earth will draw all men unto me,' is again demonstrated to be true. The story of the cross, vitalised by the Holy Spirit, and its attractive power is felt alike by rich and poor, old and young, irrespective of creed or colour. Protestants, and Roman Catholics, and Hindoos, and nondescripts sit side by side hearing the words of life. High officers of state and professional men and men of business are there; young men and maidens, and honorable women not a few, flock nightly to the tent."

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NOTICE OF SALE

To Eva L. Cummings, of the parish of Canterbury, in the county of York and province of New Brunswick, Widow, and the Heirs, Executors and Administrators of Nelson G Cummings, late of said parish of Canterbury, and all others whom it may concern.

Take notice that there will be sold at Public Auction, in front of the office of D. McLeod Vince, Barrister-at-Law, on King street, in the Town of Woodstock, in the County of Carleton, on Thursday the fourth day of July next at two o'clock in the after noon, the following lands and premises namely:—All that certain piece parcel or lot of land situate and being in the parish of Canterbury, County of York, and Province of New Brunswick, and bounded as follows, namely, begining at a certain stake standing on the southerly corner of a lot of land, owned and occupied by Edmund M. Cummings at the bounds of the highway thence along the said highway southerly to another stake, thence easterly forty rods thence northerly to another stake, thence westerly forty rods to the place of beginning, also the following discribed premises to wit.—Lying and being in the aforenamed place and bounded as follows, on the north by land owned by Edmund Cummings and and Jacob Cummings, east by land owned formerly by the late John Dow, south by the said A. B. Cummings, and west by land owned by Jacob Tompkins, being parts of lots number 33, 34, and 35, and of the said land that was deed by David Dow to the said A. B Cummings and intended to contain fifty three and three-fourths of an acre

The above sale will be held under and by virtue of a Power of Sale contained in a certain Indenture of Mortgage bearing date the sixteenth day of October, A. D. 1891, and made by said Nelson G. Cummings and Eva L. Cummings his wife, of the one part and William Gibson of the said parish of Canterbtry, of the other part, which said mortgage is registered in the office of the Registrar of Deeds for said county of York in book S. number four of Records on pages 404, 405, 406, and 407, default having been made in the payment of the moneys thereby secured.

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Tenders will not be considered unless made on the form supplied, and signed with the actual signatures of tenderers.

And accepted bank cheque payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works, *for the sum of eight hundred dollars,* ($800), must accompany each tender. This cheque will be forfeited if the party decline the contract, or fail to complete the work contracted for, and will be returned in case of non-acceptance of tender.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

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Secretary.

Department of Public Works.
Ottawa, 1st April, 1895.

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