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News of the Week.

New Brunswick.

John Negus, jr., of North River Platform, working in Smith's mill, was hit in the stomach by a lathe bolt. He died Friday night.

The total amount of lumber cut by the rotaries at the Aberdeen mill, Fredericton, during the past season will be in the neighborhood of five million feet. The Aberdeen will run all winter.

A large two-story house and a barn formerly owned by James Clark but now by H. T. Eston & Sons, Union Mills, Charlotte county, was burned Monday morning. The house was unoccupied and the cause of the fire is unknown.

Geo. Finley, aged 21 years, in a fit of temporary insanity, drowned himself in St. John Tuesday. He had been in poor health, and was despondent.

D. B. Hatfield of Norton, warden of the municipality of Kings county, has been appointed sheriff of Kings county to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Sheriff Freeze.

Wm. Edmunds, a commercial traveller, attempted suicide in St. John on Tuesday. He inflicted a wound on his throat, but will probably recover. He had been drinking.

Ernest M. Wyman, second engineer of the Duart Castle, who was badly scalded by an explosion has libelled the steamer asking for \$20,000 damages.

Magistrate Sproul, of Hampton, Wednesday evening dismissed the charge against John Fox, who it was charged gouged out the eyes of Andrew McGuire in a quarrel. The magistrate held that the evidence showed McGuire was the aggressor and that Fox was fighting for his life while McGuire was chewing his fingernails. It is understood this will not end the matter, but that an indictment will be preferred against Fox before the next court.

Mr. John Cowan, a teamster of St. John, was driving along Sydney street, near Waterloo street, Friday, and the seat of the cart gave way, throwing him to the ground. He was taken into Barker's shoe store on Sydney street and Dr. J. H. Scammell attended him. Mr. Cowan received a severe cut on the head and a cut on one of his knees.

On Wednesday evening when the C. P. R. accommodation was passing Acadia street, St. John, a shower of stones broke through the windows of the locomotive cab, and the driver, John Coyle, had a narrow escape. A few days ago another train was stoned about the same place. This is a serious offence, and the matter was reported to the police.

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Nova Scotia.

Henry A. P. Smith has been appointed sheriff for Digby county, filling the vacancy caused by the death of Benjamin Van Blarcom some three months since.

The Taylor shoe factory, Halifax, has received a rush order for one thousand pairs of boots and shoes for the navy.

The historic town of Louisburg is looking up. This season over 20 buildings have been erected, and the

THE RESORT.

Rev. T. C. Meller, Rural Dean, Christ's Church Rectory, Guysboro, N. S. referred recently to K D C in the following words: "I have much pleasure in bearing testimony to the value of K D C for Indigestion. I have been a victim of Dyspepsia for some time but your remedy has worked wonders. Whenever the slightest symptoms return I resort to K D C and instant relief is the result. I never fail to recommend K D C wherever I go."

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town has made very rapid and healthy growth.

Notable examples of abandoned mines that are now paying good dividends are the Hurricane Point and Leary mines at Tangier. After yielding \$15,000 in two months the property has been sold to a company for \$100,000.

Clemency has been extended in the case of Henry Davidson, who was sentenced to be hanged on December 13 for murder in Antigonish county. At a picnic at Tracadie on August 31, 1897, Davidson while under the influence of liquor shot and killed Charles Bowman. He will undergo life imprisonment at Dorchester penitentiary.

Henry, the twelve year old son of Jacob Trask, of Marshalltown, was severely injured Tuesday morning by a kick from a colt. The lad was leading the animal to water, when it jerked the rein out of his hand and getting in front of the youth shot out its hoofs at him in a playful but startling manner. One of the colts striking Henry cut off part of his ear and laid his head open from the brow back. When the plucky lad regained his senses his first act was to capture the colt, after which he submitted himself to a medical man.

The Provincial Government crop reports for the past season are issued. Cold and wet weather early in the season retarded the growth, but after July, vegetation was rapid. Later in the season, continuous wet weather injured the hay crop, but, nevertheless, a good crop was housed. While the wet hurt the hay crop, it improved the pasturage, and the condition of the live stock of the province is above the average. The yield of wheat was not as good as anticipated. Other cereals fell below the average. Beans and peas were close up to the average. The potato crop, owing to rains, is only 68 per cent. of the average, the same as last year, but prices are fair. Turnips are abundant, but frost or cold rains blighted many blossoms. But the season turning more favourable, the crop developed to larger proportions than anticipated and the quality is superior. Since the establishment of creameries, products of the dairy have greatly improved and the output is steadily increasing. Prices have been uniformly good, and the market is steady.

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Other Provinces.

Marion Stevens, while playing with other children at Morton, Ont., hid behind a door and knocked down a gun hanging there. It exploded and the charge entered the little girl's side, killing her instantly.

The lifeless body of Alexander McLellan was found in the woods between Lots 9 and 10, P. E. Island, Sunday evening. McLellan was about eighty years of age. He died from exposure.

There are over one million bushels of Western grain now at Owen Sound, and the Canadian Pacific Railway are running about six train loads a day out of that point, through to Montreal for export to the Old Country.

Early Friday morning Mrs. Robert Taggart of Toronto had her skull crushed in by her drunken and worthless husband in the yard of her little dairy, just as she was starting on her milk round. She was a hard-working, respectable woman, supporting her children. Taggart left her dying, went to the police station and told of his crime.

Judge Macdougall Wednesday morning sentenced Alex. Barlett to three years in Kingston penitentiary for forgery. Burnett, who lived in Kings township, forged the name of Michael

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Winter, a neighbor, to a deed of Winter's property in King township, and then borrowed \$2,000 on the deed.

J. M. Leithhead who was killed in the Baldwin Hotel fire at San Francisco on Wednesday, is a former Montreuil and a brother of Alfred Leithhead, cashier of the Star. He had just returned from a very successful business trip to South America.

Alfred E. Laird, son of Hon. David Laird, formerly of Prince Edward Island, now Indian agent at Calgary, dropped dead of heart disease at Cedar City, B. C., Thursday.

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United States.

At Marinette, Wis., Tuesday William Menose shot his wife and fatally wounded himself. Fellow workmen, for a joke, made him believe that his wife, from whom he had been separated, was about to wed another man. He broke into her house, and fired two shots at her as she was seated sewing. Only one bullet took effect, inflicting a flesh wound. Thinking he had killed her, he turned the revolver on himself, fired and died a few hours afterwards.

In San Francisco, early Wednesday evening, the Baldwin Hotel caught fire and was destroyed. There were 800 guests and employees in the hotel when the fire broke out and a number of these people are thought to have lost their lives.

Fire in the building devoted to the manufacture of lard at the pork packing establishment of John P. Squire & Co., East Cambridge, Tuesday, resulted in serious injury to eleven men, four of whom it is feared will die, and a property loss estimated at \$80,000.

A mill trouble at Augusta, Ga., culminated in a walkout Monday. Over 3,000 employees are idle.

Kansas experienced a genuine western blizzard Friday. Trains on all the railroads were delayed. Snow and frozen sleet covered the ground. Cattle suffered severely.

Reports from the cattle and sheep raising districts of northwestern Texas, Oklahoma and the Indian Territory show heavy losses because of the blizzard that prevailed in those sections. The country was generally frozen up. Thousands of head of sheep, half-grown calves and cows have perished. The losses will approximate several hundred thousand dollars.

The average annual catch of lobsters on the Maine coast is about 7,500,000, estimated to be worth \$750,000.

The powder mill at Lamotte, Mo., blew up on Wednesday, killing six men and wounding several others. The explosion was heard and felt at a distance of twenty-five miles.

A locomotive on the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton Railroad, at a station near Hamilton, Ohio, exploded on Wednesday night, wrecking fifteen freight cars, tearing up the road and utterly destroying the locomotive.

Members of the Third Alabama negro regiment caused great excitement at Annapolis, Ala., Thursday. Shortly after dark Private Gildhart, of Company B, Second Arkansas, while going toward camp from town, was shot in the head by a negro soldier, who also stabbed him in the back. Later a member of the 4th Kentucky regiment was shot by a negro soldier. Firing was heard in Liberia, the negro quarter of the city, and a squad of provost guards went to investigate. As it turned a corner a large crowd of negro soldiers opened fire upon the guard with Springfield, and the guard had to retreat.

Gen. Andrew McReynolds, who was the first and only person commissioned by President Lincoln direct to raise a regiment during the war of the rebellion died at Muskogee, Mich., Thursday, aged 91. Deceased served in the Mexican war and was promoted to major for gallantry at Churubusco. He served as U. S. district attorney and rendered distinguished service in the civil war.

Edward Gassay, who was in former days one of the great criminal lawyers of the country, died at Chicago on Thursday.

A sensational message was received Wilton, Conn., at 10:40 a. m. stating that the Pittsfield express for New York, on the Danbury and New-Haven division of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, passing through Georgetown at 10:13 p. m., was wrecked. The message asked that

physicians be despatched to the scene, which is said to be six miles from Wilton. No details have been received. Meagre details received later state that the train was express No. 103 from Pittsfield to New York. A later report states that no lives have been lost, but that the baggage master, whose name is unknown, and several others, have been seriously and perhaps fatally injured.

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British and Foreign.

A despatch from Alahabad, capital of the northwest provinces of India, says: "A plague riot took place at Seringapatam, on an island in the Cavery, Mysore, on Nov. 7th. Ten thousand natives concentrated on Seringapatam and made a desperate effort to enter the fort and rescue the prisoners there. Another mob from the Mysore side tried to rush the bridge. In each case the police fired volleys and succeeded in frustrating the attempt. Many persons were killed or wounded. For thirty-six hours the police were kept under arms. Ultimately the troops were despatched to the scene of the disturbance to be in readiness for any renewal."

Luis Miller, New Yorker, attempted to commit suicide by jumping overboard, while embarking on the Havre steamer on Wednesday at midnight. He was rescued and detained as temporarily insane.

A despatch from Rome to London says:—"The government is alarmed at the receipt of reports that Emperor Menelik, of Abyssinia, is advancing on Beru Mioda with 100,000 men, armed with rifles and a numerous train of artillery. It is believed that the object of the Negus is the Bahr-El Gaz-el basin and that he will attempt to force a definite boundary settlement."

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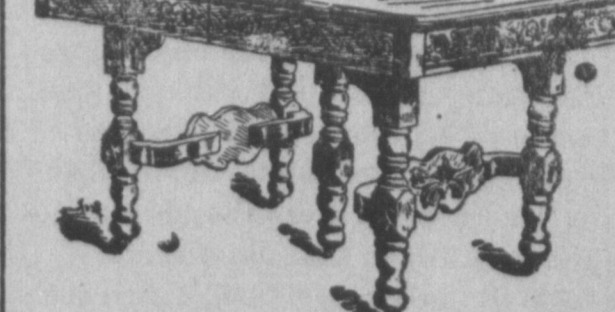
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