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NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Subscribers remitting Money, either direct to the office, or through Agents, will find a receipt for the amount included in their next paper. All remittances should be made payable to A. Milne Fraser.

There are a large number of cases of scarlet fever in Winnipeg.

J. Israel Tarte has assigned. Liabilities \$31,000; Assets \$16,000.

Thursday, November tenth, has been set apart as Thanksgiving Day.

The ladies' class of the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium has begun work again.

The annual harvest festival at St. Luke's Cathedral was held last evening.

Premier Abbott and Minister Foster sail for England on the 8th of October.

Sir John Abbot will not resign the premiership until after his return from England.

A shipment of seals left Victoria, B. C. for London on the 15th inst. worth \$500,000.

The Home Knowledge and Supply Association have opened their office at 91 Granville Street.

The tenth Annual Convention of the Maritime W. C. T. U. was opened at Woodstock, N. B. on 21st inst.

The N. S. Cigar Co. has declared a 3 per cent. dividend to 31st August, payable on and after October 3rd.

Mr. Daniel Cronan, one of our oldest and well known citizens, died on Thursday morning at 7 30 o'clock.

Balfour Brown, assayer, claims to have discovered large areas of mineral paint at Port Gilbert, Digby County.

The steamer *Damara* for London took 10,000 barrels of Gravenstein apples, the first shipment of the season.

Valuations of the estate of the late Charles Annand show the estate to be worth \$75,000 free of incumbrances.

The buckwheat and potato crops are a partial failure in Stewiacke district, but other crops are above the average.

A water motor has been placed on the City Wharf to enable the watering carts to sprinkle the streets with salt water.

Charles Miller, of Musquodoboit, on Monday shot a large gray eagle measuring seven feet from tip to tip of the wings.

Peaches are scarce in western Ontario this year, the grape crop is comparatively light and the plum crop is a total failure.

When navigation closes on the St. Lawrence the Government at Ottawa will increase the quarantine accommodations at Halifax, St. John and Sydney.

The Exhibition at New Glasgow has been largely attended. The exhibits are numerous and varied, the show of horses and cattle being particularly good.

The next attraction at the academy will be Gus Wallace in "Si Perkins" on Oct 3rd and 4th. "Howorth's Hibernica" is booked for Oct. 10th, 11th and 12th.

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Capt. McGray reports that he has seen the new light on Cape Forchu at a distance of 38 miles; also that he has seen the electric lights of the town 31 miles.

Auctioneer Shand had a sale of the lots in the Bliss field, Coburg road, Oxford street and Jubilee road, which attracted a good deal of attention. About one-fourth of the property was sold, realizing some \$14,000.

J. S. Kuowles, of St. John, N. B., publisher, has our thanks for handy little reference book and lawyers' guide. It is neatly compiled, and contains much information. Price in sheep binding 25 cents, in card 10 cents.

Dalhousie University held its annual opening convocation in the law library of the college on Wednesday afternoon. Professors Macdonald, Weldon and Murray addressed the students, and President Forrest closed the proceedings with prayer.

General Croft, proprietor of large hotels at White Mountain and Florida, has been visiting Digby, his purpose being to consider the forming of a company for the erection of hotels. He has expressed himself as highly pleased with Digby's advantages for a summer resort.

The steamer *Carroll* from Halifax for Boston was towed into Booth Bay, Maine, on Sunday evening at 10.30 o'clock with her machinery disabled. Much anxiety was felt in this city when the report that the *Carroll* was overdue at Boston was circulated. The North Atlantic Steamship line has been very unfortunate this season.

The City Board of Health is holding frequent meetings of late, and the inspectors report a good deal of practical work done in inspecting a number of premises. It has been decided that slaughter houses must not be located within the city limits. The action of the board in insisting on the renovation of the sanitary conditions of Halifax is commendable.

Charles F. Hamilton, of the firm of Hamilton and McPhoe, of North Sydney, was killed at Grand Narrows on Saturday while attempting to get off a train as another train was passing. He missed his footing and fell between the platform and the cars. Mr. Hamilton was the only son of Collector Hamilton of North Sydney, and was very popular.

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