News of the Week.

CANADA.

CARLETON PLACE, March 26.—Mr. George A Kesler, Chief Engineer of the Ontario and Quebec Railroad Company, arrived to-day and commenced an examination of the line of railway westward. It is considered certain that the municipality will vote a sum in aid of the survey.

BERRY, March 26.—At the Gold Tank saloon here to-day, some abandoned man belonging to the Grand Trank Railroad wood sawyers' gang, while crossing the track with a cart of wood, did not observe an approaching locomotive, the result was that the horse, cart and man were pitched to a considerable distance. Dr. Pipe was on the spot in a short time, and pronounced the man out of danger, having only received some severe cuts and bruises about the head.

OTTAWA, March 26—A private telegram was received here to-day from St Paul's, stating that Riel and O'Neil are in that city planning some mischief towards Canada. The telegram is believed to be a hoax, sent for the purpose of getting up an excitement.

BEDERIDTON, N B, March 27—In the Legislature a resolution, introduced yesterday, by Mr. White, to inquire into the expediency of building the new Parliament buildings, brought on a conversation of the question of union of the Maritime Provinces. The feeling of members was generally favourable to union.

FORT GARRY, March 30—The newspapers here write bitterly to-day against the neglect shown by the Dominion Government in not making out and disposing of the half-breed grant, and for allowing, through their officials here, people to cut timber in all directions in the Province. Gossipers here says that the Provincial Land Office for the Province is officered by old detectives. The French half-breeds say they would rather have annexation than the present unsatisfactory state of affairs. It is said that they have determined to send Riel to Ottawa for the District of Provencher next election.

A fenii society, held in Kildonan College last evening, was largely attended.

The Hudson Bay engineers for their steamboats, arrived last night.

KINCARDINE, March 30, 1872—Mr. Rightmyer commenced manufacturing salt in his new block to-day. This is the most extensive salt manufactory in Ontario. It is fitted up with all the latest improvements; has an evaporating surface of about 3,000 square feet, and is capable of making 150 barrels of salt per day, with 10 cords of wood.

UNITED STATES.

NEW YORK, March 25.— A *Herald* Washington despatch says, "President Grant is known to take a deep interest in all Mexican questions. His service in that country during the war made a favorable impression upon his mind as to the resources of the country, its capacities for good government, and desirable authority. He thinks there could be no greater blessing conferred on the Mexican people than the establishment of a protectorate by the United States. He feels that it would be a triumph of administration, and would go far towards carrying out those theories of manifest destiny which are so dear to American people. His argument is, that in the event of the occupation of Mexico by a foreign army, we should be justified in going to war under the Monroe doctrine. He regards it as an argument in favour of the protectorate. Now, it would be much cheaper and easier to prevent the landing of a foreign force or the intervention of a foreign power than to drive them out after the intervention had begun. But if there is to be any movement looking towards annexation it must come from Congress."

NEW YORK, March 26—Governor Ito has just left here for Japan, has gone home to the Mikado a draft of an important and most liberal commercial treaty as the basis for one to be agreed upon in the future between the United States and Japan, which is important if it is true that Secretary Fish changes the policy of admitting foreigners to citizenship through Japan.

March 26—On Broadway, robbed a man of $1,000 in greenbacks. The latter knocked down the thief and kicked him down stairs into the street, but he escaped and got away in a hack. The man followed in hot pursuit and succeeded in having the thief locked up in jail, but the latter escaped from the station house and was not recaptured.

Rev. L. Mallett, of Wyoming, Delaware Co., N. Y., cured of Consumption by Dr. Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry. Dealers all over the country say it is the best selling medicine they have ever sold. Read the advertisement headed "Consumption is Curable," in another column, and get the Balsam. Price $1 a bottle.

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