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# CITY NEWS.

Recent Events in and Around St. John.

Together With Country Items From Correspondents and Exchanges.

**WANTED—A case of Headache that KUMPORT Powders will not cure in ten to twenty minutes.**

About fifty Italians arrived in St. John yesterday from Boston. Forty of them left last night for Chipman, Quebec. The rest of them were bound for Sydney.

H. P. Morrison, formerly of Kennington, F. B. I., but for the last two years in the employ of L. Marshall, Glace Bay, as cutter, was given a beautiful present, valued at \$30, and given a raise of \$3 a week in his pay. He is now manager of the general furnishing department, in which Mr. Marshall carries a large stock.

**KNOW DR. CHASE IN 1867.**  
One of Dr. Chase's oldest patients in Canada is Mr. G. W. Parish of Sturgeon Bay, Simcoe Co., Ont. He was cured of kidney disease in 1867 by means of his now celebrated Kidney-Liver Pills. Mr. Parish writes that he does not think there is any medicine half so good and that he always keeps a box of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills in the house as a family medicine.

**YOUNG'S COVE.**

—Last Sunday a memorial service was to have been held at the Methodist church in memory of the late Rev. James of Gagetown, but owing to the storm no service could be held. It was 26 years ago last June that conference appointed him to this circuit, and owing to the iron law of Method- ist itinerancy he was removed three years later, making it 23 years since he ministered to this people. But the man and his work here are still very fresh in the memory of most people.  
A few nights ago the mercury registered 26 degrees below zero, and on Sunday it snowed all day with a breeze from the northeast. There were no services at the churches owing to the storm.

Chronic Constipation cured or money back. LAXA-CARA TABLETS, never fail. Small, chocolate coated, easy to take. Price, 35 cents. At drug- stores.

**WOODSTOCK FARMER INJURED.**

WOODSTOCK, N. B., Jan. 6.—Herbert Jackson, a farmer, living near Canterbury station, met with a distressing accident yesterday. He was running a threshing machine and while engaged in the work he was caught in the cogs of the cylinder, dragging in the arm, which was severely crushed before the machine could be stopped, and the unfortunate man released. Dr. Coburn was called in and advised bringing the patient to the hospital here in Woodstock, which was done. An operation was performed this afternoon.  
The weather was very cold again this morning, registering in one part of the town 26 degrees below zero.

**POISONED BY MISTAKE.**

WASHBURN, Jan. 6.—Mrs. Sord, wife of Deacon Charles Sord, of Long's Creek, took carbolic acid, mistaking it for medicine, on Sunday morning. She lingered in great agony until Monday afternoon, when death put an end to her suffering.  
Besides her husband, she leaves two sons, Walter and Milbur, at home; and three daughters, Elizabeth, Cora, and Emma. Emma is in Providence, R. I., and Nettie, at home.

**PILES**

**CURED QUICKLY AND WITHOUT PAIN.**

There are pile remedies without number, but there is only one cure, and that is the Pyramid Pile Cure, which is in the form of a suppository and is applied directly to the seat of the trouble.  
Any physician will tell you that for the proper treatment of Piles nothing can compare with a suppository, whereas the greater number of preparations that are offered to you for the treatment of this disease, are lotions, ointments, and salves. Why? Because they are not so expensive as a suppository, which is bound to contain more costly ingredients, and which requires special machinery to make it. Moreover, a suppository inserted up the rectum, comes in direct contact with the cause of the complaint, and no other form of treatment does so.  
Wallace Cookman, Hallerton, P. Q., Canada, writes: "I have had two surgical operations for piles and they were not a success; after using three boxes of Pyramid Pile Cure I feel as though I never had piles, and they have afflicted me for twenty-five years."

B. H. Palmer-Windor, Calif.: "After suffering from piles for fifteen years and trying different salves and ointments in vain, I was completely cured by the use of two fifty-cent packages of Pyramid Pile Cure."  
These and thousands of similar letters go to show that piles can be cured, are cured. Cured to stay cured. Cured so they won't come back. Cured without cutting. Cured without pain. Cured without detention from work. Cured without delicate examinations. Cured in privacy of home. Cured by a self-applied treatment. Cured with very little expense. Cured without the dread and publicity of waiting your turn at the surgeon's office. Cured without a dangerous surgical operation, with period of enforced invalidism, tedious convalescence and heavy expense. You simply buy and apply a cheap and convenient remedy. It does the rest.

All druggists sell Pyramid Pile Cure at fifty cents a package, and we urge all sufferers to write the Pyramid Drug Co., Marshall, Mich., for their little book on "The Causes and Cure of Piles," which is sent free for the asking.

## FOWLER AND GANONG ARE RENOMINATED.

(Continued from Page Four)

tives of Kings and Albert in convention assembled hereby express our hearty confidence in our honored leader, Mr. R. L. Borden, and further resolved, that we heartily commend the action of Mr. Geo. W. Fowler, the present representative of Kings county, and appreciate the services which he has rendered to the people whom he has represented.

Thos. J. Fraser of Nauyasigauk seconded the motion.  
It was put and passed.

C. A. Peck, K. C. of Albert then spoke, and his remarks were much appreciated. He was in a pleasant way the convention. Albert had sent a strong delegation there and they had done their duty. (Applause.) When Albert lost his autonomy or identity, whichever was right, the character of a separate county, the people of the place felt that the Laurier government had inflicted a great wrong on the people. They had enjoyed independent representation and now it was taken from them. Other counties could have been united, and Albert could have been allowed to remain as it was. The exports made from Albert county showed it to be possessed of large and varied resources, all requiring the careful attention of the federal government. It deserved a better fate than to be obliterated. Mr. Peck then moved the following resolution:

That the delegates of the liberal conservative association of the county of Albert avail themselves of this opportunity to place on record their hearty appreciation of the worth and work of Dr. Richard C. Weldon, who for two consecutive terms so ably and acceptably represented the county of Albert in the parliament of Canada and rendered such valuable service to the great liberal conservative party of this Dominion. Of wide culture, undoubted ability, and conspicuous attainments, he was ever the exponent of those high ideals which make for the purity and elevation of the political life of this country. His distinguished public career, high personal character and his devotion to the constituency of Albert were ever to be held in admiration and remembrance by those whose interests he so zealously guarded and conserved. Since confederation Albert Co. has enjoyed independent representation.

By the recent redistribution act passed by the Laurier administration as an independent electoral district it no longer exists and we further desire to record in the most emphatic terms our unqualified condemnation of the action of the Laurier administration by which Albert Co. has been so arbitrarily deprived of the right and privilege so long enjoyed and so highly prized of independent representation as a county.

W. B. Jones of Albert, in seconding the motion, said he was struck by the frank remark of Mr. Fowler when he said the nomination did not come to him unexpectedly. In the Albert conservatives naturally turned to Mr. Fowler as the next representative in their district. In the last general election the conservatives lost some strong men, such as Foster and Powell, but in the dark cloud one bright star appeared. It came from Kings where Mr. Fowler was elected. (Applause.) Great seal and energy.  
Mr. Peck's motion passed.

Jordan Steves, another of the Albert delegates, devoted some attention to the subject. He assured the delegates that Albert would be well for him.

Dr. Pearson of Sussex was glad he attended the convention because it gave him a chance to see how the Albert people stood with Kings and right and now he people could go home assured that Albert would be all right too. (Applause.)  
The speech of Sussex was then called upon to speak. He was loudly applauded. He was delighted to be present and associated with the gentlemen in the convention. He was not a delegate, but he had the interests of the liberal conservative party at heart. He would do all he could to assist in the election of Mr. Fowler. It was known that he was in the past a liberal, that he supported the liberal government then. How did it happen that he had changed his politics? Well there were many reasons for the change. He was a man of the people, and he had become a supporter of the present government when very young. They declared that they would give the people the right to say whether the country would have prohibition. He was a strong temperance man, and he voted for them on the strength of that promise. In having look, where he was born, he fought for the government all he could. But the present government ignored that promise. When they were unfaithful to the temperance people in this particular how could they be trusted in other matters. (Applause.) He would in the election be as faithful a worker for Mr. Fowler, the conservative candidate, as he was in the last election for the liberal candidate. (Applause.) He was not afraid to let people know where he stood. He was delighted with the candidate selected.

Capt. Bishop of Albert Co. said he had in the past been a liberal and a supporter of the present government. The conservatives were always willing to leave well enough alone, but the liberals had all sorts of policies. When they attained to power they considered well enough good enough and adopted the conservative policy. (Applause.) The present liberal policy was the policy of the conservatives, and he was with the party which introduced that policy. (Applause.) He was an admirer of Mr. Fowler. The liberals never carried out their promises, and he was going to do what he was able to accomplish in the interests of Mr. Fowler at the next election. He was going to give Mr. Fowler the first conservative vote he ever polled. (Applause.)

James A. Moore did not think it necessary to say much. He had attended many conventions, but never had there been a gathering of the kind where there was such unanimity. (Applause.)

## CHARLOTTE COUNTY HONORS ITS CHIEF.

Mr. Ganong, K. P., Nominated by a Full and Representative Gathering.

(Special to the Sun.)  
ST. STEPHEN, Jan. 7.—That nothing was wasted in the travel which came to the county of Charlotte in the county convention held here this afternoon. Though many an arduous journey every parish but Clarendon was represented, one hundred and six delegates out of a possible one hundred and thirty being enrolled with many of the hall who were not delegates were as full of enthusiasm as any others. J. D. Chipman, chairman of the county organization, presided, and in opening remarks he said that the county prospects were never brighter in the county than at present. The candidate, he said, would be returned by a rousing majority and the country will return the conservative party to power.

A credential committee was appointed consisting of T. R. Wren, Chas. Johnson, A. C. Calder, S. Lawson, A. H. Haney and J. T. Whitlock. They reported delegates as follows: St. Andrews; J. M. Towne, Upper Mills; St. Stephen; 11; Scotch Ridge; 5; Baillie; 5; Tower Hill; 4; Oak Bay; 4; Dunbarton; 5; St. Patrick; 5; St. Croix; 3; Lett; 2; St. George; 9; Beaver Harbor; 3; Leptaux; 1; Chocolate Cove; 4; Lord's Cove; 2; Wilson's Beach; 4; Welsh Pool; 3; North Head; 5; White Head; 1; Seal Cove; 3; Grand Harbor, 1.

While this committee was at work the organization re-elected its old board of officers, viz., J. D. Chipman, president; J. E. Ganong, secretary, and C. W. Fowler, treasurer. They also elected the former executive A. C. Calder, Peter P. Russell and A. H. Haney.

A nominating committee was appointed as follows: T. A. Hart, M.P., J. D. Chipman, J. E. Ganong, J. C. Calder, Fred Lord, Campbell McLeod, D. McDowell, F. M. Murchie, W. C. Osborne, Geo. Clarke, M.P., and W. C. H. Grimmer, M.P.E.  
The work of the committee was soon accomplished and they presented their report through T. A. Hart, M.P., who stated that the committee had experienced no difficulty, all had some to say, and that the county of Charlotte is a unit throughout the country. The man for us is the man who has fought for us and led us to victory before. He had much pleasure in naming Gilbert W. Ganong. He had led us to victory when our prospects were not as good as they are now. Others had fought our battles well, but the time for victory had not then come. We had found no reason to change our opinions of our representative or to feel ashamed of his record in parliament. He holds strongly the confidence of the party. There is no reason why we cannot gain another great victory in Charlotte, as the party will throughout Canada. Our cause is gaining ground and the conservative party will be called on to form the next government.

The name was presented to the convention and unanimously accepted with rousing cheers.  
Messrs. Hader, Clarke and Grimmer were appointed a committee to wait on Mr. Ganong, and soon escorted that gentleman into the hall, where he was greeted with enthusiastic and prolonged applause.

Mr. Chipman tendered him the nomination in words of hearty recommendation.

When Mr. Ganong was able to be heard he assured the convention that much as he had appreciated former expressions of confidence, he appreciated it now much more fully. He could scarcely express his feelings. He

would not have them think that he did not recognize his fallings as a representative. He had fallen below the ideal, but he had honestly tried to represent the views of the party, for the party is always larger than the man. He appreciated their attendance here today, though a cold had prevented his being around to receive them all. He appreciated their generous support, which had been given as a matter of principle. It had not required much brains to follow the meanderings of a government which had come into power without principles, and had acquired none in office, and which is now more at sea than ever. Many examples of this had been given. In an election in Valleyfield, Mr. Tarte, then a member of the government, had been sent down to advocate protection. Blair was sent to the Pacific to talk about the transcontinental railway. Because Tarte had continued to talk protection and Blair had tried to pound sense into them on the railway question, the government, which had changed its position on both questions, had forced them out. The government has never introduced any constructive legislation and has never consulted parliament on any important measure before entering into contracts. The Yukon railway contract was signed three days before parliament met. No scheme was ever before so great as the transcontinental railway, but the contract was signed before the transportation commission had been named. This commission has at last been appointed, and it is announced that they are to spend a day in St. John, a day in Halifax and a day in St. Andrews. A month in either place would be short enough to study matters of so much importance to the people. It is but a pretense, and used as a vote catcher. The failure of the Grand Trunk to put up its deposit had changed the government's plan for an election, for its prospects of a rake-off had vanished. It is now exploiting the Quebec bridge scheme for the same purpose, and if that fails there will be no election. Mr. Copp did not show the usual courtesy of one member to another, but had taken advantage of his absence to malign the government. He had been in the mission had been formed for another vote catcher. It was composed of Colonel Tucker, a military man; Mr. Copp, a second class lawyer; Mr. Armstrong, a newspaper man; and a man from Westport who knew something of fish. Prof. Prince, who had a reputation to maintain, had declined to go to Grand Manan with this wonderful commission. The government must make the people think they are doing something, so they sent this aggregation out. One good result will be that Copp's fishermen won't be able to steal from Charlotte county fishermen.

If the government was sincere, why had it not formed a commission of practical men like Jas. M. Lord of Deception, and Mr. J. D. Chipman? He had recently attended a meeting of the party leaders in Montreal, and the enthusiasm has not been so great since 1886. In the coming elections the conservative party will come from the borders of New Brunswick with a good majority and R. L. Borden will surely be the next premier. Quebec has tried of Sir Wilfrid, and the railway policy in many of the small towns of Ontario the machine is worn out and cannot be used again to steal conservative votes. We have better opportunities than ever to carry two seats in St. John, while Charlotte, Carleton, Sunbury and Queens, Kings and Albert, and Northumberland are safe for the conservatives. In York a strong candidate will be put up, and in Restigouche, Gloucester and Kent will have strong conservative candidates. The French Acadia vote was swung by the Tories in the last election, but it will be with the opposition this time. We will win eight or nine seats in this province and gains will be made in Prince Edward Island and Scotland. It is not a sudden wave sweeping over the country, but the solid, sober thought of the people is returning to our support.

The following resolutions were presented by Geo. Clarke, M. P. P., and W. C. H. Grimmer, M. P. P., in brief, but enthusiastic addresses:

We, the representatives of the liberal conservative party in Charlotte county, in convention assembled, hereby declare: We desire to place on record once more our adherence to the principles of national development and the development of Canada, and the progress of the country since the time of confederation to the present. We are gratified to observe that the advancement along lines tending toward the progress of the country has been achieved only by strict adherence to the policy which guarantees the adequate protection of home industries. The system of internal transportation systems to as great an extent as is consistent with the financial ability of the country and the requirements of business and the development of Canadian ports and Canadian trade.

We have noted with admiration the efforts of the Right Honorable Joseph Chamberlain to strengthen the bonds which unite the several parts of the empire, and we desire to place on record our strong belief that the adoption of a system of mutual preferential trade will tend largely to benefit the empire in all the departments of the world whose commerce and preserve and develop those common interests on which depend the maintenance of the magnificent structure of which Great Britain is the centre.

We approve of the wise and statesmanlike course pursued by the opposition in parliament since 1886, under the leadership of Robert L. Borden, whose ability as a leader and parliamentarian, combined with his eminent legal attainments, his unswerving integrity and his genial and pleasing personality, has enabled him to do for the great party whose members are proud to recognize him as their chief, and to control the destinies of the country when called upon to take up the reins of government.

We feel that in the person of Gilbert W. Ganong the county of Charlotte has a representative to whom can safely be confided the many interests of the people, and we are gratified to know that his ability and zeal have

## SMELT FISHERMEN ARE MAKING BIG MONEY THESE DAYS.

secured for him recognition as one of the leaders of the opposition in parliament.  
We unhesitatingly commend the attitude he has assumed in the questions which have been submitted for the consideration of parliament since his election, and his untiring efforts in the interests of this constituency, and we please ourselves to put forth every honorable exertion to secure his re-election, and the return to power of the liberal conservative party in the approaching contest throughout the country, believing that such results are most desirable from every standpoint of both local and national interest. We believe that the time long since arrived when steps should have been taken by the government to provide such assistance for the winter ports of Charlotte as would enable them to be utilized for the shipment of the products of Canada to foreign markets, and we condemn the government for its indifference in this regard and are of the opinion that the county must look to the liberal conservative party for the full realization of the hopes so long fondly cherished by our people, and based on the natural advantages of their ports, that a proper share of trans-continental and trans-Atlantic traffic shall pass this way.

We pledge ourselves to do everything possible to secure the enactment of legislation with reference to the fisheries of the country, which will enable those of our people who depend on this source of employment for a livelihood to prosecute their business unhindered by the annoying regulations and sudden changes of the government policy which have tended so much of late years to prevent the successful carrying on of the industry.  
They were unanimously adopted and the convention closed with the singing of the national anthem and rousing cheers for the candidate and for the county members at Fredericton.

**CANNOT DO WITHOUT IT.**

Once Dr. Chase's Ointment becomes known, it is indispensable in the home because of the scores of ways in which it can be used. While this ointment is best known as a positive cure for eczema, salt rheum, itching piles, and the most distressing of the skin, it is also unapproached as a treatment for chafed, irritated skin, pimples, blackheads, poisoned skin, scalds, burns, and sores of every description.

## P. E. I. LETTER.

**Smelt Fishermen Are Making Big Money These Days.**

**The Week's Death Roll—Recent Marriages of Island People—A Big Batch of Local News.**

CHARLOTTETOWN, Jan. 5.—During the present inclement season, when the weather is so disagreeable, in a sense the most distressing of the island, the people are deriving a splendid income from the smelt industry. The proportion of this industry has risen in the last few years, and it will be really marvelous. The season will extend from December 1st to February 1st. Thousands of boxes are shipped every week, most of them going to Boston and New York markets. The smelts are caught in the meshes of the fish nets caught in the meshes of the fish nets. The fish are set as the tide is running in. Many are also caught with hook and line in the bottom of the bay. They are taken in the ice near the shore where the smelts come to feed on the small shrimp when the tide comes in. On the bottom of the bay there is a piece of linen cloth about two square feet. On this cloth is sprinkled some bait, and as the smelt comes to feed the cloth enables the fisherman to see him distinctly. By a quick dash the Indian jigs the fish. The smelt taken here this season are exceptional large, and nearly all are graded as extra in Boston and New York markets. The price of smelts this season is from five to six cents per lb. A smelt fisherman averages from \$3 to \$5 per day for the season, while one dealer states that he has paid as high as \$150 to one man for one day's catch. This is one good idea of the money which many of our hardy sons are making with the thermometer at zero, or worse still at 15 below, as it is at the present hour.

The funeral of the late Ephraim Bradley took place yesterday from his father's residence to People's cemetery. Notwithstanding the storm there was a very large attendance. The elder members of the League of the Cross attended in a body. Deceased was a skilled mill worker in a coal mine at Springhill, N. B. He paid a visit to his home about two weeks ago. He passed away in his 30th year. He was a nephew of Sergeant Bradley of the police force.

Albert G. Esory, son of Isaac Esory of Huron road, has been appointed a clerk in the Char. office.  
James Williams of Charlottetown has gone to Lacombe, Alberta, where his brother Bert has resided for several years. It is understood that the Lacombe team is being sent to Lacombe in order to have him assist in the game. He came to Charlottetown about a week ago from Grand Valley, Quebec, where he spent the summer.

Inspector Jenkins is still waiting the prohibition war with marked success. On New Year's eve the police officers raided the bar room of H. C. Connolly, who is now serving six months in jail. They confiscated a number of cases of brandy and rum. He has already paid quite a number of the most persistent

## W. F. MACLEAN.

William Findlay Maclean was born in the Township of Ancaster, Ont., August 10, 1854. Mr. Maclean is a journalist, and is proprietor of the Toronto World. He married, in June, 1885, Catherine Gwynne, youngest daughter of Richard Lewis of Toronto. He was a member of the Senate of the University of Toronto, for term 1889 and 1892.  
At the general election of 1890 he ran for North Westwont in the Ontario Legislature, but was defeated, and was also defeated for his present seat in the Commons, at the general election in 1891. At a by-election, held in May, 1893, he was first elected to the Commons and occupied the seat rendered vacant by the death of the Hon. A. Mackenzie, and was re-elected in 1896.

violators out of business and more will shortly follow. James Gallant is the latest victim to contribute \$100 into the treasury of the Liberal party.  
The death roll this week includes: Mrs. James Orr of French River, aged 85; Thomas Kelly of Lot 11, aged 81; Angus McNintosh of Springfield, aged 80; Donald S. McLeod of Belfast, aged 64; Thomas P. Huestis of Summerside, aged 82; Elsie Crockett of Charlottetown, aged 15; Flora McDonald of New Brunswick, aged 61; Mrs. James Barker of Alma; Deaths of Islanders in other parts include: In Boston, Mrs. Carl Pollard, formerly of Charlottetown; in Chelsea, Mrs. John A. Jardine, formerly of Charlottetown; in Lexington, Kentucky, Dr. John H. Orr, formerly of French River.

Alice Perkins, daughter of Fred Perkins of this city, has obtained a situation in the teaching staff of a high school near Lethbridge, N. W. T., at \$800 per year.  
John E. Pope of Alberton has arrived home from the Klondike, where he has resided for five years. Mr. Pope reports that when he left Dawson City the general feeling was that the prosperity of the Klondike was only coming to its end. The mines are being worked and mining machinery of the most approved type is necessary. It will require some time to get those plants in working order, but when they are he is certain the returns will be as large as formerly.

J. D. Emman of the Summerdale railway station, has returned from a trip to Western Canada, where he took for the benefit of his health. In this respect the trip was a success and Mr. Emman also returns fully convinced that the West offers unlimited resources for young men of brains and energy.

News has been received of the accidental death of William Weatherble of this city. Deceased was engaged at Westport, Meadcoffer Co., California. He was working with lumber at the end of a chute when some pieces gave way and descended rapidly into the water carrying Weatherble with them. He was killed by the fall. For an instant he came to the surface appearing to be lifeless and then he disappeared. The body was not recovered as the under current probably carried it into the sea. Deceased was for some time in the United States navy, from which he received an honorable discharge at San Francisco in February last.

Samuel McLeod, M. L. A., of Prince Albert, N. W. T., is visiting his home in Rose Valley. He has resided in the West for more than 20 years and is engaged in mercantile business. Mr. McLeod has served as mayor of Prince Albert, and in 1888 was elected to the legislative assembly. In 1900 he was elected a commissioner for the settlement of half-breed claims on the Saskatchewan.

Among the marriages recently solemnized in this province are John J. Frizzell and Carrie Inman, both of Central Bedford; Thomas A. Gillis and Jessie Smith, both of Charlottetown; Herbert M. Coffin and Catherine A. Pigott, both of Savage Harbor; John McInnis of Winslow, and Carrie Laird of North Rustico; John A. Jardine of Kensington, and Miss Taylor, daughter of Peter Taylor of Freetown; Malcolm W. McLeod of Bridgetown, and Catherine Hume of Wood Island; Robert Harris of O'Leary, and Jessie McPherson of Lot 8, Lemuel A. Henry, formerly of Charlottetown, and Florence McLean were married in Quincy, Mass., and J. G. McDonald, formerly of P. E. Island, was married to Minnie McKinnon in Sandon, B. C.

Professor W. Harry Watts, formerly of Moncton, now organist of the First Methodist church here, was presented a few evenings ago with an address and a handsome pair of Persian lamb driving gloves. The gift was from the choir of the First Methodist church.

Mrs. D. O'M. Reddin has received notice from a legal firm in England that she is entitled to a large bequest from the estate of a deceased relative in that country.  
Dr. R. McNeill of Charlottetown has been appointed a member of the Charlottetown hospital staff.

**WANTED.**  
WANTED—Local agents and salesmen to sell ornamental and fruit trees. Liberal pay. No experience required. It costs you nothing to start. Apply to J. W. NURSERY COMPANY, Toronto, Ont.

**WANTED—RELIABLE MEN—\$35 per month and expenses \$250 per day to reliable men in every locality, introducing our goods, tacking up show cards on trees, fences, along roads and all conspicuous places, giving employment to good, honest, capable men no experience needed; write at once for particulars. THE EMPIRE MEDICINE CO., London, Ont.**

**TEACHER WANTED—A Second Class Teacher for School District No. 1, St. John's, N. B. Salary, \$100 per month. Write to G. W. MELVILLE, Secretary.**

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**HILLSBORO, ALBERT CO.**

HILLSBORO, N. B., Jan. 6.—This morning Dr. McNeill's house was burned to the ground, with about ten tons of hay, four hundred bushels of oats, two sleighs and some harness. The horses were gotten out. The fire spread rapidly to the house owned by Thomas Woodworth and occupied by Clifford Bishop, and in a very few minutes the house was in ashes. Mr. Bishop saved nearly all his household goods, which were owned by J. W. Stevens, but did not have any insurance. Roy Stevens, son of Isaiah Stevens, got his right arm broken last Saturday while working on the Albert Manufacturing Co.'s mill.

Hillsboro has just experienced the coldest spell of weather known for years.  
Miss Beattie McNeill, B. A., teacher in the Intermediate department of the Hillsboro High School, returned yesterday from Fredericton, where she had been spending the vacation. James Blake, Jr., of Hillsboro, left a few days ago for Phoenix, Arizona. Mr. Blake was formerly clerk.

Miss Nellie McNaughton of Salisbury has taken the Salem school.

**AN INSTANCE OF GROWTH.**

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