

NEWS SUMMARY.

Domestic. —The Fort Massey Presbyterian church, Halifax, has decided to extend a call to Rev. Mr. Gaudier, of Toronto. —It is reported that the mercury went up to 94° in the shade in Fredericton on Saturday last. —A cable to the Toronto Globe says that Mr. Blake denies that he has any intention of resigning his seat in the Imperial House. —Mr. Toussaint Trudeau, late Deputy Minister of Railways and Chief Engineer of Canada, died last week of heart failure. He was 67 years of age. —By an error which gave the time of day twenty minutes later than it really was, several men employed in a mica mine at Eel Lake, Ont., reached the top of the pit just in time to escape a cave in and consequent death. —Sadie Hutchinson, aged seventeen, and Leslie Macdonald, of Peterboro, Ont., aged fourteen, while canoeing on the river with two gentlemen the canoe upset and both the girls were drowned. The gentlemen were rescued. —Winnipeg police have arrested two Italians, supposed to have murdered a fellow-countryman near Grenfell covering his body with railway ties and covering her under which it was discovered by section men. The men are straggling musicians. —A disastrous hailstorm broke over Oakville, Ont., on Sunday afternoon, destroying almost the entire fruit crop within a radius of six miles. A majority of the fruit-growers of the district will realize little or nothing out of their orchards this season in consequence of the destruction done to what promised to be a fine crop. —J. W. M. Ruel, who was so badly burned about the head and shoulders during the late Gibson fire, died on Saturday at the Victoria Hospital, from his injuries. The deceased was 77 years of age, and was a son of the late Capt. John Godfrey Ruel, of Her Majesty's Royal Marines, and a brother of Collector Royal of St. John. —Blowers Archibald, of the firm of Archibald & Co., North Sydney, C. B., dropped dead at 11 o'clock Saturday morning in the office of J. W. Cox, Esq., C. O. He had just got in the office when apoplexy seized him. He expired in a very short time after being attacked. Deceased and his wife came to Halifax a few days ago on a visit. —Mr. James A. Moore, general manager of the Commercial Express line, was found lying unconscious at the foot of the stairs in his residence at Buffalo, Wednesday morning. His neck was broken, and he died a couple of hours after the discovery of his condition. He was a native of Brantford, Ont., and his family reside at Princeton. —Mr. William Smith, Deputy Minister of Marine and Fisheries, says the cattle exporters of Montreal have no grounds for complaint relative to the cattle inspection fees. They were imposed at their own earnest request, and when two cents an animal were found insufficient to cover expenses the fees were raised to three cents an animal. Mr. Smith thinks the cattle men are ruining their trade by importing so many inferior beasts. —Pierre Robidoux, aged 66, was arrested near Richmond, Quebec, charged with attempting to blow up the Jacques-Cartier Bank at Drummondville. While the high command was taking the prisoner to Arthabaska, Robidoux went into the closet and, while the train was going forty miles per hour, jumped through the window and was injured in the water. Two delicate little girls, sisters, named Mary and Bridget Black, aged 12 and 14 years, witnessed the accident from the island and immediately rowed to the assistance of the drowning boys. The little girls got Evar into the boat, and Mary Black, aged only 14, made a desperate clutch at the other boy as he went down, and at arm's length below the surface got hold of his hair; but his hair was cut short and there was no hold, so he sank. The girls then rowed the boy they had saved to land and worked with him until he returned to consciousness. —At the Methodist conference at Moncton, the report on temperance was read by Rev. Wm. Harrison. The committee expresses its gratification at the growth of public sentiment and the gradual awakening of the individual and national conscience to the enormity and destruction of the liquor traffic, and it recognizes the continued progress in the principles and aims of temperance reform. The committee noticed the importance of the advance work which is being accomplished by the introduction into our day schools of valuable text books, also in the Sunday-schools. The committee recognizes the fact that the strength and success of all agitation for temperance legislation depends upon the voice cast, and strongly recommends people at all elections to use their influence and ballots for carrying out of the great principles of temperance. Down With High Prices For Electric Belts. —\$1.55, \$2.65, \$3.70; former prices \$5, \$7, \$10. Quality remains the same—15 different styles; dry battery and acid belt—mild or strong current. Less than half the price of any other company and more home testimonials than all the rest together. Full list free. Mention this paper. W. T. BAKER & CO., Windsor, Ont.

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—Mr. Mercer will shortly make a month's tour through French-Canadian towns in the United States, and deliver his lecture on the "Independence of Canada." —The inquest at Amherst on the body of a woman named Margaret Reynolds, who, on Saturday, was killed and frightfully mangled on the railway resulted in a verdict of accidental death while under the influence of liquor. —When steamer Lake Huron arrived at Montreal on Tuesday from Liverpool, the passengers reported that Wm. J. Stewart, a wealthy ship broker and owner of Liverpool, had committed suicide while almost in sight of Montreal. —Archbishop Tache, St. Boniface, Man., has published an open letter to Mr. Tarte, in which he replies to and very emphatically denies the gentleman's statements asserting that Mr. Chapleau, in the name of the Federal Government, had entered into negotiations with him (the archbishop) respecting the Manitoba School Act, and that a compromise had been agreed upon. —British and Foreign. —Minard's Liniment cures distemper. —It is expected that the general parliamentary elections in France will be held in August. —A Paris despatch of July 1st says: Count Ferdinand de Lesseps' condition has suddenly become worse. —All the Berlin newspapers except the Postische Zeitung admit that the government is sure to have a majority upon the Army bill. —Dr. Cornelius Herz, who next to Baron Reineck was the central figure in the Panama scandals, died at Bourne-moore, an English watering place, on Monday. —In central and eastern Germany the distress caused by the drought is extreme. A special cable dispatch to the Toronto Mail says several cases of peasants going insane in consequence of their losses have been reported. —The statue of the Queen, the work of Francesco Bassetti, her Majesty's youngest daughter, was unveiled in Kensington Gardens Wednesday. The weather was delightful, and the ceremony was performed personally by the Queen. —To meet the depreciation of silver, some Mexican banks suggest that the United States issue a five hundred million dollar gold loan at four per cent., which would be immediately taken up in Europe, and would drain that continent of gold and force the general adoption of bi-metallicism. —Use Skoda's Discovery, the great blood and nerve restorer. —President Cleveland has issued a proclamation calling an extra session of congress on August 7th. —Owing to the action of the Indian government in regard to ceasing minting silver coins, silver has depreciated to thirty percent an ounce, and at that price an American silver dollar is worth only a fraction over fifty-eight cents.

Deaths.

LAWSON-DUKE.—At Fairville, June 13, by Rev. C. H. Martell, David Lawson, of Alice Duke, both of Fairville, B. C. PATRIQUIN-CARD.—At the residence of the bride's father, Mr. J. M. Card, Billtown, June 14, by Rev. E. C. Baker, George H. Patriquin, of Wolfville, and Mabel M. Card, all of Kings Co., N. S. McDONALD-COCHRANE.—At Colonial Hotel, Halifax, June 29, by Rev. A. Cooney, James W. McDonald, of Nine Mile River, Hants Co., N. S., to Emma R. Cochrane, of East Gore, Hants Co., N. S. GRANT-NOWLAN.—At the residence of the bride's parents, June 15, by P. D. Nowlan, William M. Grant, of Port Lorne, Annapolis Co., to Effie A. daughter of John G. Nowlan, Esq., of Havelock, Digby Co. Deaths. FREDERICK.—At Benton, June 21st, Richard Frederick, aged 56 years. He was a faithful member of the Baptist church, and will be greatly missed by his many friends. He died in peace. May God support the sorrowing widow. MENIAC.—At Brookline, Mass., June 21, Lucy, beloved wife of Joshua Meniac, Sister Meniac was baptized by Rev. P. A. Shields. Her remains were interred in the cemetery at Port Medway, Sabbath evening, June 25th. She leaves a husband and four children to mourn their loss. GOODICK.—At Sand Point, N. S., of consumption, on Thursday, May 11, Eliza Goodick, aged 25 years, daughter of Wm. D. Fish. She was a good suffering death came as a sweet release. She had been a consistent member of the Baptist church for some eight years. MCLINTON.—At her residence, Lege Dufferin, Charlotte Co., June 21st, Edith McLinton, aged 21. Deceased was a member of the Lege Baptist church, a faithful Christian girl, patient under suffering and unwavering in her faith toward God. She will be greatly missed in the community where she resided. BALMAIN.—At Wickham, Queens Co., on the 23rd June, Hannah, beloved wife of James Balmain, aged 64 years, daughter of the late John Estabrook, of Upper Gagetown, and grand-daughter of the Rev. Elijah Estabrook, of blessed memory. She was baptized in 1847 by her many friends. She was a good woman. Departed to be with Christ. WRIGHT.—At Lower Covertdale, Albert Co., Elizabeth, the beloved wife of James Wright, aged 49 years. She professed faith in Christ many years ago and adorned her profession with a well ordered life and godly conversation. Hence she has had no fear of death and bore her last illness triumphantly, patiently waiting her Master's call to take possession of her eternal rest. LAY.—At Laver Settlement, Charlotte Co., June 15, William Laver fell asleep in Jesus, aged 78 years. For nearly 60 years he loved and served the Master. A faithful member of the Rolling Dam Baptist church, he will be greatly missed, and most sincerely mourned. Earth is poorer and heaven is richer for his death. The large number of people that attended his funeral sufficiently attested his worth. A wife, one son and two daughters constitute the remnant of his family. Two others having preceded him to the other shore. TINGLEY.—At Middle, Sackville, on the 17th inst., Josiah Tingley, aged 82 years. Our departed brother was one of the prominent workers in the Sackville Baptist church for more than half a century. He was a clerk of the church for more than forty years, and he has always interested himself in the advancement of the Redeemer's kingdom. He represented a generation which has almost disappeared, only a few of his youthful companions being still left among us. His death was sudden and unexpected. "Ye say to the righteous that it shall be well with him; for they shall eat the fruit of their doings." CANN.—At Fourchu, June 21, after a lingering illness of consumption, Isaac Watson, beloved son of Geo. and Mary Ann Cann, aged 18. Our young brother was baptized in May, 1885, by the Rev. Isaiah Wallace. He was a student with patience and resignation to his Lord's will, and when asked if he felt assured that his sins were forgiven, the firm answer was, "Yes." He was bright and intelligent, loved by all for the sensible and manly disposition. We tender our sympathy to the bereaved father and mother, three brothers and one sister, who deeply mourn their loss. COCHRAN.—Mrs. Cochran passed away here at Fairville, on the 25th day of June, and our dear brother, with the children, are left to mourn the loss. And the loss is a sad one; for she was a faithful wife, a kind mother, and a warm hearted friend to all who enjoyed her acquaintance. There are four children—three daughters and one son—altogether with the father, they deeply feel this sad bereavement. They have the kindest sympathy and the earnest prayers of many friends. Beatrice Cochran was the daughter of Asa and Lovina Knowlton, of Newport. She was therefore a grand-daughter of the late Rev. George Dimock, born Dec. 30th, 1824; baptized at Newport by Elder William Burton, Jan. 8, 1850. She was united in marriage with Mr. Cochran by the late Dr. Tupper, on the 18th of June, 1878; and as the death occurred on the 25th of June, 1899, there were one week and twenty years of married life. And they were twenty years of quiet service for the Master. Bro. Cochran removed to Wolfville last October. Mrs. Cochran was ill at the time, but it was hoped

that the change might be beneficial. But this it seems was not to be. After eight months of intense suffering she went at liberty. She was fully ready and willing to depart to be with Christ, which for her is far better. May God bless and sustain the bereaved ones. COREY.—At Butterut Ridge, on the 5th of June, of paralysis, James G. Corey, aged 71 years. Bro. Corey was baptized as New Canadian and united with the New Canadian Baptist church. In 1886 he united with the Butterut Ridge Baptist church, during the well remembered revival of the Rev. J. W. S. Young. The church to-day mourns a member beloved for his Christian zeal, godly walk and conversation. He leaves a wife, four sons and four daughters, besides a number of relatives and friends to mourn the loss of one of the kindest of Christian fathers, a good neighbor and a worthy example, both in industry and religion. The funeral service took place on the 7th, conducted by the pastor, Rev. J. P. Brown. MANTHORN.—At Port Medway, June 1, aged 92 years, Deacon Curtis Manthorn. Bro. Manthorn was baptized by Rev. S. N. Bentley, in 1855, appointed to the office of deacon in 1880, which office he most efficiently filled until his death. Bro. Manthorn, having been of more than ordinary ability in prayer and exhortation, possessing a wonderful knowledge of the Bible, with the truths of which he seemed most thoroughly conversant before. "The light of eternity" to the little church worshipping here, and his place cannot be easily filled. He took a great interest in the Sabbath-school, acting either as superintendent or teacher for a number of years. His brief illness of two months was so severe that it was evident from the first that his prospect of recovery was small. No one realized the fact better than himself. He had been a consistent, helpful member of the Baptist church for thirteen years, having been baptized by Rev. Edw. Hickson, M. A., his brother-in-law; but he frequently told those who watched that his spirit grew stronger in his bodily weakness than ever before. "The light of eternity," he said, "was shining on his waning life. The dawning of heaven was so bright that he wondered what his fullness must be. He leaves a large collection of friends and relatives, of whom his daughter, by his first wife, who had long preceded him, his widow and two younger daughters must feel their loss most deeply. "The path of the just is as a shining light that shines more and more unto the perfect day." NEEDHAM.—Mrs. Edward Needham, an esteemed member of the Baptist church, Charlottetown, P. E. I., departed this life at Ottawa, on the 13th of June. She died at the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. Frederick Johnson. Before leaving the island Mrs. Needham arranged all her affairs, and on her arrival at her daughter's home she said, "I have come home to die." And these words indeed foreshadowed the coming event. Her sufferings were intense, but she bore them patiently, sustained by an unflinching trust in the Saviour whom she had loved and served for over 40 years. The Lord graciously spared His hand-maiden to see her 70th year. By request to her, and a few friends belonging to the Baptist church, Ottawa, the Lord's Supper was administered in her room the week before she was called to the higher communion of the saints on the heavenly heights. It was a touching and impressive scene, the representatives of three generations observing the solemn rite. The day before her death a daughter from Lowell, Mass., arrived just in time to see her mother before consciousness had fled. In a lovely spot in Beechwood cemetery her remains were interred on the 14th, there to rest until the morning of the resurrection. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. G. W. Corey, M. A. May the Lord comfort our bereaved friends and their family, and may they form a part in an unbroken circle in the stainless and deathless land.

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—The closing exercises in with the Provincial Normal Tuoro, took place June 29th, Puerto to have been of unusual interest. A brief review of the session given by Principal Calkin, it appeared that the attendance school had been large and of the province represented. A city and educational training the past three months there in attendance an advanced class, known as the "A" class, class are included graduate house, Acadia, Sackville and Xavier colleges. One of the on the programme of the class was an address on Education Prof. Keirstead, of Acadia Co. This address the Halifax Chronicle. "It was clear and logical, ment, rich in thought, sound, conclusions and delivered with ease and eloquence which action and awakened enthusiasm estimate of the dignity of the profession is a high one, but in and the principles which under were elucidated with a clear and unflinching illustration of which bespoke a thoughtful trained to draw practical conclusions. "MANY of our readers, we delighted and benefited in our short religious articles frequently published in our columns, from Dr. Cuyler, the widely honored Presbyterian minister of York. As a writer of such is peerless. Dr. Cuyler was, on a visit to Montreal in 1884, the great Christian Endeavorer. The Witness thus described "A beautiful personality, queable cheerfulness, a perience written on his brow, is set the seal of hope, a wondrous softness, a voice of power and sweetness, a presence benignity—such is the man known and loved by millions never seen him." The late John the founder of the Witness, was friend of Dr. Cuyler. In the an "interview" the question "What, Dr. Cuyler, at this with your experience and your knowledge of many lands, is it of the gospel of Christ for this venerable man put his face in for a moment. "I am not a politician," he said, slowly and "I have been in the active and tion work for nearly fifty years not disposed to dream dreams hope for a sudden universal Phillips Brooks saw things the future of the world. I recognize the force of Mr. J. and I have joined hands in more than one movement which with back rest. But then, I conquerably cheerful presence waves ebb and flow, but the mounts higher on the beach, an old Christian woman at the revolutionary war, who was scared of the Indians. "Oh, the Indians," said a friend, "reigns." "That's all right," "I know as well as you that reigns. What I'm afraid of plagues Indians." Some of this. "We know the Lord reigns in the force of evil that holds said Dr. Cuyler, with an exultant, "this world belongs to God, know what to do with it as I'm pleased, myself, or the C. E. A.



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