

General News.

Mr. Gilford Fawcett, Ottawa, planted last spring a quarter of a pound of a new variety of potato called the "Beauty of Hebron," and obtained the large yield of 44 lbs. or 176 bushels from one. John Fawcett, of Sackville, N. B., obtained 40 lbs. from the same quantity.

A despatch from Auckland says that in some of the Maori tribes the greatest disaffection prevails, bordering upon an open violation of law, which, but for the presence of some local Waiakato, would momentarily culminate in a blaze.

The aim in the manufacture of Messrs. Tuckett & Billings' "Myrtle Navy" tobacco is to develop and retain the natural aroma of the tobacco. This requires great skill and a knowledge of very interesting chemical laws, but the results attained are vastly superior to all forms of flavoring extracts.

And now the return exodus is commencing. A correspondent of the Plain Dealer says: "A twenty-five man party returned to Antigonish in December from Leadville, Colorado. A Mr. Cameron writes home to his family that he would not stay out there this winter for forty dollars a day. One of the party has died of mountain fever, and the times are very hard, although a little improved at present, which causes their delay until December."

The contemplated reorganization of the Indian army is already causing an internal disaffection amongst the native troops. A Bombay cable says that without the utmost prudence is maintained a grave and serious difficulty will assuredly manifest itself, even amongst some regiments which were recruited upon the best extreme loyalty during the last Mutiny. Although apparently a very simple task, it will unless the utmost precautions are taken, resolve itself into an extremely difficult problem, and end in a situation which may prove inextricable in its solution.

A Toronto Physician.—Dr. J. C. Miller, K.V., owns a three year old filly, Daisy Miller, by Administrator by Byedyk's Hambletonian, out of Alice by Waxy, and if reports are true, she is the most wonderful trotter in the world. She trots usually a two minute gait, but the owner will not allow her to be trotted more than an eighth of a mile at that gait. With less than ten days spending, it is said she trotted an eighth of a mile in 15 seconds, and repeated it the next day without a skip. She is a beautiful bay 16 hands, extra fine style and way of going. Who will say that some horses will not in the war future trot a mile in two minutes.—Maine Breeder, Kennebunk.

One of the most remarkable men in the United States is the blind president of the Hertsford Manufacturing Company of Bristol, R. I., from which the company takes its name. He is entirely blind, and yet he invents and constructs torpedo boats and small steam vessels for Government in all parts of the world. His steam launches glide through the water at the rate of twenty miles an hour. He builds a launch in which steam can be got up in six minutes, which can be carried on board ships as an ordinary ship's boat, which will contain water and coal enough to run 200 miles. Mr. Hertsford can do much more than an ordinary sized steam launch, his lines, methods of construction, etc., by feeling, as others can by seeing, and he goes on inventing and building just as fast as his eyes were closed forever.

The Immigration into the United States during the year ended June 30 was 457,257, as follows:—At New York, 263,782; San Francisco, 81,628; Boston, 34,062; Philadelphia, 21,727; Baltimore, 17,384; San Francisco, 7,153; all other ports, 18,820. Of arrivals, there were: From Europe, 247,147; from Asia, 5,822; from America, 101,681. The emigration from Europe was as follows: Great Britain and Ireland, 144,276; Germany, 81,628; Sweden, 39,186; Norway, 19,895; Austria, 12,904; Italy, 24,327; Denmark, 6,576; Switzerland, 6,156; Russia, 4,854; Hungary, 4,263; France, 4,212; Netherlands, 3,241; Holland, 2,177; all others, 1,142. The immigration from the American continent including British North American provinces, 99,706.

The farmer delegates from England were much pleased with the Annapolis valley—the "garden of Nova Scotia"—and although they thought it well suited for apple-raising, its principal use at present, they believed English farmers could make much more out of it than is being made, and, having heard prices of land quoted, considered that English farmers could be got to buy farms there and work them at a profit. The grass of the Maritime Provinces they considered superior to that of Ontario, in fact, the best they had seen since they had left England. Of potatoes, the same opinion was expressed; in Quebec and Ontario, the superior quality were poor in quality. Manitoba potatoes were next to the Maritime. They regarded the fruit-growing capabilities of Ontario as very great, but not thoroughly known. Stock raising for export would quickly become a leading industry in the Maritime Provinces if they had the requisite shipping facilities.

An amusing incident occurred during the Governor-General's visit to Hamilton, as thus described in the Mail: "An amusing incident in connection with his Excellency's drive to Dundas was the conduct of the driver of a wagon upon which were piled gigantic invitations to the public to invest their surplus funds in Vegetine. Just as the Governor-General came out of the railway station yard the Vegetine wagon took a place behind his carriage, and kept that position, to the annoyance of drivers of carriages which formed part of the cortege, for some distance. After repeated efforts the second carriage succeeded in passing the Vegetine wagon, and from that moment the Vegetine man's faculties seemed to fade him. After his Excellency had viewed the Zeppelin man for the procession, the Vegetine wagon, it seems, followed the procession closely during the entire march through the city, and when the vice-regal carriage joined with the fire brigade the Vegetine man was not disposed to surrender his place. One of the police, however, interfered, and forced the man of medicine out of the way."

Dr. Tanner's Coming East. 70 YEARS PLACE IN LONDON, AND TO ILLUSTRATE THE ADVANTAGES OF TESTALISME.

It having been printed that Dr. Tanner had become a testalist, a San reporter went to see the great doctor to learn why. The little man was found at the residence of Dr. Gunn, looking bright and strong, and eager to talk about his fact. "I am temperance man; that's so," he said; "but it's no new thing with me. I have been a regular testalist for not only from all alcoholic drinks, but from tea and coffee, for years."

"I can give you a bit of news," continued the Doctor. "I am making arrangements with Dr. W. Richardson of London, to fast there. Dr. Richardson has

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