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**News Summary.**

**DOMINION.**

—The granite business at St. George is flourishing, all the works being run to their full capacity.

—A. L. Light has submitted a scheme for a protection wall around the cliff at Quebec at a cost of \$100,000.

—The farmers of North River, N. S., are organizing a butter and cheese factory on the co-operation principle.

—Moncton is making an experiment with asphalt sidewalks, which, if satisfactory, will be adopted altogether.

—The drought at Magdalen Islands has been so great that farmers have had to give the cattle their milk to drink.

—Fifty years ago the site of Westville, N. S., was sold for a cow; today it is the business home of thousands of miners and their families.

—The last two cargoes of the steamer Forest City, from Annapolis to Boston, were valued at nearly \$13,000, principally of apples, horses and eggs.

—John McGillivray, of Ohio, Antigonish Co., has discovered a rich 20 inch lead of gold at Folly Mountain, N. S., near the I. C. R. track.

—Mr. A. R. D. Mitchell, of Pugwash, has taken over two and a half tons of honey from his bees this season. He has now between sixty and seventy colonies.

—The Springhill Water Company has been organized. Ten acres of land have been purchased from C. Schurman, and contracts are to be let at once for the necessary work and pipe laying.

—The profits of the New Glasgow Steel and Forge Company last year amounted to \$51,566, out of which an eight per cent. dividend was paid to both preferential and common stock holders.

—A prominent lumber operator of Fredericton states that fully \$200,000 worth of logs will be got to the St. John market this fall in consequence of the recent rise of water in the main St. John river.

—The British Pacific squadron at Victoria, B. C., will, it is said, test the Canadian anthracite coal on war vessels with a view of adopting it in preference to Welsh coal if the experiments prove satisfactory.

—The New Albion mine gives evidence of being a bonanza to its owners. In the first week of the current month \$7,000 worth of gold was taken out of this mine, which is situated in the Montague district.

—Mining operations were commenced on a southern spur of the North mountain, about four miles north-west of Bridgetown, by Colonel Hilly of Camden, N. J. He has obtained leases of land, in which to mine for iron.

—A valuable and large manganese iron ore deposit situated about seven miles out of Bathurst and owned by station master Payne and others of Bathurst, Chatham and Newcastle, was sold to American capitalists for fair figures.

—In 1878 flour and grain to the value of \$13,736,000 was imported into Canada for home consumption, while last year the value so imported was only \$2,206,000, consisting chiefly of flour for British Columbia, and corn and cornmeal for the Eastern provinces.

—At Woodstock, a vote of property owners was taken on the question of erecting a stand pipe or small reservoir for the water works, involving an outlay of probably within \$10,000. The vote stood 67 for, with an assessed value of \$298,500, and 31 against, with an estimated property of \$221,000. Tenders have been received for construction.—*Gleaner.*

—Mr. J. H. Eldridge, pilot of the steamer City of St. John, has invented a new fog alarm for steamers, lighthouses, etc. Hon. L. E. Baker has purchased a third interest in the invention, and it has been patented in Canada and will be in the United States and Europe. By this invention a deduction of sound is obtained and the whistle can be heard fully one-third farther than by old systems.—*Yarmouth Times.*

—A maize plant 16 feet high, grown on the farm of A. G. McBean, Lunenburg, was exhibited in Montreal. There is a whole field of it of equal height. On the 1st of July it was two feet high, and when cut a few days ago 16 feet high, showing an average growth of two inches a day. This corn is grown for ensilage and the field yielded 40 to 45 tons per acre. Another field of corn in the neighborhood measures 18 feet in height.

—Messrs. Rhodes, Curry & Co. have a contract for the erection of the immense building at Fort Lawrence dock, to contain the engine, boiler and machinery for the hydraulic lifts for the ship railway. It is to have a concrete foundation of five to ten feet in height, and the superstructure will be brick with stone trimmings. The ground size is 96x56 feet. The contract price about \$20,000. The cement for the foundation alone will cost \$6,000.

—Is a Canadian institution to revolutionize the old methods of life insurance? The experience of the Dominion Safety Fund Life Association will be watched with keen interest by all life insurance managers, and if the small deposit it requires be found sufficient, as we think it will, to hold the members together, then there is no doubt but the system, with its main features, is being adopted very generally by all the companies.

—On the 7th ult., a large whale came in at high tide inside the reef at Kennedy's shore, Waterford, P. E. I. As the tide was falling, he was discovered by Mr. Thomas Butler, of Waterford, who got into a boat and rowed out towards the monster. His whalship became frightened and made for sea, but grounded on the reef, where he was captured. He was towed ashore at the following high tide, and the next day, hundreds of people visited the curiosity. The creature was 42 feet in length, Mr. Butler, who cut him up on Monday, says that he yielded 500 gallons of oil.—*Summerisle Journal.*

—It cost \$2.00 to cure Michel, Lebbeter of Antigonish, of terrible Dyspepsia. He took King's Dyspepsia Cure, and now says, "Dyspepsia has no excuse for suffering when they can get this medicine." \$1.00 box, druggists and dealers.

—One day last week the revenue taken by the customs of Charlottetown amounted to nearly \$9,000 on full importations of dry goods. This duty represents a value of about \$30,000.

—M. Eiffel, the builder of the great tower in Paris, is to visit Quebec after the close of the Paris Exposition to consult the long-talked-of bridge over the St. Lawrence, at a cost of \$6,000,000.

—The coal business at Parrboro, N. S., is booming. The company have received a number of large orders from the United States, which is owing, no doubt, to the superior coal they have been shipping of late.

—Mr. W. W. Stewart, of West River, Lot 47, shot three young bears with one shot recently. The bears were coming around the end of a windfall, and Stewart getting them in range fired, killing two of them on the spot. The third was found a few yards away under a bush, dead.

—While the St. Andrews weir-owners have been wrestling with horse mackerel, the fishermen of West Quoddy Bay have been fighting bigger game. A few days ago a large whale was captured in one of the weirs. He proved himself to be a tough customer and great sport was had in the capture. He measured 22 feet, 6 inches in length, and about 6 feet across.—*Beacon.*

**BRITISH AND FOREIGN.**

—The actual consumption of sugar by the people of the United Kingdom was 1,083,000 tons. The consumption in 1888 was 100,000 tons more than in 1883.

—Fifteen hundred and fifty-eight million letters, or forty-one per head of population, were delivered in the United Kingdom during the year which ended the 31st of last March. Besides that there were 800,000,000 postal cards, newspapers and parcels. The telegraph service showed a deficit of \$240,000.

—At the Paris Millers' Congress, Prof. Grandjean presented a statistical report of the wheat crop of the world, putting the yield of the great wheat growing countries as follows:

United States	485,100,000 bushels.
France	276,925,000 "
India	264,823,000 "
Russia	228,500,000 "

Canada ranked thirteenth with a showing of 36,300,000 bushels.

—An exchange calls attention to the magnitude of the trade of London docks, as shown by the recent London lists, which were:

79,000 sea-going vessels entered and cleared from the port, an average of 216 for every day in the year; these vessels having a tonnage of 20,669,000 tons and carrying cargoes of the value of 326 millions sterling. The great bulk of the cocoa, coffee, tea, wool and materials entering into the manufacture of chemical products are imported through London, while the bulk of the wool of the country is practically wholly centered there as well as the continental trade.

**UNITED STATES.**

—The Chicago *Farmer's Review* estimates the corn crop of 1899 in the United States at 2,268,283,083 bushels, against 1,987,790,000 in 1888.

—The present estimated population of the United States is 64,000,000. The annual growth by natural increase and immigration is placed at about a million. The estimated foreign population is not far below 14,000,000.

—A company with \$300,000 capital has been formed on the Pacific Coast to transport lumber, after the manner of the Joggins rafts, from British Columbia to San Francisco. The estimated saving in freight is 66 per cent.

—The Boston and Maine railroad reports its gross earnings for the last fiscal year to be \$13,525,522, and its operating expenses \$8,861,771. The total income from operation and from various sources was \$5,899,231. The net income was \$1,017,758. There was a dividend of 8 per cent. on common stock, and there is a surplus of \$919,179.

—The starch factories in Houlton and that section of the country are running to their fullest capacity. The factories at Northern Annotook are running, but the weather is too warm for hauling large quantities of potatoes. T. H. Phair's seven factories are all in operation and at his Marysville factory over 40,000 bushels were taken in during the first week.

—New York and Chicago are engaged in a keen rivalry to see which one of them shall have the great World's Fair of 1892. Chicago offers to raise a fund of \$25,000,000 to carry the affair on and New York is quite as ready with the cash. John H. Starin wrote to Mayor Grant, of New York, a few days ago and guaranteed \$500,000 as his personal subscription.

—We learn from the *Gold Hunter* of the 21st inst., that the Molega Gold Mining Company's property has yielded the amount of 1,220 ounces of the precious metal within the four months included between May 25th and September 25th of the current year. The value may be placed at \$24,000. The tonnage of ore crushed was 562, which yielded somewhat over two ounces of gold to the ton.

—In the territory between Dobs Ferry and Tarrytown, on the Hudson River, a distance of only six miles, there reside at the present time 63 millionaires, and it is doubtful if any such cluster of rich persons can be found in a similar suburban territory, in any other part of the world. Among the number are men who are in charge of some of the largest railroads, telegraph companies, banks and trust companies of the nation. The 63 persons are upon careful computation, estimated to be worth more than \$500,000,000 in the aggregate.

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**Marriages.**

McLEOD-BURK.—At Port Medway, Sept. 24, by Rev. A. W. Bars, Nelson F. McLeod, of Liverpool, to Mrs. Mary C. Burk, of Port Medway.

CUSHING-KEMPTON.—At Northfield, Sept. 23, by Elder J. E. Blakney, Robbie B. Cushing, of Caledonia, to Addie L. Kempton, of Northfield.

JOHNSTON-McNILL.—At the residence of the bride, Alberton, Sept. 23, by Rev. R. B. Kinley, James Johnstone, Esq., to Mrs. Maggie McNeill, all of Alberton.

McMILLAN-GRANT.—At Upper North Sydney, Sept. 23, by Rev. J. W. Bancroft, John McMillan, to Eliza Grant, youngest daughter of Peter Grant, Esq.

WILSON-CROWELL.—In Halifax, Sept. 21, by Rev. W. H. Cline, Freeland Clair Wilson, steward of S. S. Beta, to Jessie Maria Crowell, both of Barrington, N. S.

CLOSE-SMITH.—At the Baptist Parsonage, Fredericton, Sept. 25, by Rev. F. D. Crawley, Edwin Close, of Macataque, to Alberta Shepherd, of Keswick.

BANKS-SPINNEY.—At the residence of the bride's father, Greenwood, Kings Co., N. S., Sept. 18, by the Rev. E. H. Love, Avery E. Banks, of Harmony, to Bertha M. Spinney, of Greenwood.

LOCKWOOD-LOCKE.—In the Baptist church, Lockeport, Sept. 10, by Rev. B. N. Nobles, Terence C. Lockwood, M. D., to Bessie, youngest daughter of Jonathan Locke, both of Lockeport, N. S.

GATES-CHADSEY.—In the Baptist church, Lockeport, Sept. 26, by Rev. B. N. Nobles, Winlaw W. Gates, of Halifax, to Susie, youngest daughter of the late Joshua Chadsey, of Lockeport, N. S.

COLPITTS-GRAVES.—At the residence of the bride's father, on the 24th ult., by the Rev. A. Palmier, B. B. Colpitts, of Lockeport, Forest Glen, N. B., to Ida M., only daughter of A. Douglas Graves, Esq., of Robertson Settlement, N. B.

**Deaths.**

HILLSON.—At Amherst, N. S., Aug. 2, Mrs. Marjory Hillson, widow of John Hillson, aged 77 years.

RINGER.—At Northfield, of diphtheria, Grace Bell, daughter of Dea. Samuel F. and Harriet N. Ringer, aged 13 years.

MILLER.—At Falmouth Village, Sept. 19, Roy S. infant son of Sherman and Adelia Miller. "A little of earth, but all of heaven."

GODFREY.—At Amherst, N. S., Sept. 23, after a brief illness, Minnie, wife of Fred Godfrey, and daughter of the late Edward Black, aged 22 years.

CARTER.—At Truro, August 5, after an illness of many years, Eleanor, widow of the late Robert Carter, of Brookfield, in the 68th year of her age. Through all the years of suffering the faith of our sister never wavered. Her anchor was within the veil, and the poor weather-beaten bark was kept steady to the last. She rests from toil and suffering in the glorified home.

BENTLY.—Suddenly, at Upper Stewiacke, on Sept. 22, Mary Jane D. Bently, aged 16 years and 6 months, only daughter of William and Selina Bently. About three years ago, she, with others, professed faith in Christ and was baptized by Rev. Arthur Chute. Her exemplary Christian deportment and kindly disposition were the respect and affection of her acquaintances. She was seemingly the centre of attraction in the domestic circle, and was greatly beloved by her young companions. For her death had no sting. She fell asleep in the calm assurance that she would be soon with Jesus. The pastor sought in the surrounding country before a large audience gathered in the church, by a sermon from Mat. 14: 25. Our venerable brother in the ministry, Rev. Obad. Chute and the Rev. Mr. Grant, Presbyterian, were present; the latter took part in the exercises.

ROHAN.—At Digby Joggin, Sept. 25, Ernest Augustus, eldest son of Rev. W. H. Rohan, aged 7 years. While teaching in Port La Tour, Shelburne Co., in March last, he was prostrated by a very severe attack of pleurisy. From this he partially recovered, but the disease was in his system and eventually resulted in blood poisoning. His friends hoped that his constitution was running, but he was hardy, would hold out until he had thrown off the poison; but the drain from the abscesses was too great, and he at length succumbed. Dr. Smith, of Barrington, and Dr. Frits, of Digby, were unremitting in their attentions, and did all in their power to make him comfortable and to restore health, and all their services were gratuitous. May the Lord reward them for their kindness. Many kind friends both in Barrington and Digby gave substantial expression of their sympathy, for which his parents are very grateful. He was buried in the Baptist cemetery at Digby. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. W. J. Blakeney, who was assisted by Rev. R. McArthur. Ernest professed faith in Christ, was baptized by his father, and was united with the Barrington Baptist church in 1884. He died trusting in Christ, and we hope he is now enjoying the rest that remaineth for the people of God.

RUMSEY.—At his residence at Truro, N. S., Sept. 15, Arthur W. Rumsey was called to the better land at the age of 40 years. Bro. Rumsey was a man of great promise. During the few years of his sojourn at Truro, he had commanded the universal respect of the community, for his agreeable demeanor and steadfast character. He experienced saving faith in Christ on Christmas eve last, and at once united with the church at Miramichi. He immediately enlisted in Christian work, of which he never grew weary. The pastor, the church and the community recognized him as a man of unusual consecration and power. But the purposes of the Master called him to higher service. The circumstances of his departure were startling and painful. While preparing to attend the afternoon services of the church, on Sept. 1st, Bro. Rumsey was kicked by his horse. He recovered sufficiently from the shock to regain his home. He immediately became the object of loving care and solicitude. His family, neighbors and physicians did what they could to keep him with them; but in vain. After suffering for two weeks, he quietly, peacefully entered into rest. Bro. Rumsey was an affectionate husband and father, but never mentioned at the Truro News. Providence that had laid him low. His utterances in view of leaving his loved ones

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TREADWELL.—Death, the silent messenger and officer of God, visited Maudgenville, N. B., on Sept. 19, and removed our honored and esteemed Bro. Deacon George Allen Treadwell, at the age of 75 years, six months, and 6 days. Bro. Treadwell was one of the oldest members of the church in this place. He was baptized and received into the fellowship of the church on Sabbath, Sept. 4, 1842, by the late Rev. John Magee, the first pastor of this body of believers. His sickness was caused by cancer in the stomach. He suffered intensely, despite the efforts of wife and children to make him comfortable. Bro. Treadwell was a direct descendant of the Loyalists—his grandfather was a commissary in the British army. He spent his life-long existence in Maudgenville, a period extending over three quarters of a century—"in all the advance which the place has since made, the deceased was always a conspicuous figure, in the elevation of its physical and moral condition." The removal of Bro. Treadwell creates a vacancy in the church which will not be easily filled. He was a faithful officer of the church—true man to his denomination—he was thoroughly indoctrinated, he had a firm grasp of New Testament truth; and consequently had a keen sense of what his duty was—he was the faithful friend of his pastor—a very liberal supporter of the cause. The *Fredericton Gleaner* gives the following description of the funeral:—"The procession was over half a mile in length and contained nearly one hundred carriages, which included people from the surrounding country for many miles on both sides of the river, as well as a large representation from the city." Besides the procession of carriages the people of Ormoco and vicinity had the steamer *Novelty* chartered for the occasion and, as the cortege was proceeding along the road, the *Novelty* was steaming up river with flags flying half-mast high, and loaded with friends of the deceased, who took this mode of conveyance to join the funeral at the Methodist church at Robinson, Lower St.

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