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**SUMMARY NEWS.**

**Domestic.**

Hon. J. E. Wood is en route to the Maritime Provinces from Ottawa.

The date for annulling the Kingston Macdonald memorial is October 24.

The Nova Scotia School of Horticulture re-opens at Wolfville on November 1st.

The Methodist mission board, in session at Montreal, have decided to recall their six missionaries in Japan.

There are 680 men on the payroll of the New Glasgow steel works and the wages last month amounted to \$24,000. In St. John the bakers 2lb loaf sells for 6 cents. In Halifax 2lb loaf is retail at 4 cents,—very good bread, too.

The furless line steamer Damara sailed from Halifax Saturday last with a full cargo, including 8,055 barrels of apples.

A Yarmouth county man with his children made \$600 by picking blueberries in three weeks. They were shipped to the United States.

James Varner, while engaged in splitting stone at Albany, Annapolis, found twenty-eight snakes under one of the rocks upon which he was working.

Mrs. Silas Morton, of New Germany exhibited at the Bridgewater exhibition 12 lbs. 9 oz. of butter churned from 14 consecutive milkings of one cow.

The latest calculation is that 135,000 passengers crossed the Atlantic to Europe this year, and that they spent \$12,000,000 during the time they were there.

Fifty men are employed on work at Marble Mountain, B. C. About 1000 barrels of lime a month are manufactured, and blocks of marble are also being sawed.

The Grand Trunk Railway has settled for \$2,500 with Mrs. O'Farrell for the loss of her husband, who was one of the victims of the Craig's Head, Que., disaster.

The Duluth Fish Company is suing the Canadian Government for alleged illegal seizure of nets, etc., and arrest of men. The claim is for \$25,000.

The hardware firm of John Stairs & Co., Halifax, has assigned. The liabilities are not stated, but there are preferences for \$50,000, of which \$40,000 is to the John Stairs' estate.

The Coxworth copper mine and all property appertaining thereto, was sold at sheriff's sale for \$5,100. The purchaser was Isaac P. Craig, a former member of the company.

The game society offer a reward of \$25 to any person giving information that will lead to the conviction of any party killing or having in possession any pheasant or pheasants.

Mr. W. B. Search will be tendered a dinner at the Manitoba Club, Winnipeg, previous to his departure for Ottawa, where he will assume the duties of Deputy Minister of Agriculture.

Vessel owners and forwarders are petitioning the Government at Ottawa, to keep the canal open on Sundays in future so as to facilitate business. The request will likely be granted.

Rev. Messrs. Crossley and Hunter so successful in evangelistic work in the upper provinces and in St. John, N. B. last winter, will spend some weeks in Halifax by invitation of the Methodist Council.

John P. Morse, of Melvern square, raised 100 bushels of mixed grain, consisting of oats, barley and wheat, from a piece of land containing a little less than 1/2 acres. This shows a yield of 80 bushels per acre.

Another Halifax boy has been appointed to a commission in the British Army. Stewart Lewis has been made captain in the first Battalion Royal Scots, and is now with that regiment at the Chatham barracks.

Inglis P. Goucher, of Melvern square, picked and barreled from six trees of the golden ball variety no less than 86 barrels of good marketable fruit. This tremendous yield, it is almost safe to state, is without precedent in Nova Scotia.

Representations have been made to the Department of Fisheries, Ottawa, from the Eastern Townships that the close season for hump, viz., October 15 to December 1, is too short, and suggesting that it be extended to the 1st of April.

On Thursday Chatham suffered severely from fire,—64 buildings were destroyed, and the loss is estimated at \$60,000. The wind was blowing a gale when the fire started, and it was hard to battle with the flames. 70 families are left destitute.

The receiver general refuses to accept guaranteed notes of the insolvent banks in St. John's, Newfoundland, in payment of duties. This completely shuts off the circulation of thousands of dollars worth of these notes, causing great distress to the holders.

The son and daughter of Recorder Chesley, Lunenburg, were drowned on Monday evening in the harbor. The son, Robert, was aged 19; the daughter, Agnes 17. They were returning from Richey's Cove. Only one child, aged 5 years, is left to the bereaved parents.

In the local contest of New Brunswick there were elected by acclamation:

**Govt. Opp.**

St. John City..... 2

St. John County..... 2

Charlottetown..... 4

Queens..... 4

Northumberland..... 3

Westmorland..... 3

Total..... 13

Minard's Family Pills are purely vegetable.

At Saldor, a station on the C. P. R. thirty miles from Tweed, Ont., fire on Tuesday night destroyed the house occupied by Thomas Lindsay, his wife and eleven children. Six of the latter were burned to death and Lindsay himself was badly burned in attempting to save the children.

The exports from Canada to Great Britain increased \$219,000 in September, and for the nine months of the present year ending with September there was an increase of \$40,000. The imports from the mother land increased \$21,000 in the month and \$100,000 in the nine months.

Richard Baker, aged 13, of Halifax, was shot and killed Saturday night by an equally youthful companion named Ward. The two boys went to the woods shooting, accompanied by an uncle. Ward had a breach loader, and Baker wanted to see how it was loaded. Ward showed him, and during the process he pulled the trigger and the charge of shot passed through Baker's head.

**British and Foreign.**

The ship Tavern in London, which figures in Dickens' novel "Black House," is to be torn down.

Floods, causing death to people and cattle, and loss of crops and property, are reported from many parts of Italy.

At the United Temperance Conference to be held in London in November, there will be discussed a "United Temperance Bill."

The bill reducing the salary of the Governor of South Australia from £5000 to £4000 has passed both Houses of Parliament.

Russia is planning a line of fast steamers to run between Shanghai and Vladivostok, in connection with the Siberian railway.

Last year the Salvation Army raised \$230,900 for their annual week of self-denial. This year they are hoping for \$300,000.

The new American Line steamship St. Paul started on her first voyage to Southampton on Wednesday. She had 959 passengers.

Next Saturday's Canada Gazette will contain a proclamation putting the French treaty in force in Canada, from Monday next.

Again the report comes from Washington that pleuro-pneumonia has been discovered among Australian cattle shipped to Great Britain.

There are 60,000 Japanese troops in Formosa and more are required. There has been some hard fighting; 32,000 soldiers are sick in hospital.

The damage done by the late hurricane to the Western Railway of Cuba, is estimated at \$30,000 sterling, and through traffic is still impossible.

A farmer of Albany, Or., is exhibiting a bunch of 42 stalks of wheat with 924 awns and about 3,500 grains which grew from a single kernel. Another farmer, in Cedar Rapids, Neb., has a cucumber five feet long and still growing.

An artificial larynx has been invented by Prof. Stuart, of the University of Sydney, and tried with success on a man who had lost his voice. The mechanism can be regulated so as to make the voice soprano, tenor, contralto, or bass at will.

The Cabinet of Spain has signed a loan of \$1,000,000 with the Banque de Paris, wholly for Cuban expenses. One-third of the loan is payable between November 1 and 10, and the remaining in instalments, to be paid in December and February.

A dispatch from Genoa says that Dr. Naragino has gone to Lussini in order to inoculate with tuberculous serum Archduke Franz, nephew of Emperor Francis Joseph, and heir to the thrones of Austria and Hungary, whose condition is causing much anxiety.

Austria proposes to deal with persistent drunkards by treating them as mentally incapable and detaining them in special retreats for a term of two years. They may go in of their own accord or on compulsion, in which case they must be tried and witnesses both lay and medical called. They may be released before the time is up or imprisoned again.

**MARRIAGES.**

LINTLOP-BRIDLE.—At Isaac's Parlor, Sept. 18, by Rev. A. J. Vincent, John Lintlop, to Ella Bridle.

SNOW-WALKER.—At 30 Victoria Road, Halifax, Oct. 9, by Rev. Arthur C. Chute, Edmund D. T. Snow, to Mrs. Hattie M. Walker, all of Halifax.

PATRICK-BISHOP.—At the parsonage of the German Street church, Oct. 7, by Rev. Geo. O. Gates, Daniel Patrick to Mary Bishop, all of St. John.

RICKER-WILSON.—At the Baptist Parsonage, Hillboro, N. B., on Oct. 7, by Rev. W. Camp, Norman A. Ricker, to Mary Wilson, of Turtle Creek, Albert Co.

ROY-SMITH.—At the parsonage, Liverpool, Oct. 1, by Rev. Z. L. Fash, M. A., Henry Alden Roy, to Sarah Smith, both of South West Port Mountain, Queens Co.

FREEMAN-HARTING.—At the parsonage, Liverpool, N. S., Oct. 2, by Rev. Z. L. Fash, M. A., Augustus Freeman, of Greenfield, to Ziba Harting, of LaBelle.

MORG-WETMORE.—At the residence of the bride's father, Sept. 25, by Rev. J. D. Wetmore, J. Donville Mott, to Mary F. Wetmore, all of Bolyes Cove, Queens Co.

PHILLIPS-MATHEW.—At Little Glace Bay, Cape Breton, by Rev. John Lewis, David W. Phillips to Cynthia J., daughter of Mr. Theodore Martell, Little Glace Bay.

STEWART-FILLMORE.—On the 1st Oct. at the residence of the officiating minister, Rev. J. E. Fillmore, Sutherland Stewart, of Alma, to Mrs. Annie Fillmore, of Brookville, Harvey, all of Albert County.

**DEATHS.**

JONES.—At Wickham, Sept. 21st, Gordon, infant son of Abner and Maggie Jones.

SCHUBER.—At Wickham, Sept. 25th, of cholera infantum, Pearl, aged 7 months, daughter of Wilfred and Aurilia Scribner.

DEUCY.—At Wickham, Queens Co., Sept. 24th, of consumption, Matilda, widow of the late James M. Deucy, 62 years of age. She exemplified by her life a christian's walk, and died in the triumph of faith.

WERN.—At Gibson, N. B., on the 5th Oct., the two months old child of Mr. and Mrs. Mardock Webb, of bronchitis. My beloved one grew down in his garden, to the bride's eyes, to seed in the gardens, and to gather life.

LUNERGAN.—At Little River, Sanbury Co., Sept. 29th, Edward Luneragan, aged 70 years. His sickness was only for a week, but death found him ready, trusting alone in the merits of Jesus Christ. He found time to pray while living, and when dying was victorious.

CRAND.—At East Middle Sibley, N. S., Oct. 8, after a very tedious illness, Elizabeth, wife of William Craig, Senr., aged 79 years. Our departed sister was wonderfully sustained in her illness by Divine grace, and is deeply and deservedly lamented by her aged and sorrowing husband, two sons, two daughters and a large circle of relatives and friends.

GIPPS.—At Lewis Head, Shelburne Co., N. S., on the 27th September, Elizabeth, beloved wife of Robert Gipp, aged 68 years. Our dear sister's sudden death settles a deep gloom upon our church and community. She was a most faithful and devoted christian and leaves a sorrowing husband, two sons and two daughters to mourn not as those without hope.

BLAKESBY.—West Jeddore on the 29th Sept., sister Agnes Blakesby, widow of the late Benjamin Blakesby, in the 67th year of her age. Our sister was converted in her girlhood days and lived a consistent life until the end. When the hour of departure came she was, though seemingly weak when in health, proved to be genuine and was triumphant in the trying hour. She was a good neighbor, of the Samaritan sort, and a kind, affectionate mother. She will be missed in this community.

HARPER.—At East Jeddore, Oct. 1st, Lawson, aged 75 years, son of Bro. Leonard and sister Josephine Harper. This little boy was one of those rare children who attract the attention of all. Bright, observant, intelligent, often conversed about Jesus and heaven in such a way as to astonish those who listened. The death of this dear boy was a heavy blow for the parents, but they have been wonderfully sustained by the promises of God. Isaiah 43: 2. Many other portions of the blessed Book are well suited to comfort the heart in such trying times.

BISHOP.—At Dorchester, Oct. 3, after a lingering illness, Bro. George Bishop passed peacefully to his eternal rest, in the 50th year of his age. Our brother was the oldest of eight children, and his was the first death in the family. He leaves a sorrowing widow, four brothers, three sisters and two sons to mourn their loss. Bro. Bishop professed the Christian faith at the age of eighteen years ago; and united with the Dorchester church. He lived a consistent christian life until its close. May the Lord bless and comfort those who mourn.

MENYHORN.—At Seal Harbor, N. S., the 21st, John Menyhorn, aged 76 years, leaving a widow, two sons and a daughter to mourn their loss. He died full of years and rich in the faith. With strong confidence he could look forward into the future rejoicing in the surety of the hope which was as an anchor to his soul. Our brother will be greatly missed in the home, in the community, and especially in the church in which his warm affections were centered and where he rendered such valuable service as Deacon and chorister for many years. He has gone to join the church triumphant, there to reap the reward of faithful service here on earth. The funeral services were conducted by the pastor, assisted by the Rev. C. W. Corey, of Charlottetown. Our brother is the dead who die in the Lord.

CUMMINGS.—At Truro, Sept. 25, Beattie Robbins, beloved wife of Selden W. Cummings, Esq., and daughter of the late Capt. Byron Robbins, of Yarmouth. During her five years of married life and residence in Truro, Mrs. Cummings has made many friends whom, by her many admirable qualities of head and heart, she had strongly attached to herself and to whom she is most sincerely mourned. The services were conducted by Ven. Archdeacon Kauback, and an eloquent and impressive address was delivered by Rev. H. F. Adams, pastor of the First Baptist Church. A long procession followed the remains to their last resting place in the Truro Cemetery, testifying to the deep and general respect in which the deceased was held. May Divine grace sustain the bereaved in their time of sorrow.

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**RAYMOND.**—At the residence of her son, James B. Raymond, Manchester, Oct. 1st, Mrs. Joanna, widow of the late Chas. Raymond, aged 95 years. She was born at Hammond River, Kings Co., the first year of the century and had hair to see the end of it but for a fall last spring, since which time she has been bed-ridden. She was a christian in the true sense of the word. She united with the Baptist church at the place of her birth when thirteen years of age, and through all the changes of 85 years never relaxed her hold of the great God and was earnestly engaged with the cause she lived. Her Bible was a daily delight, and Jesus was her constantly trusted friend, but her day waned, her sun set down, and at the eventide it was light. She sleeps in Jesus.

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—It is said that Four Gospels in the time of Christ in the convent on the hill by Justinian. If what experts have that the present par within 50 years of the apostles, this interest is Biblical.

—MADAGASCAR is islands in the world, and 450 in breadth, one upon it for some hand upon it, one. The Hovas have the capital entered. —The Prime Minister of the Queen, banished protectore establish Queen is to remain. The Christian world to the attitude of toward the missions such splendid service.

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—THE REV. Dr. of the Congregation in his retiring address, which was, "The Plinism in Christian work of Congregation duty and our priviled nurture of children training for the m providing the pread destitute places, a houses of worship f in touching the r christian hands; in who cry for help, heroic missionaries parts of this world machinery for this nel as seemed to ously opened are sufficient

alism signifies to us preznacy of the Lot equality of all Chris to Him; the respons of brotherhood in The principle of a free and unshackled spiritual forces, as the divine power w church is the hope ty."—And is no stand for to day? policy all along the these great truths tended so valiant "contradiction of forms and ceremon but an inward spir the soul is knit to it this is the prime re He who has this, in anything else has name he bears.