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NEWS SUMMARY.

Domestic.

—Messrs. Oulmet, Angers and Borell will represent Canada at the opening of the World's Fair.

—A political club has been formed in Toronto to promote the views expressed by Mr. Dalton McCarthy, M. P., on the Manitoba and North-west tariff question.

—One of a number of French-Canadians who have returned to Quebec from the New England States says that there are fifty thousand Canadians preparing to return to Canada.

—The Grand Trunk will shortly put on a fast train for Chicago, which will leave Montreal at seven o'clock in the morning and arrive in Toronto at six o'clock in the evening.

—The church troubles at Mackinong have ended by the churchwardens removing the names of those from the assessment roll who some time since abandoned Roman Catholicism for the Baptist faith.

—Sir John Thompson, under date of April 13, has written to Solicitor-General Curran, expressing the hope that the work of the Behring Sea arbitration tribunal, award and all, will be finished by the 1st of June.

—Sir William Dawson, who has been in the Southern States for the benefit of his health, has returned to Montreal. He was met at the station by the students of the McGill University in a body, who gave him an enthusiastic welcome.

—At a special meeting of the City Council of Winnipeg it was decided to urge the citizens to accept vaccination, and stations will be appointed where applicants for vaccination will be attended to. There are no new cases of smallpox.

—Dr. Buchanan, the Halifax doctor on trial at New York for two or three weeks past for poisoning his wife—a respectable woman whom he married for her money—was found guilty of murder in the first degree on Wednesday evening.

—The funeral, on Friday last, of the late Rev. Geo. A. Ellis, priest of the Roman Catholic church in Halifax, was attended by large numbers, showing the high esteem in which he was held. Deceased was a brother of Mr. John V. Ellis, editor of the St. John Globe.

—The Nova Scotia legislature closed on Friday. During the session 286 bills were introduced, the greatest number in any one year, and 250 of them passed.

—The Robb Engineering Co. are now filling orders for engines and their Monarch boilers for Montreal, Toronto and other parts of Western Canada, showing that the special merit of their goods is appreciated. They now employ about 90 hands, and when they get into their new foundry—which is nearly ready for occupation and will be splendidly equipped with appliances for their work—they will be able to increase their output to meet the increased demand which they are now scarcely able to keep pace with. (See advertisement of this firm in another column.)

British and Foreign.

—Use Skoda's Discovery, the great blood and nerve remedy.

—Mr. Daniel Hutchins, while walking on the railway track about four miles west of Brighton, Ont., last week, observed a down train approaching him. He stepped to the other track to avoid it, and was struck by an up train which he had not noticed and was killed.

—What is likely to prove a cause celebre has been commenced by the Canada Revenue Publishing Company, which has entered an action for \$50,000 damages against Archbishop Fabre for having excommunicated the publishers and prohibited Catholics from reading the *Kenne*.

—The Auditor's Report of the county and parish accounts of the municipality of the city and county of St. John for the year ending Dec. 31st, 1892, forms with an appendix a pamphlet of over 200 pages. It is just issued from the press of G. W. Day, and presents a very creditable appearance.

—The heaviest wind and snow storm of the year commenced at North Sydney from the north and eastward Wednesday afternoon, and continued in violence up to midnight, when it reached the velocity of a hurricane. The snow ceased about daylight, leaving the streets and roads badly blocked.

—Mr. Henry Kelly, of Ancester, Ont., had a narrow escape from death on Monday last. He drank freely from a dinner-can of coffee prepared for his mid-day meal by his wife, and in doing so, according to the doctor's statement, swallowed sufficient Paris green to kill six men. The excessive quantity of the poison taken, it is believed, saved his life. It is stated, but not on reliable authority, that Mr. Kelly's twelve-year-old daughter has confessed to an attempt to poison her father because of punishment for a slight offence.

—We have much pleasure in calling the attention of our subscribers to the advertisement in another column of Messrs. Scovil & Page, of Halifax. They will be found at their new store on Barrington street well prepared to meet the demand of their patrons in the line of goods they carry. As they buy for spot cash and sell for the same, their customers may reasonably expect good value for all investments made with them. This house is beautifully situated and lighted with the largest plate glass window in Halifax. Call, see and be satisfied.

—Latest statistics concerning the Gothenburg system of dealing with the liquor traffic show that the city of Christiania, with 160,000 inhabitants, has now only twenty-seven cafe-restaurants, shops, etc., retailing liquor; Stockholm, with 250,000 inhabitants, 143 such places; Gothenburg, with 106,000, has 40.

—William Townsend, the man under arrest suspected of having had designs upon the life of Mr. Gladstone, went away from Sheffield Saturday last without informing anybody of his purpose. His wife says he is subject to fits and is often absent from home for days at a time without his whereabouts being known. He has been subject to spells of deep depression, but has never shown symptoms of homicidal mania.

—The latest despatches from Honolulu state that, owing to the prevailing uncertainty as to what action Commissioner Blount will take on behalf of the United States, the financial strain is very severe, and it is feared several houses will be forced to the wall. It is regarded as significant in Royalist Honolulu circles that an official despatch, signed by Queen Victoria and counter-signed by Earl Rosebery, is addressed to "Queen" Liliuokalani.

—The London *Times*, according to a special cable despatch to the Toronto *Mail*, says that the British advocates at the Behring Sea arbitration tribunal will not reply to Mr. Carter's prolonged discussion of interesting problems of philosophy and natural history as affecting seals, which properly belong only to the question of regulations.

—A large number of residents of Ulster belonging to the Presbyterian and Unitarian denominations repudiate the resolution in opposition to Irish Home Rule which was sent to Lord Salisbury in the name of and as representing the opinions of the Protestants of Ulster. These Home Rule Protestants have therefore caused a communication to be sent to Prime Minister Gladstone expressing confidence in him and his policy regarding Ireland.

United States.

—Medical experts say that some of the lads of the Ohio Wesleyan University who were branded on the face will bear the cabalistic marks for life, while the condition of some of the young girls whose breasts and arms were burned with nitrate of silver is very serious. The injuries were inflicted by fellow students in a hazing lark. Some of the hazers will likely pay dearly for their fun.

—At Way's station, on the Bare Rocks railroad, four miles south of Somerset, Pennsylvania, a train became unmanageable and dashed down a steep grade with frightful velocity, plunging into several loaded freight cars. Five persons on the engine were killed. On the train were a large number of workmen. Some jumped and escaped with slight injuries. The balance were crushed in the wreck, but how many is not yet known. Seven bodies have been recovered. The road is two miles long and runs to a stone quarry. The grade is about 150 feet to the mile.

—Just arrived, another lot of "words only" 1, 2, 3 and 4, Saker's Sings, \$1.00 per dozen, mailed. Baptist Book Room, Halifax.

—Minard's Liniment relieves Neuralgia.

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ACKNOWLEDGMENT.—I wish to acknowledge a donation of \$40 received at the hand of the good people at Centreville, who, on the evening of April 10, met at Bro. Wm. Walker's, and after partaking of a sumptuous tea and enjoying a pleasant time socially, presented me with the above sum. These sunny spots help a minister in the country churches that are being weakened by removals, and the salary is consequently small. May the dear Lord abundantly bless the prayer of

E. C. COREY.

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As naturally results from taking Hood's Sarsaparilla as personal cleanliness results from free use of soap and water. This great purifier thoroughly expels scrofula, salt rheum, and all other impurities and builds up every organ of the body. Now is the time to take it.

The highest praise has been won by Hood's Pills for their easy, yet efficient action. Sold by all druggists. Price 25c.

A MARITIME ENTERPRISE.—The motto, "Genius is the art of taking pains," has been adopted by the Robb Engineering Co., whose works at Amherst, N. S., we visited a few days ago. An inspection of their works proves that this motto is understood and appreciated here. Perhaps the most interesting feature to those not familiar with what is called "modern machine shop practice" is the system by which each workman forms a part of a great human machine, the object of which is to complete a special product. By a careful division of labor each artisan becomes a specialist on his particular part, and the result is a piece of mechanism as nearly perfect as can be produced.

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O. H.

THE STYLES

Of Boys' Clothing change very little. The single-breasted Sack Suit has been worn for years, and will be worn for years to come. It's the staple article.

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The Tweeds come in a great variety of patterns—Mixtures, Plaids, Checks, Diagonals, Stripes—from the very lightest to the darkest shades.

Right here let us impress this fact. Trust us for a good selection and send us the money. Understand?

Tweeds come from \$3.50, \$3.75, \$4.00, \$4.50, \$5.00, \$5.50, \$6.00, to \$8.50. The Blacks from \$4.50 to \$7.00. If you want it nice, get the \$7.00 Black. Send back what you don't like.

O. H.

THE BOYS'

Straight-cut, double-breasted Sack Suit will be all the go this summer. It's Fashion's freak for '93.

For style of goods they come much the same as the Single-Breasted—Blue Serges and Tweeds.

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O. H.

OUR BEST SUITS

Are for Men that are willing to take care of their clothes. Then we have the rough and ready sort, not meant for dress. Who wouldn't take care of his clothes if he had the right sort—our sort.

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Suit is the leader. \$8.50 buys a light Diagonal Stripe Tweed—very fashionable.

From that up to \$12, \$14 and \$15.

For young men and small men we have made up about 75 Suits from genuine Scotch Tweeds, in fashionable patterns and shades, same style as cut. They are the best made and neatest fitting Suits ever put on sale.

Expect us to have just what you want and at the right price.

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Suits in galore.

Little Kilt Suits, Sailor Suits and two-piece Suits.

The Kilts come in Blue Serges and Tweeds in two styles—the straight button jacket, and the vest front open jacket. Blue Serge, \$2.90 per Suit, for boys two to four years; in Tweeds, \$3.25 to \$4.00, for boys same age.



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O. H.

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—Those who are looking for a bearing on the question: In what can our denominational work be conducted? will be interested in Rev. J. J. Baker writes in a column respecting the way in which mission work—especially that of missions—is conducted by our brethren in the Upper Provinces. It seems quite possible, as we have before stated, that the plan by which the convention board shares responsibility with local boards avoids some difficulties which are incidental to the system.

—A PRIVATE note received a week from Rev. W. E. McIntyre, secretary of the committee which is arranging the meeting shortly to take place in Brussels street church to consider a proposal for a separate Convention. He explains that the committee thought to change the date, because of the prayer of the church, which is to be held on a day of much importance in the city. Mr. McIntyre suggested the 31st, not knowing that the Wolfville anniversary occurred there, but naturally supposing the date. He further intimates that arrangements made with railroad steamboat lines makes it impossible now to change the date. We wrote McIntyre expressing the hope that still be arranged, but as we have to ply up to the time of going to press, we presume that to do so is considered impracticable.

—SOME of our readers are probably thinking that the Convention discussion is occupying an undue amount of space in our columns. It should be considered, however, that but little reference to the subject has appeared in the paper until within a few weeks past, and we have seen, therefore, the question now agitating the minds of our people in this province especially as to how a thorough discussion as possible in the paper previous to the meeting which is shortly to take place, in order that whatever arguments can be presented in support of or against the proposed change be in the possession of the people to be duly weighed by them; so that who are to be called upon at the meeting to speak for themselves or churches in this matter might be in position to do so intelligently. The discussion will not, however, be prolonged.

—THE World's Religious Conference Auxiliary will hold meetings at the World's Exposition on the first of September. We have learned that a number of Baptists in Canada have been appointed on the Advisory Council. This congress invites all religious delegates. Buddhism, Hinduism, and all the denominations bearing Christian names are expected to be represented at this congress. The trifles of the different religions presented by speakers appointed for the purpose. So far as we have learned following Baptists of Canada have been appointed on the Advisory Council: Rev. Keimstead, M. A., Acadia College, Theodore H. Rand, D. G. L., Oberlin College; Rev. E. D. Crawley, St. John, N. B. By the blessing of God may come of the proposed congress of the representatives of the world's religions.

—THE situation in Great Britain respect to the Home Rule bill is present somewhat more peaceful. It was a few weeks ago. The excitement which had been aroused by anti-Home Rule orators subsided. In fact the more agitation discovered that they were going too far, and that the violent statements of the Orange element tending to discredit their cause was British public. The supposed support upon the life of Mr. Gladstone half-crazed man named Townshend had a similar effect. Mr. Gladstone's opponents declare confidently, his faculties are falling, and in several occasions recently in the House of Commons, he has made statements which indicate that his mind no longer serves him as of old. It also that he manifests other evidences of falling power. How far these reports are true, and how far they are exaggerations, for political effect, difficult to say. There is, of course, nothing incredible in the reports. Mr. Gladstone's intellectual faculties are waning, but at all events the reports have been supporting him do not appear to have lost confidence in his ability, and his government is steadily pursuing its course in spite of the formidable opposition which it encounters.