

SUMMARY NEWS.

**Domestic.**  
 — Mrs. Botsford, widow of Senator Botsford, died at Sackville last Thursday, aged 80 years.  
 — The Fredericton company, Boys' Brigade, forty strong, returned from camp at Baie du Vin, via the Canada Eastern, last Thursday morning.  
 — The Amherst Evening News has changed hands and is now the property of Messrs. J. H. Froggatt and E. W. Henderson.  
 — The milk now received at the Sussex cheese factory is about the quantity of that taken there last year.  
 — The old Kennedy house at Moncton was completely destroyed by fire on Wednesday last.  
 — The ten-year-old adopted son of Philip Richard, of St. Marys, Kent Co., was drowned last Monday afternoon.  
 — C. W. Smith, postmaster at Shediac, is dead. He was a brother of the late Sir Albert J. Smith.  
 — The Railway Men's Christian Convention will be held this year in Truro, on Friday evening, Saturday and Sunday, Aug. 24th, 25th and 26th.  
 — The oat crops in this vicinity are infested with a certain insect which causes the stalk to become red and wither.  
 — Reports of a similar nature come from other parts of New Brunswick and from Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island—Sackville Post.  
 — The Dominion Trades Congress will meet in Ottawa this year. On Tuesday, Sept. 1, the following Labor Day, the Council, it is said, will report on several political reforms, such as the grouping of constituencies, "initiative reform" and national manhood franchise; steps are to be taken for aggressive political action.  
 — The Bellinger club, a society composed of those who have taken the Bellinger remedies for indigestion and kindred diseases, held an enjoyable meeting last Wednesday evening. A good musical and literary programme was carried out and several addresses were made. A fund has been established to help those who cannot afford to take the treatment.  
 — Mr. Harry Farlee, of Smith's Creek, while milking on Thursday morning last and while in the act of raising from the milking stool, the cow kicked the hand which held the stool with such force that it severed the outer joint of the middle finger completely from the hand. So effectively was this done that the doctor had only to apply the plaster and bandages without having to use the lance—Sussex Record.  
 — The annual meeting of the seventh district of the F. C. Baptist conference was held at White Head, Grand Manan. This district includes the St. John, Beyer Harbor, and the Island churches, 14 in all. There was large attendance. The reports showed the largest accessions for many years, no less than 182 persons having been added by baptism. The ladies of the Women's Mission Aid Society organized a branch at White Head with a membership of 17.  
 — It is announced that a start will be made in August on the extension of the Equinault and Naininao railway to Coma, a distance of 90 miles, near the Northern end of Vancouver Island. Contracts are being let in five mile sections. Importance is attached to this announcement, as it is considered the first step in the line of a British Pacific new trans-continental railway, which it is intended would parallel the Canadian Pacific, but running east further North.  
 — A sad case of suicide occurred at Elmville, near Alberton, P. E. I., Wednesday night. Robert Stewart, a respectable and comfortable farmer, shot himself through the brain on his own doorstep after the rest of the family had retired for the night. Nobody in the house heard the shot and it was only Thursday morning that the family found his lifeless remains. No reason is known for the rash act excepting that lately he has been somewhat melancholy and morose. He is the second member of the family who has committed suicide.  
 — The fourth annual convention of the Baptist Young People's Union of America began its sessions in Toronto on Thursday. Massey Music Hall was unable to hold the crowd that attended and overflow meetings had to be held in the Metropolitan Methodist and Jarvis street Baptist churches. In the report of the general secretary was included a proposal for legal incorporation of the union and the application for a charter. Addresses were delivered at the several meetings by prominent delegates from different parts of Canada and the United States. Mayor Kennedy extended a welcome to the delegates on behalf of the city of Toronto.  
**United States.**  
 — The roads in California have resumed traffic with a fairly good service.  
 — The St. John, N. B., schooner Marl on is a total loss on Miquelon Island.  
 — The American Senate on Territories, decided to recommend the admission of Arizona and New Mexico as states.  
 — The Cunard Line announces a reduction of its stowage rates or from Liverpool, Queenstown or Glasgow and New York to \$12.  
 — At Sank Rapids, Minn., on the Northern Pacific, an attempt to demute a Northern Pacific train lifted up the engine and shook up the passengers.  
 — Alonzo J. Whitman, at one time a member of the Minnesota Senate, the son of a millionaire, and worth \$200,000 in his own right, occupies a cell in the Central station, Detroit, charged with the forgery of \$50,000 worth of cheques.  
 — The statement is officially made from Washington that the commission which Mr. Cleveland has agreed to appoint under the laws has no power beyond that of making a general investigation which led to his proclamations. It will have no authority to investigate the differences between the Pullman Company and its employees.  
 — Young Brown, son of a wealthy New Yorker, was fined fifty dollars and two months on Friday, July 20, for refusal to support his wife. He had pleaded inability to work on account of heart disease, but the judge decided that

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.



— As to the North-Western crop conditions, the North-Western Reporter from the North-West, the wheat yield this year will be about the same as it was last year, of which there is the prospect for the next week or so is no more unfavorable than it was at the same time last year. In many parts of Minnesota, as well as the Dakotas, the harvest will begin the latter part of the week. The warm, dry weather has materially hastened the ripening of grain in the last few weeks. There are parts of South Dakota where grain will not pay to cut, and in some places cattle have already been turned into the fields. The common estimate for South Dakota, is for one-third to one-half a crop. The southwestern corner of Minnesota is very little better than the average of South Dakota, covering several counties. Other parts of Minnesota are from fair to good. In North Dakota the crops seem to promise well in most of the Red Valley counties, though there is little poor showing north of the Northern Pacific main line, extending some 40 or 50 miles.  
**MARRIAGES.**  
 — COPLAND-EVANS.—At Springhill, July 18, by Rev. H. B. Smith, M. A., Henry Evans, to Miss Maggie Copland, both of Springhill.  
 — DAIVE-McCOLLUM.—At Springhill, July 20, by Rev. H. B. Smith, M. A., Benjamin Dair, to Libbie A. McCollum, of North River.  
 — EAGLES-DAVIDSON.—At Davidson St. Kings Co., June 20th, by Rev. M. P. Freeman, Wm. S. Eagles, to Elsie J., daughter of Jehiel Davidson, Esq.  
 — AYMAR-WINCHESTER.—On July 9th at the bride's residence, by Rev. W. McGregor, Stanley S. Aymar, Truro; to Jessie Winchester, Digby, N. S.  
 — CROSSMAN-STEVES.—At the Baptist parsonage, Davison Settlement, July 4, by Rev. I. B. Colwell, Alfred B. Crossman, to Ella May Steves, both of Hillsboro, A. Co.

**DEATHS.**  
 — HUGHES.—At Campbellton, N. B., Thursday, July 19th, Ida C., only child of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hughes, formerly of Queens Co.  
 — WHEATON.—At Salisbury, July 15th, Hattie, aged seven years, beloved daughter of Calvin and Josephine Wheaton.  
 — HAINES.—At Freeport, July 14, Wendall, two years and four months, son of Roland and Mary Haines, of Dorchester, Mass.  
 — BROOKS.—At Freeport, July 16, of age 18 months, the youngest daughter of Charles and Mattie Brooks, aged 16 years.  
 — WELLS.—In Carleton, St. John, July 15th, Willie, the son of John P. Wells, aged 18 years. His illness was long and trying, but in his death he was happy, trusting his Saviour and exhorting those around him to live for Christ.  
 — PHILLIPS.—At Tracy Station, Sun., Co., N. B., July 16, of cholera infantum, Alex., only son of Leonard and Jennie Phillips, aged ten months. This is the third time death has struck these our friends. May the Master comfort them.  
 — WAGNER.—At Barton Settlement, on the 8th of July, of consumption, Cassie E., daughter of Leoman and Jennie Wagner, aged 16 years. She died trusting in Jesus, and God is speaking in her death to her young companions and many of them are turning to the Lord.  
 — NASON.—At McAdams Junction, N. B., July 10, of scarletina, Sadie, third daughter of Frank and Sophie Mason, aged four years and two months. This little loved one had been ill for some time and seemed on the way to recovery, when a relapse suddenly came and death bore her away. Buried at Tracy Station, Sun., Co., N. B.  
 — FLOWERS.—At Flowers Cove, Queens Co., on the evening of July 13, Elizabeth, beloved wife of James Flowers, aged 57 years. This beloved sister and mother leaves a sorrowing husband, three sons and five daughters, to mourn their sad and great loss. She lived a Christian life. She died the death of the righteous. She has reached that fairer region far away, far away.  
 — CORNWALL.—On April 2nd, Elizabeth McLaren (Cornwall), aged 29. Our sister was a regular attendant on public worship and a teacher in the Sabbath school. Her illness prevented her from being baptized. She was calm and resigned to the Divine will. Her state of mind can be inferred from her own words of faith in the arms of the Lord. The brother and widowed mother have our sympathy and prayers.  
 — WAMBOLT.—At the residence of her son-in-law, Halifax, Elizabeth, wife of Peter Wambolt, departed this life July 11, aged 74 years. She was baptized by Rev. Wm. Hobbs about thirty years ago, and by God's grace has adorned her profession. On moving to Hammond Plains, she united with the church there, and on coming back to Halifax she and her husband brought letters of dismission to the Tabernacle. For over 51 years Bro. and sister Wambolt had shared the joys and sorrows of husband and wife, and on Oct. 13, 1892, had a golden wedding. Our sister used hospitality with out grudging, and for Christ sake the hungry were always fed. Her end was a fitting close for such a life and God sustaining grace upheld the sorrowing.

Ray.—At Weymouth, N. S., Monday, the 8th July, Capt. Robert Ray departed this life after a brief illness, borne with untiring resignation to the Divine will, at the age of 51 years. The deceased had gained a good reputation as an upright and industrious citizen and a kind and obliging neighbor. His funeral was largely attended and much respect was shown for the departed as well as sympathy for the bereaved. Capt. Ray has left a widow and one daughter to mourn his departure. May Divine grace sustain them.

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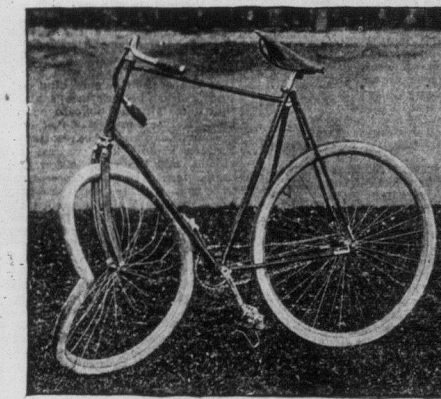
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—For W. B. M. interesting matter  
 —The Maritime to the B. Y. P. U. O. to returned on the most of them did so lieve, lingered for a Upper Provinces. P. R. E. we understood disposal of the del John, and they appe happy company w this city. Here the force—a part of ing the train to tak the bay, while th journey by the rail rectly informed the gates from these pro was between sixty a the larger number o Nova Scotia. It a general verdict that had been a pronou everybody had enjo time and that the Y been more than plea they had met. We give a good des issue to a report of ceedings (furnished B. Y. P. U. departm friends, and particu Union, to be safe, securing the superior excellence culture work. Bro has led the young very efficiently in no doubt, proud of happen to know, a leader.

—The Presbyterian adelphia, remarks aries who are faithf mark on the peopl find themselves app honored servants of they return," and a the Observer mentio and Rev. Dr. Mel Christian men have of God and have accomplish a great wo the one in the New men should be hel both by their own by all the Christia work's sake. At th ought, perhaps, to against a very na make results a mea Wise and faithful gospel may indeed g gracious results ame it may be procla of the Lord shall not some souls are m others to the seed. the process of gett rible than in othe that, other mi faithful than the have been named, and hard and have little fruit of the churches may arize, we may be su the churches and will not fail to be faithful servants, a human vision may suit of their labors.

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