News Summary.

DOMINION.

—The steamer Flushing took fire, in St. John harbor, last week, and was almost destroyed. The loss is heavy, and the insurance is said to be comparatively light.

—Hantsport, Nova Scotia, is doing something in the shipbuilding line this winter. J. B. North is building a 1500 ton ship for the Australian trade; Church & Co., are building one of 1900 tons for the East India trade; and E. Churchill & Sons are building a 1700 ton ship and a barkentine of 700 tons.

—A correspondent of one of our exchanges says Mr. Chandler's prospects of finding coal in quantity in Elgin are excellent.

—The Hopewell correspondent of the Pictou News says: There are four persons within a circle of one mile, whose combined ages amount to 377 years. Would like to hear if any part of Pictou, or the whole province can beat this.

—It is reported a new vein of Albertite has been discovered at the Albert mines, A. Co., and several loads taken out. It is much to be hoped that this very valuable deposit may be found in sufficient quantity to work.

—We also learn that a number of Boston capitalists have purchased "the steadman property" on Crooked creek where gold, silver and tin have been found, and intend to put a crushing mill to cost $25,000.

—The Summerside *Pioneer* says that Mr. Wm. McCallum, of Lower Bedeque, P. E. I., saw, through a spy-glass, on Saturday night, two boats, with four men, in the ice off Sea Cow Head. One of the boats was seen to be on fire.

—A Paisley firm is looking for a Canadian site for a thread spool factory. Ottawa has offered, it is said, a house and a free site; but Kingston is after the enterprise, too.

—A firemen's tournament is proposed to be held in Halifax next summer, to last three days.

—The *Courier* says St. Andrews harbor is still full of fishing vessels, and the catch of herring, for three weeks, has been good. The present price is thirty-five cents a hundred. The fish are principally bought by Americans for their market.

—An Ottawa despatch says the president of France has forwarded a gold and silver medal for the superintendent and keeper of the West End light at Sable Island, in recognition of services to the crew of the shipwrecked steamer A. S. H., of St. Malos.

—The St. John Nfld, ropewalk, recently destroyed by fire, is to be re-built.

—The People's Bank of New Brunswick, has declared a dividend of four per cent.

—Six thousand barrels of apples were shipped from Halifax to London in the steamship "Australia."

—The City Council of Halifax, is taking steps toward the purchase or construction of a new city hall.

—At Fort Fairfield last week, an express train struck a sled, killing Jas. Thebedeau, and fracturing the hip of Jas. Sullivan.

—The length of the proposed sub-way between Prince Edward Island and the mainland is nine miles, and the cost of the subway is estimated at $4,000,000.

—It is said that in the spring a light draft steamer will be placed on the route between Indiantown and the head of Maquabit Lake.

—Joshua Kinsman, of Lakeville, N. S., has a Gravenstein apple tree which has borne 60 bushels of merchantable apples in one year, and averages 42½ bushels per year.

—The joint committees on the union of St. John and Portland have held several sessions and are still striving to reach a basis that, in the judgment of the aldermen, will commend itself to the ratepayers of the two cities.

—The lead and color works of McNally & Perry at Toronto were totally destroyed by fire Friday, through one of the tanks exploding. David Brown, foreman, and Wm. Aikenhead, bookkeeper, were both seriously injured. Loss, $22,000; insured for $9,000.

—Near Campbellton, on Thursday night, a freight train was derailed, and train of ten cars, loaded with flour, thrown down an embankment into the river, doing much damage to cars and freight.

—The local Government of P. E. I. have appointed Premier Sullivan and Provincial Secretary Ferguson a delegation to proceed to England to support the petition recently forwarded there, asking that the imperial Government should use its influence with the Dominion Government to secure the carrying out of the terms of union requiring winter communication between the Island and the mainland.

—A dust storm, beginning on Thursday and continuing through the next day, wrought much havoc with telegraph wires and trees, and seriously impeded travel. Fallen limbs and branches were thickly strewn over the squares, and it is feared that much damage has been done to orchards. Trains were delayed, and telegraph communications was, for two days broken off.

BRITISH AND FOREIGN.

—A London despatch of the 26th, says: The dynamite scare was revived in Norwich to-day by a terrific explosion at Victoria railway station, which partially demolished the building. No one is reported injured. The cause of the explosion is a mystery.

—The police authorities St. Petersburg, have ascertained that a Nihilist plot was being formed, made a descent to-day upon the headquarters of the conspirators in a house on Roe Sapernaja, in this city, and arrested 28 persons.

—The Salisbury government has resigned after being outvoted, during the discussion of the speech, on an amendment relating to allotments of land. The nationalists voted against the government, while, a very few of the Liberals refrained from voting, while the *Pall Mall Gazette* says Harrington and Mr. Goschan voted with the government. There has been since the usual variety of predictions offered as to the future—that Gladstone would not be able to form a cabinet and that a compromise government would be formed; or that the Queen would send for Lord Hartington; or that there would be a succession of short-lived cabinets. The Queen after some delay, has summoned Gladstone for consultation. Without doubt, the difficulties before "the grand old man" are many. He is reported however, as confident, Lord Hartington, has not yet been persuaded to enter the Liberal government. It has been suggested that Mr. Parnell be taken in but his supporters say he would not accept such an offer. His party however look to Gladstone as alone willing and able to have justice done to Ireland, and it is said they will give him a hearty support.

The fact that Mr. Gladstone has announced to his tenants a reduction of from 20 to 30 per cent in rents is regarded as significant. Mr. Chamberlain will be secretary for Ireland.

Later advises say the attitude of Greece is not quite so bellicose. She has expressed some desire to meet the wishes of the powers. It is said Lord Salisbury directed the admiral commanding the Mediterranean Squadron to employ force of necessary to prevent the Greeks attacking Turkey.

—Movosti says that England's action in regard to Greece is merely a pretext for sending a fleet to Turkish waters

—The Porte threats the immediate invasion of Tuessaly.

—It is rumored that the British fleet has arrived at Crete.

—The Spanish budget shows a deficit of more than 22,000,000 piactas. Senor Camacho, minister of finance, proposes the inauguration of reforms throughout the country.

UNITED STATES.

—Mrs Bayard, wife of the United States secretary of state, died Saturday morning. His daughter died just a week ago.

—At Telluride, Col., Wednesday morning last, a snow slide demolished four cabins at the Sheridan mines burying 22 men under 17 feet of snow. Four men were killed and four injured—two probably fatally.

—The crobe levee at Stockton, Cal., which separated the lower division of Colbert's Island from the inside division, gave way on Saturday, allowing the water to cover 35,000 acres of land, of which 12,000 acres were in wheat.

GENERAL.

—During the Egyptian war there were complaints that the British bayonets were not reliable weapons. The Imperial authorities have lately been testing some bayonets, and found in one regiment, 223 out of 600 unfit for service, and out of another lot of 700, 168 were condemned.

—The United States is now sending abroad about $3,000,000 worth of locomotives per annum, the total value of those exported in the last fiscal year being $2,819,956. This, at an average of $10,000 each, represented about 290 engines.

—Six thousand men are on strike in the Connellsville coke region.

The Philadelphia *Record* notices the investment of near $2,000,000 in silk manufacture in Pennsylvania within the past year.

—"Everything for the Garden" seems a broad term for any one firm to adopt, yet the widely known seed and plant house of Peter Henderson & Co., 35 & 37 Cortlandt St., New York, supply every want of the cultivator both for the greenhouse and garden. In their handsome and comprehensive catalogue for 1886 will be found offered, not only "everything for the garden," but all things needful for the farm as well. Our readers will miss it if they fail to send for this catalogue, which may be had of Messrs. Henderson & Co., by sending them six cents (the postage only) in stamps.

—Tutors at Harvard receive $800 to $1200 a year, while the trainer in athletics gets $2000.

—Twenty thousand pounds of salmon are sold in London every day, on the average, three-fourths of which come from Scotland, and half the rest from Ireland.

—It is reported from Naples that a temple, houses, and vast necropolis, with many thousand articles of domestic use, amphorie, bronzes, coins, and at least one important inscription in the dialect of the Samnites have been found near Avellino. The spot is the site of Cluvium, an ancient Samnite town near Meldo.

—Charles L. Webster, the publisher of Gen. Grant's book, will give to Mrs Grant a check for $250,000 as her share of the profits of the book up to date. This is the largest sum in one check ever given by a publisher to an author or his representative. Macaulay received from the publisher of his "History of England" a check for £20,000, or $100,000, and the largest sum Sir Walter Scott ever received in one check from his publisher was £40,000, or $200,000.

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FROM "THE GUARDIAN," BOSTON.

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FROM "THE BUDGET," TORONTO.

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FROM "INSURANCE SOCIETY," MONTREAL.

It is a source of satisfaction to turn from the melancholy exhibition afforded of late by ill digested, if not fraudulent, post mortem assessment schemes, to the record of the Dominion Safety Fund Life Association of St. John, N. B.

The management of this association seems to have been marked by integrity and ability, and we have to congratulate the association on its enrolment as a regular company by the Insurance Department, and on its inauguration of a system which is unique *and certainly has many attractions to commend it to the public.* Insurance which is and will be insurance, and which will yet be cheap enough to be within the reach of the mass of the people, has long been a desideratum, and the best assessment schemes are simply unsatisfactory efforts to solve the problem. One of the most promising and praiseworthy efforts to definitely solve it, is that of the Dominion Safe y Fund Life Association. It is to-day the only regular company on this continent, and so far as we are aware, in the world, devoted exclusively to the business of pure insurance.

The experience of this association will no doubt 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 be, to hold the members together, then there is no doubt but the system, or its main features as all events, will be very generally adopted by all the companies.

FROM "THE JOURNAL OF COMMERCE," MONTREAL.

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Marriages.

HARRIS-EATON.—At North Kingston, Aylesford, Jan. 20th, by Rev. J. L. Read, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Howard M. Harris, and Miss Mary E., eldest daughter of Deacon Edward Eaton.

WOODBURY-NEILY.—At Meadowvale, on the 25th inst., by the Rev. W. H. Robinson, Henry D. Woodbury, of Kingston, to Ida B., eldest daughter of Cephas W. Neily, Esq., of Meadowvale.

PEMBERTON-LYNCH.—At Windsor, on the 26th, of January, by the Rev. Herbert Foshay, Mr. William Pemberton, of Windsor, to Miss Mary Lynch, of Newport.

KEY-LINT.—At the residence of Mr. Charles Parsons, Fredericton, Jan. 27th., by Rev. F. D. Crawley, Dr. Albert Z. Key, of Queensbury, and Miss Irene W. Lint, of Fredericton.

MANUEL-HOWARD.—At Upper Queensbury, York County, on the 20th of Jan., by Rev. J. E. Fillmore, Mr. Pecunier Manuel and Miss Sarah Howard, all of Queensbury.

GANONG-LITTLE.—On the 14th inst., at the residence of John F. Ganong, Long Point, Springfield, Kings County, N. B., by the Rev. E. K. Ganong, Guilford W. Ganong of Springfield, K. C., to Miss Annie E. Little, of St. John N. B.

MCCUMBER-MCLAUGHLIN.— Jan. 14th, Jeremiah McCumber, to Miss Inez Aleda McLaughlin, both of Kempt, Hants County, N. S.

MACKINNON-NICHOLS.—At Jamaica Plains, Mass., Jan. 27th, by Rev. D. H. Taylor, Mr. W. D. Mackinnon and Miss Emma Nichols.

BROWN-FINNEY.—At the parsonage, Melvern Square, Jan. 20th, by Rev. J. Rowe, Mr. Isaac H. Brown, of South Farmington, and Miss Lizzie E. Finney, of Meadowvale.

LANTZ-MCINNIS.—At Hantsport, N. S., Jan. 25th, by Rev. J. A McLean, Mr. Leonard Lantz, of Hantsport, to Miss Amanda McInnis, of Greenfield, Kings Co., N. S.

DAY-SMITH.—In the City of Portland, on the 27th., by Rev. W. J. Stewart, Alfred M. Day, of Wickham, Queens Co., N. B., to Mamie A. Smith, of same place.

Deaths.

CONNER.—Ann, the beloved wife of Deacon James Conner, of Chenecie, on the 13th of January, in the 69th year of her age. She was a member of the Baptist Church of Christ before her marriage, and lived to see her husband and all of her five children give themselves to Christ. If ever she failed to attend the stated means of grace she had a good excuse for it. She was a kind mother and wife, full of sympathy for the suffering, a friend and helper of her pastor. Our brother finds the foundation of his hope to remain firm in the day of trouble. May the bereaved enjoy the continued favor of the Lord.

CRANNEY.—At Shulee on Jan. 10th, Hannah Cranney, aged 77 years.

COMSTOCK.—At Scott's Bay, Dec. 13th, 1885, Mr. Addison Comstock, aged 56 years.

BENNET.—At Canning, N. S., Jan. 6th, 1886, Mr. Henry Bennet, aged 70 years.

GOODSPEED.—At Nashwaak, York Co., N. B., Jan. 14th., Benjamin Goodspeed, in the 75th year of his age. His end was peace.

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There is no lack of so-called cures for the common ailment known as corns. The vegetable, animal, and mineral kingdoms have been ransacked for cures. It is a simple matter to remove corns without pain, for if you will go to any druggist or medicine dealer and buy a bottle of Putnam's Painless Corn Extractor and apply it as directed the thing is done. Get "Putnam's," and so other.

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Do Dried, per lb.	0.05 to 0.06	0.05 to 0.06
Beef in qrs. per lb.	0.05 to 0.08	0.03 to 0.06
do on foot per hd.	7.00 to 9.00	.....
Butter, small bxs. p.lb	0.18 to 0.20	0.18 to 0.24
do ordinary per lb.	0.15 to 0.17	0.15 to 0.20
Chickens, per pr.	0.35 to 0.50	0.30 to 0.50
Eggs, per doz. fresh	0.18 to 0.22	0.22 to 0.23
Hams, smoked per lb.	0.11 to 0.12	0.10 to 0.11
Hides, per lb.	0.07 to 0.07½	0.6½ to 0.7½
Lambs, per lb.	0.05 to 0.06½	0.06 to 0.07
Mutton, per lb.	0.05 to 0.06	0.04 to 0.06
Oats, per bus.	0.45 to 0.50	0.38 to 0.00
Pork, per lb.	0.07 to 0.7¼	0.6½ to 0.07
Potatoes, per bus.	0.35 to 0.45	0.40 to 0.50
" per bbl.	.....	1.10 to 1.40
Pelts, each, Lambs	0.35 to 0.70	0.50 to 0.70
Turkeys, per lb.	0.12 to 0.14	0.11 to 0.14
Veal, per lb.	0.04 to 0.05	0.06 to 0.10
Turnips, per bush	0.20 to 0.25	per bbl 0.70
Carrots, per bbl.	0.70 to 0.80	0.80 to 1.00
Parsnips, per bbl.	0.75 to 0.85	.....
Beets, " "	0.35 to 0.00	0.50 to 1.00
Ducks, per pair	0.50 to 0.70	0.50 to 0.70
Geese each	0.50 to 0.65	0.50 to 0.70
Yarn per lb	0.40 to 0.50	.....
Oats per bus	..... 0.40	0.40
Lard per lb	0.06 to 0.00	0.12 to 0.13
Buckwheat Meal	1.80 to 2.10	1.80 to 2.30

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