

SUMMARY NEWS.

**Domestic.**

—Hon. Peter Mitchell has been very ill in Montreal, but is recovering.

—A roofer named Bourin fell from a building on Notre Dame street, Montreal west, Thursday evening, and was killed.

—The farmers of Aylesford and vicinity are going to start a cheese and butter factory at Aylesford station. They will erect a building and put in the machinery at once.

—At the election in Charlottetown Thursday, the Scott Act was readopted by a majority of two; for the act, 74; against the act, 72. The act was defeated in 1891 by a majority of 19.

—The Monton Presbyterian church has refused to accept a donation of \$151.25 raised by the women at a public entertainment, because there was dancing on the programme. The dancers were the Laman brothers, of this city.

—It is understood that Wm. Wheeler, formerly a prominent man in the distric of the Pender Mill Works Co., is organizing a new company, who will soon put in operation a factory for the manufacture of wire nails. The capacity of the new works, it is said, will be 50,000 kegs per year.

—The story telegraphed from Bismarck, Mont., a week or two ago, saying that a man named Dutcher had confessed to being the murderer at Brampton, Ont., of the aged Williams couple, and for which crime Walter McWhirter is to be hanged on June 1, turns out to have been a fake.

—Gaspereaux were plentiful in the harbor yesterday and last night that the fishermen had difficulty in handling their catches. In Mr. Elijah Toole's weir, the Gold Hunter, on Carleton Place, over six hundred kegs of fish were taken in yesterday afternoon's tide—Friday's Telegraph.

—Chas. Pawcett, of Sackville, will begin the erection of foundry, machine shops, etc., in a few days. The new buildings will be on the site occupied by the buildings destroyed by fire last winter, but they will be much larger. Men and teams have been busy getting the necessary materials on the ground.

—The *Bridgetown Monitor* celebrated its 21st birthday last week by issuing a special edition printed on a fine quality of paper and profusely illustrated with the portraits of prominent men in the county, cuts of public buildings, &c. It is a very handsome double sheet, and the *Monitor* is to be congratulated upon its enterprise.

—Our genial friend, Mr. John Harris, of Wolfville, who is so well and favorably known in his connection with the American House, Wolfville, has purchased the Dr. Brown property at that place. Mr. and Mrs. Harris have conducted the American House for fourteen years and are now retiring from the care of a well-kept Western Chronicle.

—Messrs. E. Churchill & Sons, of Hantsport, have received and news from their barquentine *Brazil*, now at Rio. A letter was received on the 14th inst. from Capt. Robert Lawrence stating that he had lost both officers and most of his crew by yellow fever. Mr. John Andrews, the first officer was a Hantsport man. He leaves a widow, son and daughter.

—There is a steady demand for houses in Sussex and has been for some time. At least a dozen new buildings if erected this spring, would find tenants and would pay good interest on the money invested. If some of our mosted men would realize that this want is keeping the town back, we are sure the evil would soon be remedied.—*Record*.

—The water in the river at Indian-town rose rapidly all day yesterday, and at dark last night was within a few feet of the top of the wharf. The tug *Hunter* left on Saturday for Fredericton with ten scows in tow. The steamer *Springfield* left Saturday for Palmer's wharf. Reports received last night state that the river is free from ice to the capital. The other steamers will leave today or tomorrow.—*Monday's Sun*.

—Dr. Lemarche, professor in Laval University, has entered an action for \$100 against Rev. Canon Brunel of the archbishop's palace, and the suit will be a peculiar one. Professor Lemarche was physician to the reverend gentleman's sister-in-law, who, being very ill, announced that she had been suddenly cured through the intercession of a favorite saint. The doctor claims that it was he who cured the lady in question, and declares that the canon is endeavoring to hurt his practice.

**United States.**

—Three young children at Williamsport, Pa., pulled some wild parsnips from the ground and ate them. One died in convulsions and the other cannot recover.

—The South Carolina dispensary law has been declared unconstitutional, two Supreme Court judges concurring and one dissenting from the opinion.

—On Tuesday morning in Voluntown, Conn., Miss Wilson was found dead. About four o'clock a pet cat was on her chest. The doctors believe death was caused by strangulation from the cat sucking her breath.

—Superintendent Stump, of the Immigration Bureau, has issued an important circular of instructions to commissioners of immigration, collectors of customs and immigration inspectors, which, in effect, extends all of the prohibitive and inspection features of the present regulations regarding transoceanic immigrants to persons arriving in the United States by water from Canada, Newfoundland and Mexico.

—The will of David Dudley Field was probated in New York on Wednesday. Most of the estate is left to Mr. Field's daughter, Lady Mungue, and her children. To the town of Stockbridge, Mass., he gives \$5,000, so that the town graveyard may be kept in order and chimes in the belfry erected be rung each day. He gives \$5,000 to

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his native town, Haddam, Conn., so that Fild Park may be kept in order.

—The Brazilian government makes official announcement that the rebellion is ended.

—The shore end of the third cable of the Commercial Cable Co. has been successfully landed at Waterville, Ireland.

—Sir Charles Russell has accepted the position of Lord Justice of Appeal in place of Lord Bowen, who died in April.

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—The French government has decided to suspend the stipend of the Archbishop of Lyons in consequence of his opposition to the law relating to accounts of church wardens.

—Queen Victoria arrived at Coburg, Germany, on Tuesday and was received in state by the Duke and Duchess of Saxe-Coburg, her son and daughter-in-law.

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JORDEN.—At Gaspereaux Mountain, on the 15th inst. Thomas Jordan, in the 81st year of his age.

HIBBERT.—At Sand Beach, Yar., N. S., April 8, after a short illness, Captain John Hibbert, aged 88 years, leaving wife, one son and one daughter. He died in St. John.

MCKENZIE.—At Newcastle Bridge, Queens Co., March 30, Peter McKenzie, aged 67 years. This dear brother leaves a wife and several children and sons to mourn their loss.

FOOTE.—At the residence of her son at Economy Point, March 30, of a paralytic stroke, Sister Abigail Foote, wife of the late Jeremiah Foote, of Grafton, N. S. This sister was up to the time of her death a member of the Baptist church, Billtown, N. S.

COLDWELL.—At his residence at Gaspereaux, on the 17th inst., Ebenezer Coldwell, in the 79th year of his age, leaving a wife and six daughters and sons to mourn their loss.

MCBURNE.—At Five Islands, of paralysis of the heart, Bro. John W. McBurne, in the 77th year of his age. This brother was a member of the Baptist church here for nearly fifty years.

OUTHOUSE.—At Tiverton, Digby Co., N. S., March 28, Mrs. Maria Outhouse, wife of the late Deacon James Outhouse, aged 84 years. Sister Outhouse was baptised and received into the fellowship of the Tiverton church under the ministry of the Rev. W. L. Parker about eighteen years ago.

STRONACH.—At Margareville, N. S., April 18, of consumption, Isaac M. Stronach, aged 39 years. The church and community have sustained a great loss in our brother's death.

WENN.—At Mace's Bay, Charlotte Co., Mar. 25th, John Wenn, aged 28 years. Bro. Wenn was converted about fourteen years ago under the labors of the Rev. W. J. Stewart, and remained a staunch Baptist until his death.

ROSHON.—Sarah Read, beloved wife of Deacon Holland Roshon, of Little River, Cumberland Co., went to her longed-for happy home April 7th, aged 75 years.

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LaCain.—At Kentville, N. S., December 28th, 1893, Gladys, daughter of Bro. and Sister A. LaCain, aged five years and six months. Little Gladys was a remarkable child of her years, and filled a large place in the hearts of her parents, and it was among the hardest experiences of life for them to give her up and say, "Thy will be done." She came to earth, filled her little mission and left at the call of the Master for a higher sphere than this, leaving with those who loved her so tenderly a legacy of precious memory which the changes of time will never efface.

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