

Local and Other Items

TO BE REBUILT.—St. Ann's College at Church Point, N. S., is to be rebuilt at once.

HANDSOME CLOCK.—The Methodist church at Margate has been presented with a handsome clock by the Messrs. Godkin, of Summerside.

SHEEP AND WOOL.—The sheep are estimated to be 35,672,914 in the United States. The wool of 110,000,000 sheep is required to meet the annual consumptive demand in the United States, and therefore the Americans will have to increase their flocks by 74,328,086 sheep before they will be in a position to supply the home demand for wool.

JUVENILE FIRE BUG.—A 14 year old girl named Lizzie Taylor, was a few days ago committed to the Hospital for the Insane at Bristol Conn., suffering from an acute mania for incendiarism. The child has confessed to the setting of seven fires in Bristol during the last 18 months. Of these fires two destroyed two fine barns and a third partially destroyed a homestead.

LOTS OF WILLS.—The late Hiram Walker made about fifteen wills in the last ten years. Some of them have been found, others have not. There may be litigation, as Mr. Hiram Walker followed a custom all too prevalent among millionaires, namely of dividing his property before he died in order to evade the succession duties, one of these wills may crop up and play the deuce with the legatees.

MARCH OF CIVILIZATION.—Dawson City is trying hard to fight its way towards civilization, remarks an exchange. Drunks are fined \$25 and upwards, dogs are not allowed to run at large, doctors must be licensed, and miners must not allow their eagerness for claims to lead them to make false affidavits. There are clubs, concerts, glove fights and billiard matches; but poker is still the staple amusement, and the female population is said to be still mainly composed of dancing girls, though men are beginning to bring their wives, and there are some other women of respectable reputation.

WHEN PLAGUE ABOUND.—The worst reports of the ravages of the "white plague of the north" come from the city of New York. It is almost unbelievable. In Manhattan Borough alone in the last three years there have been 15,000 deaths from tuberculosis. Five infected tenement houses in New York have sent out 58 corpses in seven years. It is such a disgrace to this country as the great plague of London was to the civilization of that time, and it shows how small an improvement has been made in three centuries in the protection of the public health. There will be a day, it is to be hoped, when this free plague will be restricted, as smallpox is, by isolation hospitals and protective legislation.

HE'S SUSPICIOUS NOW.—The mustard plaster is a harmless looking wafer, but it must be handled with as much circumspection as a woman. There was a newly married man once, whose wife told him to put on a mustard plaster to cure a cold. He had faith in her, and put it on. Then he went to sleep, being gifted with the power of sleeping under torments, which is not given to one man in a thousand. The plaster seemed to him somewhat unreasonably hot, but he argued that the hotter it was the better—besides, he had confidence in his wife. Next day he found a well-developed blister on his chest, and his wife only laughed and said she had supposed anyone would have sense enough to take off a plaster when it hurt him. Though that was eleven months ago, the mark of the plaster is still upon the man like a brand; and he now regards his wife's remedies with suspicion.

Sometimes the most careful women are the most careless. Many a woman bundles herself up, to keep out sickness—when she is neglecting the very worst sickness that can come to a woman. She allows a slight disorder to become worse, to slowly sap her vitality. The little pain and the other slight indications of trouble seem to her unimportant. She goes on, with increasing suffering, until life itself becomes a drag. Nervousness, "sinking spells," digestive disturbances, and fifty other complications may arise from the derangement of the organs distinctly feminine. Over thirty years ago, the need for a reliable remedy for so-called "female complaints" was recognized by Dr. R. V. Pierce, then, as now, chief consulting physician to the World's Dispensary and Invalids' Hotel, at Buffalo, N. Y. He prepared Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, the most wonderfully effective remedy that has ever been used for such maladies.

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STURGEON NOTES.

Our young college students are about to return to their study, some for their last course. Much praise is due to them for their good qualities. We wish them every success in their studies.

The business men of this place who have been buying in smelts all the fall have received returns for some of them and they have done well so far. The smelts struck in the Sturgeon and Oyster river this fall so thick that it was quite easy to make good pay fishing them. These fish have never been known to be in these rivers very thick before.

We are glad to learn that some of our young men are showing good examples to both young and old, and not forgetting quite a number of our young ladies of good society. I must say that they are a credit to the place.

A sad accident happened to Mr. John Creed, sr., on the 12th ult. He had his ankle broken at the hauling of a house. He had taken the job of hauling the house, but the kind friends and people of the place and vicinity moved it on the 16th for Mr. Creed as he would be at quite an expense if it had not been hauled by them. Much praise and credit is due them for their kind assistance.

JOLLY HEART.



Mrs. Wright, of Norval, Ont., experiences intense suffering from Eczema in her feet.

Raw From Her Toes to Her Knees

Dr. Chase Makes a Wonderful Cure.

Mrs. Knight, 17 Hanover place, Toronto, makes the following statement:—

My mother, Mrs. Wright, who lives at Norval, near Doncaster, suffered a summer and winter with Eczema in her feet. She could not walk, and very seldom got any sleep. It became so bad that she was perfectly raw from the toes to the knees. After trying every available remedy without receiving any benefit, and almost hopeless of relief, she was advised to try Dr. Chase's Ointment. She has altogether used 8 boxes since commencing, but with the happiest results, for she is now completely cured. There is but one scar on one of her feet, a memento of her fearful suffering condition. Any person desiring further testimony in this case is at liberty to communicate with Mrs. Wright at her address, Norval, P. O.

Mrs. Knight says after such a grand success, is it any wonder we recommend Dr. Chase's Ointment?

W. H. De Long, Civil Engineer, ex-Warden, and County Councillor, New Germany, Lunenburg Co., N. S., Oct. 28th, 1897, says:—"I had itching piles for thirty years, and have tried various kinds of pile cures, but none gave me permanent relief until I used Dr. Chase's Ointment. I have recommended it to others with the same result."

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