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IN THE GRIP OF THE STORM.

Hamilton and Other Canadian Cities and Towns Damaged.

The Ambitious City Will Have a Hearty Loss of Nearly Half a Million - The Storm King Played Havoc With Railways, Telegraph and Telephone Companies' Property.

Hamilton, Dec. 6. - The most disastrous snowstorm that ever struck Hamilton was the one that commenced here Sunday night. The losses sustained by the telegraph companies, electric railways and telephone company amount to \$500,000.

The telephone lines for many blocks from the heart of the city are down, and so are all the poles, broken like pineapples.

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FOUR PERSONS MURDERED

According to a Story Which Comes From Bruce County.

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OUR WHALE FISHERIES.

What the Norwegians, Samuel Foy, says of the Whales Found in British Columbia Waters.

Vancouver, B.C., Dec. 6. - Samuel Foy, the uncle of the great Foy of Norway, a man known the world over, and a household word wherever whalers live, is in Vancouver with the object of establishing a whaling port in British Columbia.

Samuel Foy says he is at a loss to understand how it is that the British Columbia whales have not been known for so long.

He says the whale will be caught in British Columbia as off the coast of Norway.

Whalebone is worth \$10,000 a ton and from \$50 to \$60 a barrel, according to quality.

Close to Vancouver the head and tail of the whale are found in great abundance.

The blubber and flubber are also found here in numbers.

These whales contain little bone, but large quantities of oil.

The right whale, the largest and most valuable, is found in the Strait of Georgia.

Mr. Foy says that in British Columbia the whale can be caught the year round, and he would guarantee \$500,000 to establish a factory, buy a steamer and pay expenses for the first year, but he would guarantee 17 per cent on that, and expect to make 80 per cent.

Hereafter it has been thought in British Columbia that the whale was not valuable, containing no bone and little oil.

Mr. Foy says this is ridiculous.

He says the whale, the devil fish, the knoe and flubber, that have made fortunes for Norwegians, are to be caught here in abundance.

He says that the whale is a valuable commodity in the hands of the whaler, and that he is shipping in to the States, and that the C.P.R. seem to be the only beneficiaries, who make a good haul in the way of freight.

Mr. Foy says that he is making an enormous undertaking, and although no always a big paying business to the whaler, the very great benefit to the province, always a big paying business to the whaler, the very great benefit to the province, always a big paying business to the whaler.

SMALLPOX IN TORONTO.

A Third Suspect Has Been Taken to the Isolation Hospital - Other Items of Interest.

Only one laborer is to be employed on the new Ontario Hotel.

In London last year there were eighteen murders and in four cases the murderer was caught.

Work was begun on Monday on the new drill hall at Kingston, which will cost \$200,000.

The 25th boat procured from the American Red Cross, which was sent to Old Harbor life saving station, Chatham, Mass., on Monday.

His Honor Irving is now quite convalescent. He has quit Glasgow and gone to Bridge of Allan, near Strirling.

Mr. Heston, M.P., having declined to stand for a candidate for the mayoralty of Ottawa, ex-Mr. Stewart announced himself as a candidate.

The Canadian Engine & Locomotive Works at Kingston will have work for 200 men all winter, it is said.

The factory and shipyard will also be busy.

A petition is being circulated at Belleville for the pardon of Robert Mackie, who was convicted at Niagara and sent to the Dominion Jail. Mackie is still in Niagara jail.

An Ottawa on Monday G. T. Niblock, local superintendent of the London Life Assurance Company, pleaded guilty to the charges of forgery, and was further remanded for a week.

Trumpeter Beckett of "A" Battery, Kingston, who gave \$100 to the Ontario Harrier life saving station, Chatham, Mass., on Monday.

Capt. Marchand has once more reached Fashoda, and as soon as he departs therefrom on his long and tedious homeward journey the negotiations between England and France on their respective titles in the Bah-el-Ghazal district will be resumed.

An investigation into the cause of the late Portland disaster has been ordered.

In this connection, Dr. Williams, a member of the Massachusetts State Board of Charities, after an investigation declares that he thinks the steamer was simply overwhelmed by the terrific sea, and that there was no collision with other vessel or rocks.

Yesterday afternoon a rear-end collision happened on College street at the corner of Clinton street. The Ontario Steamer was being towed by the tugboat, and was suffering from a severe leak and concussion of the brain. Both trolleys were damaged.

At Elkhorn, Man., Charles Wilder, who had come out on the harvest excursion from Ontario, purchased a ticket for Galt, Ont., and put it in his purse, along with \$50 in cash. He walked back to the hotel, where he arrived there, but the purse was missing. A diligent search failed to reveal purse or money. Two men followed him from the station to the hotel, but they declared they had seen neither.

A third woman suspected of suffering from smallpox has been removed from 32 Phoebe street, Toronto, to the Isolation Hospital. On the advice of the medical health officials, the entire household at 32 Phoebe street and 16 Garden avenue have been isolated from the street.

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Signs of Rupee.

Montreal, Dec. 6. - Mr. W. B. Powell is again en route for Montreal, and it is said the G.T.R. telegraphers have reached another critical point.

As a result of the committee of the Order of Telegraphers, at least so Mr. Edward Davis, Deputy Grand Comptroller, yesterday, Mr. Davis has arrived from Toronto, Ill. In an interview, he said: "Mr. Hays questions our complete status. He practically says that we do not represent the telegraphers. Over 85 per cent of the telegraphers all over the G.T.R. have authorized us to meet Mr. Hays."

A New York druggist has made the mistake of putting up strychnine with morphine with serious results.

Emperor William of Germany says he found everywhere in the same time the Germans are highly esteemed.

W. V. Astor has donated \$5,000 towards Kitchener's scheme to build a memorial college at Kitchener.

France has prohibited fruit and plants from the United States. The object is to prevent the introduction of the San Jose scale.

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In our stock will be found Gift Books, Poems, Bibles, etc.

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