

LOCAL & OTHER ITEMS

As there was no foreign mail on Monday our Ottawa letter did not come to hand in time for this issue.
Between fifty and sixty miners are employed in Narni mine Monogohela, Pa. as a result of an explosion of black damp.
John Philip Sousa, the famous bandmaster, died from the effects of pneumonia pneumonia, a short time previously. He broke down during a concert in Milwaukee before coming to Chicago. Then he rallied and finally collapsed.
Eleven miners in the Fernout Gov. Mine Drytown Col. were shut off from the surface by a fire which is raging at the 1,000 foot level yesterday, and all hope of their rescue alive has been abandoned. The miners were working below the 1,000 foot level.
Gordon, who deserted his wife and children, was captured Saturday at Niagara, by an I.C.R. detective, and was brought back to Sydney, where he was brought before Magistrate McLean on the charge of desertion and non-support of his family.
Joseph Crabbe of the firm of Parkman & Crabbe, contractors of the new pier at old Landing at Falmouth, while at work on the first floor of the building fell to the cellar, landing on a pile of bricks and sustained a compound fracture of the knee and the ankle.
The Cunard Steamship Company, in the near future, will secure a share of the emigration traffic to Canada. Negotiations now going on regarding the Cunard Line running steamers direct to Canada. It is believed that the traffic the Cunard people will seek a share of is continental.
About \$10,000 worth of property was destroyed by fire at Summerside at an early hour Saturday morning last. The fire was discovered in the large, wooden building occupied by William Kennedy, druggist, and Clark and Buchanan, grocers on Water St. The building and the contents of the two stores were completely destroyed. The firemen were early on the scene and prevented the spread of the flames to adjoining buildings.
According to reports received at Charlottetown, recent storms on the Black Sea have resulted in terrible suffering and great loss of life. Among the disasters to ships is the formation of off Asia Minor, of the steamer Koplant, 110 persons on board perishing. Numerous smaller crafts have been overwhelmed. The total number of casualties including those lost on the Koplant is more than 200.
Word comes from St. John, N. Y. that the brigantine Lady Napier, owned by the Boston Gordon Estate, Georgetown, while running for shelter on Sunday night last went ashore at Sandy Hook, N. Y. She was loaded with 200 tons of iron. She has a long yard west of Hook Beach, head on, well up on the beach and resting easily, but leaking. The cargo will be removed before the vessel is floated. The crew were rescued by life savers. The vessel was bound from Georgetown to St. John.
The Steamer Stanley, which had been home in Scotland undergoing repairs, and improvements, reached here on return about 8 o'clock Sunday evening. Capt. Brown and his officers and crew, report a very rough passage, from start to finish. Some of the crew were injured during the storm and the deck houses were considerably damaged. Notwithstanding this, the passage from Morville to Charlottetown in ten days.
A London despatch of Nov. 26, says:—The real cause of the Kaiser remaining in England during the late storm is his state visit to the British court to prepare for an operation, which takes place within a few days. The operation will be through the ear, affecting the throat. It touches the Kaiser's original trouble there which is hereditary. The operation is not a serious one. It is merely intended to relieve the throat from being an operation on the passages connecting the ear and throat.
With a piece of metal driven into the calf of his leg by the force of a dynamite explosion was named Johnson from Halifax was taken to the hospital at Pinarco to receive the metal taken out of the leg. Two other men were injured by the explosion. These were Michael Driscoll and William Stee, both wounded about the face and head. That the accident did not result in death is remarkable. Johnson's pipe, carried in his pocket, was shattered into a hundred pieces. The three men were engaged in placing a tin of Negro Head. Wires were used about the boys and to give these good post boys in the rocks, the latter were being blasted with dynamite. On Saturday morning the explosive was frozen. W. H. being thawed the dynamite exploded injuring all three men.
A sad drowning accident occurred in Charlottetown harbor at seven o'clock last Thursday morning. The victim being G. Francis Gilroy, aged 23, first mate of the schooner Alhambra, of Lunenburg, and son of the captain of that vessel. The Alhambra had been loaded with produce by Mr. Feehan of Mount Stewart, and was lying at anchor off Connelly's wharf. The captain had given orders to get the vessel underway, and his son was engaged in taking a rest in the mainmast. As he was pulling on the "stop" rope, it gave way in his hands and he was hurled overboard. The captain who was on deck at the time threw him a rope, but the young man, still holding the severed "stop" took no heed of the "life line" which his father had thrown him. A dory was then launched, and an ear was held out to the man struggling in the water. Before he could grasp it, he turned over in the water and never came to the surface. He was unable to swim, and drowned about two minutes after he went overboard. He was a native of Lunenburg and leaves a father and one brother who were all on board the schooner at the time, a mother and two sisters at home to mourn.

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In many portions of Ontario smallpox of a mild type is prevalent. In numerous instances it is mistaken for chickenpox, hence its spread.
By elections for Ottawa and York Centre made vacant by appointing the sitting members to the Senate, are to be held on the 23rd inst., nominations on the 16th.
Among the Empress of Ireland's passengers to St. John, N. B., last week, were several ladies coming to Canada to marry the men of their choice, who had established homes for them in this country.
The Moncton Board of Trade placed itself on record as favoring the adoption of a compulsory education law for the city of Moncton, after a conference with Superintendent Inch last Friday night.
An express train from Valencia, Spain, with many passengers on board, fell through a bridge into the water below, on the outskirts of Barcelona, on Wednesday night. Twelve persons were killed and thirty injured.
Orders were given on Friday last by the Grand Trunk Railway, Montreal for one hundred locomotives at a cost of \$1,500,000. This is one of the biggest orders for rolling stock ever given by a Canadian railway for a very long time. The locomotives are of all kinds, but chiefly being freight engines.
A Winnipeg despatch to Toronto says the Government telephone system is being built with the intention of adding a telephone system. The wires are all provided with copper circuits, and the same wires could with insignificant expense be used for both telephone and telegraph purposes.
Mr. Patrick Kelly returned from Boston Friday evening with the body of his son, John F., who had been killed there, as notified in our last issue. The funeral took place on Sunday afternoon from Mr. Kelly's residence to the Cathedral, and thence to the cemetery on St. Peter's Road. The funeral was very largely attended. R. I. F.
On account of the financial situation 100 foreign laborers who used the pick and shovel at the Hoosier quarries, Bedford, Indiana, had their wages cut from 15 cents to 12 1/2 cents an hour. The angry men marched to the machine shops and had windows and half inches cut from their shovels, which they carried home in their wagons. They say short money, short shovels.
At least six persons were killed at Waterbury, Conn., on Friday last in a collision between a freight train and a trolley car at the west main street crossing. The trolley car was one of a line of cars taking persons to the shops in Oakville, and the engine of the freight crashed into it as it was crossing the tracks. The car was carried more than 100 feet up the track, and besides those killed, practically every person was injured, many fatally.
The St. John Telegraph has published a statement received, it says, from most questioned authority, that Collins, three days before his execution, confessed to the murder of Mary Ann McAuley, and also that behind the bloodstain in the washstand in Father McAuley's bedroom, where it was found some months later. The confession was made in the presence of Rev. Mr. Thomas and Sheriff Lynde.
A despatch of the 27th ult., from Medicine Hat, Alberta, says: Driven by high wind, a big prairie fire swept, on Friday night, to within five miles of this town, and was only stopped then by a battalion of citizens marshalled by the Mounted Police, who armed with axes, fought the oncoming flames until two o'clock on Saturday morning before they were finally subdued. Reports to hand indicate that luckily there were no losses of horses or stock, but a large grazing area had been destroyed and will be useless for feed purposes during the coming winter.
A special to the Express, San Antonio, Texas, from Mexico City says: The police of this city are actively at work on one of the biggest kidnappings cases that this city has ever had. It is evident that for at least two months an organized gang of kidnapers has been operating in this city. Forty-nine children, twenty-two boys and twenty-seven girls have been stolen from their homes. What is done with them or if they are taking them away, and by what means, is unknown. The age of the children varies between two and seventeen years.
The residence of William Danburg, of Winnipeg, was burned at midnight on Thursday last. The household consisted of eight persons, and Mrs. Danburg, their five children, and the hired man, Samuel MacIntyre, Mr. and Mrs. Danburg, the eldest daughter, aged 16, and the youngest child reached the street in safety. The hired man went back to try and save the other three children, but on the way down stairs was forced back by the flames, and the three children were burned to death. They were aged 13, 11 and 3.

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In consequence of the storm the steamer Empress did not leave Summerside on Monday, therefore we had no foreign mail from that direction that day.
An unknown woman, supposed to be from Buffalo, jumped into the rapids from Goat Island Bridge, Niagara Falls, Friday afternoon and was swept over the falls. The coroner has a letter from her, and he will open it.
The steamer Coban, from Halifax for Sydney, in ballast, ran ashore at Cranberry Head, near the mouth of Sydney harbor, Monday night, while trying to make port. Thick snow squalls accompanied by a fifty mile an hour westerly gale prevailed at the time. She went well upon the shore.
The bodies of twenty-five miners, caught by an explosion of fire damp, Sunday night, in the Noomi mines of the United Coal Company, near Fayette City, Pa., were rescued about 4 o'clock Tuesday morning. No signs of life were found anywhere. It is thought few if any more victims will be found.
The extraordinary rush of aliens to Escape from New York continues unabated, and eight steamships sailing yesterday to the East carried over 12,000 steerage passengers, nearly all European—Atlantic steamers scheduled to sail within the next two weeks have been booked up because of the flood of applications.
About three miles from Three Rivers, P. Q., on Monday night, Mrs. Dupont, whose husband was absent, discovered that her house was on fire. She ran out in her night clothing to get help, leaving six children asleep in the house. The result is that four children are dead and the woman is in a very critical condition from exposure to the cold.

SHOP BY MAIL.

Our mail order department is growing rapidly—every mail brings us orders from different parts of the country, and we have invariably given the utmost satisfaction. If anything by any possibility might be wrong, we are always here to make it right. Stanley Bros. The Always Busy Store; Charlottetown.
Trunks and Valises.—When you want to go travelling I can fit you out with a trunk, suit case, grip, telescope or anything else you need. Don't forget my prices are the lowest.
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The Best Clothing At the Lowest Price.



Advertisement for Prowse Bros., Ltd. featuring various winter suits and overcoats with prices. Includes text: 'Sylish Winter Suits', 'Warm Winter Overcoats', and 'Fit Reform Suits'.

Winter see in pretty good shape on December 1st. During Sunday night snow fell to considerable depth; but in the early morning it melted pretty freely and afterwards it grew colder. In the afternoon it blew a gale and there was a very high tide. In some parts of the country the storm was fierce. Yesterday was clear and cold. Both sleighs and wheels are on the go.
William L. F. Blair, Edward Fry and Ben Roberts, aged respectively 20, 14 and 12 years, are held for the grand jury at Ogdensburg, N. Y., charged with having attempted to wreck a New York Central passenger train at a curve a mile east of that city. A section had flagged the train after he had discovered that railroad spikes had been driven between the rail joints.
A general meeting of the King's County Liberal-Conservative Association will be held in the Town Hall in Georgetown,
On Wednesday, December 18th, 1907,
Commencing at one o'clock p. m., for the purpose of organization and
Nominating a Candidate
For the next Federal election.
The Chairman of each Poll is requested immediately to call a meeting in his Polling Division for the purpose of selecting ten delegates to attend that said meeting.
A full attendance is requested.
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E. W. TAYLOR, South Side Queen Square, Charlottetown.

Jewelry advertisement listing various items like watches, chains, and rings with prices. Includes text: 'Purchase some of your Jewelry needs from'.

Advertisement for Epps's Cocoa and G. Lyons & Co. Includes text: 'EPPS'S COCOA', '\$50 Scholarships Free', and 'Boy Wanted'.

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