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To take effect November 1st, or as soon thereafter as possible, the maximum rate per mile on the Lehigh Valley Railroad will be on the basis of 2 1-2c.

This will not change passenger rates now based on charge of less than 2 1-2c per mile.

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EARL IN RUNAWAY

His Excellency's Carriage Collides With a Delivery Wagon.

Toronto, Dec. 3.—His Excellency Lord Grey narrowly escaped a injury in a runaway accident on Saturday evening, when returning to Government House from making a call in the west end. His excellency was alone in a two-horse carriage owned by the Verrall Co. and driven by John Blow.

At the corner of Tecumseth and King streets a runaway horse attached to a delivery wagon owned by Robert Thompson, 628 West King street, and driven by Robert Linton, collided with his excellency's carriage. Driver Blow was thrown from his seat and his frightened team dashed east on King street. At the corner of Bathurst one of the horses fell and the other was grabbed by P. C. Childs.

Stepping from the carriage, Lord Grey immediately inquired for his driver, who had been picked up slightly injured. His excellency signified his intention of walking to Government House. Patrol Sergeant Umbach offered to escort him, but Lord Grey kindly declined.

SIX INDIANS DROWNED.

Were Returning From Work In the Lumber Woods.

Wiarton, Dec. 3.—Another disaster has occurred on the waters of the Georgian Bay. On Saturday afternoon six Indians of the Cape Croker reserve were drowned in McGregor Harbor almost in sight of home. These Indians, whose names were W. E. Lamorandiere. Xavier Nadjewon, Louis Johnston, Joe Martin, George Mitchell, and Louis Nadjewon, were timbering for J. P. Newman, lumberman, of this town, near Sydney Bay.

There is universal mourning on the Cape Croker reserve, as this is one of the saddest accidents in its history, and four of the men were married.

FUEL FAMINE IN NEVADA.

Coal Cannot Be Had and Wood Brings High Prices.

Reno, Dec. 3.—Unless the fuel famine in Nevada is broken immediately, suffering and sickness and perhaps death will follow in the wake of the storm which has raged for the past two days in Southern Nevada.

Coal cannot be obtained in Goldfield or Tonopah, and wood is bringing exorbitant prices. Ties and telephone poles are burned.

Wood $70 a Cord.

Goldfield, Nevada, Dec. 3.—A fuel famine exists in Goldfield, the supply of wood being exhausted. What fuel arrives from the hills is bid up by competitive buyers, the record price being $70 a cord. The railroad is bringing in old ties. There is a similar scarcity of coal.

BOY STOLE FROM DAD.

Ran Away But Was Captured On Road to Big City Where He Was Going to Speculate.

Stockholm, Dec. 3.—A. Grip, Minister of Sweden to the United States, has been recalled.

St. Thomas, Dec. 3.—Donald Turner, ex-warden of the County of Elgin, Inspector of the House of Industry, died on Friday afternoon.

Ottawa, Dec. 3.—Pending bills and applications before Parliament disclose no less than eight lines of railways being built to Hudson Bay.

London, Dec. 3.—A severe earthquake was reported to have occurred at Milazzo, on the north coast of Sicily, yesterday. As yet no casualties have been reported.

Edmonton, Alta., Dec. 3.—Explosion of gasoline caused a fire in the Troy Laundry here Saturday. It destroyed the building and seriously injured two female employes, Fanny and Lillie Holmes.

Toronto, Dec. 3.—A woman who was making her way for Rochester, N. Y., after having stolen $54 at Colborne, Ont., was arrested at the Union Depot Saturday afternoon by Detective Newton.

City of Mexico, Dec. 3.—G. K. Hamilton, an aeronaut well known in Mexico, and throughout New England was sandbagged and robbed of $1,000 cash and valuables Saturday night by a Mexican.

Washington, Dec. 3.—The passage of the appropriation bills and as little other general legislation as possible. Such, in brief, is the forecast for the short session of the 59th session of the Congress which will begin to-day.

Toronto, Dec. 3.—About 10.30 yesterday morning a boy named Shaw, a young lad of 10 years, who had escaped from the Boys' Home Saturday night, was found under the steps of a Berkeley street house half frozen. Detective Guthrie took him home on a shutter.

Galt, Dec. 3.—Melvin Strome's 13-year-old son ran away from Berlin and was arrested by Chief Gorman and restored to his father, who came after him Saturday night. The boy had stolen money from his home and was going into a big city to speculate. His waywardness comes of reading sensational literature.

Sandwich, Dec. 3.—In consequence of the retention of bounty on the manufacture of iron and steel in the newly-revised. tariff the impression prevails stronger than ever that the United States Steel Corporation will etaoin shrdlu cmfwyp vbgkqj vbgkq establish a plant below here, where large tracts of land have been held by option for months.

Chas. Devlin to Run In Nicolet.

Montreal, Dec. 3.—Chas. Devlin, ex-M. P. for Galway, has been chosen as the Liberal candidate in the County of Nicolet, made vacant by the decision of the Postmaster-General to sit for Gaspe. The convention took place Saturday at Beaconcourt, when Devlin received 53 votes, Dr. Legris 29, the remainder being scattered.

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