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CLOSING OF NAVIGATION.

Some Information Likely to Prove Interesting Just Now.

(Fredericton Herald.) Now that the time is approaching when we will be looking for the closing of navigation on the St. John river...

The earliest date on record for the closing of navigation is Nov. 5th, 1834. In 1837 the river froze over on Nov. 5.

In 1857 and 1858 the river opened as early as April 8, but in 1854 it was May 7th before the ice broke away.

Last year (1899) the river opened on April 20th and closed on Nov. 28th, but it was the 12th of December before there was crossing on the river.

Table with columns: Year, Closed. Rows: 1891, 1892, 1893, 1894, 1895, 1896, 1897, 1898, 1899, 1900, 1901.

The longest periods of navigation were 245 days in 1829, 241 days in 1827

and 1831, 237 in 1846, 238 in 1830 and 1846, 234 in 1892 and 235 in 1898. The shortest periods of navigation were in 1852, 196 days; in 1847, 202 days; in 1868, 203 days; in 1875, 198 days; in 1876, 197 days.

The first snow storm of any consequence took place last year on Dec. 5th.

UP RIVER NEWS. The steamer Aberdeen is being made ready to be brought from Fredericton to St. John and laid up in her winter quarters.

Rev. Alex. Mutch, of Nova Scotia, has accepted a call from the Upper River Baptist church, and removed there on the 1st inst.

A. F. Randolph & Son, Fredericton, have purchased the warehouse at Woodstock recently used by Merritt Bros. & Co., of St. John, including a stock of groceries, etc., and delivery team.

Joseph Hanlon, son of J. D. Hanlon, of Fredericton, has been appointed junior clerk in the provincial secretary's office.

Jonathan Bridges of Sheffield last week inflicted a deep gash in his right leg below the knee. Mr. Bridges has been taken to Fredericton for surgical treatment.

Mrs. Harvey, wife of Rev. Mr. Harvey, Congregational minister at Sheffield, has returned from England, having spent the summer at her old home there. Mrs. Harvey on returning presented her husband with their first born—a son—Gleaser.

The merchants of Fredericton will not close their stores on Saturday, but will observe Monday as a holiday. The Fredericton schools have been granted a holiday on Monday by the board of education.

TRADE WITH AUSTRALIA.

Negotiations to be Opened Up for Reciprocity With Canada.

TORONTO, Nov. 8.—The Globe's Ottawa despatch says it is understood that the capital negotiations will be opened with the government of the Australian commonwealth with a view to effecting, if possible, a treaty for reciprocal trade.

BRIEFS BY WIRE.

P. P. Keene has purchased of Charles Moore of Lexington, Ky., the imported Duchess Caroline by Foxhall for \$3,000.

The steamer Hong Kong Maru brought to San Francisco \$1,000,000 in gold from Japan, consigned to the San Francisco mint, and Chinese silk valued at \$1,100,000.

T. Simpson Jay's Floriform won the Liverpool autumn cup of 1,200 sovereigns at the Liverpool autumn meeting yesterday. Lord Stanley's Palliser was second and Colonel H. McAlmont's St. Macton third. Fifteen horses ran.

The scarcity of money in Baku, Russian Transcaucasia, is so serious that most of the Naptha firms have been obliged to curtail operations.

The judge in the case of Grant Crumley, who was tried for killing Sam Strong, a millionaire mine owner, at Cripple Creek, Colo., recently, has returned a verdict of acquittal. The jury was out four hours.

FRANCE TRIUMPHS.

PARIS, Nov. 8.—France has scored a complete triumph in the Turkish dispute. The foreign office this morning received advices announcing that the sultan had yielded to the entire demands formulated by the French government and only the question of form regarding the extension of the armistice remains to be settled.

RUSSIA'S AMBITION. NEW YORK, Nov. 8.—A despatch from Odessa to the New York Times says a Russian-American bank is about to be established in St. Petersburg.

THE LABOR CONGRESS. NEW YORK, Nov. 8.—A despatch to the London Times and the New York Times from Liverpool says trades unionists there held a mass meeting last night to bid farewell to the delegates chosen to attend the American labor congress.

CRUISER FOR TURKEY. PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Nov. 8.—The work of laying the keel blocks for the construction of a new fighting cruiser for the Turkish government has begun at Cramp's shipyard.

IN VICTOR HUGO'S MEMORY. NEW YORK, Nov. 8.—The government has decided to celebrate the one hundredth anniversary of Victor Hugo's birth by a national commemo-

GEN. BOOTH NOT COMING. TORONTO, Nov. 8.—It is announced that owing principally to the illness of his eldest daughter the proposed visit of Gen. Booth to the principal posts of the Salvation army in Canada and the United States this autumn has been indefinitely postponed.

FAMOUS SCULPTOR DEAD.

HYDE PARK, Mass., Nov. 8.—Announcement was made here today of the death of Adolph P. Kraus, the famous sculptor, which took place at the Devereux insane hospital last night. Mr. Kraus has been receiving treatment at the institution since last July. He was 75 years of age. A widow, four sons and two daughters survive.

CANADIAN BRIEFS. LONDON, Ont., Nov. 8.—Dr. C. N. James, M. A., has been appointed provost of the Western University here, succeeding R. W. Watkins.

THAT AWFUL FOG. NEW YORK, Nov. 8.—According to the Paris correspondent of the Herald, on account of the fog it requires a stretch of imagination on the part of Parisians nowadays to mistake the French capital for London.

SWITCHMEN ON STRIKE. DENVER, Colo., Nov. 8.—Advices received by Grand Master F. E. Hawley of the Switchmen's Union of America, who is in charge of the strike on the Denver and Rio Grande railroad, called into effect late yesterday, indicate that the strike order has been obeyed by every switchman employed on the Rio Grande system, numbering 235 men.

HARPER AND BROTHER'S AFFAIRS. NEW YORK, Nov. 8.—Francis C. Cantine, as referee, has filed his report in the supreme court, approving the accounts of the Marton Trust company, receiver of Harper & Brothers, published by the business of the company was bought by the new firm of the same name in Sept., 1900.

LORD RECTOR CARNEGIE. LONDON, Nov. 8.—Vice-Chancellor Donaldson of the University of St. Andrews this morning announced the unanimous election of Carnegie as lord rector. The students greeted the announcement with prolonged cheering and the singing of "He's a jolly good fellow."

A WOMAN DROWNED. KINCARDINE, Ont., Nov. 8.—The schooner, loaded with lumber from Mich., for Loraine, Onto, was straggled and went to pieces yesterday evening about twenty miles from this place. The crew took to a raft, and after being buffeted all night by a strong westerly wind and upset, frequently, reached shore north of here this morning. The cook, who was the wife of Mate Arthur Biggar, of Cheboygan, Mich., was drowned.

THE WEATHER. TORONTO, Nov. 8.—Light to moderate variable winds, fair, not much change in temperature. Saturday, WASHINGTON, Nov. 8.—Forecast: Eastern states and northern New York—Fair tonight, colder in western portions; Saturday, fair, variable winds.

CONVICTS AT LARGE.

Mounted Men After 26 of the Most Desperate Criminals in the Southwest.

LEAVENWORTH, Kas., Nov. 8.—Forty mounted guards are beating the country for a radius of five miles around the federal penitentiary at Fort Leavenworth today in search of the 26 convicts who succeeded in escaping from the guards late yesterday. The country is wild and rough and affords ample opportunity for escape, and as all of the convicts are desperate men and armed, conflicts will doubtless result before they are captured.

Wounded: Joseph Waldrupe, prison guard, shot in forehead and breast, condition critical; Arthur Tesford, captain of the guard, shot in leg; G. E. Burrows, guard, shot in neck, not serious, and Andrew Leonard, guard, leg broken.

It is believed that the mutiny was planned several months ago, but that the men had never found a favorable opportunity to carry it into effect until yesterday. The general plan was not new, but it proved effective because of the limited number of guards. As the better behaved prisoners are used in the outside work, the conspiracy was hatched among the men in the inside gangs. The convicts chose the most favorable moment of the day, while many of the guards acting as foremen of construction of the new works were unarmed. Since last night the old prison has presented an air of activity that it has not known for years.

As soon as the alarm was given guards were drawn up in front of the main entrance. Most of the guards were old plainmen. The escaped convicts were counted the most desperate criminals in the southwest and the guards started out on their hunt in full realization of this fact.

Early today an increased number of guards, armed and mounted, were started out from the penitentiary. It is believed that all the convicts ultimately will be captured if not overtaken by the guards and shot. Each prisoner has undergone an examination under the Bertillon system, and today these descriptions were mailed to every chief of police in the country.

Wardens McClaughay was in Kansas City when the mutiny broke out, arranging for the annual convention of the National Prison Reform Association, which is to convene there tomorrow. He arrived home at the prison about three hours later, and immediately set to work to recapture the convicts.

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THE BALANCE IN THE HANDS OF THE RECEIVER. The balance in the hands of the receiver, which is available for distribution, is \$9,677.

MONTREAL, Nov. 8.—Robert Bedford, the well known steamship manager, in a letter printed this morning, ranks himself among those who believe a fast line of steamships between a Cape Breton port and Galway is a practicable enterprise, the operation of which would be of much profit to Canadian trade.

FOUGHT AT HOLY SEPULCHRE. JERUSALEM, Nov. 7.—The Church of the Holy Sepulchre, surrounding the traditional site of Christ's tomb, was the scene of a sanguinary affray on Monday between Franciscans and Greeks, during which there was a number of casualties on both sides. The dispute arose on the question of which community had the right to sweep the church.

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