

News Summary.

Mr. D. Glendenning, postmaster at Harvey, York county, has resigned.

The British admiralty is looking for ships to transport coal to the West Indies in the event of war.

A company of the Royal Artillery left Halifax Monday to exchange with a Canadian contingent at Quebec.

The Whitwick colliery, in Leicestershire, is on fire. It is believed that forty-one lives have been lost.

Mr. David Sempie, postmaster at East Florenceville, died Wednesday morning. He was a prominent member of the Masonic fraternity.

Ada Hosman, a New Brunswick girl, was assaulted and very badly injured by a young man named Williams at Amesbury, Mass., Sunday evening.

Mr. S. M. Brookfield has returned to Halifax from England. He brings capital for the erection of cold storage, and purchased two steamers for the Halifax-Liverpool service.

A son of Josiah Hicks, of Hicks settlement, Butternut Ridge, Kings county, while out shooting on Monday accidentally stumbled and the gun was discharged, killing him immediately.

Samuel Baxter died in the Muhlenberg Hospital, in Plainfield, N. J., yesterday, a victim of fright. He feared hydrophobia, and although he did not have it, finally brought himself to believe he had it and died.

At Louis' Cove, Queens county, Tuesday, Ulrich Wrath, the thirteen-year-old adopted son of James Wrath, was drowned while playing with a number of other boys on some logs in Somerville stream. The body was recovered.

The death occurred at Skagway on the 10th inst. of Albert A. Brittain, of Bristol, Carleton county. Mr. Brittain was about 32 years old, and left in February for the Klondyke. He was proprietor of the Bristol wood working factory.

Frank St. Mary, a young Poseyville Michigan farmer, had an eating contest with several friends and downed a lot of lemons, seeds and all, and a can of baked beans. A second young man ate one pound each of honey, candy and peanuts, while a third drank a pint of castor oil. All are very sick as a result, and St. Mary died.

Moncton police succeeded Wednesday in unearthing a nest of burglars, who have been operating for some months. Three young men—William and Ross Budd and Frank Fownes—were locked up. They found four cases of whiskey stolen from McSweeney's bonded warehouse and American hotel, and two part caddies tobacco and empty candy pail stolen from an Intercolonial car.

A slick gold brick swindle was perpetrated upon the Molson's Bank at Revestoke, B. C., last August. The fakirs received \$11,200 in cash from the bank manager for half a dozen copper bars, neatly gilded. A mounted policeman was employed thirty-eight days on the case, visiting all the coast cities, but the only trace that was ever had was that a firm of private bankers at Seattle exchanged \$6,000 of Molson's Bank notes on August 2nd. The fraud has just leaked out in a police report to the Dominion government.

Times: An aged lady who knew Moncton in its infancy makes the rather alarming statement that she can remember when fifty per cent. of the population sold liquor. At first blush this statement appeared to be hardly credible, but this state of affairs existed sixty years ago when there were only eight houses in the "Bend," four being places of business. At that time it was customary for merchants to keep a supply of the ardent in stock and it was bought and sold the same as any other commodity. The temperance sentiment has changed somewhat in the "Bend" since the time recalled by the old lady in question.

Newcastle Advocate: Log driving in the streams will begin this year between the 21st and 27th of April. The prospects on the Miramichi for driving are said to be fair. There is not much snow, but there is lots of water. On the Upper St. John the prospects are a little brighter. There has been more snow there than on the Miramichi and its branches, and being heavier in Quebec it did not waste as rapidly as in New Brunswick. There is, therefore, not only a fair quantity of snow yet in the Quebec woods, but there is plenty of water as well. Men are now hiring for steam driving. Mr. Welsh and Mr. Lynch have already engaged large forces and they will probably leave some day this week or the beginning of next for the streams. Mr. Welsh's men will go into the Miramichi by way of Glassville, Carleton county. Mr. Wm. Richards, another large lumberman, also has his force ready for driving. The wages paid this year range from a dollar to a dollar fifty per day, the majority getting \$1.50.

For the second time a verdict of "guilty" has been awarded against Mate Bram for the murder of Capt. Charles I. Nash. The verdict carried with it the additional words: "Without capital punishment," under a law enacted since the first trial. When Bram heard the verdict his face was turned upward and his lips moved as though in prayer. He sank into his seat, covered his face with his hands and wept.

Word has been received stating that a vein ten feet wide and bearing thousands of dollars to the ton has been struck in No. 2, Neepawa mine, Manitoba, at the 100 foot level. The strike is said to be the biggest yet made in northwestern Ontario.

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Farming one of the People in the usually fine pure air, foods are This is true who have large cities spending a country; but improvements mere change thing else.

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When the fall and the land wa ditch should be top and timoth wide enough to with a mower, t can be kept dow tough sod made. One farmer of shallow ravine and for several down this ravine badly that he co few years ago he harrowed it smoo spring rains were blue grass. Ther wide and twelve about a foot apart into the mellow