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**LOCAL & OTHER ITEMS**

Two Japanese Steamships collided off Chefoo, China on Monday, and 700 persons are reported to have been drowned.  
Six men while working at the bottom of a fifty foot shaft at Oakwood Mich. were suffocating Saturday when the canvas tubes conveying air to them became clogged.

The old portion of St. Jerome's College at Berlin Ont. was destroyed by fire on Sunday morning. The loss is \$3,000. The students lost everything, excepting in their night clothes.  
The train from Boston for Matapan jumped the switch near the south station on Saturday and crashed into a Hyde Park train, telescoping the last car of the latter. Thirty persons were injured, some quite seriously.

The local mail train on a Russian rail road was attacked on Monday by a band of robbers, while running between Kiachta and Urga. The thieves got away with \$125,000. Three of the train escorts were killed and one severely injured.

Officials of the Drummond Iron Company were at Chatham N. B. the other day inspecting the sites for the half a million dollar smelter which the company will construct. Bathurst and Newcastle were also visited, but Chatham affords the greatest facilities. The company will probably employ two thousand men there when operations commence.

It is unofficially stated from London that the Nobel chemistry prize will be awarded to Professor Ernest Rutherford of Manchester University, formerly of McGill. Prof. Rutherford is one of the most distinguished authorities in the world on radio and activity. In 1903 while he was Macdonald professor of Physics at McGill he was awarded the Rutherford medal by the Royal Society. Only a few weeks ago he succeeded in proving experimentally the truth of the atomic theory.

Mrs. Charles J. McCarthy, Johnston's River died at her home, under very sad circumstances on Monday morning. On Saturday she received a telegram stating that her son Justin McCarthy had died at the Central Hospital at Bangor. The news gave her such a terrible shock that she died on Monday morning as above stated. The funeral of mother and son took place today. This sad event has cast a gloom over the neighboring communities and the deepest sympathy goes out to the bereaved husband and family. R. I. P.

Balloon Pittsfield, in heart of Berkshire made very rapid flight of 70 miles from Pittsfield on Saturday, landing in Walpole N. H. 55 minutes after leaving the ground. The big airship started with William Van Sleet as pilot and Emilie Sousa and William E. MacDonald, both of Pittsfield, as passengers. Most of the journey was made above the clouds in weather which was as warm as mid-summer. A height of 7,000 feet was attained at one time, but most of the journey was nearer the earth.

Fifteen hours overdue after the roughest trip in her history, the turbine Victorian arrived at Halifax last Friday night. The Victorian left Liverpool Friday evening previously, and had exceptionally rough weather all the way across. The big liner was compelled to stop twice during the voyage and consign two bodies to the sea. On Wednesday, a sailor, belonging to England, died of heart failure, and when off Halifax Friday Herbert Smith, aged thirty years, passed away. His death was also due to heart failure. Smith was bound to Milltown, New Brunswick, on a visit to friends.

The coasting steamer Ponting, carrying a large number of laborers from Narvacoon to the rice fields in the Pangasinan province, in the Philippine Islands struck a rock and sank during a storm off the town of San Fernando. It is estimated that a hundred of the passengers and crew of the Ponting were drowned. The steamer Yagui rescued fifty-five. A Patrol of constabulary which was established immediately after the accident picked up fifteen bodies, and many more were coming ashore. It is not known whether any Americans or Europeans were aboard the wrecked steamer.

Despite official contention, at Washington official information has been obtained of an agreement of far-reaching importance concerning their policy in the Pacific. The agreement is based upon the idea of encouraging and defending free and peaceful commercial developments. It contains not only a mutual guarantee of respect towards each other's territorial possessions, but defines the attitude of the two countries towards China, stipulating each other to defend by every peaceful means, China's independence and integrity, and to give equal commercial opportunity to the Chinese Empire to all nations.

As a result of an explosion from gasoline in a clothes cleaning shop on Berthel Street Montreal, on Saturday a youth named Leganier was injured. The building was shattered and was afterwards entirely destroyed by the fire. The youth was working in the rear of the shop when the explosion occurred. After strenuous work on the part of the firemen, the flames were subdued sufficiently for the body to be recovered. Leganier was the only person in the shop at the time of the explosion, and it was thought at first that he had escaped. The explosion and flames caught him, however, before he could make a move towards safety, and his charred body was found under a mass of debris a few hours later.

Dorando Pietri defeated Hayes in the renewal of the Marathon races at Madison Square Garden New York, on Nov. 26th. The distance was 26 miles, 385 yards, same as the Olympic Marathon, which Hayes won last summer. Dorando proved to be Hayes' master, for he held the lead from start to finish, winning finally by 60 yards. Hayes was in the lead five times during the race, but only for a few seconds each time. Dorando's time was 2:44:20.5 and Hayes, 2:45:05.15. Ten thousand persons watched the contest. The last few miles were exciting. In the seventh mile, Hayes made another dash to the front, but Dorando running strongly regained the lead like a fish. This was repeated a half mile further on. Dorando again proving the stronger. The 25th mile was finished in 1:36:57.15. Hayes weakened in the last half mile.

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On Friday morning last, the White Star freight steamer Georgic collided with and sank the Panama company's steamer Financo, off Sandy Hook, New York, during a dense fog. Four persons, three passengers and one seaman, on the Financo were drowned. The Financo sank in ten minutes. She had 85 passengers, all the rest being rescued.

Miss Florence Stretch, Long River, Mary MacCannell, City, Stella Matheson, Montague, Margaret MacLeod, Uigg, Zita Dalton, Tigibah, Marjorie Bell, Palmer Road, all graduates of the Union Commercial College, are now employed as stenographers in Montreal City. The Union Commercial College has special arrangements whereby its graduates can be placed in good positions in that City.

A Winnipeg despatch of the 1st. says—The first really heavy snowstorm of the season developed throughout the West yesterday, raging from eastern Manitoba to western Saskatchewan, and proving a regular blizzard. Traffic is badly interrupted on the railway lines, and the weather is bitterly cold. The storm is also remarkable for its suddenness, having followed a period of remarkably fine weather.

News by telephone reached the city yesterday from Annandale, stating that the steamer Inverness went ashore during the snowstorm Monday night on Morrison's Flats, up Grand River. She was bound from Hawkesbury to Souris, for a load of ice. She is lying easy on a sandy bottom, and if the weather continues moderate, will likely be easily floated. The captain and crew are all on board, and report that the steamer is not injured.

**The Market Prices.**

Butter, (fresh)	0.25 to 0.28
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Eggs, per doz.	0.25 to 0.28
Cowls	0.50 to 0.75
Children per pair	0.60 to 0.70
Flour (per cwt.)	0.75 to 1.00
Hides	0.07 to 0.60
Hay, per 100 lbs.	0.45 to 0.50
Mutton, per lb (carcas)	0.06 to 0.08
Oatsmeal (per cwt.)	0.40 to 0.42
Potatoes	0.20 to 0.20
Pork	0.07 to 0.75
Sheep (sub)	0.45 to 0.60
Turkeys	1.10 to 1.12
Turkeys per lb.	0.09 to 0.10
Geese	1.00 to 1.10
Bik oats	0.40 to 0.42
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