

ITALIAN MURDERER STILL EVADES ARREST

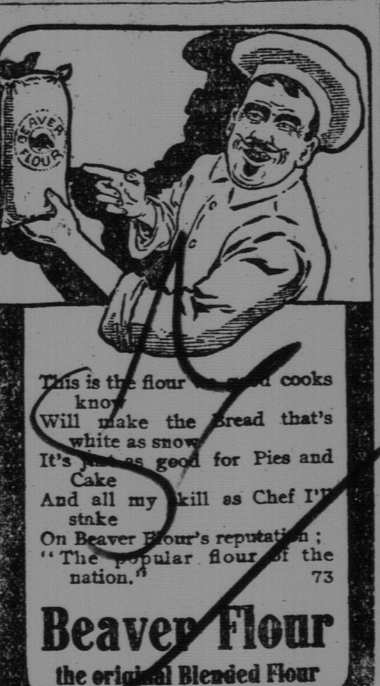
Slain Man was Michael Salvatore and Assassin Said to be Fernando Cerugine.

Four in Party From Which Shots Came, Says Grand Falls Dispatch—Conditions in Camps Reported Bad—Wounded Man Said to be in Dangerous State—Wife of One of the Men Cause of the Trouble.

A Hartland special says that the Italian who was murdered on Thursday night at New Denmark (N.B.), where he was engaged in working on the construction of the Grand Trunk Pacific, was Michael Salvatore and the man injured during the shooting is called Regardi. The murderer's name is said to be Fernando Cerugine. Latest reports last night were that the latter had not been captured, though a posse of constables are scouring the country for him. Full particulars of the murder are not yet obtainable and accounts from various sources differ. The Telegraph's special from Hartland says: The only witness of the shooting, with the exception of the wounded Regardi, is Paul Crozet, a fellow countryman of the others. A difficulty in locating the assassin is that all the gang look alike. If it becomes necessary to use arms to effect his capture, the wrong man may be injured. There is some fear that the other Italians may aid the criminal, either in getting out of the country or in hiding. "A man who came here today from the Grand Trunk Pacific region says things are becoming desperate and an armed constabulary may be found necessary in each camp. With regard to the liquor and "red light" traffic, some who have been through the section are of the opinion that it will be difficult to entirely suppress the nuisance. "At 10 o'clock tonight, the officers were still out on the hunt for Cerugine, but being remote from the telephone line no communication can be secured." Grand Falls furnishes the following additional particulars: Grand Falls, N. B., July 3.—It is quite difficult to obtain any definite information regarding the tragedy in the New Denmark settlement, whereby one man lost his life and another is seriously wounded. Your correspondent has just learned the following facts from a young man who lives near the scene of the tragedy and which he in turn obtained from one of the Italians who was shot and escaped being hit.

WEDDINGS

Murphy-McKewen. A wedding of interest to St. John people took place in Boston on Wednesday, July 1, when J. Wilfred Murphy, father of this city, was married to Miss Mary McKewen, a resident of the North End. The ceremony was performed at 7.30 a. m. in the Sacred Heart Church, Rev. Father Coughlan and nuptial mass was celebrated. A cousin of the bride acted as bridesmaid and J. McKewen, brother of the bride attended the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Murphy will arrive in St. John in a day or two and will reside at 328 Union street.



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OBITUARY

Mrs. Patrick Mullin. The death of Mrs. Catherine Mullin, widow of Patrick Mullin occurred Friday morning. The deceased, who survived her husband for upwards of a quarter of a century, was a woman of superior character and was held in high esteem. She was the mother of Daniel Mullin, K. C.

LOCAL NEWS

The inland revenue receipts here for June, 1908, were \$24,639.36 as against \$25,460.05 in June, 1907. There were thirty-one marriages in the city last week and fifty-three births. Twenty-four of the children are males. James T. Sullivan, of Newcastle (N. B.), has been granted, through Marston & Marston, Montreal, a patent for belt tighteners.

ST. JOHN HARBOUR DREDGING UNDER FIRE AT OTTAWA

Opposition Query Dr. Pugsley About Dominion Company's Contract

Minister Explains That He Didn't Award the Tender—Says Breakwater Will Not Be Extended to Partridge Island—Will Pay Half the Cost of St. John River Wharves—New Coasting Regulations Likely to be Rescinded.

Ottawa, July 5.—A ruing by Speaker Sutherland that an amendment by Mr. Lake to the Oliver land bill was of order was responsible for a queer situation in the house Saturday afternoon. Mr. Lake proposed that the land in Saskatchewan and Alberta be set aside for higher education and the speaker ruled that such a motion involving the alienation of the public domain could not properly be introduced without a recommendation of the governor general. Then Mr. Borden pointed out that section 52 and other sections provided for the alienation of lands the bill should have been introduced with the formal sanction of the governor. This had not been done and he asked the ruling of Mr. Speaker on the point. Mr. Speaker upheld Mr. Borden and suggested that the bill stand over till Monday. Mr. Pugsley, who realized that the government had been proceeding irregularly, agreed. At the evening sitting the house went into committee of supply and took up the item of \$400,000 for improvements and dredging in St. John harbor. Mr. Fowler again challenged the minister of public works to state his policy as to building wharves on the St. John river. Mr. Pugsley replied that the supplementary estimates would include votes for building wharves at the federal expense, but this would not relieve the local government from its responsibility for that connection, and that that government would continue its policy of paying half the cost of such structures. This policy, Mr. Carvell defended. He also urged improvement of the river between Woodstock and Fredericton. Mr. Pugsley replied that he was impressed with the importance of this work, and intimated that the supplementary estimates would contain an item for the purpose of carrying it out. Mr. Pugsley also explained the purpose of the St. John harbor vote. Mr. Fowler asked if it was the purpose to extend the breakwater to Partridge Island. Mr. Pugsley said it was not. The engineers were of the opinion that this would be of doubtful benefit and it would be expensive. Dr. Daniel agreed with this idea. He thought there were other purposes in connection with St. John harbor to which money could be better applied. Mr. Pugsley explained that the Dominion Dredging Company paid \$200,000 on their dredge. Mr. Bennett—Were there tenders for the dredging done by the Dominion Dredging Company? Mr. Pugsley—There were no tenders, except one from G. S. Hayes. The Dominion Company was awarded part of this dredging at the same price as it was thought desirable to have two dredges on the work. Mr. Bennett—This Dominion Dredging Company has found green pastures in the lower provinces. Mr. Bennett referred to an article in the St. John Globe, concerning the dredging contracts. Mr. Pugsley explained that the contract was given to the Dominion Dredging Company before he became a minister. It was awarded by Mr. Fisher. Dr. Pugsley added that if the St. John

FORMER CARLETON COUPLE'S GOLDEN WEDDING

Middleton, N. S., July 6.—A very interesting event took place at the home of Mrs. Thomas McLean, Margaret, on Thursday evening, June 18, when they celebrated their golden wedding. They were married in Carleton Place, Ontario, in 1833. Mrs. McLean was Miss Elizabeth, daughter of Major James Crockett, of New Brunswick. After a short wedding trip they came to Penobscot, where they have since resided. Here they have had a beautiful home which looked particularly attractive on this occasion. Mrs. McLean, besides her own children, also has five grandchildren, five granddaughters, three sisters, one brother, and one sister of Mrs. McLean, besides a large number of other relatives and friends. The bride and groom of fifty years ago, received a large number of very handsome presents.

RECENT DEATHS AT AMHERST

Amherst, N. S., July 2.—(Special)—Citizens of Amherst were shocked yesterday by the sudden death of Miss Helen Horton, wife of James Horton, barber. At ten o'clock, the evening before, Mrs. Horton, while in apparent good health, was in her garden when she suddenly became stricken with paralysis and at three o'clock yesterday morning passed away. The deceased's husband leaves one daughter aged 14. Mr. Horton will have the sympathy of his very many friends throughout the province. The death occurred this morning of Margaret, wife of Gordon Gay, having besides her husband, two children. The deceased was a Miss Gordon of Pictou, where her remains will be taken to burial. Captain Thomas L. Allen, aged 88, is seriously ill at the Cumberland House. Mr. Allen is probably the best known man in the lower provinces, having for over 50 years had charge of the ice boats between Cape Tormentine, N. B., and Travis, P. E. I.

MARRIAGES

MURPHY-McKewen.—On July 1, at Sacred Heart Church, Rev. Father Coughlan officiating, Wilfred Murphy to Mary McKewen, both of this city.

DEATHS

EDWARDS.—Suddenly, in this city on July 2, at his late residence, 35 Pitt street, John Edwards, aged 82 years.

PERWICK CAMP MEETING

The camp meeting at Perwick, N. S., will begin this week on Wednesday evening, Aug. 3, and close on Thursday evening, Aug. 13. There will be no summer school in connection with the meeting this year. The services of an evangelist from the United States have been secured and a good staff of other workers. Those wishing further information can have a circular with full particulars from the secretary, James E. Hennigar, Canaan, N. S.

ST. MARTINS NOTES

St. Martins, July 6.—Mrs. Edward W. Bourke, of Boston, is visiting relatives here. Mrs. David Brown spent a few days of last week in St. John. Miss Rita Clark, of Boston, is visiting relatives here. Capt. Robert Carson returned from New York on Saturday. Mrs. Allan Brown and child, of Boston, arrived here on Friday and are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Brown. Mr. and Mrs. William Bourke have returned to their summer home here from Woodstock. Mr. Harry Moran, of St. John, is the guest of his parents, Capt. and Mrs. W. H. Moran. Miss Minnie Whitney, of St. John, is visiting at her old home here. Mrs. Hattie Metcalf, of St. John, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Mosher. Principal Mrs. W. McL. Parker, who has been visiting in Fredericton, returned on Saturday to their home here. Miss Jessie Copp left on Friday for Waterville where she will remain for the summer. Harry O'Neil, of Boston, is visiting friends here for a few days. Miss Lila White left on Monday for St. John where she will visit for a short time. Misses Vera Smith and Alice Wishart left on Monday for St. John, where they will work the entrance examination papers to the Normal School. Michael Kelly left on Monday for Moncton to attend the annual session of the I. O. G. T. Grand Lodge. Rev. S. H. Cornwall, of North River, P. E. I., occupied the Baptist pulpit on Sunday morning. Mr. and Mrs. W. Goddard and daughters, Misses Jennie and Fannie, of St. John, arrived here on Saturday.

MARINE JOURNAL

Table with columns for ship names, destinations, and dates. Includes entries for ALMANAC FOR ST. JOHN, JULY 7, 1908, and PORT OF ST. JOHN.

OROMOCTO YOUNG MAN LIKELY FATALLY STABBED BY ANOTHER

Fredericton, N. B., July 6.—(Special)—A young man named Oscar Case, belonging to Burton, Sanbury county, is lying at the point of death at his home as the result of a knife wound inflicted by another young man named Garnet Ward in Alexander Burnetts' store at Oromocto Saturday night. Ward has not been apprehended, but Sheriff Holden is after him with a warrant and hopes to have him in custody before night. The victim of the stabbing is under the care of Dr. Camp, of Sheffield, and today's advice is that his condition is very serious, with chances against his recovery. From particulars of the affair, it seems that young Case spent the early part of Saturday evening at Oromocto, and about eleven o'clock stopped in Burnetts' store and asked for a plug of tobacco. He had been in the place less than a minute when Ward entered, walked over to where Case was standing, plunged a knife into his side and was off in an instant. Burnetts' was turned at the moment, but he looked around in time to see Case sink to the floor and his assailant dash out from the shop. A crowd quickly collected on the scene, and the injured youth was made as comfortable as possible. A hasty examination of the wound showed that the knife blade had entered just below the heart, making a cut from which the blood flowed freely. Dr. Peake, of Belmont, was telephoned, but being absent from home, a message was sent to Dr. Camp, who lives at Leffield, on the opposite side of the river. It was nearly two o'clock when Dr. Camp

HOPE TO BE IN NEW BUILDING BY SEPTEMBER

It is hoped, despite some delays which have arisen in connection with the work on the new Y. M. C. A. building, that the association will be installed in their new quarters by September 1. The whole work has been almost completed. The interior has now been plastered and putty coated, the furnaces and radiators have been installed, the big swimming bath is tiled and the plumbing for the shower baths is about completed. Considerable carpentry work remains to be done and it will be some time before the doors, flooring, baseboards and cornices are finished. L. D. Tilley, when asked yesterday, said the association had still some funds in hand but there were several fairly large subscriptions which he thought would be needed to complete the equipment and he hoped those who had not yet sent in their donations would take an early opportunity to place theirs in the disposal of the committee. Judge Forbes, Homer D. Forbes, Miss Gladys Campbell and a party of Chicago friends left yesterday for Prince Edward Island, where they will stay for ten days.

FOURTH OF JULY CASUALTIES NOW NEARLY 2,500

New York, July 6.—A Chicago special to the Tribune says: Seventy-seven dead and 2,276 injured are the figures in the Chicago Tribune's fourth of July casualty list up to 11 o'clock last night. An analysis of the figures shows the following details: Of the deaths, there were by firework and resulting fires, 37; by cannon, 3; by firearms, 18; by gunpowder, 6; by toy pistols, 2; by runaway, 5; by heart failure due to explosions of cannon crackers, 2. Those injured were: By firearms, 1,109; by cannon, 212; by firework, 66; by toy pistol, 211; by bomb crackers, 49; by runaway, 85. The first loss was \$23,933. This breaks all records for deaths since 1883. The number of deaths this year reported up to midnight last night is this year more. In 1905 fifty-nine were dead at the same hour. The number of injured, however, is 1,181 less than in 1907, and is the smallest number since 1901 when 1,813 persons were hurt. This is regarded as an indication that the agitation for a "peace fourth" is having its effect.