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FELL TO DEATH FROM SHIP'S LADDER

John Matthew Crosier Killed Saturday Afternoon at North Wharf

WIFE AND BOY LEFT IN ENGLAND

Tried to Descend to Steamer Bonavista Despite Warnings Not to Try —Head Struck Fender as He Fell —Rescued from Water But Soon Died.

John Matthew Crosier, an Englishman between thirty-five and forty years of age, was almost instantly killed Saturday afternoon about 4.30 o'clock by falling from a ladder between the steamer Bonavista and the end of the North wharf at the Dominion Coal Company's coal pocket. According to the story told by some men who saw the unfortunate man previous to the fatal accident he appeared to have been drinking.

It was low tide at the time and the steamer was some fifteen or twenty feet under the level of the wharf. He was seen by members of the crew trying to descend the ladder which led from the wharf to the deck of the vessel and was twice warned of the danger of descending. He was unconscious when taken from the water and though every means that could be thought of to restore animation was used, he died about fifteen minutes later without giving a sign.

The body was taken to the morgue, where it was viewed by Coroner Berryman. He said last night that he did not think an inquest will be held.

The unfortunate man had been working for Timothy O'Leary helping to put coal into the electric light station and had finished the job at noon Saturday. A short time previous to the accident David H. Jones, chief steward of the Bonavista, was putting away some stores which had just come aboard. He says he noticed Crosier on the wharf talking to one of the men on board engaged in unloading the vessel. Mr. Jones says that as he stooped to pick up a piece of meat he noticed Crosier stepping on to the ladder in order to descend and he warned him back as he thought it was dangerous for him to make the attempt.

Crosier went away, he says, but returned again as soon as the steward's back was turned and again made the attempt to get down the ladder. This time William Martin, a member of the crew, saw him and warned him off. He persisted, however, and when about half way down he slipped and fell between the vessel and the wharf. The cry "man overboard" was raised and J. Bork, another member of the crew, who was in the forecastle at the time, rushed out and, without a moment's hesitation, swung himself over the side by a line to where Crosier was floating with his chin above water. A rope was passed under the man's shoulders and those on deck soon pulled him up. He was unconscious and the men carried him into the wheelhouse, where a blanket was wrapped round him and restoratives applied. Every means ordinarily used for the resuscitation of the apparently drowned was employed but all was unavailing and he died about fifteen minutes after being brought out of the water. It is supposed that he struck his head on a fender, as there was a purple bruise on the left temple.

Across the Atlantic in a little home in the town of Hartlepool (Eng.) Mr. Crosier's wife and 12-year-old boy are waiting for a husband and father who will never come. Mr. Crosier came to this country last August and had been working as a longshoreman since that time. He was about thirty-six years of age and had been in business in Hartlepool for himself but had met with reverses. It was his intension to return home in the spring and bring out his wife and son. Only on Wednesday he wrote to them to that effect.

For the past six weeks Mr. Crosier had boarded with Joseph Watters, 664 Main street, who came over on the same vessel with him.

W. E. RAYMOND, PRESIDENT OF TOURIST ASSOCIATION

Executive Completed and Officers for 1907 Elected

The N. B. Tourist Association has completed the personnel of its executive and appointed officers for 1907 as follows:

W. E. Raymond, president.
D. J. McLaughlin, 1st vice-president.
F. B. Ellis, 2nd vice-president.
A. C. Currie, treasurer.
Mrs. W. Henry Scovil, secretary.
Ald. T. H. Bullock, W. S. Fisher, W. F. Hatheway, E. A. Schofield, D. R. Jack, E. A. Smith, D. W. McCormick, O. H. Warwick, A. O. Skinner, R. T. Hayes, Harold B. Robinson, T. Q. Dowling, J. H. Bond and P. M. O'Neill, executive committee.

W. E. Raymond, President.

His honor the lieutenant-governor, the executive members of theprovincial government, his worship the mayor, the president of the board of trade, J. D. Hazen, M. P. P.; George Robertson, M. P. P.; W. B. Howard, district passenger agent C. P. R.; John M. Lyons, general passenger agent I. C. R.; A. C. Currie, of the D. A. R.; Dr. G. U. Hay, W. G. Lee, of the Eastern Steamship Company; W. S. Fisher and R. S. Orchard, of the Star Line Steamship Company, honorary executive.

Richibucto Items.

Richibucto, Jan. 28—A fancy dress carnival is announced to take place in the skating rink on the evening of Feb. 6.

The New Brunswick Telephone Company have arranged for an all night service in their local exchange.

Miss Alice Vantour has returned from her visit to Shediac.

Miss Jennie Irving has been quite seriously ill.

THE POSITION OF THOMAS COLLINS

Solicitor General Jones Speaks of the Procedure on Motion of Defence

MATTERS AT THE TRIAL REVIEWED

Verdict Not a Surprise to Those Who Followed the Case Closely in Court —The Prisoner's Bearing While on Trial for Life.

The finding of the jury in the Collins murder trial in Hopewell Cape was not a surprise to those who were present during the progress of the case.

Every night during the trial the jurymen, after they had retired to their room, discussed the evidence presented that day. On the last day there was very little discussion among them. There was no ballot taken as each knew the other's mind and such a formality was deemed unnecessary. They retired at 12.10 and returned at 2.25. Their stay would have been very much shorter, however, had the court not risen for a two hour recess.

The cool demeanor of Collins while on trial was very much commented on. Even when some of the most damaging evidence was being given he would be continually turning his head towards the galleries and smiling to the ladies. This was variously interpreted. Some thought it arose from a strong sense of innocence and confidence in the ultimate result. Others, however, viewed the matter in a different light.

Solicitor-General Jones was in town yesterday and when asked as to the mode of procedure in the Collins case regarding the reserve asked for by Hon. H. R. McKeown, said that the argument for reserve would be heard before Judge Gregory at a date set by the latter. If he refuses to grant the reserve, Mr. McKeown can give notice of appeal before the full bench at Fredericton. If this is allowed the case will be tried again before the supreme court.

4,000,000 CHINESE ARE PERISHING FROM STARVATION

Famine Worse Than in 1878 When 10,000,000 Lives Were Lost, Say American Officials.

Washington, Jan. 28—Mail reports from American consular officers in China which reached the state department today regarding the famine and the resulting conditions, still further confirm the stories of suffering and hardship among the people in the districts affected. In fact Consul Haines at Nanking says that the famine is ten times worse than anything in that empire for the past forty years. The Chinese officials, he says, admit their inability to cope with the situation. The government is trying to help the starving people to keep their cattle and to this end is taking their oxen and buffaloes in pawn for two taels each, keeping them thus until next spring, when it will return them.

Consul General Rogers at Shanghai advises the department that the reports as to the conditions appearing in the newspapers, both foreign and Chinese, are for the most part sustained by the investigations made by American naval officers. An inquiry which he has made through entirely private sources gives the general conclusion that the famine will by March 1 be regarded as severe and perhaps more so than that of 1878 by which it is thought 10,000,000 lives were lost.

VALUABLE STALLION DEAD

Clydesdale, About Which There Was a Police Court Case, is No More

Valued at $2,000 and Was Brought Here from Across Water to Be Forwarded to Simcoe, (Ont.) -- Veterinaries Hold Post-mortem.

To further complicate matters the valuable Clydesdale stallion brought from Scotland on the steamer Marina and consigned to Dr. Eaid and Albert Porter, of Simcoe (Ont.), and in conection with the unloading of which John Miller was charged with cruel treatment, died Saturday morning about 11 o'clock. The carcass was taken to the fertilizer factory, Little River,, and was examned by Doctors J. H. Frink and Campbell, veterinaries, and a certificate given as to the cause of death.

The animal was valued at about $2,000 and was insured for half its valeu. Last Monday it was unloaded from the steamer Marina under the direction of Mr. Miller and since that time had been kept in a shed and Mr. Porter says was well cared for.

During the trial of Mr. Miller it was brought out that the animal was sick before it was landed and under the evidence, Judge Ritchie dismissed the case. The S. P. C. A., however, by whom the charge was laid, are not satisfied with the result and J. King Kelley, who is acting for the society, will, in a day or two, give notice of appeal from Judge Ritchie's decision and will endeavor to have the case brought before Judge Forbes.

Alton M. Tripp of Fairhaven found a hen hawk in his yard recently. Seizing a frost fish spear he harpooned the bird, which measured three and a half feet from tip to tip.

I. O. G. T.

An Answer to the Question: "What is the I. O. G. T.?"

From the average member the answer to this question would be, the I. O. G. T. is a temperance society and if a reader of the Templar they would be able to say that it had been very active in New Brunswick lately.

This would be all right, but the I. O. G. T. is more than a temperance society. It is the largest temperance society in the world. It is larger than all others combined and with the exception of its daughter, the W. C. T. U., is the only temperance society in the world that has taken the whole world for its field.

It is a society of earnest men and women banded by ties of faith, hope and charity to fight against a common foe and to elevate men and women and bring them up to a higher and nobler plane.

We wage our warfare upon a platform so broad that upon it all mankind of every kindred and tongue under heaven may stand and assist, shoulder to shoulder, in this fight. We ask only that our workers believe in the existence and power of Almighty God, without such belief there is no place for an individual in the I. O. G. T.

This is an organization that has numbered in the past and numbers today amongst its members some of the noblest and best of earth's children.

The I. O. G. T. is a society with its mission to save and reclaim. "Our hearts and hands are open to lift up those who have sunk low in the scale of human degradation and restore them to family, friends and society, as well as to save the young, pure and virtuous from falling into the snares of the tempter."

The platform of the I. O. G. T. is total abstinence for the individual and total prohibition for the state. The election of good, honest men to administer the laws.

The I. O. G. T. is a society that was started away back in Central New York in 1852 with 13 members and at the last session of the Supreme Lodge had 50,426 members in the United States, 8,382 in Canada, 127,773 in Great Britain, 193,653 in Europe, 12,096 in Australia, 3,609 in Asia, 8,606 in Africa and in addition to the above has 207,002 juvenile members. This membership is based on figures to hand Jan. 31, 1905, and has been much increased since then, as for instance, the Grand Lodge of New Brunswick is credited with about 1,300 members in that report and we have about 4,000 members.

The I. O. G. T. is a society that gained members during the I. S. L. three years' term, ending Jan. 31, 1905, at the rate of three every minute of every day in each of those three years, and our own increase during the past three years has been at the rate of about three every day.

The I. O. G. T. is a temperance society that during the 54 years of its useful and active life has administered its obligation to over eight millions of people.

The I. O. G. T. is a society that believes that every man is a brother and every woman a sister and one God the Father of us all, without whose aid all our efforts are unavailing. We believe and teach that we are all so woven into the fabric of society that no fibre can be influenced for good or evil without such influence extending to all. And we believe and teach that by so much as the most insignificant member of society is debauched by just so much is all society injured, and as each is elevated by so much is all mankind elevated and society improved and made better.

The I. O. G. T. is a society that has sent its missionaries all over the world to try and overcome the evil effects of the liquor we civilized nations send to the people of the world.

The I. O. G. T. is a society that knows no language, no color, no nationality, no sect, but goes forward ever with a hand outstretched to lift up the fallen, care for the dying and point them to One who is mighty to save.

MURRAY G. HARMER,
Grand Counsellor.

Sackville Happenings.

Sackville, Jan. 28—Bedford Oulton, an esteemed resident of Jolicure, passed away at Highland View Hospital, Amherst, on Friday. Deceased was fifty-four years old and was twice married, his last wife surviving him. Seven children also mourn their loss—Mrs. Frank Ogden, Jolicure; Miss Dora, in Boston; Burton, of Calgary; Myrtle, Annie, Vera and Aubrey, at home.

Joseph Bryant, a respected resident of Botsford, passed away on Wednesday last after a lingering illness of consumption, in the 60th year of his age. Funeral was held on Friday; interment at Cape Bauld.

The funeral of the late Alexander McConnell was held on Saturday. Rev. J. L. Dawson conducted the service; interment at Sackville cemetery.

The funeral of the late Wm. Amos, of Port Elgin, was held on Friday, a large number assembling to pay their last tribute of respect. Rev. J. H. Brownell officiated.

The marriage of Miss Isabell McNab, of Baie Verte, and Wm. Spence, of Cape Spear, was solemnized at Baie Verte Methodist parsonage on Wednesday. Rev. B. O. Hartman performed the ceremony.

James J. Seaman, of Cape Spear, and Miss Eliza Thomas, of Tryon (P. E. I.), were united in marriage on the 14th inst. at Bayfield Methodist parsonage. Rev. Wm. Lawson tied the nuptial knot.

Miss Nettie Goodwin is critically ill.

J. J. Anderson, collector of customs, has been confined to his home for some days with an attack of la grippe.

Howard Trueman, of Point de Bute, who has been critically ill, is somewhat improved.

DIED WHEN ON VISIT TO HIS SONS

The body of William Gamblin was brought here Monday from Carlingford, Victoria county, where death took place on Sunday. Tuesday it was taken to English Settletment for burial. Mr. Gamblin was seventy-one years of age, and had been sick only a few weeks. He lived at Collina Corner, Kings county, but was visiting his sons at Carlingford when his death occurred. He leaves six sons and one daughter. Miss Annie Ewing, who has been at the home of J. Harvey Brown, Lancaster Heights, is a granddaughter, and was notified of the death by telegram from McAdam.

The deserted baby boy who, on the night of Monday, Jan. 15, was found in an alley off Waterloo street, died at the Salvation Army Rescue Home, St. James street, at midnight Sunday. Coroner Berryman says that the alms house commissioners would probably be responsible for the burial of the child, and he is looking after the necessary papers. There will be no inquest.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Lucy P. Noyes.

Mrs. Lucy P., wife of Edward P. Noyes, a well known business man of Avon (Mass.), passed away Christmas day at the family home in High street, aged forty-six years. Ill for several months she had been a patient sufferer, reflecting the beautiful Christian character of which she was possessed. She was an example of well tried Christian duty to the last. She was a consistent member of the First Congregational church of Brockton and a devoted wife and mother. Her husband and family have the sympathy of many friends in their sad bereavement. She leaves four children—Myrtle, Frank, Wilmer and Flora; and four sisters—Mrs. Anna McKenzie, of Milltown, and Mrs. Robert Hetherington, Mrs. David McLean and Mrs. Wm. McLean, of Queens county (N. B.) One of the sisters, Mrs. McKenzie, of Milltown, was with her during the greater part of her illness.

The funeral was held from the home in High street. There was a large attendance of sorrowing relatives and friends. Rev. R. L. Rae, of the Waldo Congregational church of Montello, a near friend of the family, conducted the services and spoke of her beautiful Christian life. A quartette composed of Rev. Mr. Rae and Mrs. Rae, Mr. Patterson and Miss Bessie McCleave, of Montello, sang The Home Call and Christian's Good Night. Interment was in the Avon cemetery. The bearers were Godfrey Knight, William W. Littlefield, Herbert E. Bailey and J. H. McLeave, of Montello, all from Montello Lodge, K. of P. Among the beautiful floral tributes were a large pillow of roses, pinks and calla lilies inscribed "At Rest," from the husband and children; large basket of roses, pinks and ferns, board of water commissioners, Avon; standing wreath of roses and ferns, Montello Lodge, 125, K. of P.; spray of pink roses and ferns, H. E. Baily and family; spray of pinks and roses, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Ford and Mrs. Ellen Harding; spray of violets and carnations, Andrew McCabe, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Clark and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Goeres; spray of white pinks and ferns, Misses Nellie and Minnie McBride, Brockton; basket of pinks and roses, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Haskins, Miss Cora Haskins and I. N. Archibald; spray of narcissus, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Archibald; spray of hyacinths and ferns, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McGowan, Brockton; large panel of pink carnations and ferns, Messrs. McGonnigle and Packard; spray of carnations and ferns, Dr. and Mrs. E. P. Linfield; spray of carnations and ferns, Mrs. Ann Feeny and family; spray of narcissus and ferns, Misses Robbins; palms and calla lilies, Mrs. Daniel Kimball, of Manville (R. I.); spray of pink and ferns, Mr. and Mrs. M. Sisk; spray of narcissus and ferns, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. McRae, Brockton; spray of narcissus, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Soule and Mr. and Mrs. William Whittimore; spray of carnations and ferns, J. H. McLeave and family, Boston; spray of white carnations and ferns, Mr. and Mrs. George Orcutt; sprays of pinks and ferns, Mr. and Mrs. George Clifford, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Boden and Mr. and Mrs. Milford Messenger; large spray of pinks and roses inscribed "A. B. S.," Avon Lodge, A. B. S.; spray of roses, ferns and pinks, Mr. and Mrs. William W. Littlefield and Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Littlefield; sprav of carnations and ferns, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Otis, Quincy.

Henry Herbert.

Henry Herbert, of Worcester (Mass.), died at his home, 13 Vernon street, on the 23rd inst., leaving a sorrowing wife to mourn his sad loss.

Charles Burrill.

Halifax, N. S., Jan. 25.—News has been received here of the death of Charles Burrill, one of the best known men in western Nova Scotia, and who a few years ago carried on an extensive business at Weymouth.

He was appointed a year ago by the Canadian government to go to Boston to look after Canadians who might want to return to their native land, and his death occurred there yesterday. He was 56 years of age and leaves a widow and three children.

Mrs. John E. Turnbull.

The death of Mrs. Anne Turnbull, widow of John E. Turnbull, who was a prominent citizen of St. John, occurred yesterday at her residence in this city at the advanced age of eighty-eight years. Mrs. Turnbull was married in England but resided here the greater part of her life, all her children being born in Canada. She is survived by two sons—James H., of Winnipeg, and John E., of Melbourne, Australia—and three daughters—Mrs. Emma Frink, wife of R. W. W. Frink, of this city; Mrs. Neida Markham, wife of Col. Markham, formerly of St. John, and now on the Pacific coast, and Mrs. Georgie Paisley, wife of J. M. Paisley, of Boston. The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon from the residence of R. W. W. Frink, 114 Leinster street.

John McGill Otty.

At Winnipeg, on Friday the death of John McGill Otty, son of the late Capt. Allan Otty, R. N., occurred. He was 73 years of age and unmarried.

Mrs. Robert Dunlap.

On Saturday the death of Julia, the wife of Robert Dunlap, occurred. She was 42 years of age, and leaves her husband, a son, Benedict, and a daughter, Miss Ethel.

William Robert Dean.

After an illness of two weeks William Robert, the ten-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Dean, died on Saturday.

Henry C. Frost.

Henry Chillis Frost, a well known and much respected resident of Hampton Station, residing in Main street, died quite suddenly on Saturday afternoon, Jan. 26, after an illness of some days. He had been suffering from asthma, to which he had been subject at times, but this attack was rendered more oppressive by la grippe, and in a sudden paroxysm the heart suddenly ceased its operation and without warning he passed away. The family have the sincere sympathy of the whole community in this sudden bereavement.

Mr. Frost came of Loyalist stock on both sides of his family, was born at Lower Norton, received his education in the common schools, and in early manhood went into business—that of contracting builder—with his father, Robert C. Frost. Afterward he removed to St. John, where he lived some years and became a freeman of the city. Thence he went to New York, where he carried on his trade until the civil war brought on hard times in all mechanical pursuits. He came back to St. John and became a druggist, his place of business being on the corner of Union and Mill streets, where he was burned out by the great fire of 1877. He then removed to Hampton and resumed his former business with profit and general satisfaction to all for whom he worked.

Besides his widow he leaves two sons—George K., of W. H. Johnson Co., St. John, and William W., at present of the railway postal service—and one daughter, Miss Mary B., at home. One brother, George E. Frost, Hampton, and four sisters—Mrs. J. N. Rogers, Mrs. Frank Hollis, Mrs. George Barlow and Miss Georgie B. Frost—all of St. John, survive.

LOCAL NEWS.

Robert Phillips, of Glenwood, on Saturday entered the hospital for treatment of one of his knees which was hurt in an accident last summer.

Capt. Fred S. Mabee has been appointed to the command of the river steamer Elaine. L. A. Currey will act as manager of the steamer which will undergo repairs before the season opens.

J. A. Ashe, son-in-law of John McCann, of Indiantown, and a former telegraph operator on the I. C. R. at Truro, has been appointed assistant station agent at Rochester (N. Y.) on the New York Central.

At the recent session of the National Association of Marine Engineers, held in Ottawa, Neil J. Morrison, of St. John, was elected grand secretary and W. J. Barton, of St. John, was given a place on the legislative committee.

In Brussels street Baptist church last Sunday five Chinese were baptized by the pastor, Rev. A. B. Cohoe. Rev. Mr. Cohoe preached a powerful sermon from the text: "I come not to judge the world but to save the world." The church was crowded.

There were fourteen deaths in the city last week from the following causes: Bronchitis, accident and cerebral hemorrhage, two each; paresis, pneumonia, heart disease, phthisis pulmonalis, lumbar pneumonia, congestion of the lungs, erysipelas of the face, and senile tuberculosis, one each.

Yesterday afternoon as the steamer Canada Cape, was being unloaded at the I. C. R. wharf, a fireman employed on the steamer fell between the vessel and wharf, striking his head, and inflicting an ugly gash. With little difficulty he was fished out by sailors, and work was resumed.

Evidently the same lady from Newcastle-on-Tyne (Eng.), who wrote to Deputy Chief Jenkins here, asking him to find her a husband, has been making a like request of Ottawa's mayor, according to a despatch from the capital city. The lady's age is there given as 25. This is something which the deputy would not tell the boys.

In the suit of Surlotte et al vs. La Pointe, a Restigouche ejectment suit, W. B. Wallace, K. C., representing the plaintiffs, Monday afternoon made a motion before Judge McLeod to set aside the defence and find judgment of possession for the plaintiffs. J. P. Byrne, of Bathurst, argued contra. His honor referred the matter to the full court which will meet in Fredericton Tuesday.

The parishioners of the parish of Hampstead, Queens county, have awarded the contract for building a new parsonage to D. C. Slipp. The building will be in the latest style, with large granite foundations, the material for which will be supplied by A. Appleby, granite merchant. The late J. W. Slipp left a large sum of money to be devoted to building the parsonage, and the balance will have to be raised by subscription.

One very much interested in the much complained of steamship service between P. E. Island and the mainland, is Fred Campbell, who passed through here last evening. He lives on the island, and about December 1 came here to work in the woods. He hired with Capt. G. R. McDonough, who operates near St. Martins and all went well until last Monday when, by a glancing blow of the axe, he cut two toes nearly off. As soon as possible, he was taken to St. Martins, where Dr. H. E. Gillmor attended him, Monday he was brought to the city, and left last Monday for Pictou where he said he thought he might or might not get a steamer. He used two crutches, and walked with difficulty.

NEWS OF ROTHESAY AND VICINITY

Rothesay, Jan. 28—Preparations are being made for the ice racing at Clifton tomorrow afternoon. The farmers' race, which starts at 2 o'clock, is likely to be sharply contested. There is not much snow upon the ice and the course will no doubt be good and smooth. Fred M. Sproul has been added to the list of judges.

Mrs. Yandall's funeral took place Saturday. There was service at her late residence at Gondola Point and Rev. Mr. Daniel accompanied the body to Hatfield's Point. The drive took five hours. There was service in the church there, which was conducted in part by Rev. Mr. Coleman, after which Rev. Mr. Daniel and the Misses Yandall returned to Rothesay by train via Hampton.

Miss Kate, daughter of the late Andrew Kirkpatrick, was married a few days ago in Washington to Thomas Kedey. The bride was well known here, where she has many relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Kedey will reside in Anaconda.

Arthur Vincent, who was injured at Nerepis, arrived home Saturday with his father. His physician says his arm is cut badly and will not know for some days yet just how seriously.

Mrs. Henry Wheaton, of Reed's Point, has been quite seriously ill for some time with pleurisy.

Village residents who fight Jack Frost with coal or the dry hard cord wood find both an expensive item this weather. Coal hauled from the city here is put in the bin with less trouble and about the same expense—and that is nearly $9 a ton—as it can be brought by rail and good wood in four foot lengths costs $6 in the dooryard. And the economic question which is the best value, a ton of coal or a cord of wood, is still debated.

The magistrate at Hampton is an obliging justice. Duplissea, the Fredericton Junction man who made a mistake and kicked up ructions in Rothesay's station, hadn't the money with him to pay the fine and costs, $15, when convicted before the shiretown court. His watch was taken as security and he promised to send the money and was released.

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ROBBERS BLOW UP SAFE IN CARLETON

Daring Break in Charles E. Colwell's Fish Establishment--Only $25 Secured.

Between 2 and 3 o'clock Saturday morning thieves entered Chas. E. Colwell's fish store near the Old Fort, Carleton, blew up the safe in the office, getting away with $25. The thieves evidently new the place as they came up from underneath the wharf and opened a side door that was locked and proceeded up stairs where they secured a key hanging back of the door. They opened the office door and then entered the dry shed and secured a crowbar and adze and a hammer which was used by one of the coopers.

The thieves used these tools for opening the safe. Before firing the explosive they removed a picture from the top of the safe and hung it on a nail. Glycerine was used and the explosive blew a third of the lower part of the safe to atoms. A picture was also broken and the plaster torn off the wall.

There were two drawers in the safe, one contined $85 in $10 and $5 bills and $15 in gold. The explosion drove the money back into the safe and when the burglars searched they found nothing but the tin box containing $25. This they took out in the dry shed where a good coal fire was burning. They evidently were in no hurry for they made seats out of a couple of boxes and taking a hatchet they broke open the cash box and secured the $25 in silver.

One strange thing is that two foreign pieces of money with the rest of the silver were not taken. The silver was done up in papers and some figures were on some of the papers. This was removed by the thieves and left along side of the stove. An old lady who lives across the street heard the explosion between 2 and 3 o'clock, but thought it was a mail boat firing a salute.

On Saturday morning when the men returned to work some of them missed some tools and in the meantime one of the men had gone in the office to light a fire. When the door of the office was opened the man was surprised to see wreck and ruin. The safe had been blown up and on top of the safe were the cooper's missing tools.

Mr. Colwell was notified and at once informed the police about the break. The thieves were a day late according to Mr. Colwell for he said that on Thursday night the box in the safe contained $775. Mr. Colwell said that Friday morning he told the bookkeeper to take this to the bank and deposit it. This was done and the money was safe.

It was not professionals who blew up the safe as they would have made a better job of it. Deputy Jenkins and Detective Killen were working on the case but the only clue found is a fig of tobacco. The thieves were cool customers for they locked the office door after them and hung up the key again in its place.

Injured in a Mill.

Arthur Vincent, the 17 year old son of Chester Vincent, of Rothesay, while removing sawdust from under Arthur Crandall's mill at Nerepis, last Wednesday, was caught and carried to one of the saws. His left arm was so badly cut, nineteen stitches were necessary to close the wound. Mr. Vincent took his son home to Rothesay Saturday. The young man's fellow employees made up and presented to him a purse of $41.

TRIBUTE TO MEMORY OF HON. MR. BLAIR

Rev. Dr. Sprague, Twice His Pastor, Makes Feeling Reference in Sermon in Centenary.

A tribute to the memory of the late Hon. A. G. Blair was paid Sunday in Centenary church by the pastor, Rev. Dr. Sprague. The text of the sermon was Ecclesiastes 8-8: "There is no man that hath power over the spirit, to retain the spirit; neither hath he power in the day of death, and there is no discharge in that war."

At the close of his sermon Dr. Sprague spoke as follows:

"Sometimes the sudden stroke of death suggests other thoughts which it is wholesome at times to have, and leads us to reflections on ourselves and our ways, and on habits of men and of associations of men, which ought not to wait for death to bring them.

"You remember, perhaps, Washington Irving's words: 'Oh, the grave! the grave! It buries every error, covers every defect, extinguishes every resentment! From its peaceful bosom spring none but fond regrets and tender recollections. Who can look down upon the grave even of an enemy and not feel a compunctious throb that he should ever have warred with the poor handful of earth that lies mouldering before him?' The passion of party strife has not the fierceness of former times, but men are still men. They carry their ambitions and rivalries and jealousies up to the end and

'Shriek and strive in pigmy wars,
Before the stony face of Time,
And looked at by the silent stars;
And strain to make an inch of room,
For their sweet selves, and cannot hear
The sullen Lethe rolling doom
On them and theirs and all things here.'

"Then, suddenly, all are in the presence of death and a hush falls. Strife is ended for a day. And, in the calm, how ignoble and vulgar our factions and our fightings are!

"Two days ago a public man whose name was familiar to every one in this province, who had been a leader in its public affairs, who had seen much of conflict and victory and tasted also of defeat, was still in the fullness of both mental and physical power, and was looking forward to renew activities in the nation's larger life; today the grave is waiting, not for him, but for the worn out fetter which the soul has broken and thrown away.

"That he filled so long a place so prominent in this province and that he was for some years a member of this congregation, might suggest the propriety, might awaken the expectation of some reference to him now and here. Twice his pastor, in Fredericton and in St. John, a frequent guest in his home, enjoying a friendship with him, beginning forty years ago and deepening with every renewal of intercourse until he went to live in Ottawa, I saw phases of his life and character which the public could not see and which even his political comrades could not so fully appreciate and admire.

"But then, what I could say would be too personal and intimate for public utterance; and the rest, which the public knew, has been said in a still more public way, and needs no repetition here. I have been thinking today of our first meeting and our last. I met him first in his own home in 1868, during the first session of the conference of Eastern British America which I attended in his native city. Both young and looking forward to walks in life, very different in some respects but alike in this, that they would bring us much before public assemblies, I remember the keen delight we shared as we sat together under the spell of the great pulpit orator, Morley Punshon.

"We met last in the same city, at the side of the grave, where the mortal part of a common friend was being laid to rest. It was eight weeks ago tomorrow. How well he seemed! How strong he was! How near was the end, and how little he knew!

"What he was in society and public life is within common knowledge. What he was in his home to his family, among his intimate friends, in his private life, I count it a privilege to have seen. One of the treasures of memory for the rest of the way will be the memory of a tender and devoted husband and father, a warm and faithful friend, an intellectual and inspiring companion, a pure-minded and noble-hearted man, ever called up by the name of Andrew G. Blair."

William Argraves.

William Argraves, who belonged to Green Ridge (N. B.) and who was employed as a brakeman on the Bangor & Aroostook railroad, was killed by falling under the cars in the yard at Caribou last week.