BOSTON LETTER.

Thanksgiving Passed Off Quietly.

Several Prominent Maritime Province People Who Died Recently in the States—Maritime Trade Quiet.

BOSTON, Nov. 24.—Thanksgiving in Boston was damp and gloomy. Many persons went out of town for the day, as usual, and those that remained stayed indoors. The Christmas trade will be well under way next week, and a brisk general business is looked for.

Mrs. Rosina Bradley Willis of Waltham, who has brought suit at Asheville, N. C., against the estate of William S. Bradley of Hendersonville, N. C., formerly of Nova Scotia, is the wife of Warwick B. Willis. Mrs. Willis says that Bradley, who formerly was a successful photographer in Boston, was her uncle, and adopted her when she was small. He was very eccentric, and about 15 years ago, after the death of his wife, suddenly left Boston. He afterwards lived at Augusta, Ga., and Hendersonville, where he died in 1902. Fred Bradley of Boston also was adopted by Mr. Bradley, and is a claimant for his property with Mrs. Willis. Part of the estate for which suit is brought was purchased by the University of North Carolina from the State, to which it reverted upon Bradley's death, as no heirs appeared. Mrs. Willis learned of the death later through friends in Nova Scotia, who had seen an advertisement in provincial papers enquiring for Bradley's heirs. Part of the estate was purchased from the State of North Carolina by the Episcopal church authorities, and the Bishop of Asheville, Rt. Rev. Junius H. Horner, D. D., is one of the defendants in the ligitation. About $50,000 is involved.

Capt. E. C. Worden of Bayswater, N. B., will command the four-master schooner Addison B. Bullard, which was launched at Bath, Me., on Tuesday. The vessel cost about $75,000.

The death is announced in Colorado Springs, Col., of Angus Macdonald, formerly of Salem, Mass. He was born at Springton, P. E. I., in 1856, and learned the tailoring business on the Island before coming to this state. He was a prominent Mason, having been a member of a Royal Arch Chapter in New Brunswick.

William E. Delorey, for many years a well known master painter of this city, died at his home here yesterday. He was a native of Tracadie, N. S. For several years he had been blind, his brother Frank conducting the business.

Among other deaths of former provincialists were the following: In Dorchester, Nov. 22, Mrs. Elizabeth S. Portall, wife of Martin J. Portall, formerly of St. John; in Charlestown, Nov. 22, Mrs. Mary T. Kelly, widow of Matthew Kelly, formerly of St. John; in Somerville, Nov. 22, Moses A. Hanlin, formerly of St. John; at Beverly, Nov. 21, William F. Early, aged 70, native of Kentville, N. S.; in Lowell, Nov. 17, Alderman G. H. Tryder, aged 67, formerly of Windsor, N. S.; in South Boston, Frank W. Smith, young son of Alfred C. Smith, latter formerly of Amherst, N. S.; in South Boston, Nov. 16, Mrs. Elizabeth Chidley, widow of John Chidley, formerly of Halifax; in Everett, Nov. 18, Mrs. Agnes Melanson (nee Grinsell), wife of Joseph Melanson, aged 28 years, native of Prince Edward Island.

There is a continued strong tone on spruce lumber, with a market scarcity of supplies. For prompt shipment wide stuff realizes $1 above quotations, and certain kinds of narrow dimension stuff command a similar premium. The position is becoming very critical as to filling orders because so many mills are shutting down because of cold weather. The Bangor mills are all closed for the season, and nearly every one on the Kennebec has also suspended operations.

Clapboards fully hold their own. Laths are also firm, and some are asking $3.40 for 1 5-8 in. stuff.

Hemlock remains in a very strong position, with prices fully sustained at the recent improvement.

Advices from Maine are that the cut this year on the St. John will not be more than half of what it was last year. This is the result of a resolution passed by the Lumbermen's Association and of prevailing weather conditions. Not only have the gangs been reduced in numbers and sent to the woods later than usual, but the weather on the upper branches has been very wet, and in this way the work of cutting has been seriously interfered with. Hence the total cut on the St. John this year will not be over 70,000,000, if indeed it reaches that amount. The hung-up and left-over timber, however, will bring the total up to 120,000,000. From the provinces there arrived last week three schooners with 153,012 feet of lumber, 9,000 feet of piling and 1,580,000 shingles. The quotations are:

Railway shipments—Spruce lumber: 10 and 12-inch dimensions, $21; 9-inch and under dimension, $19; 10 and 12-inch random lengths, 10 feet and up, $20.50; 2x3, 2x4, 2x5, 2x7, and 3x4, 10 ft. and up, $16.50 to 17.75. All other random lengths, 9 inches and under, 10 ft. up, $18; merchantable board 5-inch and up, $16 to 16.50; matched boards, $18.50; eastern hemlock board, 12, 14, 16 feet, $15.50 to 16.70; Vermont hemlock board, 12, 14, 16 feet, $15 to 15.50.

About 1,500 barrels of salt mackerel have been received here from the provinces during the last ten days. The trade is generally quiet. Commission house ask $14.50 to 15.50 for new large 3s; $17 to 18 for extra 2s; $18 to 20 for shore No. 1. Codfish are quiet. In the local market, large shore are held at $7 to 7.25; medium, $6 to 6.50; large Georges, $7.25 to 7.50; large dry bank, $7 to 7.50, and large pickled bank, $6 to 6.25. Pickled shore herring are in steady supply at $7 for large N. S. split. Smoked herring are firm, with medium scaled selling at 11 to 14c. Fresh fish are in moderate supply. Market cod are worth 4c. per lb.; large cod, 5c.; shore haddock, 5c; eastern white halibut, 15 to 18c.; western salmon, 10c.; eels, 10c.; fresh mackerel, large, 20 to 25c.; frozen, 20c.; extra N. B. smelts, 20c.; medium, 15c.; live lobsters, 18c.; boiled, 20 cents.

ACT OF VILLAINY.

G. W. Ganong, M. P., Tells of Means Resorted to by Liberals to Defeat Him.

The following is from the Montreal Star:

G. W. Ganong, M. P.-elect for Charlotte, N. B., has communicated to the Star some additional points respecting the fight made against him in the recent election by the liberals. In a published interview he has already shown how conservative voters were sent to "chop brush" on election day; how a huge campaign fund was used against him; how flagrant and open bribery was practised, and that non-residents were paid to come into the county to register their suffrages against him and in favor of Mr. Gillmor, the candidate from Montreal.

Respecting what he terms the "crowning act of villainy," Mr. Ganong writes:

"St. Stephen, N. B., Nov. 22, 1904.

"To the Editor of the Montreal Star:

"Sir—Since my return I note you have published some of the peculiar phases of our election here.

"In respect to the use of the Bibles, of which I spoke to you when in Montreal, I find that either the central or the local liberal organization furnished a lot of new Bibles, to be used in this county. In the town of St. Stephen at least four were used by their workers. The usual manner of use was as follows: A worker, having made the arrangements for the purchase price of a vote, would take the "purchased" party into a laundry on the same street, run by a good liberal, and there make him swear he would vote for Mr. Gillmor, the liberal candidate, after which the money would be paid over.

"The same thing has been reported, on good authority, from some of the country districts. But, on the suggestion of some of the conservatives that they were making themselves liable to penalties under the law for taking affidavits when not authorized to do so, the liberal workers were a little more particular in the country districts. But in this town they simply paid no attention to this aspect and openly boasted of their acts after the polls had closed.

"I will add that if the fishery commission had reported before election on the lines on which they are understood now to have agreed in regard to the sardine and other fishing business, the conservatives would probably have had an extra 200 or 300 majority. The government seem determined to destroy the fishing business in this county.

"Yours very truly,

"G. W. GANONG,

"M. P.-elect Charlotte Co."

WOOD CUT BY BEAVERS.

Park Laborers are Finding Pieces Almost Every Day.

Any person who wants a sample of work done by the original carpenters of this country may obtain the same by going to Rockwood Park and walking around to the lake wherein the chain gang are now at work. This is the place which for the time being is known as the second lake, and is below the old beaver dam. The laborers are now engaged in cleaning up the bottom of the lake, and in removing the soil they are continually coming across pieces of wood, in almost perfect preservation, which show ample evidence of having been cut by beavers. Some of these pieces have been bitten off flat, while others have pointed ends, just like in the pictures in the school geography.

This is not the only thing worth going to the park for. Housekeepers who have potted plants and who find dificulty in obtaining rich earth for these flowers, would consider the heap at the park a veritable gold mint. The soil now being removed from the bed of the lake is a dark, rich loam, the very thing for plants, and it is there in hundreds of tons.

For a time the work at the lake went along quite rapidly, but that was in the early days before police court frequenters learned that it was better to work clear of the jail for money than to work for the city for nothing. In those days the chain gang numbered eighteen or twenty, but within the last couple of weeks it has beeen reduced so in numbers that if every man had a cent the whole crowd would scarcely be worth a pound of sugar. There are now eight workers in the gang. There were only six last week, and yesterday there were ten. Usually at this season of the year the jail has had an average of sixty occupants, but at present scarcely more than half that number are behind the bars. The hard labor has had a great effect.

CHATHAM PULP MILLS.

Extensive preparations are being made for the opening of the Chatham pulp mill, and it is expected that the manufacture of pulp will be begun within two months. At present the mills are being given a thorough overhauling, and logs are being hauled, in order that sufficient may be on hand when the machinery starts. Great quantities of logs are now lying in the Miramichi river, and it is desired to have all of these landed before ice forms. The logs are being hauled up on the wharf just below the mills, loaded on cars, and hauled up to the yards. One of the I. C. R. engines has a steady job moving these cars.

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THE CHURCH AT WALLACE.

New Edifice Was Dedicated on Thursday Last.

The new Methodist church of Wallace, N. S., was dedicated last Thursday. This church is the third that has stood at the same site. The first was erected a little over a hundred years ago, and was for several years the gathering place of the people of the adoining settlements as well as of the village. It made way for a larger church about 65 or 70 years ago. At the time of the dedication of the second church the Wallace circuit included the territory on which are now found seven strong congregations, with their churches, ministers and parsonages. The present church is valued at $5,000, and there is still a debt of $800 against it. The church will seat about 400 people. It is a beautiful building, and the design is very unique. The idea is American. The school room is built so that it can be opened in case of an overflow meeting, and will seat about 250.

The church is finished in hard wood, with oak pews. The principal windows are memorial, and have been put in by descendants of the old families who were the founders of the first church.

The minister in charge of the new church, to whom great credit is due, is the Rev. Mr. Heal, who came from England a few years. He has proved himself a very successful church builder.

The dedicatory services were held Thursday afternoon, the first service commencing at 1 o'clock. Notwithstanding the steady downpour of rain when the pastor, accompaied by Rev. Mr. Hockin, chairman of the district of Amherst, Rev. Dr. Huestis of Halifax, Rev. Mr. Farquar of Pugwash, and Rev. G. M. Campbell, entered the church, every seat was occupied. A large choir rendered appropriate music and the chairman of the district conducted the dedication services according to the discipline of the church. Levi Stevens, the oldest member of the trustee board, presented the church for dedication. Rev. G. M. Campbell preached the sermon, from Isaiah 2 and 57. There was also an evening service, which was well attended.

About twenty-five ministers have come out from the old Wallace circuit. Several letters of congratulation were received from those unable to attend. Only two of the old ministers were present, Rev. Mr. Campbell and Rev. Dr. Huestis.

TO SOLVE THE NEGRO PROBLEM.

Dr. A. B. Walker Will Start on a Lecturing Tour.

Dr. A. B. Walker, president of the African colonization movement, will leave in a few weeks on a lecturing tour in the interests of the great idea on which he has set his heart. He is now at work preparing a message which will in due time be issued to the press of Great Britain and the United States. This message will contain an outline of the proposed movement and a discussion of the negro race in relation to the Caucasian race, and an estimate of the capacity of the former to create and maintain a great and flourishing empire in Africa under the British flag, of course.

Dr. Walker's idea is that the destiny of the negro is in Africa. That is where the negro problem must be solved. There are now 230,000,000 negroes in Africa, practically all of whom are outside the pale of civilization.

Dr. Walker will open his tour at Toronto and will proceed west from three, and will also visit the United States. He will be gone about three months.

BELYEA-DOBSON.

The marriage of David Belyea, of Hatfield's Point, King's county, N. B., to Miss Eva Dobson, of Amherst, N. S., took place a few days ago at River Hebert. The bride is well known in Amherst, where she has a wide circle of friends, from whom she received many handsome presents. The young couple have just returned from an extended wedding trip east and will reside in Amherst. Mr. Belyea has many friends in this city who will wish him and his bride a pleasant journey through life.

EXPLAINED THE LAW.

Lord Lansdowne Has Written a Letter Warning British Colliers.

LONDON, Nov. 27.—Foreign Minister Lansdowne has written a letter to the chamber of shipping, chamber of commerce and other similar bodies, giving further warning with reference to British colliers and the Russia Baltic squadron, explaining that British owners chartering their vessels for such purposes as following the Russian fleet with coal and supplies might render themselves liable to proceedings under the foreign enlistment act, the applicable sections of which he quotes. Lord Lansdowne then refers to the fact that a similar question arose during the Franco-German war, when Mr. Gladstone laid down the principle that such colliers would to all intents and purposes become storeships to the fleet. "Therefore," concludes Lord Lansdowne, "although neutral traders may trade in contraband at the risk of capture, they should bear in mind the conditions of the English law."

DISCOVERED IN TIME.

BUCKSPORT, Me., Nov. 25.—Fortunate discovery by neighbors saved the fine summer residence near Fort Knox and owned by George Grueby of Boston, from destruction by an incendiary fire last night. The house was closed, but was broken into, a large heap of straw and paper collected in the cellar, saturated with kerosene and fired. The blaze was discovered just in time to save the house. There is no clue to the perpetrators.

SQUADRON SAILED.

RIO JANEIRO, Nov. 25.—The U. S. South Atlantic squadron sailed for Bahia this morning.

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IN HARD LUCK.

Robert Nolan, Blind and Seriously Ill,

Has Had to Give Himself and Family to Public Charity—Not His Own Fault.

A peculiarly sad case of sickness and destitution has come to light within the past few days on Brussels street, and the last member of a former happy family has been forced upon public charity. Robert Nolan was at one time a prosperous workman, well able to provide for himself and his young family, but little by little misfortune overtook him, and broken in health, heart sick and discouraged, he was compelled to see his wife and children become dependent upon the kindness of others. Two of his children are now at the Industrial Home, while the mother and two girls have gone to the alms house. Nolan is only 28 years of age and has been married but a few years, but hardships and sickness have made a prematurely old man of him.

During the past summer he has lived in a rough garret on Brussels street, but not being of a communicative disposition his neighbors knew little or nothing about him.

He is known as a hard worker and of a generous disposition, but about eight years ago, while employed on the railway, he injured his eye, and a second injury completely deprived him of its use. In some way the other eye was affected and he became unfit for work. To add to his discouragements he received a severe blow in the side which resulted in internal injuries.

After he was compelled to let his family go, hope seems to have died out, and he has led but a hand to mouth existence. Employed for a while in the city street department, he became too ill to continue a short time ago. The cold, unprotected garret caused pleurisy, and had it not been for the attentions from some kind friend Mr. Nolan would have been desolate.

Dr. Lunney visited him Sunday morning and found his condition so serious that he had him removed to the public hospital.

A RECORD BREAKING YEAR.

(Portland Press.)

It may now be regarded as definitely settled that this is to be a record-breaking freight and cattle export season from this port. Months ago the signs of the times indicated that such might be the case, and now it is evident that the most sanguine expectations will be more than realized.

While we have some all the year round business, the shipping season, the steamship season proper begins very suddenly. The St. Lawrence river goes out of commission, takes its annual vacation, or gives every sign of intending to do so, and then there is a sudden change here, the docks fill up with the big liners, and a vast amount of freight is shipped from here.

There will be many cattle and sheep forwarded from here during the winter. The shipment of cattle have been increasing, but only in proportion with the growth of her export business in other respects, from year to year, until the present time. Portland is now a great port of export and the Grand Trunk cattle sheds at East Deering are almost a Chicago stock yards on a smaller scale.

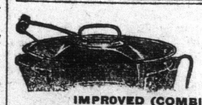
HE OBJECTS.

"This is intolerable," said the man with the fur-lined coat, as he sat down upon one of luxuriously upholstered benches which adorn the cabins of H. M. S. Ouangondy which occasionally runs between St. John and Carleton. Being unaware of the nature of his grievance no one responded. "I say the condition of these cabins is a disgrace to the people who run this service," casting his eye around the floor which was reeking with tobacco spit. "I shall make a complaint to the superintendent tonight," was the fur-lined man's parting shot as the boat scraped against the slip.

The rest of the passengers smiled and some of them remarked that he could not employ his time more usefully, providing any reform in this direction was accomplished.

SUBMARINE BOATS.

CRONSTADT, Nov. 27.—Two Lake submarine boats purchased by Russia through a New York shipping house, have arrived and will be shipped to Vladivostok by rail.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LOTT HAS GONE.

Crown Officials Are Looking For Him.

Sensational Evidence in Bogus Ballot Box Trial Given by J. A. Bremner, Editor of Brancroft Reporter.

BELLEVILLE, Ont., Nov. 26. — The bogus ballot box case was continued today, sensational evidence being given by John A. Bremner, editor of the Bancroft Reporter, to whom, it will be remembered a portion of the bogus ballot boxes were shipped. Bremner admitted receiving a box containing the boxes, but claimed he did not know what it contained, though he was unable to say why he turned it over without any inquiry into its contents to Sam Harryett, police magistrate of Bancroft, and a leading liberal worker. Finally he admitted he was suspicious of the contents of the box, and that he had little confidence in Harryett, though he had in his paper recommended his appointment as police magistrate. Bremner also admitted that last Sunday a conference was held in Bancroft which had been attended by B. O. Lott and others, including an Ontario crown lands department official named Kelly, at which meeting an attempt was made to extract a promise from him that if he was called to testify in this case he would to all intents and purposes commit perjury.

C. Taylor and William Sproule, two workers in Frontenac for Shibley, testified after much pressing that they had engaged a private room in a hotel at Clarendon, and that Hawkey, a professional wrestler, and deputy returning officer, had gone to that room after the poll had closed with the ballot box and had been there alone for some time. The usual majority of 40 in this poll was pulled down to 7.

Patrick Cotter, a young man from Watertown, employed by Root, the tinsmith who made the boxes, identified one of them, and also identified Reilly as the man who ordered them.

Several witnesses failed to answer to their names and search warrants have been issued.

B. O. Lott has disappeared. His bail has been cancelled and crown officials are looking for him.

DECLARATION HAS BEEN SIGNED.

North Sea Disaster Will be Looked Into by International Commission Which Will Meet at Paris.

LONDON, Nov. 27.—The foreign office has issued the following English translation of the declaration signed at St. Petersburg by Sir Charles Hardinge, the British ambassador, and Count Lamsdorff, the Russian foreign minister:

"His Britannic Majesty's government and the imperial Russian government having agreed to entrust to an international commission of inquiry assembled conformably to articlesI. and XIV. of The Hague convention of July 29, 1899, for the pacific settlement of international disputes, the task of elucidating by means of impartial and conscientious investigation the question of fact connected with the incident which occurred during the night of October 21-22, 1904, in the North Sea (on which occasion the firing of guns on the Russian fleet caused a loss of a boat and the death of two persons belonging to a British fishing fleet, as well as damage to other boats of that fleet and injuries to the crews of some of those boats), the undersigned being duly authorized thereto, have agreed upon the following provisions:

"Article 1.—The international commission of inquiry shall be composed of five members (commissioners), of whom two shall be officers of high rank in the British and imperial Russian navies respectively. The governments of France and of the United States shall each be requested to select one of their naval officers of high rank as a member of the commission. The fifth member shall be chosen by agreement between the four members above mentioned; in the event of no agreement being reached between the four commissioners as to the selection of the fifth, his imperial and royal majesty, the Emperor of Austria and King of Hungary will be invited to select him. Each of the two contracting parties shall likewise appoint a legal assessor to advise the commissioners and an agent officially empowered to take part in the labors of the commission.

"Article II.—The commission shall enquire into and report on all circumstances relative to the North Sea incident, and particularly on the question as to where the responsibility lies and the degree of blame attaching to subjects of the two high contracting parties or to subjects of other countries in the event of their responsibility being established by the inquiry.

"ArticleIII.—The commission shall settle the details of procedure which it will follow for the purpose of accomplishing the task wherewith it has been entrusted.

"Article IV.—The two high contracting parties shall undertake to supply the commission ,to the utmost of their ability, with all the means and facilities necessary in order to enable it to acquaint itself thoroughly with and appreciate correctly the matters in dispute.

"Article V.—The commission shall asemble in Paris as soon as possible after the signature of the agreement.

"Article VI.—The commission shall present its report to the two high contracting parties, signed by all the members of the commission.

"Article VII.—The commission shall take all its decisions by a majority of the votes of the five commissioners.

"Article VIII.—The two high contracting parties undertake each to bear on reciprocal terms the expenses of the inquiry made by it previous to the assembly of the commission, the expenses incurred by the international commission after the date of its assembly in organizing its staff and conducting the investigations which it will have to make shall be equally shared by the two governments.

"In faith thereof the undersigned have signed the present agreement (declaration) and affixed their seals to it."

PLENTY OF CARS—LACK OF SHIPS.

Western Grain Filling Up Elevators at Lake Terminals Though Fleet is Increased.

FORT WILLIAM, Ont., Nov. 26.—Wheat is arriving at this lake port much faster than it can be taken away and during the week ending October 31, 2,403,000 bushels were received here, while only 1,264,000 bushels were exported. The terminal elevators now contain millions of bushels of wheat, and this amount, because of lack of available vessels, will not be lessened before the close of lake navigation, December 10, which means that January 15, at least will find the huge warehouses at the lake ports loaded to their capacity.

The fact that two additional fleets, among which are two ocean-going steamers, are calling regularly at the terminals, make it evident that there has been anything but a car shortage in the West, as the railroads have carried double the quantity of grain that could be handled by the navigation companies. An unusually large amount of wheat will this winter be shipped via the all-rail route.

A FATAL EXPLOSION.

As a Result One Man is Dead and Three Others in the Hospital.

NEW YORK, Nov. 27.—One man is dead, three are in a hospital suffering from burns and lacerations, and several others are less seriously hurt as the result of an explosion early today in the generating house of the Consolidated Gas Co.'s plant in West 44th street in this city.

There were forty workmen in the generating house and all were either knocked down or were thrown against the walls. James Kane, 27 years old, received a fractured skull and died two hours later. Every window in the building was blown out and the force of the explosion was felt over a large section of the West Side. The cause of the explosion is not known. It occurred in the 12-inch main, carrying the freshly made gas from six huge generators in the floor of the house to the purifiers.

SENT TO THE TOMBS.

NEW YORK, Nov. 27.—Frank Felton, charged with the murder of Guy Roche, the gambler, who was shot in Broadway Thursday afternoon, and who died last night, was today arraigned before Coroner Scholer and remanded to the Tombs until Monday, when the question of admitting Felton to bail will be decided by the coroner after a conference with District Attorney Jerome.

BURNED TO DEATH.

MANCHESTER, N. S., Nov. 27.—Mrs. Anna Bick, a Polish woman, was burned to death tonight at her home, 341 Chestnut street. The cause of the accident is not known, as the woman, whose body was burned almost to a crisp, survived but a few moments after her plight was discovered. It is thought that she was attempting to fill a lighted lamp. She leaves a husband and five children.

NOVA SCOTIA WOMAN KILLED IN MASSACHUSETTS.

BOSTON, Nov. 24. — Miss A. May Coburn, of Wallace, N. S., and her aunt, Miss James F. Black, whom she was visiting, were killed by a train at Attleboro, Mass., this afternoon.

WAS NOT FLOATED.

NANTUCKET, Mass., Nov. 27.—An unsuccessful attempt was made today to float the stranded sch. Charles Luling. Another attempt will be made tomorrow.

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DEATH OR SHAME, GIRL TOOK DEATH.

NEW YORK, Nov. 26.—The young woman whose body was found in a Williamsburg hotel Monday night, and who apparently had committed suicide, was today identified as Jessie Voit, who lived for a time at College Point, L. I. She said there that she had come from Iowa. It is believed that, starving and destitute, she chose death rather than a life of shame, having driven from her presence a man with whom she went to the hotel before she turned on the gas and killed herself. She had been seeking work in some of the factories in Brooklyn, and this led to the identification.

On Wednesday a woman who saw the body said it was that of her sister "Dora" and today she telephoned that she would attend the funeral. In view of this incident today's identification has added mystery to the case.

WILL HAVE A GIDDY TIME.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 25.—Prince Fushimi, cousin to the emperor of Japan, arrived in this city today from St. Louis and will remain here until Wednesday morning, when he will go to New York.

Beginning with tomorrow the prince will be kept busy sightseeing and attending social functions given in his honor. A visit will be made to the University of Pennsylvania in the forenoon tomorrow and in the afternoon he will attend the army and navy football game on the Franklin field.

ACCIDENTAL DEATH.

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—An inquest today in Long Island City into the death of Patron Noble, who was clerk in the magistrate's court there, and who was found dead in his home from two revolver shot wounds, ended tonight with a verdict by the jury that the shooting was accidental. Noble's widow, Mrs. Josephine Leighton Noble, had been held to await the result of the inquest, upon the charge of having caused her husband's death. She has been in jail, also upon a magistrate's warrant. She was remanded tonight to await examination by the court next week.

LANCASHIRE COTTON TRADE.

LONDON, Nov. 25.—A meeting of representatives of the Lancashire cotton trade will be called shortly to prepare a reply to the invitation to visit the southern states of America. At first the feeling was against acceptance of the invitation because it emanated from growers rather than manufacturers. Now, however, the feeling is growing in favor of acceptance.

JOSEPH RETURNS HOME.

LONDON, Nov. 25.—Joseph Chamberlain and Mrs. Chamberlain are back in London, having returned from Italy, unannounced and quietly, several days earlier than they were expected.

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