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of the Province, and with a strong conviction that the four Conservative candidates whom he has fairly started in their respective campaigns will be elected to the next Parliament. The enthusiastic cheer with which the Summeride meeting closed will be long remembered by Mr. Borden and his associates from Nova Scotia and New Brunswick. Our great Leader made unnumbered friends during his visit to the island and left our shores in the highest hopes of good results to the Conservative party whenever the battle of the ballots is fought.

LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS.

HENRY Spencer died in London yesterday. He was 83 years of age.

Timothy at Springhill coal mines, N. S., is ended. The management and men have come to an agreement.

BENNETT Bros. and Cooper, Brokers, Boston, have failed. They were members of the Stock Exchange, and the failure is regarded as serious importance.

We have to thank Messrs J. B. McDonald & Co. wholesale and retail merchants, for a handsome calendar for 1904. This is among the first of the calendars to reach this office.

A Montreal despatch of Monday says Prefontaine gave a correspondent of the press to understand one of the winter steamers would ply on the Summeride-Toronto route till the ice formed after which both would go to Pictou.

The United States flag over the consulate at Alexandria, Egypt, Turkey was hoisted, down yesterday morning. Consul Davies left there in consequence of a serious diplomatic incident. He was faulted by the police while protecting native listed Americans.

In this issue will be found an advertisement of "Pilgrim Walks in Rome," a splendid book over four hundred pages, descriptive of sites and scenes in Rome, by a writer who has lived ten years there spending his spare time in visiting the most interesting and historic places and edifices in which the Eternal City abounds. The work is admirably done and the illustrations are excellent. No more appropriate Christmas present could be bought. It is published by the "Messenger," 27-29 West 14th Street, New York. Read the advertisement.

A young girl seventeen years of age, Mariel DesRoches, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Prosper DesRoches, Miscouche, who was a student at the Prince of Wales College, died very suddenly at her boarding house, Mrs. McKay's, Great George Street early Sunday morning. Up to Friday evening she was in her apparent excellent health. On that evening she attended Professor Cayen's lecture at Prince of Wales College. After returning home and when about to retire she was suddenly taken ill complaining of a pain in her side. Medical aid was summoned and the case was not considered serious. She grew worse and her mother was sent for on Saturday. She died Saturday night, and the sufferer passed away about 5 o'clock Saturday morning. She received the last Sacraments and was prepared for death. She leaves besides her parents five sisters and two brothers, who have the sympathy of the community in their bereavement. The remains were taken some for interment Monday morning.

DIED

At St. Andrew's on the 15th ult., after a short illness, Daman MacIntyre, in the 38th year of his age. R. I. P.

At Tignish, on Nov. 25, Henry Ready in the 64th year of his age.

Naphtha Explosion.

As a result of an explosion of a car of naphtha and the subsequent fire in the town of Greenwood, Delaware, seventy dwelling houses show damages to the extent of \$70,400. The freight trains and their contents of the Pennsylvania railroad were totally destroyed, entailing an estimated damage of \$130,000. Three tramps who were riding in a box car near where the explosion occurred and the fire was the worst, are believed to have been burned to death. William H. Morris lost his home and everything in it, and his wife is lying in the improvised hospital at Greenwood hotel in a dying condition. Alexander Jones lost a home; his wife lost the sight of both eyes; and his daughter is disfigured for life. Four other injured women are being treated at the hotel hospital. The cases of Morris and Jones are similar to those of fifty others, though more severe. Fifteen cars were wrecked and a missing engineer is supposed to have been killed.

Catholic University Burned.

Ottawa University, the big Catholic institution was burned completely last Wednesday morning. The loss is half a million and the insurance less than \$200,000. There were 450 students and 350 boarders. Some of the students had to jump from the fourth and fifth storey windows but none were seriously injured. Two priests were badly hurt. Father Byron who jumped from the fifth storey lit on the verandah and rolled off, striking his head and may not live. Father Fullam jumped from the fourth storey and was badly hurt about the spine. The students lost everything.

The Christmas Dinner.

In spite of the fact that the word dyspepsia means literally bad cook, it will not be fair for many to lay the blame on the cook if they begin the Christmas Dinner with little appetite and end it with distress or nausea. It may not be fair for any to do that—let us hope so for the sake of the cook! The disease dyspepsia, indicates a bad stomach, that is a weak stomach, rather than a bad cook, and for a weak stomach there is nothing else equal to Hood's Sarsaparilla. It gives stomach vigor and tone, cures dyspepsia, creates appetite, and makes eating the pleasure it should be.

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LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS

A parcel containing ten thousand dollars sent last week by mail from a bank in Winnipeg to Vancouver has gone astray.

It is stated the Westinghouse air brake equipment is to be put on 13 locomotives, 33 passenger and 117 freight cars on the P. E. Island Railway.

F. B. McNaughton, just appointed manager of a branch of the Merchants' Bank, at Tibbity Oak, committed suicide by shooting with a revolver on Monday last.

In consequence of the storm on Friday the New Brunswick did not cross from Summerside; consequently Mr. Borden and his friends did not get away till Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. McLean entertained Mr. Borden, Mr. Bell, Mr. Powell and a number of other prominent gentlemen to dinner at their charming residence on Wednesday evening.

In Brooklyn at a wake, two lives were lost and a number of persons were badly burned by a fire started by the overturning of a lamp igniting the curtains. The corpse was saved.

LORD STRATHCONA has been made Burgess of the city of Edinburgh. In consideration of his age the ceremony took place in the Council Chamber on Friday last instead of the public hall.

A station hand was killed, four seriously hurt and twenty others injured by an engine running into the rear coach of a Cincinnati and Muskogumville train at Zanesville, Ohio, the other day.

Moscow advices of the 7th, say that the demands of the locomotive engineers and firemen have been recognized. They will receive an increase of fifty cents per day from July last and henceforward.

J. H. Howden, mayor of Neepawa Manitoba was on Wednesday last elected to fill the vacancy in the legislature for Beautiful Plains caused by the death of the late provincial treasurer, Davidson. The liberals could not find anyone willing to accept the nomination.

The engineers began on Monday the survey of a line of railway, from Cardigan to Montague Bridge. This is certainly the strongest evidence that has thus far been forthcoming in this Province, of the near approach of a Dominion election. Look out for the writs now!

Vancouver advices to Toronto say that careful investigation shows that the two Alaska cededs to the United States by the Alaska boundary decision and supposed to command Port Simpson are between 20 and 30 miles from the port and do not begin to command it.

WEDNESDAY Cabinet meeting at Ottawa, decided to appoint J. A. C. Madore, M. P., of Hochelaga to be Judge of the Superior Court at St. Hyacinthe. Judge Jollier, St. Hyacinthe will be transferred to Montreal to replace Judge Langelle who succeeds Judge Caron at Quebec, Judge Caron retires from the bench.

AUTHORITIES of the Oblate order have decided to immediately rebuild the Ottawa university. All the injured professors in the hospital are doing fairly well, although Father Fullam was very low. It is now almost certain that Miss Danes, an aged domestic, perished in the flames who has not been heard of since the fire, and her remains have not been found. Latest advices say that Father Fullam died yesterday.

The schooner North Star, Capt. Phelan arrived from Pictou last Wednesday night. Capt. Phelan reports the worst night he ever experienced in the Straits, heavy gales of wind from the north-east and a thick snow storm. He reached Pictou about 10 p. m. He reports sighting a number of vessels during the afternoon but he was the only one to reach port before Thursday morning.

It is not generally known that Sir Wilfrid Laurier is one of the veterans of 1866 and is entitled to a Fenian Raid medal. When young man Sir Wilfrid belonged to the Archibaldville Volunteer Corps and turned out on active duty. So far he has not applied for the medal. Those who were with him at the time got theirs. The Premier's name is on the militia books as being entitled to his.

GENERAL manager Clauson of the bank of Montreal, will not reach home from England in time to take part in the annual meeting on the 9th and Sir William C. McDonald still leads all the bank of Montreal shareholders in the number of shares held. A statement is just out crediting him with five thousand. At the present market price the stock of Sir William's holdings is worth exactly two millions and a half.

This market was not as largely attended yesterday as might have been expected considering the good sleighing. The price of oats and pork were considerably lower than a week ago. A large quantity of pork offered and the best price was 5 cents a pound. Oats had declined to 30 cts, a bushel. There was a large quantity of hay for sale, and the price was from 60 to 65 cts, per cwt. Pressed hay was \$11.50, to \$12.00, a ton and pressed straw \$5.50 to \$6.00 a ton. Potatoes were from 22 to 23 cts, a bushel.

REPORTS from London say that a dense fog caused delay to shipping in Southampton waters on Saturday. Steamers were unable either to enter or leave port. Lo-comotion was most difficult in the streets and there were a number of casualties through collisions. Bockingham, Palace and the whole district of Penitico were plunged in darkness. The electric lights falling many shops had to close. The authorities started fire lights in the streets adding to the weirdness of the general gloom. Trains were much delayed and outside work had to be stopped in many places.

The Moscow correspondent of the London Times on the 4th inst., furnished testimony of an internal upheaval in Russia. He says that dissatisfaction on an alarming scale is prevalent among the working classes of Kieff. A sedition proclamation has been scattered in the railway shops and agitators are endeavoring to induce workmen to seek redress. The Governor has forbidden workmen to gather in the streets and has warned peaceful residents not to loiter there. The police force has been increased twenty-five per cent and spies are working in factories alongside of laborers.

Mortgage Sale.

There will be sold by public Auction at the Court House in Souris, on Saturday, the Nineteenth day of December, A. D. 1903, at the hour of twelve o'clock, noon—

All that tract, piece or parcel of land situated lying and being at Souris East, and bounded and described as follows, that is to say—Commencing on the eastern side of Sutherland Street at the northwestern angle of land in possession of James Dunsphy; thence along the northern boundary of said land sixty-six feet; thence northwardly along the western boundary of land in possession of the heirs of the late Francis Lewis one hundred feet; thence westwardly along the southern boundary of land owned by the heirs of the late John Knight one hundred feet; or to Sutherland Street, thence along said street one hundred and sixteen feet to the place of commencement, containing an area of nine hundred and ninety-six square feet, a little more or less, and agreeable to a plan made of same by John C. Underhay.

The above land is made under and by virtue of and pursuant to a power of sale contained in a certain indenture of mortgage bearing date the second day of January, A. D. 1903, made between Simon Cheverie, of Souris, and Sarah Cheverie, his wife, of the one part, and Alexander D. J. McDonald and John McCachere (doing business as Souris Smead), under the firm name and style of McDonald & McCachere, of the other part, and which said mortgage has since been assigned to and is now lawfully owned by the undersigned, and because of default having been made in the payment of the principal and interest secured thereby.

The above land will be sold on the day of sale the same will thereafter be disposed of by private sale on application to John Dunsphy, Souris.

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Dec. 10, 1903—21

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