

OUR BURNED TO DEATH IN EARLY MORNING FIRE

Results From a Blaze in Five Story New York Hotel. Cigarette or Cigar Stub Started the Trouble--Victims Were Overcome in Their Rooms--One Man Falls from Fire Escape to Death.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Nov. 12.—Flames sweeping through the servants' rooms in the fifth floor of the Hotel Gardel, in Meadow street, early today, burned to death four employees, while a fifth man, Isaac Levine, fell to his death while trying to escape the flames. The dead are Isaac Levine, porter; John U.S., dish washer; Jacob Dulin, check boy; Henry ... dish washer, unknown Polandier, a dish washer.

DR. NESBITT RESIGNS. TORONTO, Nov. 12 (Special).—Dr. Zetie Nesbitt, registrar of West Toronto, and ex-member of the provincial legislative council, has resigned his position as registrar of the city of Toronto.

MONTREAL STOCKS. MONTREAL, Nov. 12 (Special).—The market for Dominion Steel stock market was generally firm today.

NO REDUCTION IN WAGES THE WATCHWORD OF THE FEDERATION OF LABOR. President Gompers Talks of Labor Conditions in Canada.

NORFOLK, Va., Nov. 12.—President Gompers in his annual report to the American Federation of Labor calls attention to the growth of the organization during the year which he says has been one of the busiest in his life time.

President Gompers talks of labor conditions in Canada. He says that the laws of supply and demand have a place in nature and in primitive conditions, but with the onward rush of science, man has made nature conform to his wants and the original conception of supply and demand has been overcome.

HON. MR. GRAHAM IN NEWCASTLE

Delegation from the Board of Trade Asks for Many Improvements. NEWCASTLE, N. B., Nov. 12 (Special).—Hon. Mr. Graham, minister of railways, received Mayor Miller and a delegation from the Newcastle Board of Trade last night.

MOORING PLACE FOR SCOWS. Engineer Peters is preparing a plan to provide mooring accommodation for scows. The project is to build a number of slips inside the I. C. R. trestle below Reid's Point.

THE STEAMER LUDLOW. Superintendent Glasgow of the ferry service said this morning that he expected to put the Ludlow on the route this afternoon.

ST. PETER'S Y. M. A. St. Peter's Y. M. A. will celebrate its eighth anniversary tomorrow evening with a reception at which a program will be presented.

PROBATE COURT. In the probate court this morning accounts were passed in the estate of the late Mrs. Mary Graham to the amount of \$6,500.

THE SENLAC AT HALIFAX. After being on the marine slip, Dartmouth, for the past month, the Senlac is now complete repairs at the agent's wharf.

GOOD TIME TO SWEAR OFF HALIFAX, N. S., Nov. 12 (Special).—The price of beer in Halifax has advanced \$2 per hhd. This was decided by the brewers but a day ago.

CANAL CONTRACT AWARDED. OTTAWA, Ont., Nov. 12 (Special).—Louis P. Nott of Montreal, has been awarded the contract for the construction of section one of the Ride Lake division of the Trent Valley Canal.

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RADCLIFFE WILL OFFICIATE AT EXECUTION OF COLLIS

Official Hangman Expected at Hopewell Cape Tomorrow. MONCTON, N. B., Nov. 12 (Special).—Radcliffe, the official hangman of the Dominion, is to hang Thomas F. Collins, who is to pay the penalty for his atrocious crime on Friday morning of this week.

DIVORCES MAY BE NULLIFIED. Important Decision Given in British Columbia Supreme Court Yesterday. VANCOUVER, B. C., Nov. 12 (Special).—If a decision given yesterday by Judge Clement in the British Columbia supreme court is upheld by the court of appeals all divorces given in British Columbia during the last thirty-six years will be declared illegal.

NEWS FROM FREDERICTON. FREDERICTON, N. B., Nov. 12 (Special).—But for the gallantry of Gordon Grant, fireman on the steamer Victoria, Chas. Belyea, of Gagetown, temporarily employed as a deckhand, would have met a watery grave here this morning.

CANINE SOCIETY IS OUT IN FORCE. The dog show which opens this afternoon in the Queen's park has for its most successful affair of its kind ever held in St. John.

HAS OPENED LAW OFFICES. John A. Barry, B. A., B. C. L., who was recently admitted to the bar, has opened law offices in the Canada Branch Building, 65 Prince William street.

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FRANCE IS AGITATED OVER CONSPIRACY OF TREASON

May Be Almost a Recurrence of the Dreyfus Case. Ensign of French Navy Arrested for Selling Military and Naval Secrets--Many Others Implicated--German Naval Attache Recalled to Berlin.

PARIS, Nov. 11.—A special despatch from Wilhelmshaven, Prussia, announcing a report that Rear Admiral Siegel, the German naval attache here, has been recalled, is printed here as an item of sensational news, presumably in connection with a recent discovery of treason in the French navy and espionage on the part of agents of a foreign power.

BIBLE STORIES USED TO EXTORT HIS CONFESSION. RATHDRUM, Idaho, Nov. 12.—At the second trial of Steve Adams for the murder of Fred Tyler a claim jumper Attorney Darrow of the defence, following James McParland of the Pinkerton agency for cross-examination.

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POLICE COURT

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