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CHILD SHOT BY BROTHER.

Gun Left Where Children Could get it and Usual Result Followed.

SACKVILLE, Wednesday. — News has come here of heart sickening tragedy at Upper Rockport this afternoon whereby the three-year-old daughter of Frank Tower had top of head blown off through the discharge of a gun in the hands of her six-year-old brother. Details are lacking but it is understood that in the absence of parents the boy took the gun from its place and in some way discharged it, the charge striking his baby sister. The whole top of the little girl's skull was blown off and death was instantaneous. Coroner J. M. Baird will inquire into the accident.

TO INVESTIGATE RE HODGINS.

OTTAWA, Wednesday. — The special committee appointed to investigate the charges made by Major A. E. Hodgins in reference to the carrying out of its contracts on section F of the National Transcontinental met this morning and elected Mr. Victor Geoffrion, M. P. for Vercheres, as chairman. It was decided to meet again on Friday, May 8th and to summon Major Hodgins to appear on that date. The committee will ask for permission to sit while the House is in session.

I. C. R. EMPLOYEES' RELIEF AND INSURANCE SOCIETY MONCTON, Ap. 29 — Secretary Faver of the I. C. R. employees' relief and insurance association reports that for the month ended April 25th there were four death claims and two total disability assessments paid. The deaths were Logan Hunter and David McKensie, Truro, and William Pickering, Halifax, \$250 each, and Isaac G. Stevens, St. John, \$500. \$1000 total disability claims were paid to Joseph Gagnon and F. M. L. Tweedie, Riverview. In addition to the deaths above reported, Robert Lamkie, killed in Derby Junction wreck, was a member of an employe's relief and insurance fund. Fees and levies for the month are, Class A, \$2, Class B, \$1.20, Class C, 80 cents.

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"ALL DEALERS"

SHOT MAN INSTEAD OF HAWK.

Sportsman Seeking Health by Hunting Lost His Own Life by Accident.

CHARLOTTETOWN, Wednesday. — On Monday evening a fatal shooting accident occurred at Alexandra, ten miles from Charlottetown, the victim being John Winslow, aged 18. He and his cousin, Arthur Wood, aged 19, were gunning. The latter saw a hawk and rushed for the gun. On coming out of the building the weapon was accidentally discharged and the load of small shot struck Winslow who was a few yards away, in the abdomen. He died a few hours later. Winslow belonged to Boston and was visiting the island for his health.

SMALL BANK HAS TO SUSPEND.

MONTREAL, Wednesday. — The Bank of St. Johns, Quebec, is going into voluntary liquidation. The paid up capital was \$316,000, and the deposits were \$351,000. Therefore the bank was not in a position to compete successfully with institutions having millions at their disposal. It is stated that the notes of the bank are secured under the banking act. According to the latest official return the bank had a surplus of \$353,000 over its liabilities. It is certain that there will be a balance for the shareholders.

Doukhobors Coming East

Doukhobors at Fort William are likely to leave on the continuation of their pilgrimage towards the East in search of the Promised Land any day now. In their house in May street they are getting uneasy and are acting in a manner which leads to the belief that they are preparing travelling outfits. In fact they have told the police that they intend to start East shortly. The Doukhobors last year tramped thousands of miles or more from Yorkton, Saskatchewan, through Winnipeg, and Kenora, and only stopped at Fort William because the winter overtook them there. Fort William was the only stopping place during the cold weather period, and the coming of warm weather has apparently induced them to do as they promised last autumn, that is, to go on to Montreal, when the spring came.

Muskrats Plentiful

KEENE, Ontario.—The catch of muskrats in Keene marshes, and in fact, in all the marshes along the shores of Rice Lake, has been exceptionally large this year and with the prices higher than ever before this should prove a banner year. Two of the Indian families at the Elbow are living in tents, while the third family have ingeniously constructed a paper house, using a wooden framework, covered with building paper, leaving the seams covered with basswood bark. They claim that it is much better than a tent, and just as much waterproof. The house was constructed at a cost, exclusive of labor of half a dollar and the proprietor claims it is just as warm and comfortable as the ordinary summer cottage.

FROZEN UP FOR FIFTY-SEVEN YEARS

Ship That Sailed to Find Sir John Franklin is Rediscovered

WILL BE TAKEN HOME

She is the Rip Van Winkle of the Seas Entirely out of Date.

A story of the greatest interest is told by the London Telegraph concerning the reappearance of the long-lost H. M. S. Investigator. In the autumn of 1851 her Majesty's ship Investigator was frozen in the ice in the Bay of God's Mercy in the far north, while endeavoring to find traces of Sir John Franklin and his courageous companions, says the Telegraph. 'Now all the memories of those anxious, heroic times have been once more revived by the report that whalers have found the abandoned ship, and hope it may be possible to free her from the ice-grip after the lapse of fifty-six years. Our New York correspondent has suggested that the old man-of-war may even be sufficiently sound to be navigated across the Atlantic to her old home country.

'Packed away in the frozen north, she has been practically in a refrigerator, maintaining her youth and the stout heart of her venerable timbers, while in less frigid zones the world has been getting older and older, sails have been replaced by steel; the old salt of Captain Murrat's novels has had to make way for the modern sailor mechanic. In the lore of the sea everything has changed since her Majesty's ship Investigator began her long rest in the ice. If she is really rescued she will be the Rip Van Winkle of the world's fleets. She will need to be refitted of course, at some Canadian or other British port on her way, and then under sail, with the White Ensign and the Union Jack battling with the breeze, she should make her furrow once more across the water to her long lost home.

'Practically all who sailed in her have gone, though Admiral Sir Vesey Hamilton, who was the mate of the companion ship Assistance is still alive to tell the story of the struggle with the elements over fifty years ago. The Investigator was commanded by one of the heroes of Arctic exploration—the late Vice-Admiral Sir Robert John Le Mesurier McClure who was born at Wexford fifteen months after the battle of Trafalgar.

'In 1848 he was offered and accepted an appointment as first lieutenant in Her Majesty's ship Investigator—the Rip Van Winkle of the British fleet. She had been purchased from the merchant service and was about to leave England to make the first of many efforts to pierce the veil which hid from the world's view all traces of Sir John Franklin and his companions. England at the moment was in a fever of nervous excitement; all eyes were on the pathetic but courageous figure of Lady Franklin, hoping against hope and prepared to risk her all on the faint chance of rescuing her husband and his daring party from death or at least finding some traces of them. Sir James Clark Ross was the captain of her Majesty's ship Investigator. This officer, his first lieutenant and Admiral Sir Leopold McClintock one of the most daring assistants, have all passed away. The Investigator in company with the Enterprise, went out by way of Lancaster Sound and wintered at Leopold Island near the northeast point of North Devon. The two ships made a fruitless search and in the following year came back.

'By this time the Government and the whole nation were in a condition of reckless determination to solve the mystery; it had to be solved. Plans for a renewed effort were immediately settled. Captain Collinson was given the command with the Enterprise as the senior officer's ship and McClure who had shown himself well fitted for the post by his resourcefulness and energy, was given the command of the companion vessel, the old Investigator. The expedition also included the Assistance, in which Admiral Hamilton served, and the Resolute; but the latter ships had a more or less independent commission, under Captain Austin; they were to search the Barrow Strait. Our concern is with McClure and the Investigator and Enterprise. The vessels sailed from Plymouth on January 26, 1850, and since that eventful day no one in England has cast eyes on the former little man-of-war—she is only of 600 or 600 tons displacement.

Ultimately the Investigator was forced into whig, proved to be half a century's banishment in an inlet on the northern shore of Banks Land. McClure had been so sufficed about that he accepted his fate with some amount of satisfaction because his might have been worse. In the feeling of relief he named the bay the 'Bay of St. John's Mercy' and there the Investigator has lain absolutely frozen up, undergoing a process of refrigeration for upward of half a century. From September, 1853 until the following summer the frozen up ship was McClure's headquarters. At last the situation began to assume a grave aspect. Food was running short and

CELEBRATED KERRY AGAIN HEARD OF.

Will Hunt Seals and Whales and Search for Guano in the Far South.

The passion for exploration and adventure is once more demonstrated in the latest undertaking just explained by the publication of the prospectus of the South Atlantic Trading Company, Ltd. which has been formed for gathering guano from Inaccessible Island, Nightingale Island and Gough Island, which are all within hailing distance of the lonely Isle of Tristan de Cunha. In the intervals of guano gathering the company will hunt for seals and whales. The company has been formed to acquire an exclusive license granted by His Majesty King Edward VII. to Thomas Caradoc Kerry, to take over that galling, commander's yacht the Pandora. Both Mr. Kerry and the trim Pandora are known to fame, for their story has been told in the prose atmosphere of our English courts of law—adding to the gaiety of nations thereby. In 1806 Mr. Kerry was charged at the Old Bailey with the extraordinary crime of stealing bibles, hymn books, etc. from his own yacht the Pandora. Tristan de Cunha is one of the loneliest and most inaccessible of our islands in the South Atlantic and once or twice a year its inhabitants receive a call from a British steamer sometimes a warship, with mails and provisions from faraway civilization.

Three years ago Mr. Kerry arranged with the Colonial office to take out in his yacht any parcels that might be sent out to Tristan's lonely natives. This fact was duly advertised. With the result that large boxes and cases of bibles, hymn books, clothes and some delicacies were sent to the Pandora. Upon Mr. Kerry's return to England he was charged with stealing many of these articles, and the allegation against him was that he had some of the cases broken open and fumbled overboard. The case was carried to the Old Bailey, and with Mr. Kerry as the central figure it proved a lively and entertaining trial, in the end of which Mr. Kerry triumphed, and was discharged. Mr. Kerry has had an adventurous career. He has had many hand to hand encounters with savages, and once took his place in a queue of whites who were waiting to be eaten by cannibals.

Kerry, however managed to escape. Hemmed in by war canoes, he and four other explorers ran the gauntlet successfully of a raging tornado of naked savages. Reaching the coast a sailor named Scott went off in search of help. He never returned. Seven years later Mr. Kerry then a member of the Royal Geographical Society's expedition to the same island came upon a skeleton. By the skeleton lay a knife, and on the knife was the name 'T. C. Kerry.' It was Scott's skeleton and the knife was one that Kerry had lent him years before. The Pandora—now sacrificed to the god Guano—has had almost as eventful a history as her owner. She was originally a British gunboat, and as the steamship Newport represented the British government at the opening of the Suez Canal. Then she was engaged in Polar explorations. Later Mr. Coats, of Paisley turned her into a yacht, painted her cream, and sold her to Mr. Kerry for \$20,000.

The crew were suffering from illness. There was no prospect of relief. McClure at length decided that he had no course but to abandon the little vessel to her fate and seek safety for himself and his companions. If such were to be found anywhere in these alien' wilds.

He had come to this determination when Lieutenant Bedford Pim appeared on the scene by chance. He had come across from the Resolute which by this time had got to Melville Sound. McClure found all his doubts come to life once more. His hopes were centred on waiting to save the Investigator, and he thought of getting stores from the Resolute and seeing the incident out to a finish. Before coming to a final decision, he went across the Resolute where he conferred with Captain Kellett. By this time the illness among his men had increased, and he had no alternative but to leave the Investigator to her fate and convey his men across the ice to the Resolute.

Thus it came about that the Investigator was left in the ice pack, while her captain and crew took passage in the Resolute. They were, afterwards transferred to the North Pole and reached England on September 28, 1854, after an absence of four years and eight months. It was an eventful voyage and now the home-coming of the Investigator after half a century will prove an appropriate sequel to the discovery of the North Pole.

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