

FIND DEATH WAS DUE TO ACCIDENT

The inquest into the death of John Orr, longshoreman, who died as the result of injuries received when struck by a sling of plank on the steamer Canadian Conqueror on Monday night last, was concluded before Coroner H. A. Porter in the Germain street court rooms last night. The jury, after a deliberation of nearly an hour, returned the following verdict: "The jury find that John Orr came to his death in the General Public Hospital on the night of Feb. 4, 1924, by being hit on the head by a sling of deals being lowered into the hold of the steamer Canadian Conqueror. The circumstances attending the death were purely accidental. From the evidence submitted, we recommend that precautionary measures be taken whereby at all times the hatchman signal the winchman in the interest of all concerned." (Signed) "R. T. Worden, (foreman), Cornelius Dever, R. M. Thorne, F. H. Paterson, W. W. A. Kenney, Harold McLelland, Stanley Bustin."

DEATHS

Miss Nellie Orchard.

News came with a great shock to Mrs. W. A. Spragg, 90 Victoria street, from Haverhill, Mass., informing her of the death of her sister, Miss Nellie Orchard. Besides her parents, she is survived by three sisters, Mrs. W. A. Spragg, of St. John; Mrs. R. W. Mitchell, of Providence, R. I.; and Mrs. R. E. Miller, of Cambridge, Mass. The late two resided in St. John for a number of years. She leaves also two brothers, W. H. Orchard and W. B. Orchard, of Haverhill, Mass.

F. Alfonso Spearin.

Relatives here last night received word of the death of F. Alfonso Spearin, up to about three months ago a resident of this city and almost constantly engaged in surveying work for lumber concerns. He died in Cambridge Mass., whither he had gone at the solicitation of his married children up there to take special treatment for a throat affliction. Mr. Spearin was more than 50 years of age. His wife, daughter of the late Ida Rootes, Indian town baker, died more than ten years ago. The children are Frank L., of Cambridge, engaged with the Rapid Addressing Machine Co., of Boston; Fred, with Page & Snow, confectioners, and Mrs. Charles Olney (Minnie) of Cambridge. Mr. Spearin leaves several grandchildren as well. He was well known to those engaged in the lumbering industry and as a

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citizen generally He will be buried here. James W. Cooper. In the death of James W. Cooper of South Clones, Queens county, which occurred this morning, the parish of Peter'sville lost a good citizen and one who had hosts of friends in the community. He was born in South Clones 83 years ago, son of the late Johnson and Jane Cooper, and resided in Queens county all his life. Mr. Cooper was a man of unassuming manner and kindly disposition and endeared himself to all with whom he came in contact whether in business or social life. He was a staunch Conservative in politics and an ardent member of the Methodist church. He took a keen interest in all matters per-

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and three sons, Rev. J. A. Cooper, rector of St. George's church, Bathurst, N. B., Harry A. and J. Andrew of South Clones and two daughters, Mrs. Jennie E. Kerr of West St. John and Mrs. James P. Kerr of Sumnerhill, N. B. The funeral will be held from his late residence to the Methodist church on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock and interment will be in the Methodist cemetery at Clones. Beverleigh Nichol. After a short illness the death of Beverleigh Nichol occurred in this city yesterday at the age of 13 years. Heartfelt sympathy has been extended to the bereaved. He was a very bright and happy boy who endeared himself to all who knew him and his untimely death will be greatly regretted. He was the youngest son of the late Joseph Nichol and Mrs. Katherine Nichol, of St. Patrick street, and his grandmother, he is survived by one brother, Melville, a student at the Holy Heart Seminary Halifax, and his grandfather, Mrs. Wisted. The funeral will be private. ORPHANS' HEALTH GOOD. The three institutions of the New Brunswick Protestant Orphanage are practically filled, and the health of the children in the three homes is generally good. Satisfactory reports were re-

ceived at the meeting of the board of directors yesterday in the British street Home, with Mr. James Manning, vice-president, in the chair. Eighteen members of the board were present and routine business was transacted. The stealing a registered letter, which was posted at the South Branch St. Nicholas River post office on Dec. 21, and addressed to the Bank of Montreal in St. John. He was sent up for trial at the next circuit court at Richibucto. Inspector John Emerson, of the post office department at St. John was in attendance at the hearing yesterday. It is reported that the accused has acknowledged his guilt. It is understood that the letter contained about \$175.

Harry Stewart, mail carrier of Bass River and South Branch St. Nicholas River, Kent county, was arrested yesterday and taken before Magistrate L. P. Wathen at Harcourt, charged with the stealing a registered letter, which was posted at the South Branch St. Nicholas River post office on Dec. 21, and addressed to the Bank of Montreal in St. John. He was sent up for trial at the next circuit court at Richibucto. Inspector John Emerson, of the post office department at St. John was in attendance at the hearing yesterday. It is reported that the accused has acknowledged his guilt. It is understood that the letter contained about \$175.

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