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MANY FISHERMEN LOST IN TERRIFIC STORM

Schooner Orion, of Grand Banks, Went Down and Nineteen Perished

Many Other Vessels Missing and All Hope of Their Safety is Banished—North Sydney Craft Driven Ashore and Will Be a Total Loss—Four Others Part Cables and Crash Into Each Other.

(Special to The Telegraph.) North Sydney, N. S., Nov. 4.—All hope of ever seeing the Newfoundland fishing schooner Orion, with her captain and crew of eighteen souls, has been given up. One month ago the schooner was last seen off Battle Harbor, when she was leaving for Grand Banks, her home port. Shortly after the Orion sailed a terrible southwest gale sprang up, which wrought such havoc to the fishing craft. Since then fierce gales have swept the coast and in one of them the Orion is believed to have gone down with all hands. The vessel was owned by George Buffett of Grand Banks, and commanded by Edward Evans. All the crew, with few exceptions leave wives and large families.

MORGAN CRUSHES OUT MORE "HIGH FINANCIERS"

EFFORT TO SAVE COLLINS' LIFE

Condemned Man's Counsel Starts for Ottawa With Petition for Clemency

SCOTT ACT MATTERS

Inspector Dickinson Didn't Attend Evangelical Alliance Conference About Difficulties of Enforcing the Law—Want Council to Adopt Compulsory Education—Other News of the Railway Town.

(Special to The Telegraph.)

Moncton, N. B., Nov. 4.—Scott Act Inspector Dickinson declined to meet the Evangelical Alliance this afternoon and discuss the difficulties of enforcing the Scott act. As the inspector did not reply to the invitation to be present he was called up by telephone but replied he was too busy to attend.

Members of the alliance were indignant at the action of the inspector failing to show up and they decided to interview the council in reference to Scott act enforcement. Ald. Crandall, chairman of the police committee, was present and discussed the Scott act situation with the aldermen.

The board of trade has requested the city council to have a full and complete valuation of the real and personal property and income for assessable purposes, free and independent from any former valuation. The national spirit was growing, and it was put into effect the compulsory education act.

A meeting of the Moncton board of trade is to be held Friday night to hear E. Island delegates discuss a tunnel between the mainland and the island.

Charged with creating a disturbance on an I. C. R. train, Constable A. W. Belyea, of Shediac, was arraigned before Magistrate Kay today. The case arose over a altercation between Constable Belyea and Thomas on a train recently while the latter was taking a prisoner to Dorchester.

The prisoner took advantage of the row to escape and has not since been recaptured. Belyea's case was adjourned till Saturday next after a number of witnesses gave their version of the affair.

Crippled Banks Now Relieved

Steel Trust Takes Over Control of Rival Concern With Whose Securities Trust Companies Were Loaded—All-Night Sunday Conference Before the Deal Was Closed.

(From Our Own Correspondent)

New York, Nov. 4.—It is very difficult to say with any degree of exactitude just what has happened in the financial community during the last forty-eight hours. It is a pretty shrewd guess, however, that the extraordinary proceedings of "high financiers" are directed toward further "eliminations." Augustus Heinze has been "eliminated." The Thomases have been "eliminated." Chas. W. Morse is so far "eliminated" that he mortgaged his city residence. The elimination process now seems to be directed against Oakleigh Thorne, an extremely wealthy man, of great business interests, but one of the "new school." This is really the residuum of two days of excitement.

The Trust Company of America has been the target of the week's persistent drive in the history of American finance. It has succeeded in keeping its doors open but for the last week a check on the institution would not have saved anybody from starving to death. The men of money have been anxious not to see any physical force, but they have stepped up on making their own terms. Oakleigh Thorne last week left his control of the New York, Westchester & Boston Railroad and the New York & Port Chester Railroad. The New Haven road, which has bitterly fought these lines, gobbled the New York, Westchester & Boston Railroad and the New York & Port Chester Railroad. Today it is generally believed that Thorne has been forced to sell, with his friends, the Tennessee Coal, Iron & Railroad Company to the United States Steel Corporation.

Steel Trust Gobbling Survival. United States steel has been after Tennessee Coal, Iron & Railroad for a long time, pool of which Oakleigh Thorne was a leading spirit, once refused an offer of \$100 million for the stock, but has since been made at \$80 a share. The chairman of the United States Steel Corporation, E. H. Gary, and Henry C. Frick were at J. P. Morgan's house here last night.

Shortly after noon they were in the White House at Washington. Their object in seeing the president was said to be to discuss the possibility of any interference in acquiring the Tennessee Coal & Iron.

The Tennessee Coal, Iron & Railroad Company has outstanding common stock of a little less than \$30,000,000, of which about 75 per cent was owned by the much talked of pool organized by John W. Gates two years ago. Several members of this pool, including Mr. Gates, are supposed to have retired shortly after the collapse in the stock market last spring. But the remaining members took over their holdings and continued to carry the Tennessee Coal, Iron & Railroad Company. It is reported in a quarter which was regarded as semi-official that the purchase of the pool's holdings called for \$20,000,000 and these holdings represent nearly 90 per cent of the total stock outstanding, or something over \$25,000,000 par value. The members of the pool still remaining are Grant B. Seelye, Anthony B. Brady, E. J. Berwind, Oakleigh Thorne, E. W. Ogleby and L. C. Hanan.

Morgan at All-Night Conference. J. P. Morgan, at the ripe age of seventy, took business until after 3 o'clock this morning. He was in his office in Wall street. In last night's conferences the group of men whose immense fortunes have stood between the companies and drawn from service the Metropolitan all-water route between Boston and New York. The Harvard leaves this city, at the same time that the Yale leaves New York; thus the boats will be left in the same cities from which they started when the line was opened, in the middle of September. Both vessels were in Boston 9 o'clock last night, and the final closing of these sessions did not come until 5:30 o'clock this morning. In the interim prominent financiers connected with each of these three groups rushed back and forth between the hotel and Mr. Morgan's library, and four times before the ending of the discussion a procession of men, which included all the directors of one or the other of the companies interested, wrangled its way from the hotel to the library, or from the library to the hotel.

Say Roosevelt is Trimming. President Roosevelt is rewriting that part of his annual message which relates to financial conditions and financial legislation. The recent panic has apparently made Mr. Roosevelt realize the responsibility that rests upon him to bring about the prosperity of the country, and there is now every reason to believe that the views which he will communicate to congress when it assembles next month will be of a most reassuring character—that is, reassuring in the sense of its conservatism and indicating that the president has no intention to press measures which will tend to disturb the money market or industries.

Secretary Root spent more than an hour with President Roosevelt today, and most if not all the time they were together was devoted to a consideration of the financial situation, with particular reference to what Mr. Roosevelt should say in his message on that subject. The fact that the president is willing to be guided by Mr. Root, Mr. Cortelyou and others, who have a keen appreciation of the danger which might result from radical utterances from the White House at this time of uncertainty, is regarded here as the (Continued on page 3, sixth column.)

BOURASSA SNOWED UNDER IN QUEBEC ELECTION

Defeated by Turgeon in Bellechasse Contest by More Than 700 Votes

Result a Great Surprise, Even to the Victor—A Crushing Rebuke to Nationalism is the General Opinion—Ex-Member for Labelle Not Downcast, But Ready to Try Again, He Says—Ex-Minister's Vindication of Booding Charges May Land Him in Premiership.

(Special to The Telegraph.)

Quebec, Nov. 4.—Hon. Adelard Turgeon, minister of lands and forests, was re-elected in Bellechasse county today by an overwhelming majority. According to the most reliable returns, he polled about 772 votes more than his opponent, Henri Bourassa, who met with a crushing defeat.

The result of the election was beyond the expectation of Hon. Mr. Turgeon, who reckoned on a majority of not more than 500 votes, while on the other hand it must have proven a disappointment to Mr. Bourassa, who hoped, at least, to defeat him.

Hon. Mr. Turgeon has been representing the constituency of Bellechasse for the last fifteen years, having first been elected in 1892, by a majority of 38 over Zephirin Audet. On May 1897 Hon. Mr. Turgeon was again returned by a majority of 84 over Francois Castonguay, the Conservative candidate. In the elections of 1900 and 1904 Hon. Mr. Turgeon was returned by acclamation on both occasions.

Asked Vindication of Booding. His appearance before the electorate was, this time, the outcome of charges of maladministration made against him as minister by Le Nationaliste, a French weekly of Montreal. These charges finally led to the placing of the editor on trial for libel in June, 1906. Relying chiefly on alleged copies of letters, the defence attempted to establish that Hon. Mr. Turgeon was to be paid above the price of the land. The jury, however, failed to agree, with the result that the paper resumed its attack on Hon. Mr. Turgeon and a campaign headed by Henri Bourassa, then M. P. for Labelle, was started against him last summer.

The minister of lands and forests finally had recourse to the civil courts to defend the editor's second trial at the assizes and upon obtaining judgment in his favor resigned his seat in Bellechasse, challenging his opponent to run against him. Mr. Bourassa accepted and resigned his seat in parliament for the purpose of opposing Hon. Mr. Turgeon on his own ground.

Crushing Blow to Nationalism. It is generally held that the crushing defeat of the ex-member for Labelle will at the same time prove a deadly blow to the cause of nationalism and together with the success in other constituencies considerably strengthen the present provincial administration.

Hon. Mr. Turgeon said last night that he was extremely touched at the great confidence in him which was manifested on this occasion by his electors as such.

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HON. S. W. McINNIS DEAD AT BRANDON

Was a Native of St. John and a Member of Manitoba Government.

Succumbed to Appendicitis After Brief Illness—Stricken While on a Hunting Trip—Had Assumed His Dual Portfolio in Roblin Cabinet Only a Few Months Ago.

(Special to The Telegraph.)

Winnipeg, Nov. 4.—Dr. S. W. McInnis, minister of education and provincial secretary for Manitoba and a member of the legislature for Brandon, died at Brandon today. Death followed an operation for appendicitis. He was forty-two years old. A widow survives.

Dr. McInnis was shooting near Oak Lake, 180 miles west of Winnipeg, last Friday, when he fell ill and was hurried to Brandon hospital.

Dr. McInnis was born at St. John (N. B.) Oct. 8, 1865, son of John Lindsay McInnis. He was educated at Manitoba College, Winnipeg, and Philadelphia Dental College, where he graduated D. D. S. He was married to Clara M. Beckwith June 8, 1888. He was first elected to the Manitoba legislature in 1899 for Brandon and has continued to represent that constituency ever since. Only a few months ago he was sworn in provincial secretary and minister of education in the Manitoba government.

LOOKING INTO P. E. I. PROHIBITION ACT

New Brunswick Commission Has First Session at Charlottetown—Will Visit Other Towns.

(Special to The Telegraph.)

Charlottetown, P. E. I., Nov. 4.—The committee appointed by the New Brunswick government to examine into the working of the prohibition act in this province, held its first sitting today. The committee has no power to examine under oath, unless witnesses be taken to New Brunswick, which may be done later. The committee will sit at Summerside, Souris, Georgetown and other points. Evidence will be taken on both sides.

DR. RUDDICK, EX-M. P. P., TO BE APPOINTED PORT PHYSICIAN

Ottawa, Nov. 4.—Dr. Ruddick, M. P. P., St. John county, is to be appointed port physician at St. John in place of Dr. March, deceased.

(Special to The Telegraph.)

Ottawa, Nov. 4.—(Special)—Two reports were received today from Canada's trade commissioners in Australia. They set forth that there is a depressing feeling in trade over the uncertainty of what the new tariff is to be. The general idea is that there will be a scaling down in duties.

PRESIDENT FALCONER PLEADS FOR BREADTH IN NATIONAL LIFE

Declares Canadian Statesmen Have a Difficult Problem in Unifying the Country.

(Special to The Telegraph.)

Toronto, Nov. 4.—President Falconer, of Toronto University, was the speaker at the inauguration luncheon today of the Canadian Club for the season, and his theme was the Necessity of Breadth in National Life. Canada, as a nation, he said, was physically broken up into various parts, with racial distinctions, but the national spirit was growing. This must be developed, and various forces were developing it. The power of Ottawa was homogeneous nature of Canada emphasized the necessity of national life and it behooved statesmen to give a policy in which the national principle would be national, rather than local. This policy should be broad and statesmanlike, directed in the interests of the whole, not a part, a democratic policy that would unify the country.

There should be no narrow provincialism and there should be escape from sectionalism. Ontario, for example, rich and intelligent, must feel the necessity for generosity and sympathy toward the rest of the dominion, possessed of broad point of view and not shut up to local interests.

To men, President Falconer would say, "Travel, examine the dominion and by reason of sympathy and intelligence do your part to unite the interests of the country because the future is full of difficulty. The problem of welding races together must be faced with intelligence and sympathy."

MAIL BOATS WILL NOT CALL AT SYDNEY THIS FALL

(Special to The Telegraph.)

Montreal, Nov. 4.—There will be no call made at Sydney this fall with the mails by either the Empress of Britain or the Virginian. The Virginian leaves next Friday and will come straight to Rimouski, and the Empress of Britain, now on the way, will do the same. These are the two last mail boats to the St. Lawrence.

Sydney asked the department regarding the matter, but was advised that it would not be practicable this year to send the last mail boats to Sydney on account of the steamer Montcalm, which performs tender services of tender last year being engaged in northern waters removing the Marconi apparatus and operators from the Labrador coast to southern latitudes.

RUSSIAN RAILWAYS IN STATE OF CHAOS

St. Petersburg, Nov. 4.—It was announced here today that the four of inspection just concluded by the minister of ways and communications through southern Russia, in Caucasia, Turkestan and Central Asia, had revealed complete chaos in the railroad system. The statement is made that the railroads are practically in the hands of the revolutionaries and that plans for armed uprisings are spreading everywhere.

The minister, himself, narrowly escaped having a bomb buried at his at Ashka, bad.

STEAMERS YALE AND HARVARD LAID OFF TILL SPRING

Boston, Nov. 2.—With the trip run over the outside route tonight the fast turbine steamers Harvard and Yale will be withdrawn from service on the Metropolitan all-water route between Boston and New York. The Harvard leaves this city, at the same time that the Yale leaves New York; thus the boats will be left in the same cities from which they started when the line was opened, in the middle of September. Both vessels were in Boston 9 o'clock last night, and the final closing of these sessions did not come until 5:30 o'clock this morning. In the interim prominent financiers connected with each of these three groups rushed back and forth between the hotel and Mr. Morgan's library, and four times before the ending of the discussion a procession of men, which included all the directors of one or the other of the companies interested, wrangled its way from the hotel to the library, or from the library to the hotel.

Simply as a result of the financial situation and the complications surrounding the control of the Consolidated Steamship Company's properties since the recent difficulties in the banks where Charles W. Morse was an officer.

Texas Negro Lynched

Canon, Texas, Nov. 4.—Following his indictment today by the grand jury on a charge of criminal assault, Alex. Johnson, a negro, was taken from the jail here by a mob of 500 men and hanged to a tree in the court house yard. Officers and influential citizens pleaded with the mob to allow the law to take its course, but the riotous mob would not heed them and battered down the doors of the jail. The town is quiet this evening.

The governor ordered out the militia, but not in time to save the negro.

Woman Murdered and Robbed.

Philadelphia, Nov. 4.—Harina (Carmela) Monolizzo, an aged Italian woman, was murdered and robbed of \$700, the savings of herself and husband, while she was at work today in a shed in the rear of her home in southwest Philadelphia. The woman's husband, Amato Monolizzo, left her at the washbasin when he went to work this morning, and when he returned home he found her lying in the shed with her throat cut from ear to ear.

INNOCENT MAN SERVED FIVE YEARS FOR ROBBERY

Pittsburg, Pa., Nov. 4.—After having served half of a ten years' sentence in the western Pennsylvania penitentiary for a crime committed by another, Robert Simpson, who was convicted in connection with a safe robbery in the Irwin (Pa.) post office in Westmoreland county, about six years ago, will be given his freedom by the state pardon board. It has been discovered that the robbery was committed by two men, both of whom are dead.

CHEESE FACTORIES MAKING BUTTER FROM WHEY

(Special to The Telegraph.)

Toronto, Nov. 4.—Ontario cheese factories are now using the fat, hitherto lost in whey, for making butter. One manufactory was discovered in St. Michael's last few months out of the whey that he formerly threw away. The butter is said to rank first class.

SMALLPOX CASE FOUND IN TORONTO HOSPITAL

(Special to The Telegraph.)

Toronto, Nov. 4.—(Special)—A case of smallpox was discovered in St. Michael's hospital, and one ward with eight patients is quarantined. Mrs. May Cooper, of Holland Landing, the patient, was removed to the isolation hospital.

Will Be Tried at Norton. Norton, N. B., Nov. 4.—The body of Fred Jamieson, who died in Calgary on Oct. 29, is expected to arrive at Norton on Tuesday, Nov. 5. Funeral at Glover Hill on Wednesday, Nov. 6, at 1 o'clock.

HELD FOR ASSAULT ON CHATHAM OFFICIAL

Archibald Frackear, Assailant of Alderman Mersereau, Sent up for Trial.

(Special to The Telegraph.)

Chatham, N. B., Nov. 4.—The preliminary examination into the charge against man Mersereau on October 25 was held in the police court here today before Magistrate Frackear for assaulting Alderman Connors. R. A. Lawlor represented the crown and E. P. Williston, of Newcastle, the defence.

Several witnesses were examined and testified to having seen Frackear call Alderman Mersereau and after a few minutes' talk, strike him, knocking him down and then kicking him.

No witnesses were called for the defence and Frackear was committed for trial at the January sitting of the county court. He was allowed bail in the sum of \$2,000.

AN ONTARIO TOWN TREASURER, SHORT IN ACCOUNTS, SUSPENDED

(Special to The Telegraph.)

Toronto, Nov. 4.—Henry Aletton, town clerk and treasurer of Berlin (Ont.), was suspended today as a result of a shortage found in the audit of his books for the last year, after Provincial Auditor Laing had passed them. The shortage is said to be a little over \$800. Edwin Hatcher has been appointed acting clerk.

Fort William Church Burned.

Fort William, Ont., Nov. 4.—(Special)—The new Catholic church at Fort William was burned Sunday night. The loss is \$250.

NESTOR OF NOVA SCOTIA MEDICOS DEAD

Dr. D. McN. Parker Passed Away Monday—First Halifax Surgeon to Use Anaesthetics in Performing an Operation.

(Special to The Telegraph.)

Halifax, Nov. 4.—Hon. D. McN. Parker, M. D., died this afternoon. Mr. Parker was a life-long friend of Sir Charles Tupper and was born of United Empire Loyalist stock, at Windsor in 1822. He graduated in medicine at Edinburgh in 1845. In 1867 he was made a member of the legislative council of Nova Scotia from which, on account of ill health, he retired in 1889. During his long term of practice in Halifax, besides being president of the Medical Society of Nova Scotia and of Canada, he filled a large number of other offices—commissioner of schools, governor of Acadia College for twenty-five years, president of the Baptist convention, and a member of the boards governing the hospitals of the city.

Dr. Parker was for fifty years a member of the First Baptist church. He was the first surgeon in Halifax to perform an operation with the use of an anaesthetic, having first had it administered to himself to prove its safety. The first case in Halifax of the removal of an ovarian tumor, which had counted their victims by the hundreds of thousands, was performed by Dr. Parker, he having assisted Dr. Keith, of Edinburgh, the distinguished specialist in such operations.

BERNIE STILL WANTS TO SEARCH FOR THE NORTH POLE

Ottawa, Nov. 4.—(Special)—Capt. Bernier was here today and had an interview with Sir Wilfrid Laurier. He is still anxious for a trip to discover the North Pole. The expense, he says, will not be great and a country ought to know all that it owns. Canada is the only country that does not know this.