

SAD END OF YOUNG ENGLISH EMIGRANT

George Pritchard Landed in St. John March 19 and Died April 1 at Minto

Increased to Come to Canada by False Representations in Regard to Climate and Work He Contracted Pneumonia During Railway Journey—Swindled in This City, but Met Real Friends Too Late to Save Him.

Minto, Sunbury county, April 3.—A sad event took place at Minto on Monday, April 1, at 8.30 a. m., when George Pritchard, a young emigrant, eighteen years of age from Burg Hill, Portway, Herefordshire, England, died of typhoid pneumonia.

He was induced to emigrate by the agents who told him a Canadian government agent would meet him in St. John, provide him a ticket to Winnipeg, that a job would be awaiting him there when he could repay the money that would thus have been advanced to him for the railway ticket. It was told also it would be summer in Canada when he arrived. All of this information was false and responsible for his death.

OBITUARY.

Edward A. Wilson. Edward A. Wilson, son of John Wilson, of No. 2 Goodrich street (formerly in the post office in Halifax) died suddenly Monday evening in Trenton (Ill). He is survived by his wife, in Trenton, his father and mother and two sisters, Mrs. Geo. S. Shaw, of this city, and Mrs. W. F. Hatch, of Sacramento (Cal).

Mrs. Stephen Palmer. The death of Mrs. Mary Palmer, wife of Stephen Palmer occurred suddenly Tuesday at her home, Upper Greenview, Kings county. Mrs. Palmer, who was well advanced in years, was taken ill with heart trouble early Tuesday morning and died about 3 a. m.

Mrs. Addie Rowley. Mrs. Addie Rowley, widow of Wm. Rowley, who conducted a blacksmith business in Bessie street, died Wednesday in the hospital after a week's illness of pneumonia. Five children survive.

Miss Alice G. Howard, Gaspeaux Howard. The death of Miss Alice G. Howard, eldest daughter of Captain and Mrs. J. Howard, of Gaspeaux Street, occurred on Tuesday. Deceased, besides her parents, leaves four brothers and five sisters.

Mrs. Samuel Miller. Mrs. Samuel Miller, a respected resident of Baywater, died Tuesday night, after a lingering illness. Mrs. Miller was 53 years of age and had been ailing for about eighteen months, although it was only recently that her illness became sufficiently serious to confine her to her bed.

Mrs. Elizabeth Clarkson. The death of Mrs. Elizabeth Clarkson, wife of John R. Clarkson, of Lancaster Heights occurred Wednesday morning. Heart trouble was the cause of death. Besides her husband she is survived by three sons and one daughter.

Wm. A. Cathers. William Alexander Cathers, a very well known resident of this city, died Wednesday afternoon of lung trouble. He was aged 44 years. Mr. Cathers had been ailing for nearly two years but had been obliged to take to his bed only last Thursday.

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cluded the exhibition restaurant at the exhibition last year. Deceased was twice married. Three years ago he married Miss Ada Kearns. Mrs. Cathers and two daughters and one son by his first wife survive. The children are Katie G., Annie M. and James H., all at home. Besides these, there are two brothers, Benjamin and George, both of Lynn (Mass.).

Mrs. W. O. Gregory. Word of the death of Mrs. W. O. Gregory at Los Angeles (Cal.), has been received here. Mrs. Gregory was the widow of Captain Gregory, a brother of Judge Gregory, who was lost at sea a number of years ago. She had been living in Los Angeles with her youngest son, Percy, for some years. She was sixty-six years of age and was an adopted daughter of the late Alex. Shives, of Mt. Pleasant.

James J. Power. James J. Power died on Thursday at his home 312 Spruce street, after illness extending over several months. For some years he had carried on a retail liquor business at Reed's Point and he had also been traveling representative of Simon Jones, Ltd. Mr. Power was a man of fine character, genial, upright and a thorough man. In his younger days he was an active member of the Y. M. C. S. of St. Joseph and was a member of the Gold, which that society staged with much success. He is survived by wife and family, also one brother, John T. Power.

Mrs. Margaret Dean. Mrs. Margaret Dean, widow of Thomas Dean, died Thursday after a lingering illness, at the residence of her son, Thomas J. Dean, Garden street. She was seventy-three years of age. She was the daughter of late William Howe, of Leprunac. Several children survive. The sons are B. H. Dean, of South Dakota; W. J. Dean, of Musquash, and T. J. Dean, of this city. The daughters are Mrs. W. H. Hamford, of Boston; Mrs. Geo. Moline, of Moncton; Mrs. A. B. Fowler and Miss Edith Dean, of St. John.

Mrs. Louis R. Foley. Mrs. Louis R. Foley, daughter of the late John Donnelly, of Fort Howe, died suddenly at her home in Gilbert's Lane Tuesday morning. She leaves her husband and mother and one child. Five brothers—John, Joseph, William, Frank and Russell—and two sisters—Misses Josephine and Ellen—also survive.

Mrs. James Murphy. Salisbury, N. B., April 4.—The death occurred today at Fredericton Road, Salisbury, of Mrs. James Murphy, who had been suffering for some time with cancer of the stomach. She leaves a husband and several children. Deceased was a daughter of the late John O'Brien. One of her brothers is School Inspector Amos O'Brien, of Moncton (N. B.).

Jonathan Titus. Hampton, April 4.—(Special)—Jonathan Titus died at Sydney (C. B.) today. He will be buried from Hampton Station Saturday morning on the arrival of the Halifax express.

Mrs. Margaret Burns. Margaret, beloved wife of Edward Burns, died Thursday after a somewhat lengthy illness, of tuberculosis. Mr. Burns, who is in Boston at the present time, has been communicated with and is expected home soon.

Mrs. Dumas, who was the daughter of Cornelius O'Leary, this city, was residing with her sister, Mrs. Joseph Dryden, 556 Chesley street, when she died. She was well known in the North End, and many will regret to hear of her death. She is survived by her husband and three small children; also her father, one sister, Mrs. Dryden, in this city, two sisters, Mrs. M. S. Lambirth and Mrs. P. S. Day, in Boston, and one brother, Neil O'Leary, who lives here.

John P. Clark, Starkeys, Queens County. John P. Clark, aged 78 years, died Tuesday at the home of Mrs. William Somerville, Starkeys, Queens county. Mrs. Somerville is a sister of the deceased.

Captain Clark will be kindly remembered through his long years of service on steamers, joining the St. John river steamer's tributaries. He was a man of very amiable disposition and sterling integrity. For many years he was in charge of the Flewelling flour mill at Hampton, also of David's mill at Woodstock.

Captain Clark is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Brewer of Starkey, York county; his wife, Miss May Huggins, of Springfield, Kings county, having pre-deceased him many years. William and Charles Clark, brothers, are also dead, as well as several sisters. Mrs. George Clark, Mrs. J. G. Hetherington (mother of Dr. J. M. Belyea, Hetherington, of this city), Mrs. Belyea, of Chipman, and Mrs. T. W. Spragg, of Springdale. The only living sisters are Mrs. William Vail, mother of Chas. E. Vail, this city; Mrs. Butler Thorne, of Henry Wetmore, of Springfield, Queens county, and Mrs. Somerville, of Starkey.

The funeral took place Thursday at Thiontown, Queens county.

John D. Kelly, of Fairville. John D. Kelly, for more than thirty years a resident of Fairville, died in his home there early Friday morning, aged eighty-one years. Besides his wife, Mr. Kelly is survived by four sons and three daughters. They are: Daniel, in California; Harry, in Potsdam (N. Y.); Louis, in Butte City (Mont.); and Frank, at home; Miss Maud, a school teacher in Millford, and the Misses Nellie and Bessie at home. Deceased was born in Oranoceto, but spent a good part of his early life farming near Petersville, Queens county, where later he conducted a general store and drove stage between St. John and St. Andrews and St. John and Fredericton.

Thirty years ago he moved to Fairville, where he conducted a large general store and grocery business. He was noted for the strict probity of his character and the pleasantness of his disposition. He had a very wide circle of friends and acquaintances, who will regret to hear of his death.

On Monday, L. C. Wetmore, who has been blind clerk with E. O. Parsons for several years, will leave for Tacoma (Wash.) Wednesday evening a number of his friends gathered at his home in the West End and presented to him a well filled purse. Hunter Parsons will succeed Mr. Wetmore.

Beginning on Saturday next the market will be kept open until 11 o'clock on Saturday nights during the summer.

RESTIGOUCHE ELECTION INQUIRY IS FINISHED

(Continued from page 1.) bling, but withdrew the remark at the request of the chairman. Mr. Clarke thought that it was obligatory for voters to go behind the screen, but the premier said he did not think the law went quite as far as that. He did not believe the returning officer could refuse the ballot of a voter who did not choose to go behind the screen.

Mr. Hazen pointed out that it was obligatory for voters to go behind the screen. The premier said that he acted upon him to be director but he did not know that if a voter refused to go behind the screen that he was not complying with the law. He handed an envelope to every voter who came up, but some few electors did not accept them.

Mr. Hazen next took the witness in hand and endeavored to break down his testimony, but did not meet with a great amount of success. The witness stuck to his statement that over one-half of the voters did not go behind the screen. The witness denied that he had been an active worker on behalf of Mr. Currie, and had some about canvassing for him.

Mr. Hazen said that he had not been charged that he had covered up with some of the witnesses at the Waverley Hotel yesterday. Very little of anything was said about the enquiry. The witness said that he had made up his mind to be unsuccessful. He admitted that he had held the envelope for some of the voters to place their ballots in it. He did not think that he had employed one quarter of the voters of Restigouche; it was doubtful if he employed more than 25 or 30 men.

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PORT PHYSICIAN DIES SUDDENLY

Dr. J. E. March Stricken With Paralysis on Wharf on Partridge Island

LIVED BUT FEW HOURS AFTERWARDS

Had Expected Last Summons Would Be Sudden—His Last Day's Work a Tribute to Success as Quarantine Officer—A Doctor at 19, Clever Musician, Ardent Yachtsman, Long Interested in Militia, and a Good Citizen.

The death of Dr. John Edgar March, the port quarantine officer, occurred Wednesday evening at his residence on Partridge Island, following a stroke of paralysis due to hemorrhage of the brain. The sad intelligence reached the city about 7 o'clock and for a time the news was hardly credited. It was known that Dr. March had not been in good health, but the word that he had passed away came as a shock which brought forth expressions of surprise and deep regret from all sections of the community.

Dr. March spoke of not being in good health on Tuesday evening, and Wednesday morning, although not feeling well, he was busy inspecting the immigrants on the steamers Montezuma and Cassandra. His work was long and arduous, as many as 3,000 people passing through his hands. He returned home to dinner and at 3 o'clock was sitting on the wharf talking to his men and directing some work which was in progress, when he called one of them and he felt his legs left and he fell becoming paralyzed, and directed that he should be taken to his house as quickly as possible.

From that time a premonition of his approaching end the doctor added: "I believe all is over with me." He was conveyed to his home without delay, and Dr. J. H. Scammell, the assistant port medical officer, was summoned by telephone. When Dr. Scammell arrived, accompanied by Dr. March's brother, Cecil, the doctor was unable to tell of his condition, but despite all that could be done he gradually sank and passed away at 6.30 o'clock. Dr. G. A. B. Adley, who had been called to the house, arrived soon after he had breathed his last.

Believed His Death Would Be Sudden. From what Dr. March said to his men on the island it is now known that he believed there might be a fatal termination to his illness at any time, and this idea is strengthened by the fact that a letter addressed to his wife and family was found on his person when he was taken to his home. He was a popular man with a wide circle of friends and acquaintances than Dr. March. In the evening of his death he was writing a letter to his wife and family.

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LOCAL NEWS

While at work on the steamer Victoria on Saturday William Barton, chief engineer of the Star line, fell, breaking two ribs.

A fisherman named Wilson is asking for \$30 damages from the owners of the tug Hercules, as he claims the tug destroyed some of his fishing gear on the Strait Shore Saturday.

The Western Union Telegraph Co. and the Postal Telegraph Co., which is the United States connection for the C. P. R. Tel. Co., have increased the night rates for messages from here to the U. S.

The engagement of Miss Beatrice Sutherland daughter of Mrs. A. Graham Sutherland, to E. C. McLeod, assistant manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia at Halifax, is announced and congratulations are being extended.

R. A. Kyle, of the C. P. R. Telegraph Company staff here, left Tuesday for Calgary, where he will take a similar position with the company. He has been accompanied by his wife and her sister, Miss Clara Cline, who is going on a visit to the west.

Friends of William J. Raymond, who for six years was associated with The Daily Telegraph, and who joined the editorial staff of the Montreal Herald last fall, will be pleased to hear that he has been offered a position of assistant editor of the Saskatoon Capital.

The annual report of the slaughter house department shows they started the year with \$671.29 cash and that the license receipts were \$140, making a total of \$811.29. The expenses took all this but \$157.84. The animals killed during the year were: Cattle, 5,814; sheep, 5,222; calves, 465; swine, 12,113.

Attention is drawn to the fact that marriage licenses are still being issued in this city with the signature of Governor Snowball, and of Hon. L. J. Tweedie as provincial secretary. Probably because of the confusion of names which they have on hand, but people consider it not seemly in view of Governor Snowball's death.

On Tuesday afternoon the Maritime Baptist committee appointed to draw up a plan for the proper organization for the formation of a dominion convention met. Progress reported and in a few weeks the committee will meet again and complete the plan and about May 24 the committee will meet with committees from Ferris, J. H. Scammell, and other ministers in Montreal to draw up the scheme for organization.

Loyalist Division, Sons of Temperance, has elected Robt. G. Carson, W. P.; Miss Violet Hastings, W. A.; Bennett Wilson, R. S.; Fred Thompson, A. R. S.; Miss Annie Carson financial secretary; Mrs. Wm. Cronk, treasurer; John Gowland, chaplain; Miss Ella Tucker, conductor; Bernice Brooks, assistant conductor; Bernice Martin, Charles Hamilton, O. S.; Miss Annie Carson, S. Y. P. W.; Fred Hastings, P. W. P.

The customs revenue here for March was \$135,000.45, an increase of \$14,083.81 over March, 1906. The customs receipts here for the month were \$17,708.1, a decrease of \$17,711.91 compared with March, 1906. For nine months the receipts were \$228,283.80, decrease of \$845.57.

Chas. Humphreys, arrested a month ago on charge of begging and sent to jail was released Monday, but is now in the Provincial Hospital. He was examined by a doctor, a physician examined him and said he should be in the hospital. However Monday night in his home in Fairville he was found to be more than four hours late owing to the accident.

As the freight train was pulling out the main track at Hoyt 7 o'clock, four cars became derailed. An auxiliary crew was sent out from McAdam as the St. John crew were working to repair the damage done by the wreck off at the Mill street crossing yesterday afternoon. The passengers on the Boston train spent a rather dreary four hours at Hoyt station, as all the diversion possible was watching the progress of the repairs.

Backville News. Backville, April 4.—Charles Laurence, of Middle, passed away yesterday after a prolonged illness of cancer. Deceased was forty-six years old. His wife survives here. Funeral will take place this afternoon.

Frederic Tingley, manager of Express Company, Vancouver (B. C.), is the guest of his uncle, I. C. Harper. It is eighteen years since Mr. Tingley visited his native place, and he is now in