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LOCAL & OTHER ITEMS.

Judge Laurence, of the Supreme Court of Nova Scotia, died at Truro early yesterday morning.

It is reported from New York that three million persons in Central China are on the verge of starvation.

The steamer Empress of Britain sailed from Halifax Monday morning for Liverpool with mails. She took 9,270 barrels of apples, and in the cargo was 137 ingots of silver.

The steamers Wychwood and Torbay were in collision off Hull, England, on the 12th, during a fog. The latter was cut almost in two and sank. Seven of the crew were drowned.

It is reported that fifty persons perished in a storm, last week, in Russia. Traveling along the road, they were caught in a snow drift, from which forty-four corpses have since been dug out.

Ruling that infected vaccine administered by one of the civic vaccinators in Montreal was responsible for the condition of inertia produced in the arm of a vaccinated child, a jury condemned the city to pay a total of \$6,000 damages.

John and Mrs. Camp were killed, and their daughter Bertha seriously injured at Centralia, Ill., on the 9th, when Camp picked up a can of gasoline, thinking it contained oil, and poured the liquid on a fire. An explosion followed and the house was burned.

It is reported from Ottawa that the improvements in the transportation system of this Province (car ferry and broadening of the railway gauge and rolling stock), upon which the Government have decided, will cost, at a rough estimate, \$1,340,000. That is something like business.

The weather during Saturday night and Sunday was of the severest kind and the mercury sank rapidly. On Saturday night 14 below zero was recorded in this city, and 12 below on Sunday night. In parts of the country the mercury sank much lower than these figures. On Monday it began to moderate and yesterday was a moderate winter day but a snow storm Monday night made sleighing bad.

It is announced that the Dominion Steel Corporation will erect this year a large entrapment on the banks of the Canal near St. Ann's Church, and that Montreal will be made a distributing centre for the products of the Sydney Mills. It is further announced that the company will next summer have boats running up the St. Lawrence not only carrying coal but carrying the products of their mills, and that the boats will go right to the head of the great lakes.

A London cable says: The mystery of the banjo playing and human voices heard by isolated wireless operators in the North Sea, which had caused them to christen the author of the weird sounds the "North Sea Ghost," is explained by the manager of the Marconi factory at Chelmsford. He declared that they were caused by experiments with wireless telephony being carried out there. In order to test the apparatus they had used a gramophone, which played several banjo selections.

Of late the conditions for crossing the Straits have been uncertain enough, and mails to and from the Mainland have been changing from the winter steamers to the Capes route and back from the Capes to the steamers. On Monday of this week the Minto left Georgetown for Pictou with the mails and a number of passengers. She stuck in the ice and did not reach her destination that day. The same day the Earl Grey, after battling with the ice all day, reached Georgetown about dark, and the mails and passengers brought by her came to the city that night by special train. Tuesday the Earl Grey started from Georgetown, and out in the Straits the mails and passengers on board the ice-bound Stanley were transferred to her. But she was not able to reach Pictou Tuesday, and the Stanley's position was not changed; consequently both steamers were in the ice Tuesday night. Meantime mails are coming by the Capes. The Earl Grey got into Pictou this morning.

MARRIED.

PEAKE-BURGESS—At Charlottetown, Wednesday, Feb. 7, 1912, Marion Burgess of London, England, and Ernest DeBlais Peake, of this city.

LLEWELYN-ROXALD—At Montreal on Feb. 6, 1912, Karl Alwood Llewellyn of Sturgeon to Hilda Roxal of Gasperaux.

DIED

MYRES—On February 8th, 1912, Mrs. Ernest Myres, of Norton, N. B. (nee Miss Minnie Molyneux), of Iokerman, Lot 29, P. E. Island, aged 58.

McKENNA—At Central House, Bangor, Maine, on January 3rd, 1912, Patrick McKenna, formerly of St. Teresa Parish, P. E. Island, aged 55 years. May her soul rest in peace.

VERSEY—At Little York, February 6th, Clara G. Vessey, beloved wife of Bertram R. Brown, and daughter of the late Thomas Vessey, aged forty-one years.

SLOGGETT—At 3 Brunley Villas, Leigh-month, Devon, England, Feb. 7th, 1912, Helen Sloggett, aged eighty years.

BERNE—At North River, February 7th, 1912, Mrs. James Byrne, aged 71 years. R.I.P.

SANDERSON—At Midgell, on Feb. 8th, 1912, of cancer of the stomach, Randolph Sanderson, daughter of the late C. E. Sanderson, aged 55 years, leaving a mother, one brother and one sister.

BISHOP—In this city, Feb. 12, 1912, George Bishop, of pneumonia, aged 36 years.

POWER—In this city, Feb. 12, 1912, Edward J. Power, son of John T. and Mrs. Power, aged 7 years. R.I.P.

LANNAN—At Pleasant Grove, Feb. 11, 1912, John Lannan, aged 68. R.I.P.

HOOPER—At Victoria, Capraud, Feb. 10, 1912, James F. Hooper, in the 90th year of his age.

McLEOD—At Bonshaw, Feb. 10th, 1912, after a short illness, Colin McLeod, aged 82.

McLEOD—At Murray River, P.E.I., on Feb. 9th, 1912, James E. McLeod, aged 61.

BRATON—At Maple Leaf, Lot 40, on Feb. 6th, 1912, Newton R., beloved son of William and Catherine Beaton, in his 11th year.

WOODSIDE—At Kensington, on Jan. 27, Mrs. Jane Adams, widow of the late Wm. Woodside, of Margate, in the 82nd year of her age.

FINLAYSON—In this city, Jan. 30, 1912, Capt. Kenneth Finlayson, aged 82 years.

RATTRAY—At Rustico, Jan. 29th, David Rattray, aged 77 years.

GADEE—In this city, on Feb. 13th, Emma, daughter of the late Thomas Gadee.

DOYLE—In this city, Feb. 13, 1912, Eben Doyle, aged 65 years. R.I.P.

FRIZZLE—In this city, Feb. 13, 1912, Robert Frizzle, aged 69 years.

DONNELLY—At Head St. Peter's Bay, on Jan. 17th, fortified by the rites of the Catholic Church, William Donnelly, aged 80 years, leaving three sons, and four daughters to mourn. Deceased who was about the last of the old land marks of his generation at St. Peter's, was possessed of a wonderful constitution and led for a long period without the attacks of disease. He was of a bright and cheerful disposition and was highly esteemed in the community in which he lived his long life. His funeral on Jan. 19th was very largely attended. May his soul rest in peace.

We have received complimentary tickets for the twelfth annual reunion and ball of the Prince Edward Island Association of Boston. We sincerely thank the members of the association for so kindly remembering us; but as the entertainment takes place this evening we shall be obliged to deny ourselves the pleasure of attendance, under the present somewhat uncertain conditions of winter navigation of the Straits. Meantime we wish our friends every success and a grand night's enjoyment.

The Market Prices.

Table listing market prices for various goods: Beef (per lb), Pork (per lb), Eggs (per doz), Chickens (per pair), Flour (per cwt), etc.

Our store has gained a reputation for reliable Groceries. Our trade during 1911 has been very satisfactory. We shall put forth every effort during the present year to give our customers the best possible service.—R. F. Madigan.

1912 Wedding Rings!

- Ladies' or Gents' Solid Gold Signet Rings, \$2 to \$10
Girl's Watches \$3 to \$10
Ladies' Watches \$10 to \$35
Men's Watches \$4 to \$40
Boy's Watches \$1.75
Half doz. Tea Spoons, \$1.25 to \$2 up
A nice Butter Knife, 75c., \$1. \$1.25
Cake Baskets, Tea Sets, Bread Trays
Necklets 75c. up
Lockets 50c. to \$20.50
Reading Glasses 25c. up
Telescopes
Spectacles, 75c and \$1 up
Fobs and Chains, \$1 up
Bracelets 75c. to \$8
Hat Pins 25c. up
Diamond and other set Rings in great variety
Field Glasses, \$3.75 to \$20
Barometers \$4 to \$8
Thermometers 25 cents up to \$5
Stick Pins 25c. up to \$10
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Mail Contract.

Sealed Tenders, addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until Noon, on Friday, the 8th March, 1912, for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails, on a proposed Contract for four years, three times per week each way, between Montreal and Souris and back (Mail Delivery) from the 1st April to 31st March.

Mortgage Sale.

To be sold by Public Auction, in front of the Court House Building, in Charlottetown, on Thursday, the 7th day of March, next, at the hour of Twelve o'clock, noon.

TENDERS

Tenders addressed to the undersigned at Charlottetown, and endorsed on the envelope "Tender for Gasoline Launches," will be received up to noon of the 24th DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1912 for the construction of Five Twin Screw Gasoline Launches for the Fishery Patrol Service of the Maritime Provinces of the Dominion of Canada, of the following leading dimensions, viz— Length over all... 45 feet Breadth moulded... 11 feet Mean load draft... 3 ft 2 in.

Mail Contract

Sealed Tenders addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until Noon, on Friday, the 8th March, 1912, for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails, on a proposed Contract for four years, six times per week each way, between Charlottetown and Cherry Valley (Rural Mail Delivery) from the Postmaster General's pleasure next.

Synopsis of Canadian North-West Land Regulations.

Any person who is the sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years old may homestead a quarter section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. The applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-agency for the district. Entry by proxy may be made at any agency, on certain conditions by father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister of intending homesteader.

Mortgage Sale.

To be sold by Public Auction, in front of the dwelling house on the lands hereinafter described, on Thursday, the Twenty-second day of February, A. D. 1912, at the hour of one o'clock in the afternoon, under the direction of the Power of Sale contained in an Indenture of Mortgage bearing date the third day of January, A. D. 1898, and made between Gerard Barry and George Barry, both of St. Peter's Harbour, in King's County, in Prince Edward Island, farmers, and Victoria Barry, wife of the said Gerard Barry, of the first part, and Honourable Donald Ferguson of Marshfield, in Queen's County, in said Island, Senator of the second part, and which said Mortgage was assigned by the executor of the last will and testament of the said Honourable Donald Ferguson to the undersigned by Indenture bearing date the twenty-fifth day of August A. D. 1911: All that tract, piece or parcel of land situated on Township Number Thirty-two, in King's County, Prince Edward Island, bounded and described as follows—Commencing at the north-east angle of Albert Anderson's farm and running according to the Magnet of 1794 south six degrees east sixty-five chains thence south six degrees east thirty-five chains thence north nine degrees east sixty-eight chains thence south eighty-nine degrees west nineteen chains to the place of commencement, containing one hundred acres of land, more or less, bounded on the north by the Settlement Road, west by Albert Anderson's farm, south by Widow Phelan's land, and east by Widow Phelan's and Francis Coffin's land, being the land conveyed by Benjamin Coffin and wife to Edmund Barry by deed dated the Eleventh day of June, A. D. 1877.

For further particulars apply at the office of Stewart & Campbell, Charlottetown.

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For further particulars apply at the office of Mathieson, MacDonald & Stewart, Solicitors, 163 Richmond Street, Charlottetown, or to the undersigned. Dated this Sixteenth day of January A. D. 1912.

Mathieson, MacDonald & Stewart, Barristers, Solicitors, etc. Charlottetown, P. E. Island.