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"MIDWINTERS'" RECORD GONE

John E. Moore Leads Bold Dash to Belvea's

KITCHENER CARRIES INTREPID PARTY

Tug Carries Mr. Moore and Guests Farther Up River Than the Point Reached on Noted Excursion of Jan. 16, 1892.

"H. M. S. Lord Kitchener, provisioned at this port on Jan. 24th, 1906. On board, the following party of intrepid explorers:

"Commander John E. Moore.
"A. T. Dunn.
"N. R. Burrows.
"W. E. Stavert.
"H. H. McLean.
"Capt. J. T. Walsh, Montreal.
"Stanley E. Elkin.
"James Pender.
"A. P. Barnhill.
"Charles McDonald.
"M. B. Edwards.
"A. M. Belding.
"Harry Miller.
"Charles Miller.
"T. H. Estabrooks.
"John Russell, Jr.
"F. C. Beatteay.
"S. S. Elliott.
"J. A. Belyea.
"E. M. Shadbolt.
"T. B. Blair.
"F. J. Harding.
"R. B. Kessen.
"Hon. James Holly.
"G. S. Moore, Amherst.
"George C. Cutler, Boston."

The above record, inscribed in the register at Belyea's, near Public Landing, across from the R. K. Y. Club summer rendevous at Carter's Point, tells the "farthest north" story of winter navigation on the St. John river.

The expedition, provisioned for six hours, left North Wharf shortly after 1 o'clock Wednesday and boldly proceeded through the falls and up the river. A little field ice was encountered off Westfield, and what a man who had once read a book on Arctic exploration said was "lolly" was seen near Watter's Landing.

At Carter's Point the wall of ice extended clear across the river, but the Lord Kitchener ploughed her way through it for a quarter of a mile or so, until at a thickness of about five inches it begin to resist her attacks.

Passed Point Reached in 1892.

By this time she had proceeded about a hundred yards farther than any previous midwinter expedition had been able to go, which was glory enough for even the distinguished party of daring navigators on her decks yesterday.

The ship was rammed another length into the ice, jammed hard against it, and a ladder put over the side. The party disembarked and walked to the shore. They went to the store of Mr. Belyea and made a number of important purchases. Col. McLean was quickly in converse with a dainty little maiden, greatly to the discomfort of Collector Dunn, who edged around for an introduction, but was received with marked evidence of disfavor. He had equal ill-luck later, when he edged around where Mr. Stavert was basking in the smiles of four young ladies who were skating on the river. There is some doubt whether the collector will relate either of these incidents to his grandchildren.

A flag was flung to the breeze at Belyea's in honor of the day, and a number of the neighbors came down to look over the party. When they learned that there were half a dozen bank managers in the lot, some of them retired to a safe distance.

When the party had returned across the ice to the Kitchener, a quadrille was executed on the ice with much precision and effect by certain persons whose chief business it is to make other people dance, but whose names are withheld lest they should be annoyed by requests to repeat the performance of yesterday.

The Kitchener backed and turned, and with all safely stowed, set out on the return voyage. Some interesting presentations were then made. Mr. Cutler, who had made extensive purchases at Belyea's, presented souvenirs to Commander Moore, Mr. Kessen, Mr. Shadbolt, Mr. Blair, Col. McLean, Mr. Barnhill, Mr. Miller and some others. The nature of the gifts and the accompanying remarks provoked some light-minded persons to profane laughter, but the recipients were charmed with the delicate and considerate souvenirs of the esteem in which they were held by their fellow-citizens. For example, Commander Moore received a graceful eulogy and a fine-tooth comb, the purpose of the latter being "to remove his little troubles."

It should be observed that on the voyage up the party were entertained at luncheon, for Commander Moore insisted that Arctic explorers, to be successful, must be well fed. And they were both.

The return to Indiantown was a quick run, and the party were in the street cars bound city-ward shortly after 5 o'clock.

Like Autumn Day.

But it was wonderful. Those who had the pleasure of being Mr. Moore's guests will never forget this voyage of the 24th of January. Except while at lunch they were on deck all the time. After they passed into Grand Bay, and all the way up and down again the sun shone warm, and heavy coats were not really needed. It was like an early autumn day, the only reminders of winter being the leafless trees, a tiny patch of snow here and there on the hills, or a fringe of thin ice somewhere along shore. It was like an autumn yachting cruise. Green Head, Bear's Head, Kennebeccasis Island, Sand Point, Woodman's Point, Craig's Point, with the wreck of the old David Weston still visible—all the points and beaches familiar to the yachtsmen welcomed these winter navigators. But looking in toward Millidgeville, an ice boat could be seen darting up and down at great speed, toward the eastern shore, beyond Indian Island, where the Kennebeccasis ice is still firm. The sky was almost as blue as that of summer and the vagrant wind was without the ordinary chill of winter.

But when the party had returned the sun had set, the wind came out of the north and it was winter's breath that greeted them in the streets of the city.

Before quitting the deck of the Kitchener at Indiantown, the party expressed to Mr. Moore their hearty thanks for the pleasure of the afternoon. He had spared no pains to afford them a good time, and while they can scarcely hope to pierce "farther north" for some winters to come, every sea-dog of them all stands ready at any time to rejoin the colors with Commander Moore of the Lord Kitchener.

This is the latest winter excursion to go up river of which any record is preserved.

Just before the Kitchener reached Indiantown the half-dozen bankers agreed to loan Commander Moore and Mr. Cutler ten millions to establish winter tourist hotels on the St. John river. No rate was mentioned, as the deal was between friends.

A MILLION NEEDLES

COULD NOT INFLICT THE TORTURE WOMEN SUFFER FROM HEADACHES

Headache is not in itself a disease, but a symptom or accompaniment of other diseases, principally those of the stomach, liver and bowels, such as Constipation, Dyspepsia, Liver Trouble, Bad Blood, Female Complaints, General Debility and Weakness. Headache is common to both sexes, but more frequently affects females.

The varieties of headache, most common are sick or bilious headache, nervous headache, headache from constipation, debility or indigestion, periodical and spasmodic headache. Undoubtedly the cause must be removed before permanent relief can be had.

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removes the cause of the headache, and not only does this but it also restores the entire system to healthy action and buoyant vigor.

"I was troubled with headache for a number of years, but could get nothing to help me. I procured a bottle of Burdock Blood Bitters, and finding it was doing me so much good, I got two more. I am now fully cured and think there is nothing in the world like Burdock Blood Bitters for headache."

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NEW GERMANY, ONT.

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SHIPWRECKED CREW LANDED AT HALIFAX

Halifax, N. S., Jan. 25—(Special)—The steamer Manchester Trader, which arrived from Manchester this morning, brought as passengers Captain Connors and the crew of the steamer Searchlight, of St. John's, Newfoundland, which was abandoned at sea in a sinking condition last month, while on her way to Newfoundland from Oporto. The men were rescued and landed at San Jose, Costa Rica, and from thence sent to England.

A cold wave struck Halifax last night with a high north wind and today is one of the coldest of the season.

STRATHCONA REPEATS PROPHECY ABOUT CANADA

In London Interview He Refuses to Discuss Effect on This Country of Change of Government.

Montreal, Jan. 25—(Special)—A London cable says: In an interview here Lord Strathcona declined to discuss the change of government from a political standpoint, but, he added, "I see no possibility of any diminution of the good feeling existing towards the mother country in Canada, only remember Canada claims an intelligent interest in her own affairs, and she is worthy of it. Before this century is past she will have a population greater than the population of the British Isles."

His lordship declared Canada needed men, and he believed there were thousands of Englishmen fit to meet the Canadian demand.

MR. D. RUSSELL'S CASE ADJOURNED

(Montreal Star, Jan. 24).

In answer to the issue of a rule nisi against David Russell in connection with an alleged refusal to show certain options and books of the Abbey Effervescent Company, which he had in his possession and which he had been ordered by the court to display, R. A. E. Greenshields, his attorney, yesterday, came before Judge Pagnuelo and explained that Judge Taschereau had granted an adjournment of the matter to Feb. 8, and had allowed Mr. Russell to delay his submittal of the options and books till that time. This adjournment had by some error not been entered on the records of the court, and this had given rise to the issuance of the rule. Judge Pagnuelo, without going into the case any further, adjourned the whole matter till Feb. 8.

Weddings.

Manning-Downs.

The King's Daughters' Guild on Chipman Hill, was the scene of a very interesting event on Jan. 24th, when George Manning, of this city, was united in marriage to Miss Christina Downs, of Campbellton (N. B.) The ceremony was performed by Rev. P. J. Stackhouse, B. D., at 8 p. m. The bride, who was becomingly attired in a dress of blue venetian cloth, looked very beautiful. Many handsome presents were received. Mr. and Mrs. Manning will reside at 43 Exmouth street.

Wright-French.

Walter Wright was married last Wednesday at the residence of Mrs. John Pike, Broad street, to Miss Minnie French. The attendants were Miss Jessie Wright and John Dobbin. After the ceremony a dainty supper was served and Mr. and Mrs. Wright proceeded by train to their future home in Rothesay.

Blooming Pansies at Clifton.

A box containing two pansies in bloom reached the Times office Thursday with a note from S. Smith Carmichael, of Clifton. Mr. Smith writes under date of Jan. 23:—

"We found these pansies with others in our garden, coming up through the ice. Another party picked a big bunch from his garden yesterday."

Clifton has long been famous for the early and luscious strawberries, and now it holds the pansy record. Truly this has been a wonderful winter.

POLICE MAKE FOUR MORE CAPTURES

Suspects Caught Here for Halifax and Moncton Departments

MAN AND WOMAN FROM HALIFAX

Stopped by Deputy and Detective on Way to Boston—Ed. Durant and Geo. McLeod Wanted in Moncton on Burglary Suspicion.

The St. John police department is proving to the outside world its good organization and efficiency these days. Four more arrests for the police of other towns were made between 6 and 8 o'clock Tuesday evening.

The prisoners are Alfred Pringle and Bessie Lawlor, of Halifax, and George McLeod and Edward Durant of Moncton. The first two are charged with stealing $50 and the charge against McLeod and Durant is that of burgalarizing a Moncton clothing establishment and stealing therefrom a fur coat.

On Monday afternoon Chief Clark received from Chief Tingley, of Moncton, a telegram requesting him to keep a look-out for two young men who had broken into a store and stolen among other articles of wear a valuable fur coat belonging to T. J. Gallagher. Tuesday afternoon Chief Clark received another telegram from Halifax asking him to intercept a young man and woman who had stolen $50. He sent description, names, and outlined the offence.

When the express from Halifax arrived last evening Deputy Chief Jenkins and Detective Killen were at the station. The firt train searched was the one for Boston, and in the second class car Pringle and his companion were arrested, for they answered to the description. He is about twenty years of age, thin, and dark haired. She is younger, wore a light colored cloak and is of fair complexion. The couple had but little to say, but after arrival at the police station, the girl admitted that she had committed the theft, then turned the cash over to Pringle. When searched, $15.86 was found on him, also tickets for Boston.

The deputy and detective then went back in the direction of the station, and passing along Mill street were given reason to believe that the men wanted in Moncton might be in a certain saloon. They investigated, and found Durant and McLeod enjoying refreshments. They raised no objection to being taken into custody, but when the charge was announced he assumed a jovial mien and laughed loudly, if not musically. The fur coat was not to be seen, and as far as personal possessions were concerned, nothing of importance was found.

Durant, who is twenty-nine years of age, will be remembered in this city by the members of G. Co., 1st Canadian Contingent. He was a volunteer, was badly wounded at Paardeberg, and receives a pension.

Halifax, Jan. 23—(Special)—Bessie Lawlor and Arthur Pringle, arrested in St. John on charge of theft, will be brought back by Detective Hanrahan, who left for St. John this evening. Today a man named Brennan called on the chief of police and complained that his trunk at his boarding house in Starr street had been broken into and between $40 and $50 taken. In this house there were quite a number of boarders including a girl named Bessie Lawlor and a man named Arthur Pringle.

Detective Hanrahan discovered that they were missing. They were traced to North street, where it was ascertained they had purchased second-class tickets for Boston. Chief Power then wired Chief Clark, of St. John, to arrest the pair, and this evening received a message from Chief Clark informing him of the arrest, and requesting that an officer be sent with a warrant.

WANT TO REORGANIZE YORK COUNTY LOAN CO.

TORONTO, Jan. 26 (Special)—Shareholders in the York County Loan and Savings Company to the number of about one thousand voted in favor of a re-organization of the concern at a meeting held in Association Hall last night. The scheme, as outlined, favors an application to the legislature for an act to empower the shareholders to take the affairs of the York Loan out of the hands of the liquidators and develop the assets themselves.

The shareholders' decision was the result of a report of a shareholders' committee, presented by A. F. Sunders, who was for some years superintendent of building operations for the York Loan. The report favored stopping the winding up proceedings and in the event of obtaining a two-thirds vote of the shareholders taking steps to reorganize the company with a view to the proper conservation and development of assets. It was proposed to apply to the legislature for power to dispose of the assets in the best interests of the shareholders. This duty is to be performed by a board of managers appointed by the shareholders. Under the plan a small payment was to be levied on shareholders consenting to the reorganization, who would share in all the profits of the company while those dissenting would receive a guarantee and their claims liquidated within a certain special time.

THREE MONTHS FOR MONCTON BURGLAR

MONCTON, N. B., Jan. 25.—(Special).—Edward Durant and "Flea" McLeod, arrested in St. John, were arraigned before Stipendiary Kay here today on a charge of stealing a fur-lined overcoat from E. R. McDonald, of Shediac. Durant was given three months in jail, but McLeod was allowed to go, as there was no evidence to convict him with the theft.

Young Wife—"Oh, mamma, put my curling irons on the fire, quick. Charlie has been bitten by a mad dog." Mother—"Are you going to cauterise the wound?" Young Wife—"No; but I want to curl my hair, so that I can run for the doctor. Do be quick."

WASHOUT ON N. B. SOUTHERN

Sixty Feet of Railroad Bed Carried Away Near Dwyer's.

On account of a serious washout on the New Brunswick Southern railway, about nineteen miles this side of St. Stephen, the train from the border town did not reach the city Thursday, being compelled to return to the border town.

The washout is in the vicinity of Dwyer's, and runs parallel with the Digdeguash river. The track is on ballasting over a piece of marsh land, and for a space of sixty feet and to a depth of five feet the ballasting is washed away, the water from the river being the cause of the trouble.

It is believed that the mild spell has started to ice to run, and that it has become jammed in some places, causing the water to back up and overflow.

The train which left here Thursday morning passed over the spot where the washout later occurred. The train had proceeded some seven miles from St. Stephen on the return trip when section men gave notice of the washout and the return to St. Stephen was made.

LOCALS

A message last night brought word that the dwelling of A. B. Belliveau at College Bridge was completely destroyed by fire Thursday. The barn was saved by great efforts. The dwelling is insured in the Traders for $500. E. L. Jarvis went up on the late train last night to adjust the loss.

Jacob Wise has been sentenced by Judge Hale, in the U. S. district court at Portland to one year and three days in jail for illegal sale of liquor on the boundary line between Maine and New Brunswick. Wise appealed and bail was taken for his appearance at the U. S. Circuit Court of Appeals, Boston.

The following officers of the St. John Council Royal Arcanum were installed Tuesday: G. D. Martin, regent; J. S. Flaglor, V. R.; S. H. Hawker, O.; F. E. Wetmore, P. R.; D. McNally, S.; W. S. Clawson, C.; H. B. White, treas.; R. E. Coupe, chaplain; G. G. Wetmore, G.; W. A. Coleman, S.; J. Henderson, A. D. Barbour, G. A. Kimball, trustees.

It is understood that there is a strong feeling among influential residents in Wellington ward in favor of asking Dr. W. A. Christie to accept a nomination for alderman in place of Ald. A. W. MacRae, who is retiring. Dr. Christie when asked about the matter last evening said a rumor to that effect had reached him, but as yet he had not given the matter consideration.

Some Boston papers express the opinion that the reward for the capture of Minot St. Clair Francis may go to Mr. Robinson, the post office inspector. It is contended here, however, that the St. John police have the strongest claim, as Francis (or Ashton as he gave his name here), and his chum were captured by Sergt. Baxter and Policeman White without any outside help.

At a meeting of the shareholders of the School for the Deaf, Lancaster, held Tuesday afternoon, in the office of A. O. Skinner, the following directors were elected: A. I. Truemean, J. Harvey Brown, O. H. Warwick, James Ready, H. Colby, R. T. Hayes, A. O. Skinner, J. V. Russel and Mrs. Addie M. McLean. The election of officers will take place on Friday next and the annual report will be presented at that meeting.

Councillor Cochrane, of St. Martins, is at the Dufferin. He drove in from St. Martins Thursday and reports the wheeling excellent. Mr. Cochrane said Thursday he visited Black River and found that there is quite a lobster industry being worked up there. John York last week caught 148 pounds of lobster and shipped it to Boston and for this he received about $40, which is a remarkable price.

The negro arrested with Wm. Phelps here by Sergt. Baxter and Policeman W. H. White a few days ago has been positively identified as Minot St. Clair Francis, who escaped from Bridgewater (Mass.) state farm, where he was sent as showing signs of insanity. He was under eighteen to twenty-five years sentence for assaulting a woman. It was thought Phelps was Frank Wiley, who had escaped with Francis, but this has been disproved.

The Master Painters' Association, in their rooms, Sydney street, Tuesday night, elected B. T. Logan, president; J. H. Tonge, 1st vice-president; J. S. Stentiford, 2nd vice-president; John Johnston, treasurer; J. H. Leah, secretary; J. Stentiford C. Till and H. L. McGowan, trustees; J. Boyd, H. L. McGowan, R. S. Craig and J. H. Tonge, arbitrators; H. McGowan, warden. After the election speeches and refreshments were in order.

When the Boston train arrived at noon Wednesday there were a couple of French-Canadians on board. One was violently insane, and the other, his father, was taking him from the Maine woods back to his home in Shediac. Great difficulty had been experienced in restraining the unfortunate young man, and it became necessary to summon Policeman Collins, who securely handcuffed him, for it was the best thing to do under such distressing circumstances.

RONALD LEWIS DROWNED AT POINT WOLFE

Sussex, Jan. 25—C. T. White received a telephone message from Point Wolfe this morning to the effect that one of his employes, Roland Lewis, was drowned here this morning about 11 o'clock. The accident is somewhat of a mystery. Lewis was working about the mill and was heard to cry for assistance. He was not seen again and it is supposed that he was carried over the mill dam and may perhaps be taken out to sea.

As the tide was high this morning, there was no chance to find the body. Lewis was a married man, but had no children. He and his wife kept the mill boarding house. He was about thirty-five years of age.

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EXHIBITION TO OPEN LABOR DAY

Directors Choose Sept. 3 as First Day for Fair of 1906--A. O. Skinner President.

The directors of the St. John Exhibition Association met Thursday afternoon and decided on Labor day, Monday, Sept. 3, as the opening day for the exhibition this year. A. O. Skinner was elected president of the association.

R. B. Emerson occupied the chair, and the following directors were present: R. O'Brien, Col. A. Markham, Col. H. M. Campbell, W. G. Scovil, D. J. McLaughlin, S. S. Hall, W. F. Burdit, J. H. McAvity, A. O. Skinner, I. H. Northrup, E. L. Rising, Ald. T. H. Bullock, and Secretary John F. Gleeson.

The election of officers resulted as follows: President, A. O. Skinner; 1st vice-president, R. O'Brien; 2nd vice-president, Col. A. Markham; executive committee, R. B. Emerson, D. J. McLaughlin, T. H. Estabrooks, C. B. Allan, and J. H. McAvity; treasurer, Alexander Macaulay; secretary, J. F. Gleeson; finance committee, J. H. McAvity (chairman), E. L. Rising, W. G. Scovil, C. B. Allan and Henry Gallagher.

A cordial vote of thanks was tendered to Mr. Emerson, the retiring president, who had been head of the association for the past three years.

It was mentioned that no word had yet been received from the government with regard to the provincial grant, but it is expected that the matter will be dealt with at an early date.

OBITUARY.

Robert Ward.

Red Bank, Chipman, Queens county, Jan. 22—Robert Ward, aged fifty-six years, was taken ill with pneumonia on Wednesday, Jan. 10, and died the following Wednesday, Jan. 17. His death was very unexpected, and was a great shock to his relatives and many friends, who assembled at his funeral to pay their last tribute of respect.

The funeral services were conducted by the Rev. D. McD. Clark, assisted by the Rev. H. A. Brown. He is survived by three brothers—John, who lives on an adjoining farm; William and Thomas, who follow ranching in Vernon (B. C.); also by four sisters—Mary, who resides with John; Mrs. Robert Leckey, of Coal Creek, and Sarah and Elizabeth, inmates of the home from which Robert has been called away.

Mr. Ward was one of the best farmers in the parish. A view of his buildings and farm is convincing proof of the foregoing statement. He was a man of good moral character and strong temperance principles.

James P. Stewart.

The body of James P. Stewart, a native of O'Leary (P. E. I.), who was killed in the lumber woods at Middleham by being struck on the back of the head by a falling tree, was taken through the city yesterday. J. A. Stewart, a brother of deceased, accompanied the body to his former home.

E. J. Thain.

E. J. Thain, who left St. John forty years ago, died suddenly on the 12th inst., at Atlin, from heart trouble. Mr. Thain was mining recorder for the district of Atlin; also registrar of the supreme and county courts.

Miss Mary Barrieau.

Miss Mary Barrieau, who for the last ten years was employed as a domstic in the family of George V. McInerney, K. C., died suddenly Monday evening. She had been complaining for two or three days, but had had no serious illness. It is thought death was the result of heart failure. Miss Barrieau was a native of Kent county and of Acadian extraction. The body was sent to Richibucto.

Richard Craig.

Truro, N. S., Jan. 23—One of Truro's most aged and greatest benefactors, Richard Craig, died today, 5 years old, the result of a fall sustained five weeks ago. He was born at sea on the trip from Ireland to Nova Scotia, and landed first, at Halifax in 1820. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Craig, came with him to Truro, and he has spent his whole life here, growing up with the town, which consisted of a half hundred families in 1820.

James E. Bishop.

The death of James E. Bishop occurred at the Hospital for Nervous Diseases on Sunday last. He was a widower and formerly resided at Centreville, Queens Co.

Mr. Bishop had been an inmate of the hospital for some time, and his death was due to general paresis.

The body, accompanied by deceased's brother was taken to Centreville Tuesday.

Miss Bertha M. Dohaney.

The death of Bertha May Dohaney took place at her home in Chipman on Wednesday, January 17th. She had been in failing health for some months, and death was not unexpected. Besides her parents, four brothers and three sisters are left to mourn. Deceased had taught for a short time in the public schools and was well and favorably known, enjoying the esteem and confidence of a large circle of friends. The funeral was held at 10 o'clock Saturday morning. Rev. E. J. Byrne, of Norton conducted the services, and burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery.

Rev. James P. Sheraton.

Rev. James Paterson Sheraton, principal of Wycliffe College, Toronto, died in that city Wednesday morning, aged sixty-four years. Principal Sheraton was a native of St. John, a son of the late Robert Sheraton, of the firm of Horsfall & Sheraton, dry goods merchants. His mother was a daughter of the late Dr. Paterson, master of the St. John Grammar School. He graduated from the U. N. B. in 1862, taking high honors in natural science and classics. He also won the Douglas gold medal. After holding a number of church appointments, first as deacon and then rector, he became principal of Wycliffe College in 1877. At the same time he was professor of dogmatic theology and of exegisis and literature of the New Testament. He was also a member of the senate of the University of Toronto, and honorary canon of St. Alban's Cathedral. In 1882 he secured the degree of D. D., and in 1896 that of LL. D., at Toronto, which latter honor the University of New Brunswick conferred on him in 1900. The many students who have graduated from Wycliffe will ever bear kindly remembrance of Dr. Sheraton and will regret his death. He was the author of a number of articles and reviews, chiefly theological. His first wife was Miss Jardine, of Kent county, and their only son died three or four years ago. His second wife, who survives, is a daughter of Douglas Dunbar Stewart, barrister, of Newport (N. S.) Sydney Sheraton, of this city, is a brother, and Miss Jessie Sheraton, matron of the Aberdeen Hospital, New Glasgow, is a sister.

Miss Mary E. Haworth.

Miss Mary Ellen Haworth, only daughter of Thomas Aspinwall Haworth, died Wednesday at the residence of her aunt, Mrs. John Horn, aged thirty years. The young lady was widely known, and was popular among her numerous acquaintances. Her father came from Liverpool (Eng.) and is now living at Quispamsis. Besides her father, three young brothers survive.

THOUSANDS PAY LAST HONORS TO PREFONTAINE

MONTREAL, Jan. 25.—(Special).—Under the bright sunlight in the cold, bracing air, the remains of the late Hon. Raymond Prefontaine were laid to rest in Cote Des Neiges Cemetery today.

The public proceedings began about nine o'clock with the firing of a salute of seventeen guns on the Champs de Mars in the rear of City Hall, where the remains of the late minister lay in state. Earlier in the morning the family and immediate relatives had taken a last look at the fact of Mr. Prefontaine before he was consigned to his long sleep.

For some time before the time set for the procession, troops and representatives of the various public bodies gathered in the streets and squares about City Hall, where they formed up and took their places in the cortege as it proceeded from the municipal buildings, via Notre Dame street, Place D'Armes, St. James street, Victoria square, Beaver Hall Hill and Dorchester street to St. James Cathedral. At the head of the cortege paced a detachment of police, behind which marched detachments from the city regiments.

The hearse, guarded by marines from the Canadian government cruiser, followed, and then a long line of representatives from various public bodies, which took about three-quarters of an hour to pass a given point, while the streets were lined with thousands upon thousands of citizens. The long line of representatives following in the rear of the funeral carriage was a speaking testimony of the wide popularity of the late minister. Besides ministers of the crown and representatives of the provincial government and legislature and city officials, a large number of rural municipalities from Chambly, Terrebonne and other counties, sent delegates, while the board of trade, Canadian Manufacturers' Association and political and national societies of Montreal were largely represented.

At St. James Cathedral, which was decorated with hanging draperies of mourning for the occasion, a large concourse had gathered before the body was brought within the sacred edifice. Here, Archbishop Bruchesi and Bishop Bernard of St. Hyacinthe officiated, assisted by a number of other ecclesiastics, Bishop Bernard receiving the body and the archbishop bestowing upon it the last blessing of the church.

From the cathedral the cortege resumed its way to Cote des Neiges, where the body was placed in a vault with solemn service.

LONDON, Jan. 25—A requiem mass was celebrated in the Westminster Roman Catholic cathedral today in memory of Hon. Raymond Prefontaine, the late Canadian minister of marine and fisheries. The admiralty, war office and colonial office were all represented at the service. Lord Tweedmouth, first lord of the admiralty, personally representing the navy. Lord Strathcona and Mount Royal, the Canadian High Commissioner, and many other Canadians were present.

The New Brunswick government, which was represented at the funeral by Attorney-General Pugsley, sent a beautiful floral wreath.

In a letter from Macdon & Marion patent attorneys, Montreal, to E. Ross, it is stated that the apparatus devised by Mr. Ross to utilize the water power at Carleton exactly fits conditions where it is intended it shall be used—it is "very simple, compact and efficient."

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BURNS' CONCERT AT FREDERICTON

St. John Men Take Part--Fined for Trying to Stop Dog Fight--Three Scott Act Convictions.

Fredericton, Jan. 25—(Special)—The Burns concert at the Opera House this evening under the auspices of St. Andrew's Society, attracted a large audience, and was a grand success. An excellent programme included solos by Messrs. Sutherland and Kelly, of St. John.

In the police court today three first offence Scott act cases were acknowledged, and fines of $50 and costs imposed in each case. The case against a resident of King street, charged with ill-treating his dog, also came up for trial. Information had been laid by the secretary of the S. P. C. A., but it developed that although the defendant had hit his dog, he did it in an effort to stop it fighting. A fine of $5 was imposed, and allowed to stand.

The annual general meeting of the New Brunswick Barristers' Society will be held Wednesday evening next in this city.

C. P. R. RAISES A NOVEL POINT OVER SUBSIDY

Say Cost of Equipment Should Be Added to That of Line in Determining the Amount—Matter Referred to Court.

Ottawa, Jan. 25—(Special)—The Canadian Pacific railway has raised a point respecting the manner of computing railway subsidies. They maintain that the change in the wording of the statute of 1901 makes it necessary to add the cost of equipment to the cost of the line building to determine the subsidy earned.

The point is raised in a claim for the subsidy earned by the construction of a branch from the main line near Moosimi to Pleasant Hills, 136 miles. Mr. Schreiber reported that, omitting the cost of rolling stock, the company had earned a subsidy of $3,200 a mile, or a total of $435,300. The company say cost of $528,176 for rolling stock should be added to the cost and for this they should be paid $264,088 additional subsidy. They asked the minister of railways to refer the point to the exchequer court, and this has been done.

LANDSLIDE FORCED TRAIN INTO RIVER; ONE MAN DROWNED

Spokane, Wash., Jan. 25—Burlington passenger train No. 6, east bound, struck a landslide on the Great Northern railroad near Rock Island (Wash.), today. The engine was thrown into an almost perpendicular position, while the tender and baggage cars were thrown into the Columbia river.

Martin Murray, the baggageman, was drowned. A number of workmen were slightly injured, but none of the passengers were seriously hurt.

Americans Underselling Canadians.

OTTAWA, Ont., Jan 25 (Special)—In a report to the Trade and Commerce department, J. S. Larke, Canadian agent in Australia says that the United States nail makers, in order to keep out Canadian nails, have given a cut price to meet the tariff preference. They quote a reduction of 12 to 20 cents a hundred weight on nail prices. As Canada has to pay a higher freight rate from Montreal and New York than the American, says Mr. Larke, this is likely to stop a trade that had some promise in it.

Judgment was given in the exchequer court today in the case of Price v the King, confirming a referee's judgment for $55,856 for destruction of timber in Nicolet and Arthabasca Counties through fire started by the Intercolonial.

New York Dinner Tendered Earl Grey.

NEW YORK, Jan. 25—At a meeting of the Pilgrims, held yesterday, an invitation was sent to Earl Grey, the governor-general of Canada, for a dinner in his honor, the date for which he is asked to fix. It is believed that Field-Marshall Earl Roberts, president of the Pilgrims in London will visit America some time this year when he will be entertained by the local society. Bishop Potter when he returns to London on his way home, will be guest at the dinner of the Londoner Pilgrims.