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LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS.

The coal famine in Montreal has been considerably relieved by the arrival of coal-laden vessels from Wales, Scotland and Nova Scotia.

The new \$6,000 skating rink in course of erection at Fredericton N. B. collapsed last Thursday and is a total wreck. The loss will fall on the contractor.

Alex Morrison of Glouce Bay and Anderson of Sydney were both killed at North Sydney on Thursday last by a fall of coal. Both were single men.

Thomas Brown a farmer of Folly Village N. S. found his wife lying dead in the hall with a bad wound on her head, on Thursday last. It is believed that she fell down stairs.

Twelve hundred press feeders in New York have gone on strike for an increase of two dollars a week and if it is not granted the strike may delay the publication of a number of magazines and periodicals.

While crazed from overwork on a new invention Chas. Cawley aged seventeen of Homestead N. S. killed his mother and sister and fatally injured four other children with an axe.

At a colored dance at North Sydney the other night James Brooks from Georgia and G. S. Scott from Alabama fought and both drew their revolvers, Scott died from his wounds and Brooks was injured but not seriously.

The coal merchants of Ottawa are objecting to government's decision to carry coal free on the Intercolonial to citizens who are making purchases and will meet the government to protest that it interferes with their business.

The Montreal Civic Relief Committee have decided on the purchase of fifteen thousand cords of wood to sell to the poor of the city at cost, and free distribution to the destitute is to be general.

BRADSKY an aeronaut and his companion were killed at Paris on the 13th, by falling from a balloon. The ropes holding the car broke away and it was precipitated to the earth.

Mayor Howland of Toronto, was asked to the Mayor of Cardiff, Wales, asking that the mine operators will give Canada the preference in meeting any emergency arising from the American strike which is now in progress.

The announcement was made by Mayor Cochrane of Montreal, a few days ago that a prominent citizen had offered a hundred thousand dollars to purchase fuel for the poor. Other citizens have offered three hundred dollars to guard against any illegal action in supplying the poor inhabitants with fuel. It turns out that the generous benefactor is Senator Forget.

A horse owned by Mr. Frederick Stewart, of Southport, was tied to a post near Jenkins & Son's corner when Campbell's Comedian band started their march on Monday. The animal took fright, broke his tying and ran away making a bad smash of the vehicle to which he was hitched. The animal also received some injuries.

In the St. John carnival the regatta on the 12th was a grand success. W. Coates, of Halifax, won the King's regatta defeating W. Duggan, another Halifax man and James Ross, of St. John. The Belyea crew of St. John won the professional four oared race easily defeating two crack crews. St. John also won the amateur fours and doubles from the Halifax rowers. The St. John people feel jubilant over the defeat of the representatives of their rival city.

At Clifton 12 o'clock Wednesday one of the heaviest thunder and lightning storms in the history of the Island passed over that section of the country. The lightning struck the barns of Wm. Montgomery, Long River, and burnt them to the ground, with his whole crop, some implements, together with two stacks of hay that were near by. Mr. Montgomery's loss is about \$1,500. The lightning also struck the child of John McTee, Long River, while lying in the cradle. The child was insensible for a long time but finally recovered consciousness and is doing well. A woman named Mrs. Coles was knocked down by the shock at French River, but was not injured, a number of fences and trees were also destroyed in that section of the country. Guard.

St. John Sun.—In the home of Frank Higgins there is pitiable grief. From morning till night, from night till morning, without ceasing, without relief of any kind, or even any brief periods of forgetfulness, the father broods over the disgrace which has fallen upon him and his son. Since the day on which Frank was arrested the father has only once been out of the house. He attended for a few minutes one session of the preliminary examination. He has not gone out to work; he has scarcely spoken to anyone outside his own family; he cannot sleep and eats only enough to keep him alive. The thoughts of his boy occupying a murderer's cell has so preyed upon his mind that at times he shows symptoms of melancholy. But he is not demented—he is heart-broken. The mother, who holds to a firm belief in her son's innocence, struggles to keep the family from poverty. But the little grocery store which she tended is losing its trade and so small difficulty has been experienced in getting along.

BESIDES sinking the British steamer Robert Legall Wednesday off Beach Head with the loss of two lives, the North German Lloyd steamer Kron Prinz Wilhelm narrowly missed sending the British torpedo boat destroyer Wizard to the bottom. Says a London despatch of the 10. It is the Wizard has been docked with her bows twisted and other injuries. On Wednesday the Wizard was steaming in Southampton water at a speed of twelve knots when she was overhauled by the Kron Prinz Wilhelm, which was going at an estimated speed of sixteen knots. The Wizard did her best to avoid the larger ship but found herself under the Kron Prinz Wilhelm's quarter and collided with her. In attempting to clear the steamer the Wizard listed and much water poured through her ports. Her officers and crew numbering between 50 and 60 men were for a minute or two in the gravest peril but she righted and cleared the Kron Prinz Wilhelm. It was then found that her bows were badly twisted and buckled and that she had sustained other injuries which necessitated going immediately in dock.

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To-morrow will be Thanksgiving Day.

Very Rev. Mr. Connolly, V. G., St. John, died this morning, aged 80.

The market was slenderly attended yesterday. Prices were unchanged from last week.

Mrs. James McEwen and Mrs. McCarroll fell out of an upset wagon at North Tryon on Sunday last, and Mrs. McEwen's back was broken, causing almost immediate death. She was seventy years of age.

LIGHTNING tore through the roof of a negro church at Beaumont, Texas, yesterday, while a funeral was in progress and killed one man and injured five others. The crowd deserted the corpse, leaving it to the fury of the elements.

The Montreal Star's London cable says that one dealer quotes Welsh anthracite at 28 to 30 shillings (about \$7.25) a ton f. o. b. at Swansea, but the market is so unsettled that dealers say the holders can get almost any price they like. Coal is being stored at Swansea until the end of the year.

The rioting which has followed the closing of the Socialist club in the Spanish lines at Gibraltar resulted in twenty men killed and many more wounded. The documents seized show that the place was the centre of the anarchist group that were in communication with the anarchists throughout Europe.

Mr. L. R. McMillan, Secretary of the Public Works Department, and Miss May Carroll, of this city, were married in St. Dunstan's Cathedral yesterday morning. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. Morrison. They have gone on a wedding tour to Boston and New York. Congratulations.

St. John Bourinot, Clerk of the Dominion House of Commons died at his home Ottawa, on Monday evening last, after an illness of one month's duration. He was an eminent scholar and writer. His works on Canadian constitutional history and parliamentary procedure are the greatest standard authorities extant.

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General News.

In a public speech at Whitehaven on Thursday night last Mr. Broderick, Secretary for War, reiterated Colonial Secretary Chamberlain's declaration at Birmingham last night that the Government's education bill would not be withdrawn and that the rejection of this bill would mean the rejection of the Government. Concerning criticisms of the army, Mr. Broderick said the War Office was putting it into such condition that, although there might be a change of Government, it would be found impossible to change the system now being adopted.

At a meeting of the Federal Cabinet at Ottawa on Friday last an order-in-council was passed granting a rebate of the freight charges on coal over the Intercolonial Railway to all Canadian municipalities that are making efforts to guard against a coal famine. Mr. Blair was communicated with by telegraph. The freight charges on coal on the Intercolonial are three tenths of a cent per mile. The municipalities will, therefore, have this amount refunded to them by the way of a rebate. The question of dealing with the duty on soft coal from the United States was not touched and will not be taken up until Sir Wilfrid and Mr. Fielding return.

John Fitzgerald, a native of Newfoundland, was missed by his fellow employees at the Steel Company's pier Sydney at lunch Saturday and a search was immediately begun which has been stopped and resulted in the finding of his cap on one of the stringers of the pier. After dragging the bottom for some time near where the cap was found the missing man's body was recovered, and an examination revealed a bad gash on the back of the head, which leads to the belief that the unfortunate man while getting on a car missed his footing and fell overboard striking his head against the side of the steamer or one of the stringers of the pier. Fifty-five dollars was found fastened on a string around the neck of the dead man's body, which was taken away by a friend of his.

HALIFAX, Oct. 13th. Word was received in the city yesterday from Glen Margaret of the loss in the woods near that place five days ago of a fifteen year old boy. Herbert and Warren Sadler twin sons of Geo. Sadler, of Glen Margaret, left home on Tuesday last to look after their rabbit snare. After proceeding some distance Herbert insisted that his brother was taking the wrong path and branched off in another direction, and that was the last seen of him. Warren returned home in the evening, and Herbert not turning up next morning searching parties were organized and have been scouring the woods ever since without finding any trace of the missing youth. His parents are distracted, and it is feared by some that he was attacked by some wild animal, such as a bear or wild cat and killed.

New York advices of the 10th say: After two days of Conference between the anthracite coal mine operators on one side, and the Governor and Senator of New York and the two Senators from Pennsylvania on the other side of the strike of the United Mine Workers of America is apparently as far from a settlement as the day it was declared. Governor Odell said before the operators today the proposition that if they would concede to the miners an advance of five cents a ton in price paid for mining coal, he would promise that the miners would resume work. Being further that the concession would carry with it recognition of the Miners' Union, the operators promptly refused to entertain the proposal and took their leave. Later in the day they and the Pennsylvania Senators departed from the city, the latter going to Harrisburg.

The Evening Herald of St. John, Nfld., furnishes the following item. It is to be noted that the Dr. Campbell mentioned therein belongs to Souris West. "At Boonville Bay, on the West Coast, a very serious operation was performed on Isaac Hans, of Trout River, for subphrenic abscess, secondary to typhoid fever. The patient is now on the high road to recovery, has rapidly regained strength and will be able to sit up in a few days, the operation was performed on the 17th of August. Dr. Campbell has won his spurs by this operation. McGill University should feel proud of this 1902 graduate, who came through with honors, taking place therein. The people of Boonville Bay are to be congratulated on securing the services of Dr. Campbell, who has a bright future before him and has proved himself so practically a surgeon of no mean order."

Among the arrivals on the steamer Bruce at Sydney on the 12th was P. S. Archibald of Moncton, chairman of the arbitration of the Newfound-land Government. The Reid's claim \$2,400,000 and the arbitrators awarded them \$994,000. The claims were for extra work on the Newfoundland railway. Speaking to the Chronicle's correspondent Mr. Archibald stated that now that the matter had been definitely settled number of Reid projects would in all likelihood be carried out. The large hotel undertaken by them at St. John's when the dispute with the government arose would be pushed to completion and a large pulp mill in the interior, plans for which had already been made, would also be hurried to completion. In the award the arbitrators stipulated that a number of bridges, etc. were to be built by the Reid's and Mr. Archibald says that this work will employ a very large number of hands for the next year or so. Referring to the prospects of the confederation of Newfoundland with Canada Mr. Archibald stated that the country people were opposed to it and the mounted police of the island employed large protected interests which they feared would be jeopardized and

he did not look for confederation yet for a time. "But," added Mr. Archibald, "it will come in time."

Mr. C. E. Munroe, representing the Munroe Thompson Education Co., of Boston, and Mr. George M. Carpenter lecturer on combustion in the Scranton (Pennsylvania) Technical School in company with W. Cameron, Deputy Inspector of Mines of Springfield, came to Truro last Thursday by the late train after having made an inspection of the so-called Bass River coal deposit. The proposition under examination comprises five square miles upon which rights of search and claims were filed at the Mines Office some time ago by Messrs. Jenks, Martin and Reaie. Mr. Munroe has taken up rights of search on fifteen square miles surrounding the above mentioned property. The out crop examined yesterday by Mr. Carpenter lies about two and one half miles north of the Bass River furniture factory on the river bank. All about the neighborhood coal has been found in the pockets and as far back as thirty years ago coal was mined at intervals by residents of the district. Mr. Carpenter says that his examination developed very satisfactory conditions. The coal lies in a thick seam, its quality resembling in outward appearance and density the bituminous coals in certain parts of Pennsylvania coal region. A test made showed over 68 per cent. of fixed carbon which is equal to the coal used in the manufacture of gas and coke by the Everetts works.

The much discussed conference of the Liberal Unionists, which was called by Colonial Secretary Chamberlain, to formulate the attitude of the Birmingham Liberal-Unionists toward the education bill, was held at Birmingham on Wednesday evening last. Mr. Chamberlain presided at the meeting and enunciated his views in a lengthy address. He acknowledged that the bill was not perfect, but said the Liberal-Unionists must not split on that point. He said he had always been in favor of the government providing only secular education, but rightly or wrongly, the majority of the country required that religious instruction of some kind be given it. If the country could not get what it wanted from a Unionist government it would not get it from the Radical government which would follow the government it might smash. Mr. Chamberlain advised the Liberal-Unionists to agree to differ on the complicated points, but to do nothing to assist the intrigues of those who would hand over Ireland to the home rulers, who would transfer South African problems to the discretion of pro-Boers and who would leave imperial interests in the hands of "Little Englanders," and domestic reforms to the framers of the Newcastle programme. He said he could promise that the bill would not be withdrawn. He said the government could not withdraw it without a tremendous loss of prestige. In conclusion he announced that if the government was defeated on this bill it would resign. The general tone of the meeting was entirely loyal and the suggestion that the education bill might lead to the disruption of the Liberal-Union party was received with almost unanimous disfavor. A prominent delegate, upon leaving the conference, said Mr. Chamberlain had completely dominated the meeting, that several speakers had said they would rather swallow the bill whole than embarrass the government, and that, in short, by the threat that the government would resign in case the bill were defeated, Mr. Chamberlain appeared to have played a trump card and to have stopped effectually any incipient revolt.

DIED

At her home in Charlottetown, at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon, October 12th, Aggie, beloved wife of T. A. McLean. The funeral took place yesterday afternoon to the railway station, thence by train to Sherwood. Mr. McLean and his family have the sympathy of the community in their sorrow bereavement.

At Souris on the 7th, Alex. Paquet, Blacksmith, an old and respected resident of the town. He had been in poor health for some time and his death was not unexpected. He bore his illness with Christian patience and resignation. He devoutly received the Sacraments for the dying and departed this life fortified by all the rites of our holy religion. His funeral took place on Tuesday and was largely attended. A High Mass of Requiem was celebrated by the pastor, Rev. R. B. McDonald after which the interment took place at St. Mary's cemetery. He was 66 years of age. R. I. P.

On the 10th at Irishtown, James Ready aged 84 years. He was born in Irishtown, was married there and settled down and was an inhabitant of the place for a longer period than any man, living or dead. He married Catherine, daughter of Hope River and had a family of thirteen, eleven of whom are still alive, seven are in the United States two in Sydney and two on the homestead. He was one of the oldest, if not the oldest, resident in this part of the province. His funeral took place at St. Mary's church, Indian River, on Saturday and was very largely attended. R. I. P.

In this city, Oct. 14th, 1902, Patrick Farmer, aged 72 years. Requiescat in pace.

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