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ST. JOHN, N. B. FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 1908.



THE WEATHER. Moderate variable winds, cloudy and cool. Saturday, moderate northerly winds, fair.

EIGHT PAGES—ONE CENT.

FOOT AND MOUTH DISEASE MAY AFFECT SHIPMENTS OF CATTLE THROUGH ST. JOHN

It may be that the outbreak of foot and mouth disease among the cattle of Pennsylvania and which has resulted in a suspension of shipments of cattle coming to this port... It is possible that the C. P. R. may be able to prevent a further outbreak of this disease as they were a few years ago...

Philadelphia, Nov. 20.—All the resources of the state of Pennsylvania will be drawn upon if necessary to stamp out the foot and mouth disease among the cattle of that state... The chief executive officer of the state is Dr. Charles M. Fisher, who is believed to prevent a spread of the disease... Buffalo, N. Y., Nov. 20.—Buffalo commission on the quarantine of infected cattle...

WEST SIDE FACILITIES ARE NOW IN GOOD SHAPE

New Wharf and Warehouse Has Been Formally Taken Over by the City. Chairman McGoldrick of the board of works, and Director Peters this morning made an inspection of the new No. 6 wharf and warehouse on the west side and formally took the work off the hands of the contractor, Clark & Adams...

OTAWA NEWS

Ottawa, Ont., Nov. 20. (Special)—Sir Wilfrid Laurier, today received numerous congratulatory telegrams upon the 67th anniversary of his birth... Hon. W. S. Fielding is leaving tonight for London, Sir Frederick and Lady Boden are also going to Europe...

LUNCHEON TO CITY CLERGY IN Y. M. C. A. BUILDING TODAY

This was the Principal Function in Connection With Today's Ceremonies at the New Building. Today's programme in connection with the opening ceremonies of the new Y. M. C. A. building consists of a luncheon to the pastors of the churches in St. John...

ARRIVAL THIS MORNING OF THE EMPRESS OF BRITAIN OPENS THE WINTER SEASON

Big C. P. R. Liner Docked About 7 a.m. She had a Rough, but Otherwise Uneventful Voyage Across the Atlantic—Some Interesting Passengers—A Chat With George M. Bosworth of the C. P. R.

Three sharp, bark from the steam wharf followed by a big, deep lugger from the wharf of the liner, the Empress of Britain, which arrived at noon on the return trip... Another interesting passenger, who, however, could speak very little English, was Mr. Vladimir Kanaritz, a Russian journalist, who will go to inquire into the Doukhobor settlements and also the Russian colony at Yorkton...

THE COUNTRY MARKET

The prices in the Country Market for Saturday's week-end exhibit little tendency to increase and the prices are likely to continue without much advancement for some weeks yet in most lines... Beef cuts are 12 to 16c; lamb 10 to 14c...

RAILWAY MEN TO MEET

There will be a special meeting of the Canadian Brotherhood of Railway Employees, No. 4, in Forester's hall, Chalmers street, tonight... President W. Howard will be in the chair, and an address will be delivered by Grand President H. Mosher...

INTERESTING PASSENGERS

As is usual with the ocean liners at this port there were a number of interesting passengers on the Empress. First and foremost was Mr. G. M. Bosworth, fourth vice-president of the Canadian Brotherhood of Railway Employees... Major Richard Adby, Miss Adby, Miss Aldous, Mrs. H. Allan, Rev. W. Baugh...

ONE MAN GAVE HIS LIFE IN AN EFFORT TO SAVE A WOMAN FROM DEATH

Workmen Buried Under Many Tons of Debris and Either Suffocated or Slowly Roasted to Death—Escaping Gas Exploded in Trench Where Workmen Were Laying Sewer.

New York, Nov. 20.—Twelve men are reported killed by the explosion of a gas main in an excavation at Gold and Front streets, Brooklyn, today... The explosion tore the street to pieces for rods on either side and the twelve men who were working in an excavation for laying sewer pipe were buried by the debris which fell in upon them...

AND THEN HE WENT

Yee Long was Correct in His Surmise That He Was About Due to Go to His Fathers. Denver, Nov. 20.—Chinatown here is in the throes of its first high-binder here brought on by a fight between owners of gambling houses for the exclusive right to operate fan tables and lotteries...

PROBATE COURT

The passing of the accounts in the estate of Dr. Mason E. Sheffield, which has been before the court for the past three days, was concluded this morning... The claim of Mrs. Sheffield for monies advanced to her husband was withdrawn...

RECOUNT IN QU'APPEL

Regina, Sask., Nov. 20.—(Special)—Recount has been ordered in Qu'Appelle where Mr. Lake, at the recent Dominion elections, defeated Mr. Brown, Liberal, by a narrow margin... The regular semi-monthly payroll for civic employees was disbursed by City Cashier D. R. Willett today...

FREDERICK GALLANTLY DEFENDED FROM INVASION

An Attempt to Sack New Brunswick's Capital This Morning was "Repulsed With Great Loss of Life." Fredericton, N. B., Nov. 20. (Special)—A boy named John Dabey aged eighteen was arrested last night charged with burglarizing B. J. Griffiths store and stealing a quantity of goods... The city was attacked this morning from College Hill by a force of men under Lieutenant Dabey...

THE EMPRESS OF BRITAIN, PIONEER OF WINTER PORT SEASON OF 1908-09.

great deal having campaign to extend from coast to coast... The first meetings will be held in Toronto, and afterwards in all the principal cities... Another interesting passenger, who, however, could speak very little English, was Mr. Vladimir Kanaritz, a Russian journalist...

OTHER NOTES OF THE WINTER PORT TRADE

Manifest for 27 cars of United States wheat was received today at the custom house for shipment to Liverpool... The next steamer to arrive will be the Allan Line, Tunisian. She is expected to arrive tomorrow...

AN INTERVIEW WITH MR. GEO. M. BOSWORTH

Mr. Geo. M. Bosworth, who was in the private car of the Empress this morning said he was very much pleased with the prospect for big business this winter... He said that the Empress will probably be heavier than ever...

SECOND CABIN

Major Richard Adby, Miss Adby, Miss Aldous, Mrs. H. Allan, Rev. W. Baugh, Allen, E. B. Barber, G. H. Barber, J. Baugh, Allen, E. B. Barber, G. H. Barber, J. Baugh, Allen, E. B. Barber, G. H. Barber, J. Baugh...

CIVIC PAY DAY

The regular semi-monthly payroll for civic employees was disbursed by City Cashier D. R. Willett today... Police \$2,200.00, Market \$1,200.00, Public works \$1,100.00, Fire and S. Corps \$733.33, Official \$1,984.14, Total \$8,381.76