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News Summary

Baron Von Hugel, a prominent citizen of Montreal, is dead.

M. Jean Lamoureux, the celebrated musical conductor, died at Paris on Thursday after a two days' illness.

It is said that several of the Acadia and Dalhousie students are desirous of enlisting for the war in South Africa.

General Methuen's force is reported to have been amply provisioned for several weeks before the last battle was fought.

There are rumors that the Duke of Connaught will succeed General Lord Roberts as Commander-in-Chief of the Irish forces.

A Winnipeg despatch states that Premier Greenway will remain in office till the end of the year, when Mr. Hugh John Macdonald will be called on to form his Government.

Mr. Howard Douglas, Superintendent of the Banff National Park, who is now in Ottawa, reports that the buffalo and other live stock in the park are thriving and increasing in numbers.

Upwards of forty school children were drowned Friday afternoon in an ice accident at Frelighem, Belgium, near the French frontier. The children were skating on the River Lys.

Maitre Labori, the famous French counsel for Dreyfus, has accepted an offer of \$35,000 to give a number of lectures in America, and he, with his wife, will visit relatives in Nova Scotia.

The body of a woman who had been dead perhaps three months, was found yesterday near Hubley's on Margaret's Bay Road, Halifax. No trace of name is found. She died from exposure.

The Dominion government has been advised by the Imperial authorities that all graduates of the Royal Military College, Kingston, who are recommended by the Minister of Militia, will receive commissions in the British army.

Corporal Skirving of the Northwest Mounted Police and two comrades, who were sent out from Dawson in August to search for ill-fated parties on the Edmon-

ton trail, have not been heard of since, and fears are entertained for their safety.

Mr. M. Kenny, barrister, of Lindsay, has been in Ottawa to interview Hon. David Mills in the interests of Moses Mitchell, now serving a six months' sentence in Lindsay jail on a conviction for assault. Mitchell shot a blank cartridge at a trespasser on his farm.

The total loss in the battle of Tugela River was 1,203, killed, wounded and missing, General Buller having sent a supplementary statement of 51 killed and 55 additional wounded. His losses are therefore as follows: Killed, 123; wounded, 722; missing, 349. Total, 1,203.

Cap. A. M. Melville, of Toronto, has received a note from Admiral Lord Charles Beresford, in the course of which he says: "I am delighted with the way in which Canada has responded to the call to arms, and we all appreciate it very much. It is a splendid answer to those who say that the days of Great Britain as a military power are numbered. The critics have left Canada and the other colonies out of their reckoning."

Lieut.-Col. H. H. MacLean of the 62nd Fusiliers, has received a cablegram from his son, Lieut. Weldon MacLean, dated Belmont, Dec. 19, and containing only the words, "All right." Read by a code arranged between father and son before the departure of the regiment for South Africa, this means the Canadian Regiment have had a brush with the enemy, but none of the New Brunswick and Island Company have been killed or wounded.

A terrible disaster took place Friday afternoon at Amalfi, on the Gulf of Salerno. About two o'clock an enormous rock, upon which stood the Cappuccini Hotel, slid bodily into the sea, carrying with it the hotel, the old Cappuchin monastery below, the Hotel Santa Caterina and several villas. Many people were buried in the debris, which crushed four vessels to the bottom of the sea, destroying their crews. The mass of earth which slipped was about 50,000 cubic yards.

A special from Savannah says: "Bishop Henry W. Turner, of Georgia, was refused a berth on a sleeping car by the officers of the Central R. R. recently. The Bishop, who is ill, having been paralyzed a few days ago, desired to return to Atlanta. He asked to secure a berth in a sleeper, but was told that berths were not sold to colored persons. The sleepers are owned by the Central R. R. and the road has an arbitrary rule that no colored persons shall ride in the sleeping cars between Atlanta and Savannah on any branch line of the company."

Denominational Funds, N. S. from Nov. 25 to Dec. 20.

Port Hawkesbury church, \$9.07; Southampton, \$3; Avonport B.Y.P.U., \$2.50; Liverpool church, \$2.75; Brookfield, Col. Co., \$3; do church and Sunday School special, \$4.51; John Ehelar 3rd Queensport, Guysboro, \$3.50; "Friend," Wolfville, \$2; Aylesford church, \$25.91; Truro, Prince St church, \$19.39; do special, \$6; Lower Economy, \$5; Canso, special, \$33; Wallace River, \$4; Wallace Bridge, Sunday School, \$1; Wolfville church, \$4.93; Amherst, 71.73; Annapolis church, \$10; Little Grace Bay, per District Meeting, \$9.66; Brazil Lake Sunday School, \$11; Brooklyn church, \$1.28; Wolfville, \$23; Liverpool, \$7.70; do Sunday School, \$2.88; Tanook church, \$4.50; Clements, \$9; Nictaux, \$18.40; Torbrook, \$9.45; Robt Frizzle, Mabou, \$20; Port Medway church, \$8; Immanuel church, Truro, \$12.93; do special \$21.—\$370.09. Before reported, \$1662.28. Total to date \$2032.37.

A. COHON, Treas. D. F., N. S.

December, 20th.

Notices.

The Upper Queensbury group of churches is now without a pastor, the Rev. A. A. Rutledge having resigned his pastorate and gone for the purpose of taking a Collegiate course. We deeply regret his departure from us. God has richly blessed his labors on the field. While here many souls were added to the churches and are now in good working order. A parsonage was built in Temperance Vale during the summer. We pray God to direct some faithful minister to come and visit us with a view to settlement. In behalf of the churches,
DAVID C. PARENT, Church Clerk.

Up. Queensbury, York Co., N. B. Dec. 18.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned can supply, postage paid, copies of the Report of the Canadian Baptist Missions for the year 1890 at ten cents each, which may be remitted in stamps. This pamphlet usually contains about seventy pages and gives a brief history of the work of the year as carried on in each of the fifteen

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Equity Sale.

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"All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the Parish of Simonds, in the City and County of St. John, and bounded and described as follows: Beginning on the western side of the road leading from the City of St. John to Little River, so called, at a point distant from the lands owned by the Commissioners of the Poor for the City and County of St. John, eight hundred and one (801) feet; thence along the said road southerly two hundred and twelve feet to the line of land owned by the heirs of the late John Cotter (Garrett); thence south seventy-three degrees west by cotter's line five hundred (500) feet to high water mark; thence along the back or shore of Courtney Bay to land owned by one Peter Dean, junior, one hundred and ten (110) feet, more or less; thence north sixty-one degrees fifty minutes east five hundred and twenty (520) feet to the place of beginning, containing by estimation one and one-half acres, more or less, being the same lot of land and premises heretofore sold and conveyed by one Patrick Gallagher and Catherine, his wife, to the said Lawrence McGrath by deed dated the third day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, together with all and singular the buildings, fences and improvements thereon, and the rights and appurtenances to the said lands and premises belonging or appertaining, and the reversion and reversions, remainder and remainders, rents, issues and profits thereof, and all the estate, title, dower, right of dower, property, claim and demand whatever, both at Law and in Equity, of them, the said Defendants, or any or either of them, of, in, to and out of the said lands and premises and every part thereof."

For terms of sale apply to the Plaintiff's Solicitor.
Dated this Twenty-ninth day of November, A. D. 1890.

HUGH H. McLEAN, Referee.

AMON A. WILSON, Plaintiff's Solicitor.

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Premier Haultain, of the Northwest Territories, says: "One thousand of the finest rough riders in the world, trained warriors, can be raised in the Territories in 24 hours, notice, horses and all."

fields of the Canadian Baptists, followed by a summary of the Minutes of the Union conference to be held early in the New Year, to which valuable statistical tables are appended. Those wishing one or more copies will please make it known promptly as the list must be sent to India not later than January 8th.

I. C. ARCHIBALD, 15 Coburg Road, Halifax, Dec. 19th.
The Baptist Sunday School Convention for the Parishes of Kars, Springfield and Studholm will hold its next session in the Baptist church at Hatfield Point, Springfield, Kings Co., on Thursday, Dec. 28th. The first session to be held at 2.30 p. m. We hope to have a large attendance of delegates from the Sabbath Schools and would request that written reports of Schools be presented.

W. A. TOOLE, Sec'y. Treas.
Having given up the Buctouche field, I am now open to an engagement as pastor. Any church wishing a supply may secure my services by addressing me at Dorchester, N. B.
R. BARRY SMITH, Dorchester, Dec. 1st.

The next District Meeting for Lunenburg County will convene with the Lunenburg church, January 8th and 9th. Let all the churches and W. M. A. Societies send their delegates and reports. Written reports from churches desired. Mrs. Archibald, returned missionary, will speak on Tuesday evening. A good programme for all the meetings being prepared.

E. P. CHURCHILL, Sec'y.
The Rev. A. C. Chute still has on hand some copies of Dr. Cramp's life, by Dr. T. A. Higgins, his son-in-law. What better present can friends make friends than this life of Dr. Cramp, a \$1.50 book which Mr. Chute will send to any one for sixty cents. Address Rev. A. C. Chute, M. A., B. D., Halifax, N. S.

The Executive Committee of the Maritime B. Y. P. U. will hold its regular mid-year meeting at the office of the MESSENGER AND VISITOR, St. John, January 3rd, 1900.
W. C. CROSS, Sec'y.