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LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS.

GEORGE Casey, formerly Liberal member for West Elgin, but defeated has been appointed to a position in the Parliamentary Library, Ottawa.

The Convent of the Sacred Heart, at Metaghban, N. B. was destroyed by fire last Monday night. Only a small portion of the furniture was saved.

The Schooner Wellman Hall, was burned to the water's edge at Hantsport, N. S., the other day. The crew barely escaped with their lives.

Prices of produce in the market yesterday were little changed from what they were last week, as will be seen by reference to our Market "Prices."

YOKOHAMA advices of Oct. 30th, say that forty-five persons were drowned as the result of the sinking of the steamer Takai Maru which collided with a Russian steamer.

MCCORMICK, the newly appointed Provincial Treasurer of Quebec, was elected at Brome by about 300 majority. The vacancy was caused by the death of Provincial Treasurer Duffy.

TWENTY-one men and three women and a ten-month-old babe were burned to death in New York in a fire which started Monday morning in a five story tenement house on Eleventh Avenue.

A new plot against the murderers of King Alexander and Queen Draga has been discovered at Belgrade and Capt. J. Larjuncio, brother of the late Queen, and General Magdelenes have been arrested.

THOMAS Dunlap, the senior member of Dunlap, Cook & Co., and President of Dunlap Brothers and Company, Amherst, died suddenly at Truro Friday of paralysis. He was seventy years old and a native of Truro.

It was decided at the Cabinet meeting at Ottawa to offer the South African Colonies the tariff preference 33 per cent now granted to the Mother country in return for the preference contained in the Customs tariff of South Africa.

While the steamer Coban was docking at the wharf Sydney on Monday of last week she ran into the wharf, damaging the wharf work below, by high water mark and knocking it out of horizontal position. The damage is estimated at \$300.

EMMA Booth Tucker, daughter of General Booth, died at Kansas City on Thursday last, the result of the Santa Fe train wreck. Others were killed or injured. She was on her way to Chicago to meet her husband, accompanied by Col. Holland, who was also killed.

Word comes from Victoria B. C., that John S. Burpee, formerly of St. John, now assistant postmaster at Bonanza, near Dawson has been arrested charged with tampering with the mails. Many registered letters were found in his rooms which had not been opened. No explanation.

At Spring Valley near Kensington, on Wednesday morning last, James Duncan Bryenton, 24 years of age, died under such circumstances that a coroner's jury returned a verdict to the effect that in their opinion deceased came to his death from Staphylococcus administered by his own hand.

We are indebted to the Banack Lithographing and Printing Co., Montreal for a very handsome calendar, the first of the season. The calendar proper is surrounded by a most beautiful colored engraving of Canada's coronation arch, erected at Whitehall, London, in 1902, on the occasion of the King's Coronation.

GREAT excitement has been caused by an attempt on the life of President Diaz who was the guest of the State Government during the festivities at Cuernavaca, Mexico. The President was passing by Canagor garden in a street car when a man of the lower class named Gosciano approached his car shouting and fired five shots from a revolver. None of the shots took effect.

A sad drowning accident occurred at Clifton Wharf a few days ago. John Pickering the ten year old stepson of John Currie fell out of a dory and was drowned. His brother Willie had just left him and went home. Returning in about an hour he found his cap but no sign of the boy. Search being made at once his body was found near the wharf quite near his own home.

Mr. W. W. Sumbles of the Department of Marine and Fisheries Ottawa, has been appointed a commissioner to investigate the claims of the shippers of fish and meat, who are asking for compensation from the Dominion Government for damages caused during the detention of the winter steamers last winter. He commenced his investigations at the Marine and Fisheries office in this city, on Saturday last.

A very sad accident happened at Donaldson, about two miles from Bedford, Wednesday last. It appears Mrs. John Morris a highly respected resident of the community, while taking a milk can from a puncheon of water sunk in the ground, fell in head-first, and about one hour later her dead body was found by the servant man. Needless to say the sad event has cast a gloom over the entire settlement. Mrs. Morris who was formerly Miss May Mottrath of Covehead was only twenty-eight years of age and had been married four years. A husband and three small children are left to mourn.

A terrible accident occurred at the wheel pit of the Canadian Niagara Power Company's works Niagara Falls, Ont., on Wednesday of last week in which three men were killed and two others badly injured. A bucket containing Geo. Hiller, pumpman, and five Hungarians, laborers, was being lowered into the pit. When half way down the bucket was stopped to allow a man to get off on to a cross bridge and some one in the bucket gave the signal to lower, when the bucket caught on the cross bridge, dumping Hiller and four Hungarians out. They fell on the solid rock below, some 50 feet. Two Hungarians were killed immediately. Hiller's both arms and legs were broken; he was also internally injured and died en route to the hospital. The other two Hungarians are still alive but their recovery is doubtful. The fourth Hungarian escaped with a broken leg and bruises. The fifth Hungarian clung to the bucket and escaped.

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ARTHUR Murphy, ex-Mayor of Quebec and ex-M. P., is dead at the age of three score years and ten.

ALBERT Power, while walking the street at Halifax yesterday, was struck by a plank falling from a new building and fatally injured.

Rev. F. C. Kelly of Lapeer, Mich., arrived here on Saturday evening last. He lectures in the Lyceum on Friday evening. Be sure to attend.

In the Mayoralty election in greater New York yesterday, McEllan, Tammany and Democratic candidate, defeated Mayor Lowe, by about 70,000 plurality.

PERLEY Corkum aged fourteen, was shot dead at Hantsport, N. S. Saturday night by Trueman Trefry, while celebrating Halloween. Trefry is now in jail.

JACK McDonald and Dan McDonald, met a horrible death on Saturday at the Dominion collieries near Glace Bay, C. B. They fell a thousand feet into the mine.

POLICEMAN Barron, who was shot in Montreal by a burglar, died Wednesday night in the hospital. The city council has offered a reward of \$500. for the identification of the guilty parties.

This sch. Martha A. Brady, which went ashore last night at New London Harbor and was sold at auction Saturday. Vessel and fittings brought \$125.00. Capt. Doucette and Joseph Gallant of Rustico were the purchasers.

CONY Island was swept on the last inst. by the most disastrous fire in its history. 230 buildings were destroyed entailing a loss of one hundred thousand dollars. No lives were lost but several persons are seriously injured.

DURING the twelve pound hammer throw at the Western University field sports at London Ont., on Thursday last, a medical student threw the hammer to one side, it struck a seven-year-old son of Mr. Broderick, Manager of Molson's Bank, on the head, and the lad died a few hours later.

THE Militia Department, Ojawa, has been informed by Lord Strathcona that the Marquis of Lansdown received a cable from Col. Swayne in Smaliland, East Africa, saying that Major R. G. Leckie, Canadian officer with the force, was badly injured by a leopard and was in a dangerous condition.

H. Yerki Syecry, a passenger on the train from Winnipeg to Edmonton died suddenly on Sunday and his son claimed that three passengers forced whiskey down his father's throat. The coroner's jury brought in a verdict of death from alcoholic poison administered by his companions.

THE Steam tug Henry Hooper was run down and sunk off York Redoubt Halifax Monday afternoon by the Gloucester fishing schooner Victor. The crew of the tug five in number including the captain saved their lives by climbing over the bow of the schooner. They stayed nothing but what they stood in, the tug going to the bottom five minutes after the collision.

FOURTY McGill students crossed from Montreal to Longueuil on Saturday and started a disgraceful Halloween disturbance. The fire alarm called out the villagers who, armed with weapons of all kinds, assailed the students. Several were injured and eight had to be taken to the hospital. The remainder were driven to the wharf and kept there until the boat arrived.

REPAIRS to the Charlottetown post office began Saturday morning. Among the changes to be made will be the removal of the partition now separating the public from the Savings Bank. The partition consolidating the P. O. boxes will also be moved forward, and the boxes will also be extended around to the south side. The postmaster's office will be moved from the southeast to the northeast corner of the building.

MONTREAL advices of the 3rd. say: The Canadian Pacific Railway on Saturday laid off eighteen per cent, of its working force at the Delorimier avenue shops. General Manager McNichol stated that the lay off was only part of a general scheme extending all over the system. A despatch of the same date from Toronto indicates that P. O. boxes will also be moved forward, and the boxes will also be extended around to the south side. The postmaster's office will be moved from the southeast to the northeast corner of the building.

FIVE hundred men including a sheriff's posse augmented by volunteers from the ranches adjacent are searching the country in the vicinity of Lightning Creek and Eastern Wyoming for a band of Indians which on Saturday afternoon fought a battle with Sheriff Miller's posse killing the sheriff and his deputy Fossenberg. Latest advices are to the effect that a second battle was fought and a number of Indians killed and captured, but their report is not verified. So says a Denver despatch of the 3rd.

A Seaman named Peter Kelly, belonging to the Schooner Vivian was knocked down, rendered senseless and robbed, in this city on Sunday night. He is now in the hospital suffering from the effects of the assault. He states that about nine o'clock Sunday evening he was going down Queen Street, intending to board his vessel. He saw a number of toughs at the corner of Queen and Water Streets, who had previously dunned him for money. To avoid them he started to go through a lane from King to Water streets, behind Riley's tobacco factory. He saw no one in the lane, but all at once he was struck on the forehead with either a brick or a bottle, and rendered senseless. He remembered nothing after that. Some time afterwards he was discovered, as if dead with his pockets turned inside out and all his money, \$45 gone. The police were notified and the injured man removed to a place where medical aid could be procured and was afterwards taken to the Charlottetown Hospital. This is a pretty serious piece of business and we hope the perpetrators of the dastardly deed will be discovered and punished as they deserve.

DIED

Suddenly at his home on Weymouth Street, Wednesday 28th October, Augustus Morris aged 73 years.
In Montreal on Thursday, October 29th, 1903, Honoria M. Thresher, widow of the late Mr. J. W. Morrison, in her 85th year.

Fire in the Vatican Palace.

At half past eight o'clock on Sunday evening feast of All Saints, fire broke out in that portion of the Vatican containing the Hall of Inscriptions, where the Pope gives his audience and which is adjacent to the famous Pinacothec, or gallery of pictures. The alarm caused much confusion and excitement in the Vatican. Strenuous efforts were made to control the flames, and the firemen of Rome were called to lend their help. At a quarter past eleven the fire was under control. No lives were lost. No idea of the damage can yet be obtained. The Pope came to the scene in person and remained until the arrangements to fight the fire were completed. At a little after eleven o'clock the fire was under control. The museum of inscriptions, the room of Father Enrie, part of the library and the printing-presses were entirely flooded with water. Many things that escaped the flames were injured by water, especially the precious library of Pope Leo, which Father Enrie was in the midst of rearranging in accordance with the last wish of the late pontiff. The fire caused greater sensation in Rome than has any other event since the death of Pope Leo. The outbreak of flame in such a conspicuous place wherein were many celebrated treasures brought out great numbers of anxious people, in spite of a torrential rain. The safety of the Pope was the first thought in everyone's mind, but this was soon assured. The first intimation of fire was had when smoke was seen issuing from the apartment of M. Marle, the celebrated French restorer of ancient manuscripts and illuminated books. The famous Bramante staircase leads to the part of the Vatican where the fire broke out. The gardener broke in the doors of M. Marle's apartment and found him in a heavy sleep. It is supposed that he retired and forgot to take proper precautions with his kitchen fire, which probably blazed up and ignited some nearby hanging. The fire rapidly assumed such proportions that the gardener gave an immediate general alarm. News of the fire was immediately conveyed to the Pope, who was found kneeling in his chapel for his usual evening prayer. He insisted upon going at once to the scene notwithstanding the fact that he was begged to first think of his own safety. When he arrived at the fire the gravity of the situation was seen by him and he ordered that the firemen of Rome be called. Meantime the flames had begun to break out the windows of M. Marle's apartment and were destroying the roof. They lighted up the entire district and gave the impression that nothing could stop the fury. The Pope withdrew as soon as he saw that everything possible was being done to fight the fire.

The Prices.

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Butter (salt).....	0.18 to 0.20
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Beef (per bus).....	0.01 to 0.43
Cabbage.....	0.03 to 0.05
Calf skins.....	0.06 to 0.00
Carrots (per bus).....	0.00 to 0.50
Ducks.....	0.90 to 1.00
Eggs, per doz.....	0.16 to 0.17
Fowl (per lb.).....	0.08 to 0.09
Flour (per cwt).....	0.00 to 2.00
Hides.....	0.06 to 0.00
Hay, per 100 lbs.....	0.60 to 0.65
Lettuce (per bunch).....	0.00 to 0.05
Mutton, per lb.....	0.05 to 0.07
Oatmeal (per cwt).....	2.50 to 3.00
Potatoes (buyers price).....	0.20 to 0.23
Pork (small).....	0.12 to 0.14
Pork.....	0.04 to 0.04
Parasite (per bus).....	0.00 to 0.00
Raddish (per bunch).....	0.00 to 0.00
Sheep pelts.....	0.40 to 0.50
Turkeys.....	0.10 to 0.12
Turkeys (per lb.).....	0.11 to 0.12
Geese per lb.....	0.08 to 0.09
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White oats.....	0.00 to 0.3
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