

## \$60,000 Fire in St. Stephen

Six Buildings Destroyed and  
Nine Horses Burned to  
Death.

St. Stephen, N. B., Nov. 23.—Fire discovered at 12.45 o'clock this morning in Archie Johnson's stable in King street, is still raging after having destroyed six buildings with a property loss of not less than \$60,000.

F. E. Rose's heavily stocked grocery store on the corner of King and Prince William street, is in ashes, and P. F. McKenna's block is also threatened.

The Calais fire department is fighting hard with the local department to subdue the flames, and at 2.30 o'clock it looks as if the fire was under control. The water pressure is good.

When the fire was discovered it had made great headway in the inflammable material in the stable and seven horses were burned to death in the Johnson building. The fire had an ugly look and the Calais firemen turned out at the first alarm. It was fortunate that they lent their assistance as early in the fight as at times the St. Croix soap factory, one of the principal industries of the town, was threatened.

From the stable, the fire spread to John Manuel's blacksmith shop and this was totally destroyed at a loss of about \$1,000 to the owner, who had no insurance.

The next to go was F. E. Rose's grocery store, which was well stocked, and the loss will be about \$25,000, with \$10,000 insurance. From the store the flames leaped to James McGaw's two story dwelling house, worth about \$6,000, and this was wiped out together with a stable in the rear in which Mr. McGaw's two horses were burned.

Not so fortunate was F. M. Muir's... insurance was carried on the building and the tenants may be partially covered.

The firemen are working hard to save P. F. McKenna's block, which is next in the path of the flames, having diverted their progress from the direction of the soap factory.

The intense heat cracked windows of the adjoining stores and losers from this source will be George Irving, George Butts and J. R. Polley.

## Granville Boy Drowned In Sight of His father

Gordon Hurley Perished Be-  
Cause No One Could  
Swim.

Annapolis, N. S., Nov. 23.—"For God's sake men can't you save my boy?" was the cry of Charles Hubley as his seven-year old son sank into the water of the Annapolis River at Granville yesterday.

Little Gordon Hubley with a brother and another comrade had been playing on the wharf and the younger of the trio fell into the water. Richard Ray's mastiff dog was sent off to bring the boy ashore. A little bare arm was raised for help out of the water, the dog circled around it three times but would not touch it. He had been taught by his owner not to touch the children. Had there been some loose clothing around the boy he would have seized it quickly and brought the boy ashore. Very soon the arm went out of sight and the dog came back.

The boy drowned for no one there could swim.

## Farewell Party to Mr. Geo. Fury

Pleasant Evening Given By  
Odd Fellows.

On Wednesday evening a farewell party was given by the Odd Fellows here to Mr. Geo. Fury, one of their members, who will leave shortly for Chicago.

After the regular meeting a number of invited guests, including the Millerton band, were admitted.

Refreshments were served and speeches given by Messrs. John Betts, Dr. Wilson, W. G. Thurber, Rev. A. A. Rettie, Randolph Crocker, J. W. Vanderbeck and Geo. Fury.

A vote of thanks was passed to Mr. George Iffe, who so strenuously worked in providing such a pleasant evening and the members of the band for providing music.

Mr. Fury will be much missed by the lodge and also by the Millerton band of which he was a valuable member.

The News joins in wishing Mr. Fury much success in his new home.

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## Toronto Surgeon is Laid to Rest

Many Members of Profession  
Attend the Services.

Toronto, Nov. 20.—The funeral of the late J. F. W. Ross, the news of whose death on Friday as the result of an automobile accident at Richmond Hill came as a shock, not only to the profession here but in Canada, at large, was held this afternoon at 2.30 to St. James cemetery.

A private service for the family alone, was conducted at 2 o'clock at the residence by Venerable Archdeacon Cody.

Shortly afterwards a public service was held at the residence, and also at St. James' Chapel, in which Bishop Sweeney participated.

A large number of friends, relatives and representatives of the different organizations with which the late Dr. Ross was connected were present at the services.

Dr. N. A. Powell, President of the Academy of Medicine, the past President Dr. A. A. McDonald, and the Vice-President, Dr. R. A. Reeve, represented that body at the funeral.

Among the many and beautiful wreaths were one each from the Medical Faculty of Toronto University, of which Mr. Ross was a member, the medical students and the staff of the General Hospital.

In speaking of the relations of Dr. Ross and the Academy of Medicine, Dr. Powell stated that a memorial meeting would be held at an early date. On this occasion the life work of Dr. Ross, a past president would be reviewed and presented by different members.

"I am especially glad," observed Dr. Powell, "of the opportunity I had at the last meeting of the academy when Dr. Ross was present, to declare that he was not only one of the most trusted and worthy men in Toronto, but also one of the most loved. I am glad this was said in his presence."

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**Newcastle Curlers  
Elect Officers**

The annual meeting of the Newcastle Curling Club was held on Monday evening, Collector of Customs Park presiding. Treasurer C. J. Morrissey's report showed a balance of \$96.65, and it was referred to the audit committee, who reported it correct. It was decided to challenge for the McLellan cup, now held by Chatham.

The following officers were elected:

President—W. A. Park.

Vice-President—R. H. Armstrong.

Secretary—J. E. T. Lindon.

Treasurer—C. J. Morrissey.

Chaplain—Rev. S. J. McArthur.

The members of the managing committee are: R. H. Armstrong, Jr., R. A. Lawlor, J. A. Sargeant, A. A. Davidson and T. W. Crocker.

A vote of thanks was passed to the treasurer, and secretary Lindon was presented with an elaborate desk light by President Park. A three years' lease from the Newcastle Skating Rink was arranged for.

**Deserted at Halifax  
Sixteen Years Ago****John Cusick Found Life Hard  
and at Last Surrendered.**

Montreal, Nov. 53.—John Cusick, forty years of age, deserted from the Royal Canadian Dragoons at Halifax sixteen years ago. This morning he marched into number six police station and gave himself up. He has spent the greater part of his time in Alberta. He did not prosper and determined to give himself up. Reaching Montreal last night he decided that he could go no farther so today he asked the police to send him as a prisoner today.

**Confesses to Murder of His Wife****Shows no Trace of Emotion  
as He Tells How He Shot  
the Woman Down on  
Street.**

Montreal, Nov. 22.—John Cummins, the man who was arrested this morning for the murder of his young wife by shooting her on Chateaugay Street last night, made a clean breast of the matter to detective Carpenter, this evening and confessed that he had done the deed. This confession was a complete somersault relating to the man's attitude on the morning just following his arrest in a restaurant in which he was employed, when in the presence of a band of news paper men he categorically denied any knowledge of the murder and otherwise accounted for his movements. Not once during his confession tonight did Cummins show any trace of emotion and told of the murder as it had been an ordinary event.

**Lloyd George's Bill For****Government Insurance**

London, Nov. 22.—Chancellor Lloyd George's Insurance Bill, considerably amended and modified in detail, passed through the committee stage in the House of Commons last night.

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(Montreal Herald.)

That the people of the maritime provinces would object to the sale of the Intercolonial by the government, is the opinion of Mr. Thomas Malcolm, who built and operates the International Railway.

The International runs from Campbellton, in the extreme north of New Brunswick, to the Maine border and will be part of the complete system giving connection with Bangor in Southern Maine. The line is 113 miles in length. The building of a bridge is the only connection lacking between the two roads.

Mr. Malcolm, who left for home yesterday, after visiting Ottawa, thinks that the people are getting a good service from the I. C. R., and that, considering it is a paying proposition, they would not be willing to see it become one of the greater railway systems.

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The two young daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Price, who have been ill for the past two weeks are able to be out again.

NOTICE.

A meeting of the Liberal Conservative Association for the Parish of Derby will be held in the Temperance Hall, Millerton, on Thursday evening, November 30th at 8 o'clock. All are cordially invited.

By Order, E. J. PARKER, Secretary.

58.—2 ins.

Matrimonial.

Stilkey-Russell

A pretty wedding took place on Tuesday morning at the residence of Miss Agnes Russell, Newcastle, when her niece, Miss Agnes Russell, was married to Willard Stilkey, of Augusta, Maine. The ceremony was performed by Rev. S. J. McArthur in the presence of a number of relatives and friends of the young couple. The bride, who was given away by her uncle, W. A. Russell, of Shediac, was attired in white satin with all-over lace and pearl trimmings and carried a bridal bouquet of carnations and maidenhair ferns. After a wedding breakfast the happy couple left for Shediac where they will visit the bride's uncle, W. A. Russell. The bride's travelling dress was navy blue with white hat trimmed with flowers. Mr. and Mrs. Stilkey will make their future home in Augusta, Maine.

OBITUARY

MRS. GEORGE BURCHILL.

The death took place on Monday morning at her home in Nelson, of Mrs. Geo. Burchill, widow of the late George Burchill. Mrs. Burchill was a lady who took much interest in religious and charitable work and her loss to the community will be deeply felt. She was fifty-one years of age and is survived by five children, Mary, Stuart, George, Sterling and Laura, and one brother, Harry.

Miss Annie Peterson is visiting in Newcastle.

Miss Jean Thurber went to Harcourt today.

A number of our young men enjoyed a delightful sleigh drive to Newcastle on Thursday night.

Messrs. Wm. Gifford and Patrick Boudreau, Newcastle, were in Millerton yesterday.

Rev. J. A. Cooper was in Newcastle on Monday.

FATAL QUARREL AT NORTH SYDNEY

North Sydney, Nov. 22.—While returning to their ship about midnight last night, two seamen of the steamer Wacousta started a row on the pier, which resulted in the older man being stabbed in several parts of the body, from which he died a short time after.

When the police arrived they saw a man lying on the wharf, the others having apparently gone aboard the ship, which was lying at the wharf ready to sail for Montreal.

A search was made and by the aid of two seamen the alleged assailant was arrested. The prisoner's name is Harry Thomson, fireman on board the Wacousta.

The victim whose name could not be secured, died shortly after being taken to the hospital. The Wacousta sailed this morning for Montreal with coal, and the preliminary hearing has been adjourned until her return.

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