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THE WEATHER. Moderate westerly winds, a few local thunderstorms, but mostly fair and warm. Friday, fair and warm.

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MEN ON CAMPBELLTON SCHOONER HAD AWFUL EXPERIENCE IN STORM

The Schooner Grenada From Campbellton to New York Ran Into Heavy Gale And Was Abandoned in Mid-Atlantic ---Captain and Crew Rescued and Taken to London.

London, Sept. 24.—Captain Walter and the crew of the schooner Grenada, which was abandoned in mid-Atlantic on August 28, arrived here yesterday from Rotterdam, where they were landed by the steamer Manchester shipper, which rescued them. The Grenada sailed from Campbellton, N. B., bound for New York. She ran into a gale and was overcome by the heavy seas, settling so deep that the crew had to seek refuge on the top of the deckhouse. They spent four days without food or water and had to lash themselves to the vessel to prevent being washed away.

CROOKED NECK'S NECK MAY YET BE SAVED

Attempt to Get a New Trial for "Crooked Necked" Smith Sentenced to Death for Murder.

Montreal, Sept. 24.—(Special.)—The latest move in "Crooked Neck" Smith's case is for a new trial at which the defense will bring new evidence. Two men who were in the room at the time of the murder, besides Smith and Knight, have been located and they will be brought back by the defense to give evidence. The case will come up before the minister of Justice instead of the court of appeals. Smith is very indifferent as to what is going on and says if he has to die, he is ready.

PREDICTS SWEEP IN BRITISH COLUMBIA

Conservative Candidate in Vancouver is Very Confident of Success.

Toronto, Ont., Sept. 24.—(Special.)—Gen. H. Cowan, city solicitor of Vancouver and Conservative candidate for the constituency against the Yukon Commissioner, W. W. B. McInnes, accompanied Mr. Borden yesterday from London to Toronto, where he is expected to speak last night. He expects a Conservative sweep in British Columbia. He says his own election seems assured, as even the Liberal newspaper, the Vancouver World, is opposing Mr. McInnes. Asked as to the situation in the Yukon and that West, Mr. McInnes said "the old-time Laurier Liberal is as extinct as the bison."

FELL IN A FAINT ON A MOVING MACHINE

Moncton, N. B., Sept. 24.—(Special.)—James Leblanc, an employee of the Recof foundry, had a fainting spell about noon today and fell on a machine at which he was working. Both arms were badly lacerated. He was taken to the hospital.

CROKER MAKES COMPLAINT

Burlington, Sept. 24.—Richard Croker has a letter to a sporting paper in London complaining of the treatment the paper is giving him. He says the paper is giving unfavorable accounts of his condition. The inaccuracy of the reports, says the letter, is shown in the fact that the man has won more than \$35,000 in stakes. Mr. Croker also protests against the publication of a telegram alleged to have come from his trainer, which he says was forged, in which it was stated that Rhodora would not likely run in the Cambridge races.

A BIG AUTO RACE

Douglas, Isle of Man, Sept. 24.—Thirty-six cars will start in the race which has been arranged to take place today by the Royal Automobile Club. The course is 37 1/2 miles long, and it is an exceedingly dangerous and tricky one, giving rise to fear that there may be serious accidents. An ambulance corps, numbering 38 men and ten doctors, fully equipped with instruments, bandages and stretchers, has arrived here to deal with any accidents which may occur.

PORTLAND'S NEW CITY HALL

Portland, Me., Sept. 23.—At a special meeting of the city council this evening the plans for the proposed city hall, which have been drawn under the direction of a commission appointed several months ago, were submitted and the report of the commission was carefully considered. The proposed structure is to be an office building. An auditorium will be placed in the rear and will be connected with the office building. The cost of the two buildings will be nearly \$800,000. Money makes money. And why not? Money gets sick, never takes a vacation, never goes on strike. It's the best money-maker in the world.

SHOULD BE SOLD AS SEALED GOODS

Dean Farthing of Kingston Expresses His View on the Liquor Traffic.

Ottawa, Ont., Sept. 24.—(Special.)—At this morning's sitting of the general Anglican Synod it was decided to send a message of greeting to the sister synod now in session in Newfoundland. It was agreed to receive a minority report of the temperance committee offered by Dean Farthing of Kingston, in which he said that he could not agree with the recommendation of the committee that the bars should be under government control. In his opinion every man desiring liquor should be able to get it. Intoxicants should be sold in sealed packages. All sales should be under strict government control but all bars and public drinking places should be abolished absolutely. Rev. Mr. Eisold, Bishop of Minnesota, Rev. Mr. Allport of Brooklyn, Mr. B. Mansford of Connecticut, and Mr. E. C. Gibson of Vermont addressed the synod. They were welcomed in a humorous speech by the Bishop of Rupertland. Much stress was laid by the American speakers on the friendly relations which existed between Great Britain and the United States.

MR. PULLIAM SAYS BIG GAME WAS A TIE

President of National League so Decides Yesterday's Game Between New York and Chicago.

Bulletin, New York, Sept. 24.—President Pulliam, of the National League, today announced his decision that the New York-Chicago game yesterday was a tie game. President Pulliam gave out the following statement: "In the matter of the New York-Chicago game of September 23 at New York, I have received a written report from the umpires in charge of the game, Messrs O'Day and Emalle. They report that the game resulted in a tie, 1 to 1, and that it was impossible to continue the game after the ninth inning. Without entering at this time into the merits of the controversy that has arisen over this game or passing upon the legality of any decision, the game will be recorded as reported, namely, a tie."

JUMPED FROM CAR WINDOW

Leadville, Colo., Sept. 24.—Sherman Morris, alias Frank Sheriff, recently convicted of the murder of John Walsh, a Leadville saloon-keeper, 15 years ago, escaped from the sheriff car today while being taken to the penitentiary at Canon City to serve a 25-year sentence.

DROWNED IN MILK PAIL

Springfield, Mo., Sept. 24.—The ten-month-old daughter of S. O. Middlemas, a farmer near this city, fell into a bucket of milk yesterday and was drowned before her parents could reach her. The bucket was on the ground near the back porch of the Middlemas home and the child tumbled into it from the porch.

A \$100,000 FIRE

Redding, Cal., Sept. 24.—Fire early today destroyed \$100,000 worth of property in this city. Two hotels, three saloons, three warehouses, a general merchandise store and a score of lodging houses are ashes.

CHOLERA IN MANILA

Manila, Sept. 24.—The epidemic of cholera continues to abate. The daily average of new cases discovered or reported is thirty. Josephina Hall, an American infant attacked several days ago, died today.

WILL GET LIFE SENTENCE

Rutland, Vt., Sept. 23.—After deliberating three hours today, a jury in the Rutland county superior court brought in a verdict of murder in the second degree against Antonio Valentini, charged with causing the death of Deputy Sheriff Frank A. Hayden, of Ludlow. The penalty under a conviction for murder in the second is imprisonment for life.

A PALATABLE DISH

Pea Timbales—Mix one cup of pea pulp with two beaten eggs, a few drops of onion juice, two tablespoons of thick cream, one tablespoon of melted butter, two-thirds a teaspoonful of salt, one-eighth a teaspoonful of black pepper, and a few grains of cayenne, turn into buttered molds and bake in a pan of water until firm. Serve with one cup of white sauce, to which has been added one-third cup of cooked and drained peas. These may be made of fresh, dried or canned peas. In ascending a teaspoonful of chopped mint leaves adds to the dish if you are fond of the mint flavor. For variety or the sake of color add to the sauce with the peas cubes of figures cut from carrots cooked tender.

FOUR KILLED IN TRAIN WRECK

Bulletin, Kansas City, Mo., Sept. 24.—A St. Louis and San Francisco passenger train is reported derailed near Charlevoix, Mo. Four persons are reported killed.

PHILIPPINES ARE SWEEP BY TYPHOON

Many Lives Reported Lost in Typhoon Which Swept the Island.

Manila, Sept. 24.—A typhoon of terrific velocity swept over the central portion of the Philippine group, sweeping part of the island of Samar, Northern Leyte, Southeastern Luzon, Northern Panay, Gasbat and part of Remban. The typhoon disappeared in the China Sea, moving in a direction west by northwest. Wires are prostrated and available details of the damage done are meagre. It is evident that a series of disaster followed in the wake of the sudden storm. A despatch received from Remban says that the typhoon caused a great loss of property and that undoubtedly many persons have been killed.

HELD BANQUET IN A CHICAGO SEWER

Enthusiastic Women Take Unique Means to Celebrate Opening of New Concrete Conduit.

Chicago, Sept. 24.—A banquet laid in a sewer in Franklin Park, a Chicago suburb on the west bank of the Desplaine River, yesterday, was the unique means of the enthusiastic women of that town to celebrate the opening of the new concrete sewer conduit, the completion of which ends a legal fight of sixteen years. The women could only be induced to enter, when Mrs. Cora Ombes, chosen by lot, dared to descend through the manhole. Mrs. Ombes, 34 years of age, standing below, she sent up a cry of encouragement to her sisters above, for in other direction for several hundred feet was a long line of coffee cups, grape juice, glasses filled to the brim, sandwiches and other edibles, with candles alight along the tunnelway. All the women said they had a good time.

A GREAT FOREST FIRE IN CALIFORNIA WOODS

Eureka, Cal., Sept. 24.—A great forest fire is raging near here, fanned by a fifty mile gale and spreading the plant of the Kelstrom Lumber Company, valued at \$80,000, has been destroyed. The fire is threatening the vast tracts of timber lying between Kelstrom and Trinidad, to which latter place refugees are flocking from many camps. The million-dollar plant of the Kelstrom Lumber Company is directly in the course of the flames. A passenger train engine arrived at Samoa last night, carrying refugees from Luffenholz and Fieldbrook, the former town having been destroyed by the flames. The refugees were hemmed in by the flames and the daring trip through the fire on the train was proposed. The dash was made with the flames so close that the paint on the cars was blistered by the heat.

NEW YORK STOCKS

New York, Sept. 24.—Wall street prices of stocks were higher than last night at the opening, but on immediate reaction in the Hill stocks declined. The market irregular. Great Northern and Northern Pacific after opening up a fraction, declined to 1 and 21-8 respectively before last night.

NEW YORK COTTON

New York, Sept. 24.—Cotton futures opened steady, Oct. 8.97, Dec. 8.77, Jan. 8.66, March 8.66, May 8.71-8.72, July 8.73 asked.

CORN RECIPES

Green Corn Custard with Broiled Tomatoes—Cut enough corn from young ears to make a cupful; add to four eggs beaten slightly with half a teaspoonful of salt, a dash of paprika, a few drops of lemon juice and a cup and a quarter of milk. Bake in buttered moulds in hot water. When firm, turn from the moulds and surround with slices of broiled tomatoes. Serve with cream sauce.

KENTUCKY CORN CROQUETTES

Grate enough corn to make one quart of pulp; add one pint of cream or milk and cook 20 minutes in the double boiler. Add two tablespoons each of butter and grated cheese, one teaspoonful of salt, one-fourth of a teaspoonful of pepper and two well-beaten eggs. Set aside to cool. Put the corn form into two-inch square one-inch thick. Cover with egg and bread crumbs and fry in hot fat or bake in the oven till brown. If the mixture is too moist to shape, add a little rolled cracker meal.

SPORTING ITEM

Washington, Sept. 24.—(Special.)—Mr. Bryan has wired President Roosevelt to meet him in the ring at Chicago next week. John D. Rockefeller is mentioned as referee, with Foraker and Haskell as sizers and towel men. The gate receipts will be presented to the Rockefeller family, who are in indigent circumstances. John D.'s income has been reduced to less than a hundred thousand dollars a minute, and his Republican and Democratic friends desire to give him a tonic. Mr. Bryan's challenge will be accepted.

AGRICULTURAL INTELLIGENCE

Mr. Hiram Hornsbury says that political clubs are springing up like mushrooms all over the country this fall. He says two have been discovered in the Senate, and will last till the frost comes.

SOCIETY MAN IN RING WITH A PUGILIST

A. J. Drexel Biddle a Philadelphia Society Man Meets Jack O'Brien in a Private Bout.

New York, Sept. 24.—A special to the Times from Philadelphia says: There was an old score to settle when A. J. Drexel Biddle met Philadelphia Jack O'Brien in the ring today at a private West Walnut street gymnasium. Last winter as a wind-sporting club with Sam Langford, Biddle has been getting himself fit for a hunting trip in the Northern part of Maine. Neither could complain of lack of physical condition. In the presence of half a dozen clubmen the men fought it out in four of the hardest rounds ever witnessed in this vicinity. At the end Biddle was bleeding from the nose and mouth, while his left eye gave indications of taking on mourning. O'Brien's lips were swollen, his nose was slightly flattened and a big red patch on his rib showed where Biddle's vicious right hand body swings had landed. Both men were nearly exhausted and there was little to choose between them. Biddle, the clever middle-weight kept jabbing away at O'Brien's mouth and nose, but the latter always came back for more. The young society man is confident he can drop O'Brien and when he returns from the hunting trip it will be arranged for a bout of longer duration in private. Today's contest was one of the most exciting that has ever been seen in this city.

COLLISION DUE TO A HEAVY FOG

Two Trains Came Together on New York Central This Morning But There Was Little Damage.

Utica, N. Y., Sept. 24.—In the heavy fog which prevailed this morning the westbound fast train on the Central ran into a Shore Line passenger and express train that had been held in one of the blocks a short distance west of Little Falls. The mail train had been brought to slow speed because of the foggy conditions, otherwise there probably would have been considerable loss of life. The injuries are confined to railway postal clerks, three of whom have been taken to the hospital at Little Falls. The express messenger on the mail train was slightly injured and several of the postal clerks have slight bruises. Passengers in the sleepers on the passenger train were thrown about to some extent, but the railroad company reports that there were no injuries beyond those of a slight nature.

NEW YORK IS FOG BOUND

Shipping Traffic in New York Harbor is Practically at a Standstill Owing to Dense Fog and Smoke.

New York, Sept. 24.—This city and all the surrounding waterways and suburbs were again seriously fog bound this morning, the combination of mist and smoke from forest fires being even more impenetrable and persistent than yesterday. Shipping was practically at a standstill during the early forenoon. The Mauretania, which attempted to sail yesterday for Queenstown and Liverpool, proceeded this morning. Three other steamers were waiting just outside the Hook. All the commuting lines experienced delays and traffic generally was conducted with the greatest difficulty.

MONTEAL STOCKS

Montreal, Sept. 24.—(Special.)—The stock market improved today, 800 sold at 116 3/4, at the opening and closed at 116 1/2. Power recovered and was strong and active selling at 102. San Paulo sold at 170 3/4. The Ogilvie Co. declared a half yearly dividend on common stock of 3 1/2 per cent.

BRITISH MINISTER SAILS

Port of Spain, Trinidad, Sept. 24.—Sir Vincent Corbet British minister to Venezuela, who has been here for the past three weeks, left for Caracas last night on board the steamer Barbadian via Curacao.

FREDERICKSON CHIEF OF POLICE FREED OF THE BRIBERY CHARGE

Police Commission This Morning Exonerated the Chief From Charge Preferred by Norman Cameron—Marysville Burglar Gets Three Years.

Fredrickson, N.B., Sept. 24.—(Special.)—Joseph Morrell, who pleaded guilty to a charge of burglarizing F. S. Williams' store at Marysville, was this morning sentenced by Col. Marsh to three years in the penitentiary. His companion, Stirling Hazlewood, was let off with four months in jail, it being his first offence. The police commission this morning unanimously exonerated Chief of Police Winter from the charge preferred against him by Norman Cameron. An investigation of the matter occupied several days and considerable public interest was manifested. Early in August it came to the chief's notice that Cameron was living with a woman not his wife at a house in Whitehall, and Cameron's charge was that he accepted a bribe of five dollars and agreed to let the matter drop. Cameron repeated his story under oath and it was given an emphatic denial by Chief Winter. Friends of the chief are heartily congratulating him upon his victory. The entrance examinations at the University of New Brunswick commenced in the library with about fifteen candidates several of whom are taking supplementaries. The great majority of the students who will enter this term passed the matriculation in July. Guy A. Fitzrandolph, son of Allan H. Fitzrandolph of this city, is first student to enter for the forestry course. Others taking the junior matriculation are E. H. Shirley, St. Andrews; J. K. Johnson, Campbellton, and Grace L. Aiton, Sussex. Those taking the senior matriculation are W. K. Willis, M. N. Jennings, St. John; H. E. Lockary, St. Stephen; Miss Pauline Fox, Gagetown and Miss Ruth Everett, Fredericton. Lectures will be commenced on Monday night with a large freshman class. Senator Thompson is expected home tomorrow from his European trip. A motor car for the Fredericton-Marysville suburban service is expected here next week. Chief Commissioner Morrissey is here today on departmental business. The Baptists of Kewville held a very successful tea meeting at that place yesterday. N. W. Brown, Liberal candidate was among those present and on being invited to speak responded with a non-political address on agricultural progress in fifty years.

FOR THIRTY-SEVEN DAYS ST. JOHN HAS HAD NO RAIN; WEATHER IS REMARKABLE

Weather Conditions Here are Exceptional ---Only One Inch of Rain Since August 19th and Whole Summer Was Light.

It is generally recognized that the weather conditions here this summer have been exceptional. According to the records of Director D. L. Hutchinson, of the local meteorological service, St. John is experiencing the longest dry spell in fifteen years. There has been practically thirty-seven fine days, as from August 19 to date there has been only one inch of rain and that mostly fell on two days and consisted of showers of brief duration. During the present month the temperature has been abnormally high with no killing frosts at night such as have been prevalent in other years. In fact during most of the time, summer temperature has prevailed. It is interesting to study the records for the past four months. In June the total rainfall was 2.43 inches. The highest temperature was 78.07 on the 28th inst. and the lowest was 55 on the 7th. The average for the month was 57. The total rainfall in July was 2.93 inches; the highest temperature, 84.05 on the 28th, and the average for the month, 64.03. In August the rainfall was very heavy, being 6.21 inches. The highest temperature was 78.02 on the 14th and the lowest 47.02 on the 28th, with the average at 61. So far this month the rainfall totals 83 of an inch, and of that 27 fell on the 7th inst. and 47 on the 28th. The total rainfall for the four months was 11.40 inches. The figures for the same period last year were—June, 1.90 inches; July, 4.33 inches; August, 3.92 inches; and September, 4.83 inches, making a total of 14.88 inches, or more than three inches in excess of this season. What brought the rainfall up this year was the heavy rains in August, as from the 1st to the 18th of the month the total rainfall was recorded. The rains descended for eleven days, so that it was really the wet period of the summer. There was nearly as much rain in that period as in the other three months. It has been practically dry from the nineteenth of August to the present time, as only one inch of rain is recorded in that time. The days have been fine and the nights clear, having on some days smoke from forest fires, but it was clear over the smoke. Director Hutchinson was asked how much longer he thought this weather would continue, and he smilingly replied that it was always easier to predict a continuance of present conditions than to say there would be a change.

SUGGEST REPEAL OF LEMIEUX ACT

Animated Discussion at Meeting of Dominion Trades and Labor Council This Morning.

Halifax, N. S., Sept. 23.—(Special.)—At this morning's meeting of the Dominion Trades and Labor Council a long and animated discussion ensued following the presentation of the reports of General Organizer Trotter and Delegate Pettipiece, of Vancouver, both dealing with the matter of organization. The reports were fully adopted. What will likely prove the most important matter dealt with at the convention was the introduction of a resolution looking to the repeal of the Lemieux act, as being detrimental to the interests of labor as a whole. Delegate Schurman, of British Columbia, vigorously attacked the bill. The congressional parliamentary solicitor, John G. O'Donoghue, stating that, speaking from the legal standpoint, he thought the amendment of the act, not its repeal, was the desirable thing in the interest of the organized laborers.

WILL REMOVE HASKELL

New York, N. Y., Sept. 23.—It became known at Democratic National headquarters tonight that several national committees are preparing to use every influence to bring about the removal of Governor Charles N. Haskell from the office of treasurer of the national committee. This is a result of the publication of charges that Mr. Haskell, as governor of Oklahoma, declined to permit the state to prosecute the Prairie Oil Company, a subsidiary company of the Standard Oil Company.

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are a lot of people I did not know at all, except by name, with whose peculiarities I am today quite familiar, because of what I heard about them last night. I think I'll go again tonight, and write a column of society news for Saturday's paper. It's fine."

MORE MUSIC. A cheerful citizen was heard singing on King square this morning:— "It's you'll tak' the buckboard, An' I'll tak' the free-board, An' I'll see Loch Lomond afore ye; For me an' McAlpine Will mak' the welkin ring. On the bonny Bluenose banks of Loch Lomond."

He was no doubt practising for the Scottish entertainment this evening.

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Fashion Hint for Times Readers



LITTLE GIRLS' DRESS HATS. Tam crown effects are always becoming to small girls and for this reason are especially popular in winter headwear.

The KING OF DIAMONDS. BY LOUIS TRACY. The King of Diamonds is a story of a man who has been in prison for the last five years.

(Continued.) At first his hearers thought he was rambling and incoherent as he described his release from jail, his visit to the Mary Anson Home, his long and fruitless search for the lost boys.

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS. THE GREAT KIDNEY DISC. CURE FOR RHEUMATISM, GRIPPE, BRUISES, BRUISES, BRUISES.

How to Cure a Headache

To attempt to cure a headache by taking a "headache powder," is like trying to stop a leak in the roof by putting a pan under the dripping water.

ROCKEFELLER AS AN AUTHOR

Standard Oil King Writes on "Random Reminiscences" for a Magazine

New York, N. Y., Sept. 23.—John D. Rockefeller appears for the first time in the role of an author in a series of articles on "Some Random Reminiscences of Men and Events," the first of which will appear on Friday in the October issue of "The World's Work."

PRIMATE OF CANADA ON CHURCH UNION

In Laymen's Missionary Movement He Sees the Strongest Influence to Work Ultimate Union of Christian Churches.

Ottawa, Sept. 23.—The opening meeting of the Anglican General Synod of Canada was held in Laurier Hall this afternoon. Dean Farding, of Kingston was re-elected president of the other officers chosen were: Deputy prolocutor, Rev. Rural Dean Combes, of Winnipeg; clerical secretary, Rev. Archibald Campbell, Quebec; treasurer, Judge McDonald, Brockville; and Abington himself, there would be columns of sensation in the newspapers.

SIFTON NOMINATED

Brandon, Sept. 23.—(Special)—Brandon Liberals nominated Hon. Clifford Sifton for the commons last night.

PREMIER LAURIER SPEAKS IN ONTARIO

He Addressed 4000 People at Clinton Yesterday Afternoon.

NEW BILL AT THE PRINCESS

There is an entire change of programme at the Princess today and the new baritone, Mr. Curtan, will be heard in a beautiful song entitled, "Soldier's Dream."

LA TRAVIATA WAS PRONOUNCED SUCCESS

Boston Opera Singers Third Production is Most Popular Yet—Rigoletto Tonight.

One needs to have read La Dame aux Camellias, and to have felt something of the passionate pity of Dumas for Marguerite Gautier, to appreciate fully the artistic triumph won last evening by Miss Darling in La Traviata.

MISS GRETCHE M. RICHEY

Contralto with Boston Opera Singers.

Her most exciting demands upon her musical and dramatic ability, she has met with a triumph of applause and the curtain calls testified to the complete mastery of the audience. The cast last evening was:

THE PADRONE AT THE NICKEL

Nickel crowds sat next thing to spell-bound last evening because of the dramatic intensity of the new pictorial feature.

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That the Shine Won't Explode

JAMES J. HILL IS 70 YEARS OLD

Time Has Dealt Gently With Railroad King.

In 1906 He Said He Would Retire But the Years are Going on and He is Still in Harness, Active as Ever.

St. Paul, Minn., Sept. 23.—James J. Hill, the great American railroad king, has reached the Scriptural age of "Three score and ten." But time has dealt gently with him and physically as well as mentally Hill is to-day as strong and fresh as few men twenty years younger.

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The Times Daily Puzzle Picture



ANSWER TO YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE. Left side down in wall.



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ST. JOHN'S, QUEBEC SURROUNDED BY DESTRUCTIVE FOREST FIRES

Quebec People are Digging Deep Trenches to Protect Their Properties—Ten Thousand Men Fighting Fire in the Adirondack Mountains.

St. John's, Que., Sept. 23.—Brush fires are creeping nearer to the city. Along the C. P. R. track, between the Lachine bridge and St. John's, there were small outbreaks last night in a dense cloud of smoke hangs over the country. For many miles, along some sections of the track, the ground has been ridged to prevent the spreading of the flames. A fire is raging on the west side of Lake Massawippi, taking everything in its course. John Stoddard, one of the sufferers, losing a large quantity of pulpwood. A fire is burning in St. Herve's, near the Gibbon lot of timber lands, and is working southeast towards Van Dyke's property. Another big fire is reported as raging on the southeast side of what is known as the Ball Mountain, southeast of Glen Sutton, and threatening the Baker mill interests as well as Gairland's and several other lumber interests near Glen Sutton. The fire in the Turkey Hill section in Northeast Sutton, are still burning. The fire in and around Henryburg, have assumed alarming proportions. Heavy timbered lands are being totally destroyed. One farm of about 100 acres near Hallowell, has been entirely burned over. The parish church at St. Agouti was in danger of being wiped out as the fire reached within 20 feet of the structure. The fire was dug completely around the church. Fresh fires have broken out in the wood about Masoville. Dunken, one farmer reports the loss of about forty acres of timber and he claims that 1,000 are threatened unless there is a fall of snow. North Creek, N. Y., Sept. 23.—The forest fire conditions in all parts of the Adirondacks are hourly growing worse. The smaller burning areas are rapidly spreading into vast conflagrations. At least 50,000 acres of valuable forest land are being lost, and the extent of the fire is spreading to vast proportions. The highways are a mass of dust, the streams are drying up and the supply of drinking water is almost exhausted. Col. William Fox, state superintendent of forest, said tonight that he did not believe conditions were as alarming as those being stated, although he is receiving reports of many new fires, and has a large corps of men working to prevent the flames from spreading.

C. P. R. STRIKERS COST OF THE ARE RIOTING C.P.R. STRIKE AGAIN

Five or Six Hundred of Them Attack a Laborer at the Angus Shops and Police Are Called Out.

Montreal, Sept. 23.—One hundred police officers were called out at 5.30 this afternoon owing to a riot threatened by five or six hundred strikers who gathered about the C. P. R. Angus shops. The strikers were repulsed by the police. At first the strikers held their ground in defiance, but when the 100 policemen rushed at them with drawn batons they took flight and gave no further trouble. The worker assaulted was a Roumanian laborer who had been in the shops but a few days.

FREDERICTON HAS A YOUNG LIBERAL CLUB

It Was Organized Last Night With Age Limit Placed at 40 Years.

Fredericton, N. B., Sept. 23.—At a meeting of the Liberal party held this evening in the rooms over Farrell Brothers' store it was decided to form a Young Liberal Club for the county of York. Charles H. Allen was elected chairman and W. A. B. McLean, secretary. There were upwards of 100 present and much enthusiasm prevailed. J. D. Phinney, K. C., briefly addressed the gathering, expressing hearty approval of the movement to form a Young Liberal Club. A motion to form such a club was adopted and a committee composed of C. H. Allen, W. A. Walsh and Peter G. Hughes was appointed to prepare additional sections and report at a meeting to be held tomorrow evening. After some discussion it was decided that the age limit should be fixed from 18 to 40. All present signed the roll of membership.

BIG LIQUOR SEIZURE IS MADE IN ONTARIO

Toronto, Sept. 23.—The provincial liquor department has seized five large consignments of whiskey and other intoxicants from Toronto and Montreal, looking for the north country over the Temiskaming & Northern Ontario railway. The department paid the freight on the consignments and is now considering whether it should contest the claim of the owners of the goods for their return or destroy them. So far there has been no claim for the consignments and there is suspicion that the names of the parties to whom they were ostensibly billed are fictitious, and infractions of the license law on a large scale were in contemplation. Chatham, N. B., Sept. 23.—(Special.)—A well attended Liberal organization meeting was held this evening. W. H. Snowball, F. Maher, J. A. Boudreau, Arthur Williams, R. Babinoux, J. K. Loggie, J. B. Bell, T. Fitzpatrick, Murray and Charles Bernard were appointed an executive committee and will report Monday evening. At a meeting of Union Jack Lodge No. 25 P. A. B. in the Market Building, last evening, some of the members presented to the lodge a large Union Jack with flag staff and lodge emblem. Speeches were made by members of the lodge of a very pleasant evening spent.

BUILDING OPERATIONS IN CANADA ARE NOW REPORTED ON THE INCREASE

Statistics From Eleven Representative Centres Show Increasing Activity—Healthy Indication of Return of Expansion Movement—Outlook For Remainder of Year Highly Encouraging.

Construction, for September. Activity in the building industries is on the ascendency. Reports from the various representative centres of Canada show, that despite the falling off during the earlier part of the year, conditions are rapidly improving and the indications are that the remainder of 1908 will probably break all records in building. The financial slump, that came down upon us so suddenly last October had a tendency to bring to an abrupt stop the remarkable wave of expansion that had swept over the country, and although no real causes for anxiety were evident, general confidence seemed to be shaken and the financial institutions of the country became cautious and began pausing down process on industrial loans. The result was that one of the first branches of business to be affected was the building industry, and when the spring of 1908 opened up it was found that because of financial difficulties a large number of building projects had to be postponed. The "bugbear," "tight money," however, has turned out like the dog that barked but never bit and confidence has been rapidly restored, and we find that building in August of 1908 in almost every city of Canada has shown a remarkable increase over that of the same period of 1907, in most cases, was considered a record breaking year, in so far as a real business indicator, in the actual condition of the building industry. It is not known to be so dry in this locality. Many thousands acres of forest land are being burned. There are a number of fires burning in the Blue mountains, while big fires are said to be burning in the neighborhood of Flieside Lake Upper, Chateaugay Lake, Tupper Lake and Loom Lake. At many of these latter places the resort hotels are said to be in danger. The highways are a mass of dust, the streams are drying up and the supply of drinking water is almost exhausted. Col. William Fox, state superintendent of forest, said tonight that he did not believe conditions were as alarming as those being stated, although he is receiving reports of many new fires, and has a large corps of men working to prevent the flames from spreading.

Table showing building statistics for various cities in Canada for August 1908 compared to August 1907. Columns include City, Total Cost of Buildings, and Percentage Increase.

The New Fall Modes in Frocks and Blouses

The new modes for the coming season are now being worn, and most of the models in suits, tailored costumes and gowns are very smart and attractive, but the fashion of the present has undoubtedly many pitfalls for the unwary, and it is advisable to be a little conservative in adopting the new designs. For instance, the Directorate mode, in its extreme manifestations, is, hardly suitable to American wear. It is too vulgar and has already been caricatured on the stage and by the press. The Directorate mode, as it is being worn, is not necessarily a feature of the Directorate mode, but it is a feature of the Directorate mode. Many beautiful gifts testified to the popularity of the young couple. The groom's party left for the city on their return trip for a trip to Boston and other United States cities. Upon their return they will reside in the North End.

Hints On Health

Nervous Prostration.—Neurasthenia, or nervous prostration, is simply exhaustion of the nervous vitality, and is produced by any condition which draws unduly on the patient's strength. Overwork, worry, lack of sleep, lack of exercise, and lack of proper living, are the usual causes.

WEDDINGS Harrington-Allen

Miss Mary Evelyn, daughter of John Allen, Waterloo street, was married in the cathedral yesterday morning to William J. Harrington, of Adelaide street. Rev. A. W. Meahan performed the ceremony. Miss Florence Allen, sister of the bride, was bridesmaid, and James Burke acted as best man. The bride was accompanied by her father and mother. The ceremony was held at 11 o'clock. The bride wore a white silk organdy gown with white silk organza and carried carnations. The bridesmaid wore a white hat to match, and carried pink carnations. After the ceremony, a sumptuous wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride. Many beautiful gifts testified to the popularity of the young couple. The groom's party left for the city on their return trip for a trip to Boston and other United States cities. Upon their return they will reside in the North End.

Willet-Maxwell

Miss Florence Maxwell, daughter of Hon. Robert Maxwell, M.P., was married yesterday morning in her father's residence to Allan S. Willet, Rev. S. Howard, of Exmouth street, Methodist church, performed the ceremony. The bride was prettily gowned in white silk and carried a bouquet of white and pink roses. Under a beautiful floral bell the nuptial knot was tied, and the house was decorated in red and green. The bride was given away by her father. Little Miss Hazel Maxwell, a niece of the bride, was flower girl. Mr. and Mrs. Willet left after the ceremony for Charlottetown, where their honeymoon will be spent. They were fettered at the train by a large number of friends.

Rogers-Schwartz

The wedding of Harold H. Rogers, of the firm of W. Stetson & H. H. Rogers, commission merchants and auctioneers, Halifax, to Miss Elzabeth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Schwartz, will take place in Truro today. The ceremony will be performed at the Baptist church, by Rev. W. N. Hutchins, a relative of Mr. Rogers.

Allen-Love

A very pretty wedding took place at the home of Crawford Lane, St. Martins, Wednesday, the 22nd, when his daughter, Miss Ada May, was united in marriage to Mr. Wilmet Brock Allen, of Fredericton. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. W. Camp, of St. John, in the presence of the immediate friends of the bride and groom. The bride was prettily dressed in a travelling suit of brown broadcloth with hat to match, and was given away by her father. After a dainty luncheon the bridal party left for St. John. After the honeymoon they will reside in Fredericton. Many beautiful and valuable gifts were received, among them a clock from the Sabbath school, of which Miss Lane was an official.

Brogan-Foley

A happy event took place in Boston on Monday, Sept. 21, when Frank Brogan, of St. John, was united in marriage to Miss M. Foley, of St. John West. Miss May Toomey of Boston, attended the bride and the groom was escorted by J. J. O'Connell of St. John. The happy couple will reside at Boston.

ROOSEVELT WRITES TO BRYAN; ATTACKS CAMPAIGN TREASURER

He Says That Col. Haskell is a Grafter as There is Conclusive Proof That he is in the Pay of the Standard Oil Company.

Washington, D.C., Sept. 23.—President Roosevelt tonight, following up a prolonged conference with members of the cabinet at White House, prepared and gave out his reply to W. J. Bryan, Democratic candidate, relative to W. R. Hearst's charges that Governor Haskell, treasurer of the Democratic committee, had represented Standard Oil interests both in Ohio and Oklahoma. Mr. Bryan had demanded proof of the charges, promising that in the event of their substantiation, Governor Haskell would be eliminated from the campaign. Denouncing the Ohio case which involved an allegation of attempted bribery with the explanation that he had made no direct charge against Governor Haskell as regards that particular instance, President Roosevelt takes up the matter of the Prairie State Oil and Gas Commission and argues that Governor Haskell's action in stopping legal proceedings begun by the attorney-general of Oklahoma, demonstrated conclusively that he was controlled by the great corporation to which the Oklahoma case was subsidiary. After contrasting Mr. Bryan's defense of Governor Haskell as against Judge Taft's reputation of foraker in connection with W. R. Hearst's charges against the Ohio senator, the president proceeds to declare that Governor Haskell's utter unfitness for association with any man on a moral issue, "has been abundantly shown by other acts of his as governor of Oklahoma." The president condemns Governor Haskell's conduct in connection with serious matters as disgraceful and scandalous, and says that he has no doubt that he describes as "prostituting to base purposes the state university."

MR. FIELDING WILL SPEAK IN ONTARIO

Famous Minister Booked for Eight Meetings—Hon. A. B. Aylesworth Nominated in North York.

Toronto, Sept. 23.—Hon. W. S. Fielding will speak at eight meetings in Ontario. At Sarnia on Monday, Sept. 29; Windsor, 30th; Galt, 30th; and Toronto, Oct. 1st, Owen Sound, Cobourg and possibly Pembroke will be visited, and the last meeting will be at Brockville, Oct. 7, in interests of Hon. G. P. Graham. Hon. A. B. Aylesworth was received warmly by his North York constituents for the commonsense, and the convention on his return today. The convention at New Market gave him unanimous nomination, and when he told them his hearing was not as good as before, and he could not take as active part in the campaign as he would like, they promised to elect him without any effort on his part.

HENRY DALBY TO OPPOSE MR. AMES

Former Conservative Organizer Will Run as an Independent in St. Antoine, Montreal.

Montreal, Sept. 23.—Henry Dalby, former managing editor of the Star and organizer for the Conservative party in 1896, announces that he will run as an independent in St. Antoine division, stronghold of Montreal and Mr. Dalby announces that he has the promise of a Liberal vote, if he opposes Mr. Ames, who represented the division in the last parliament.

WAREHOUSE AT LUBEC WENT DOWN IN A HEAP

Lubec, Me., Sept. 23.—Seven thousand cases of canned sardines slid into the sea when the floor of the Lubec Sardine Company's warehouse collapsed. The employees had left the building for a moment when the floor gave way, and 21,000 cases of the fish, all without covers, but two-thirds of the goods did not go into the water. The accident is attributed to the weakening of the warehouse supports by the jar of the vessel against the wharf. The loss on the building is \$8,000, and the damage to the goods is about \$10,000.

ONE ON KING EDWARD

A curious court story went the rounds some little time ago about a lovely foreigner, one of whose verbal slips gave King Edward occasion for a hearty laugh. A very lively personage with a delightful accent, she made such a favorable impression upon the King that he asked her to be his partner at bridge. "But, sir," she said, "I really don't know how to play." The King would take no denial, however, and she became rather embarrassed. "I assure you, sir," she said, "I could not think of playing to a king and a knave." There was an awkward silence, and then she realized what she had said and was covered with confusion. The King laughed it off, and now tells the story with gusto.—Dunee Advertiser.

SAILOR ARRESTED AT DALHOUSIE FOR THEFT

Campbellton, N. B., Sept. 23.—Thos. Mann, recently a sailor on the Empress of Ireland, was arrested at Dalhousie yesterday morning by Chief Crawford, of Campbellton, on a charge of robbing boarding houses in the latter town. The specific charge against him is the theft of five suits of clothes, valued at \$25, from Gray's boarding house. Considerable value was shown by the chief in tracking Mann. He was finally located on the water at Dalhousie as he was about to take a schooner for St. John, and taken to Campbellton to stand trial.

POLITICAL MATTERS

Hon. William Pugsley, minister of public works will leave for Ottawa this evening on departmental business. He expects to return to the city next Wednesday. Mr. Pugsley intended to address the meeting of electors called for tonight in Union Hall, North End, but will have to postpone this. The meeting, however, will be held this evening at 8 o'clock and will be addressed by Hon. James Pender, the Liberal candidate in the city, Charles McDonald, E. H. McAlpine and others. This will be the first meeting of the campaign in the north. Hon. James Holly will preside. At a Liberal meeting to be held on Friday evening next at Broad Road, Queens County, John Keeffe, William J. Mahoney, and Norman L. McGowan will speak.

THIS READS LIKE A MAGAZINE

Invasion of Colombia Said to be Planned by Boston Filibusters. Attention was first called to the proposed expedition by advertisements in local papers several months ago, calling for recruits, graduates of the United States Army and Navy preferred, the advertisements being signed merely "W. A. B." A report in the paper in question claims to have enlisted as a recruit and secured the information of the expedition. According to the Post, offices were opened in Boston, Worcester and Lynn and 800 men were secured. These were divided into 300 infantrymen, 200 cavalrymen and 100 artillerymen. One hundred of the men were secured in Worcester and about the same number in Lynn and Boston. From Boston, the men were to receive \$15 per month until departure, then \$30. The recruiting was done under the name of W. A. B. Blanchard, a fitting engineer, with offices in New York. The Lynn recruiting office was under the name of W. A. B. Lane, 23 Waterford street, West Lynn. Master carbines, United States cavalry rifles, 45 calibre revolvers, four machine guns and two Hotchkiss guns with other equipment, it is claimed had already been purchased from Ellis & Company, and Francis I. Bannerman, of 801 Broadway, New York.

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THIS EVENING

"Rigoletto" at the Opera House by Boston opera singers. Moving pictures and illustrated songs at the Nickel.

Liberal mass meeting in Union hall, North End.

LATE LOCALS

The Spence-Strachan Scottish entertainers appear in the Every Day Club hall this evening.

The Carleton intermediate football team will hold a practice on the Shankrock grounds from 6 to 8 o'clock.

The first Allan Line steamer to leave Liverpool for Halifax and St. John will be the Victorian on Friday, November 29.

Boston steamer Governor Cobb, Captain Thompson is due to arrive at 4 o'clock this afternoon, from Boston via Maine ports.

Mary Ann Reid was the only prisoner on the police court bench this morning. She was fined \$2 to two months for intoxication.

The Liberal ward meetings of Stanley, Leane and Lansdown wards will be held tonight owing to the meeting in Union hall.

A. K. Munde has been reported by the police for operating a motion picture show in St. Andrew's Hall without possessing the necessary license.

City L. Barbour, news editor of the Daily Sun, has resigned his position, and will, it is stated, become connected with the new Conservative paper.

Thorne Lodge, No. 250, meets this evening at Tabernacle hall, Haymarket square, at 8 o'clock sharp. All members are requested to attend. Special business.

Charles Jeffrey, the young son of James Jeffrey, was buried this afternoon from his father's residence, Millidgeville avenue. Interment was made in the new Catholic cemetery.

The captain of Frank Gould's steam yacht, Helena, which is now in port, is Captain B. Gardner, of Liverpool, N. S., and another Nova Scotia, Lord Newcombe, of Hantsport, is chief officer.

Jack Rositer, the popular and efficient clerk at the Grand Hotel, has been appointed to a position at the Royal Hotel, St. John, and will leave on October 15th to assume his new duties—Yarmouth Times.

All the members of LeFour Section, Temple of Honor, are requested to attend the first meeting of the Lodge this evening, which has been closed down during the summer; important business to be taken up.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Morrison with a large number of their friends celebrated their fifth anniversary of their marriage at their home last night. The happy couple were presented with a beautiful chair and other useful presents, and a pleasant evening was spent by those present.

The Provincial C. T. U. will hold their annual convention in Woodstock, N. B., Oct. 6, 7 and 8. The following ladies from St. John, North, attend as delegates—Mrs. Hanssacker, Mrs. L. Eagles, Mrs. James McAvity and Mrs. Myles.

The Lady Laurier arrived in port yesterday. She has had just placed a new buoy at Blonde Rock. The Lookout fairway buoy which was adrift has been located by the Aberdeen and towed to Shelburne. The missing buoy from South West Ledge was picked up by the Resigouche—Yarmouth Times, Sept. 22.

The Fred E. Williams company is sending a large shipment of potatoes to Havana by the next trip of steamer Tallman. Two schooners Nova Scotia landed over four hundred barrels today and two more are expected tomorrow. In all about 1,000 barrels will be in the ware house by the Williams company to go forward.

Chatham Commercial: A number of the visiting firemen were given a sail to Newcastle Wednesday, and during the run up Chief Fitzpatrick, on behalf of the Chatham Fire Co., presented Chief Kerr of St. John with a handsome loving cup. At the Touraine Hotel in the evening the St. John men presented Chief Fitzpatrick with a handsome clock.

A LARGE FUNERAL

Funeral of Late Bishop of Montreal Was Held This Afternoon.

Montreal, Sept. 22 (Special).—The funeral of the Right Rev. James Carmichael took place this afternoon at two o'clock from Christ Church Cathedral. Committal services were read by Very Rev. Dean Evans, the rest of the service being taken by other prominent priests. The funeral was one of the largest ever seen in this city and was attended by a very large deputation from St. Georges and other parishes. The representative from the Quebec government was Hon. W. A. Weir. The federal government was also represented by a delegation. There were also many representatives from public bodies outside of Montreal.

LIBERAL PICNIC AT LOCH LOMOND

With fine weather to-day the Liberal picnic at Loch Lomond promises to be a great success. Several backboards left King Square between 9 and 10 o'clock for the scene of the demonstration, and the Carleton Cornet Band also went out to furnish music.

This afternoon Hon. William Pugsley and Hon. H. A. McKeown will address the gathering in the Agricultural Hall. Refreshments have been provided and a good time is expected.

WORKED HARD FOR MONEY

That coal charter of the Yarmouth, N. S., steamer Usher, Captain Perry, is likely to go down into history as the longest on record for a single voyage and the greatest distance coal was ever transported for bunker purposes. The Usher, it will be remembered, was chartered to carry coal to the American battleship fleet at the antipodes and sailed with her cargo on June 11 from Newport News, Va., arriving at Auckland, August 21. She was a little too late for the fleet there, however, so she followed them up to Melbourne, where she arrived on September 2, but the ships were not ready to take her cargo, so she was to carry it along to Manila—New York Shipping Illustrated.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Lockie Newcombe left by D. A. R. train yesterday morning for St. John to join her husband, who is chief officer of Mr. Frank J. Gould's steam yacht Helena—Tuesday's Yarmouth Herald.

Mrs. James Stirling and son of St. John were at the Queen Hotel, Halifax, yesterday.

H. Finley, of St. John, is in Campbellton.

Miss Isadore Leighton returned to New-castle, Tuesday.

Miss Maude Van Baskirk left for her home in Harcourt yesterday after a lengthy visit here.

Miss Bert Smith, of St. John, has returned to resume her position as milliner with R. S. Crawford & Co., at Yarmouth.

Mrs. Fred T. Eldridge, who has been visiting in this city, has returned to her home in Eastport, Maine, accompanied by her sister, Miss Maud Curran.

Mrs. J. Ross of St. Martin's Bay View, left for home yesterday, she has been visiting her sister Mrs. Daniel Monahan, 31 Elliott Row.

Dr. T. C. Lockwood, of Lockport, has returned to his home.

De B. Carrite, E. B. McLeod, W. J. McGuire, A. S. Belyea, F. W. Roach and J. Scott, of this city, were in Halifax yesterday.

Mrs. A. R. Melrose is visiting in Halifax.

C. S. Hanington and W. C. Macneil, were in Fredericton yesterday.

Sydney Beckley and D. Arnold Fox were the entertainers at a social in Fredericton last night.

D. C. Jones, of Montreal, arrived in this city yesterday in a motor car, accompanied by Mr. W. J. McAlary, of St. John—Fredericton Herald.

Mrs. Thompson, of Woodstock, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Sharkey.

Mrs. Annie Gillen, of this city, is visiting relatives in Sydney.

WANTED A HOUSE

OF MANY COLORS

Amusing Case in the City Court This Morning.

In the session of the city court this morning, Hampton & Reynolds, painters, sued Charles Brager, a Jew, for \$8, which the plaintiffs claimed was due them for services rendered in painting the defendant's house on Union street. J. M. Price was counsel for the plaintiffs and J. King Kelley for the defendant.

Even at the inception of the case, discord arose between the opposing lawyers and at one point Mr. Kelley accused Mr. Price of, as he expressed it, "trying to run a witness." Hampton and Reynolds both testified during the former's examination Mr. Kelly persisted in demanding that the witness should produce a contract in writing, despite the magistrate's ruling to the contrary, until his honor eventually silenced the barrister.

Hampton said he contracted with Brager to paint the latter's dwelling, but as he declined to honor the whims of Brager, his wife and daughter, who each desired the house to be painted in paint of different hues and washed him to do more than previously agreed, he was to suspend operations after working twenty-four hours.

Brager gave evidence, and based his claim for refusing to recompense the plaintiffs on the assertion that the work was unsatisfactory.

HIS CASE DECIDED WHILE HE SLEPT

No Wonder Mr. Day Felt Sore When He Left the Police Court.

An illustration of the vagaries of fate occurred in the police court during the session of the city court. A man named Day had been sued for a sum of money and his anxiety to contest the action can be readily conceived when it is known that he was in the vicinity of the court room for an hour and a half previous to the commencement of the session, but unfortunately he fell asleep in one of the chairs in the court room and while he slumbered the case had been called and judgment rendered for the plaintiff by default as the defendant had not complied with the order to defend. In due time Day awoke and asked the clerk to call the case, but he was interested in and was so chagrined at the reply that he strode angrily to the exit and slammed the door as he went out.

OBITUARY

Mrs. Ellen Galbraith

The death occurred at Lorneville shortly after midnight of Mrs. Ellen Galbraith, widow of the late James Galbraith, formerly justice of the peace and a well-known fisherman in that district. Mrs. Galbraith was in her 80th year, and had been in good health until a week ago, when she was taken ill and gradually failed.

She was born in Killeel, County Down, Ireland, and came to this country when a young woman, and has lived practically all her life in Lorneville. She was a woman of generous and sympathetic nature, a kind disposition and ever ready to lend a hand to the sick or needy, and her taking away will be greatly felt by the residents of the little fishing village.

She is survived by three sons and five daughters. The sons are—Thomas J., of Lorneville; James A., of this city, and Samuel H., in the west. The daughters are—Mrs. David McAvour, of Lorneville; Mrs. David McDermott and Mrs. William McAvour, of this city; Mrs. Robert Campbell, of Denver, Colorado, and Mrs. Henry Hines, St. George. The funeral will be held on Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Frank Carruthers

Chatham, N. B., Sept. 24—(Special).—Word was received this morning of the death at Moncton of Eldon Carruthers, the eldest son of Frank Carruthers, of Ferrville.

The deceased was a very popular young man, and was in the Bank of Nova Scotia here before being moved to Moncton. Besides his parents, there are four brothers and a sister. The body will be brought to Chatham this afternoon.

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(Too Late for Classification.)

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