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QUICKER MAILS TO THE NORTH.

Our business men have long felt the inconvenience occasioned by the slow carriage of the mails to the north. In order that a letter may reach any of the northern towns, it must be posted before 11:30 o'clock, a. m. The letter does not reach the north till next morning. There is no reason why letters should not reach the northern towns on the day on which they are posted. This could easily be done by the government making a contract with the Northern & Western railway company for the carrying of mails. A letter posted here in the morning would reach Chatham at noon and Baltimore, Baltimore and Campbellton. Our mails now have to pass through St. John. There is no reason for this, at all events there is no reason why we should not have two mails to the north each day. We call the attention of the representative for York to this matter, and hope that he will use his best efforts to bring about what would be a very great benefit and convenience to the people of Fredericton as well as to those of the northern counties. The Northern & Western railway is now making quick trips between here and Chatham, and there is no reason why one mail a day should not be carried by that line.

THE SHELL FISHERIES—THE COMMISSION AT ST. JOHN.

The members of the commission appointed by the dominion government to enquire into and report upon the means of protecting and furthering the interests of the shell fisheries are now well into their work. They have already visited and made all necessary enquiries of interested persons in Prince Edward Island, and of fishermen in some parts of this province. On Saturday they were at Richibucto and obtained the views of the leading fishermen there. On Monday they proceeded to the Miramichi to make further enquiries. From there they will go to the Beauséjour and then cross over to Gaspe and work along in that direction. The majority of the shell fishermen so far visited appear to be well interested in the commission's work. They appreciate the importance of some well directed move to further the interests of the industry. For some years past the lobster, in value, has been depreciating in consequence of its gradually decreasing size and for other reasons. To get the view of the fishermen in the different provinces for the remedy of this evil appears to be the object of the commission. Some favor a very stringent system of protection as a remedy; others again advise a complete cessation of shell fisheries for three or four years, and in support of their view instance cases in the United States where, after this course had been adopted, the industry was most successfully handled. The commission, it would seem, are so far much impressed with the latter view, and we will not be surprised to find that they will recommend the cessation of operations for three years as the best means of promoting the interests of the shell fisheries.

NEWS CONDENSED.

The Crown Prince's condition is improving. The British government are hopeful of obtaining a satisfactory settlement of the Canadian fisheries dispute soon. M. Delfosse denies that he made overtures to Boulanger to lead a coup d'état in favor of the restoration of the monarchy. The British ship St. John, from San Francisco for Queenstown, has been wrecked off Newfoundland islands. The first officer and seven of the crew were drowned. It is reported that St. John Pope Hennessy, recently reinstated governor general of the Mauritius, after several months suspension, has been removed from office. In a speech at London, last evening, Viscount Ouse, secretary of state for India, said the government were determined to hold office, because they could rely upon the support of unionists. The government would utilize all the provisions of the crime's act. The city of Augusta, Ga., is flooded. Loss to the corporation will be \$25,000; to citizens \$50,000; to farmers along the river \$1,500,000. Prince Kew Luang Derawongse, Vangpaw, a half brother of the king of Siam, and suite, has arrived at New York. He left Siam in May. Jerome L. Hill, executor of the estate of the late Wm. Lott, of New York, is suspected of having used \$275,000 worth of estate securities in speculation. Dr. St. John, of Chicago, owner of the schooner Blisko, and who is believed to

ON THE COAST.

Testimony taken at the trial of the *Annie W. Hodgson* case. HALIFAX, N. S., July 30, 1887.—Capt. Knowledge of the fishery cruiser *Annie W. Hodgson*, who effected the seizure of the *Annie W. Hodgson* at Shelburne, made a statement of the case here today, to be forwarded to official headquarters at Ottawa. The doctor, of course, is inaccessible to the public, but probably contains nothing of importance that is not already generally known.

Canada.

Brush fires are raging in the Ottawa valley. There were 88 incursions in Ottawa in July against 162 in July last year. James Joyce, aged 13, was drowned while bathing in St. Helen's Island lagoon, Saturday. The first train crossed the new C. P. R. bridge over the St. Lawrence, at Lachine, on Saturday. James Legg, aged 25, was run over by a mowing machine near London, Ont., on Saturday, and fatally injured. Parent, the alibiing cashier of the Hochelaga bank, has been committed for trial. He will plead guilty. The inland revenue department is raiding retail tobacconist shops at Montreal for unaccounted appeals. Rev. Father Paradis appeared before Recorder Preston, at Ajijon, Ont., on Saturday, on a charge of forgery. Fred. Burbanks, of Woodstock, Ont., was subpoenaed yesterday morning while cleaning out a hole at the gas works. It is stated that the Alana have purchased two of the steamers of the Monarch line for the north Atlantic trade. Richard Poyner, of Toronto, testifies in under arrest, charged with criminal assault on a nine year old girl, on Friday night. The Nova Scotia cotton company cleared \$20,000 last year, and will declare a dividend for the first time in five years. Harvey & McQuesten's woolen and cotton mills, at Hespeler, Ont., were damaged by fire to the extent of \$15,000 on Saturday. James Foster, bookkeeper of the International grain and stock exchange at Quebec, has been arrested on a charge of embezzlement. It is rumored that Hon. J. C. Aikens has applied for four months' extension of his term as governor of Manitoba, and that it will be granted. Mrs. McKay, while gathering eggs in a barn at London, Ont., on Saturday, fell on this fork handle of a hay mow, which pierced her body 10 inches. Mr. J. R. Lavin, of Montreal, died on Saturday, 20 minutes after returning from a pilgrimage to St. Anne. His death is attributed to excessive heat. The municipal council of Murray Bay, Quebec, has passed resolutions expressive of regret at the withdrawal from public life through ill health of Hon. Ed. Blake and J. A. Gov. Mason. H. A. Jansson, grain dealer of St. John, N. B., has absconded. The bank of Montreal held about \$13,000 worth of warehouse receipts of his which have been found since his departure to be false. One of the liberal candidate's prominent friends in the Laurier election was arrested yesterday, charged with bribery. A warrant has been issued for the arrest of Fabian Yarns and Joseph Leow, manager and editor of *La Montre* respectively, charged with libel against Hon. H. Merier. Miss Beale Power, of Boston, who was on a visit to her friends at St. John, N. B., was killed by a train at Prospect, on Saturday. Mrs. Annie Christian, of Prospect, was drowned off Kelly's Point. The real reason some people live in such an extreme old age is that they don't know exactly when they were born. A travelling doctor who holds forth in Indiana has been killed. "If not hung by a mob I shall reach this place about now."

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