

TWENTY PERSONS BURNT TO DEATH

In Chamber of Commerce Building, Kansas City—Their Names Not Known, as Register Was Burned, and Janitor Missing, Believed to Be Buried in the Ruins.

KANSAS CITY, Oct. 25.—(Special)—More than a score of lives are believed to be lost in a fire that destroyed the four story Chamber of Commerce building in the Riverview district of Kansas City, Kansas today.

When the fire broke out several persons were asleep in the building, the three upper floors of which were occupied by families and lodgers.

and stone, but the floors and partitions were of wood.

No register of the occupants was kept and it is not known exactly how many persons were in the building.

The only person who knows the actual number of occupants of the building is the janitor, who is missing and is believed to be under the great mass of debris that is piled high inside the bare walls of the destroyed structure.

NEGROES RIOT IN PHILADELPHIA

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Oct. 24.—Rioting by thousands of negroes was caused last night by the production of Rev. Thomas Dixon's play "The Clansmen." Before it was ended panic reigned inside the Waldorf Theatre where the play was on, car service to the central part of the city was stopped, windows were broken and a score or more blacks were badly beaten. Several went to hospitals and a number were arrested.

A committee of negro ministers called upon Mayor Weaver yesterday to protest against the play, and thousands of postal cards were sent to the 6,000 negroes in this section calling upon them to march upon the theatre and stop the play by force.

"Rush the theatre", the crowd cried and just then 100 more police charged the blacks. While the trouble was at its height Director of Public Safety McKenney, and Mayor Weaver's chum, Frederick J. Sower, pushed through and gained the theatre steps.

"The public is often faked. Unscrupulous dealers actuated by large profits often recommend corn cures as good as Patman's. There is only one genuine Corn Extractor and that is Patman's. Patman's which is a miracle of efficiency and promptness. Use no other.

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PUMPS.—Reliable woolen pumps made on latest ideas for easy working and satisfaction. John H. Compton, Belle River, 10-26-06.

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FOR SALE.—At half cost 30 ft 10 in leather belt, 20 ft 6 in raw hide belt, extra 22 ft 2 in rolled steel shaft, 11 ft 3 in shaft. One large saw spindle, boxing, flanges, cog, etc. John H. Compton, Belle River. 10-26-06.

REMEMBER.—That everybody reads a morning paper as the news is then fresh and up-to-date, and that at some time during the day everybody is likely to buy the goods advertised while their mind is still bright and active.

AGENTS.—Of course you intend to look a big Christmas order. But do it now or you may be late to secure the territory you want. See ad elsewhere in these columns. Eureka Copying Co. 10-26-06.

ATTENTION.—Here's just what you want for Xmas. Send 75c for sample dozen beautiful Stereoscope Views. Five by 7. Retail value \$2.00. Twelve for \$1.50. Six for two alike \$2.00. Views selected from original negatives taken in all parts of the world and reproduced in the colors of nature. Agents make \$5.00 to \$10.00 per day. A word to the wise is sufficient. Address Eureka Copying Co., Eureka, N. S. 10-26-06.

COLLEGE TEAMS PLAY FOOTBALL

Acadia Loses to New Brunswick University Though Neither Team Scored

FREDERICTON, Oct. 25.—(Special)—The Acadia and U. N. B. football game today ended with no score.

Under the intercollegiate rule Acadia loses, her team having been forced twice to touch for safety while the University only touched once.

NEVER REPEAL SALARY GRAB

TORONTO, October 24.—Speaking at the North Bruce nomination on the indemnity question, Hon. Mr. Aylesworth said: "The fact of the matter was there were plenty of members who would be dear at any price. The people of Bruce should not think they were going to get the indemnity bill repealed simply by sending McEllan to Ottawa. If they believed that McEllan could get the increase repealed they had more faith in his powers than he had. He did not expect ever to see it repealed, and just so long as they had 214 members of parliament, each taking an increase, each keeping it, and each wanting it, things were not going to be changed."

PLACE OF HEARST IS DEFINED

AUBURN, N. Y., Oct. 24.—Ex-Mayor Osborne, who was a delegate to the Buffalo convention, and bitterly opposed Hearst, is out with a signed statement defining his position in the campaign. He does not recede from his ante-nomination attitude. After a long introduction he treats the subjects under three heads, viz: 1. Hearst is not a Democrat. 2. He secured nomination by corruption and violence. 3. He is trying to disrupt the Democratic party. 4. The insincerity of Mr. Hearst. He charged Hearst with being corrupt, a money tyrant, the creator and organizer of hatred, a modern instance of those degenerate Roman millionaires who bought their offices from the people with bread and circuses, a new and sinister figure in our history.

WHERE DOES CONSUMPTION BEGIN?

The first little tickle becomes a cough, the cough grows severe, is neglected and travels down to the lungs. Treat them trouble before it gets severe. Catarrhs of the throat and bronchial trouble quickly. A marvel worker is Catarrhose which prevents thousands of Catarrh victims from contracting consumption. Recommended by doctors, proved by time to be unfailing, Catarrhose is just what you need. 25c and \$1.00, sold everywhere.

Try the Del'cious "Satinose" Sausage at Saunders & Newsom's.

NEWFOUNDLAND WAS CONSULTED

But Did Not Agree to Modus Vivendi as Requested by Britain

LONDON, Oct. 25.—(Special)—In the Commons today Winston Churchill said the Government of Newfoundland had been fully consulted before the fisheries modus vivendi was arranged but the British authorities had not been so fortunate as to obtain the concurrence of Newfoundland in the agreement.

BUT FIVE SAVED OF TWO HUNDRED

Awful Suffering of Those Rescued From Houseboat Driven to Sea.

NORFOLK, Oct. 25.—(Special)—Famished and perishing of thirst, five men were picked up on a raft off the Florida coast by the steamer Heatherpool and landed here today.

They were the survivors of nearly two hundred laborers on a houseboat which was driven to sea by the storm of Oct. 17. All the others were drowned.

Their sufferings on the raft were so great that one man went mad and jumped overboard.

MORE ABOUT THE ONTARIO BANK

TORONTO, Oct. 24.—The investigation of the books of the Ontario Bank, which is being proceeded with, has led to some further disclosures of a rather startling nature regarding the manner in which the affairs of the bank were conducted by the officials responsible. It is alleged that assets which had actually no existence, were carried on the books of the bank, giving the impression that the institution was in a much stronger financial position than was really the case. There was, for instance, one item of \$78,000 carried under the head of 'Other Securities,' which securities were not in existence at all. It appears also that a loss of no less a sum than \$485,000 occurred in stock transactions carried on through the agency of a prominent New York banking firm. This firm when it became informed of the real position of Mr. Charles McGill, former general manager of the Ontario Bank, promptly closed the account. To protect the price of Ontario Bank stock in the open market the bank at different times purchased \$21,600 of its own shares, which it now holds, and is, therefore, its own shareholders of that amount.

Minard's Liniment Relieves Neuralgia.

KILLED A MAN UNDER MISTAKE

Prisoner Says Thought Him a Wild Animal; Is Charged With Murder

MONTPELIER, Vt., Oct. 25.—(Special)—Harison Corliss aged 17 is under suspicion of the murder of Henry Tracy aged 30, whose body was found today riddled with bullets near here.

The accused declares he shot Tracy in mistake for a wild animal.

THE HORSE RACES AT UPTON PARK

A Good Attendance Notwithstanding the Rain—Best Race, For Some Time

The races at Upton Park yesterday were well patronized, notwithstanding the fact that the weather looked threatening. The events were hotly contested and considering the dampness the time was good.

In the free-for-all Malay drew the pole with Speculation second and Jean third. Speculation soon passed Malay who in turn was passed by Jean at the half mile, which position she held to the finish with Speculation 2nd and Malay 3rd.

In the second and third heats the horses finished in the same order making a splendid race throughout.

Time 3:32 2-31 and 2-29. In the 2.35 class Parker C. drew the pole, Bonny K. 2nd, Queen Marie 3rd, Parkola 4th. At the quarter Bonny K. took the lead with Queen Marie 2nd and Parker C. 4th, in which positions this heat was finished.

In the second and third heats the horses finished in the following order: Bonny K. 1st, Parkola 2nd, Queen Marie 3rd, and Parker C. 4th.

Summary: Bonny K. 1 1 1, Parkola 3 2 3, Queen Marie 2 3 3, Parker C. 4 4 4. Everything passed off splendidly, and those who attended the races praised the new management, and hope that this is the opening of a new era for horse racing in this Province.

The WEATHER. Fresh westerly winds, fair, with a little lower temperature.

TASTY MEALS. Easily prepared with Clark's Pure Canned Meats in the house. Get Clark's if you want the best.

SECOND TRIAL VERDICT GUILTY

Against W. E. Clarke on Serious Charge—Sentence Deferred Pending Appeal.

ST. JOHN, Oct. 25.—(Special)—The second trial of Wm E. Clarke, charged with attempted rape, was concluded today when the jury after twenty minutes deliberation returned a verdict of Guilty.

Sentence was deferred pending a possible appeal. The first trial resulted in a disagreement.

FATHER AND HIS TWO DAUGHTERS

Killed at Level Crossing By Collision, Returning From a Funeral.

NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—Three persons were killed and several injured tonight in a collision at Woodside, L. I., between a train and a coach returning from a funeral.

The dead are Patrick Healy and his two little daughters. The accident occurred at a level railway crossing.

SEAMEN'S HOUSE IN SAINT JOHN

A New Fifteen Thousand Dollar Building to be Erected Soon Ready.

ST. JOHN, Oct. 25.—(Special)—The Seamen's Mission of St. John which has been doing excellent work for the winter port seamen and other mariners as well, has decided to build a new fifteen thousand dollar building on the west side of the harbor.

The work of soliciting subscriptions has been going on for some time and the new Home will probably be occupied before many months.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

Table with 2 columns: Commodity and Price. Dec. Corn 42 1/2, Wheat 72 1/2, Dec. Pork 43 1/2, May Corn 43 1/2, May Wheat 77 1/2, Pork 81.85.

Minard's Liniment for sale everywhere.

ISLANDERS MADE NEARLY A MILLION

The Adventurous Careers of Two Natives of Cardigan—Made Fortunes in the Klondike and Have Now Come Home After Long Absence

There went up to Cardigan by train from this City two natives of that place who for a number of years have been pursuing fickle fortunes away in the wilds of the Klondike. They have been more than ordinarily successful and have amassed a fortune which reaches a large figure.

They are Thomas and Lemuel Shepherd and they left their native island some twenty years ago. On leaving here they first went to the State of Maine and subsequently drifted to the alluring gold fields of the Great West.

Recently they decided to come home, and on their way back they stopped at Rockland, Maine, where they had worked on first going to the States. There they renewed old acquaintances, and were interviewed by a newspaper man, who sent the following story about them to the Boston Herald.

"Giving away nuggets of gold to their friends and buying for their relatives gold watches and other expensive presents, Robert W. Shepherd and Lemuel E. Shepherd, who were employed as ship-carpenters fifteen years ago in the yards of Rockland and Thomaston, created a big sensation during their two days' stay with their brother, James A. Shepherd of this city. Tomorrow morning they will leave for Prince Edward Island where they will visit their aged mother, Mrs. Lydia Shepherd.

"The two men obtained their mining experience in the Klondike camp. They suffered many hardships and proved good pupils. The hard times in Seattle where they first went after leaving Rockland, drew them to the Klondike and proved to be a streak of luck, for they have been on the pay streak ever since. From the Klondike they went to the Fairbanks district in the Tanana Valley, which is almost in the central part of Alaska. Here they have cleared over \$750,000.

"The two brothers exhibited to The Herald reporter nuggets of various shapes and sizes taken from Goldstream and other claims, also sheets of crisp \$5 bank bills bearing the signatures of the president and treasurer of the First National Bank of Fairbanks, the first paper money ever seen in that city.

"Said R. W. Shepherd to The Herald reporter: We have suffered a good many hard knocks and gone hungry more than once, but we were finally able to strike the pay streak, while many a better fellow had gone under. We had our hardest experience in the Klondike. At one time we had to kill our dogs because there was no food for them.

"The two men had only about \$200 for capital saved from their earnings at ship building and contract work at Seattle when they made their first start for the gold fields about 10 years ago.

The two Shepherds are related to a number of residents in this City. Mrs. W. Byers, Mrs. McNeil, and Mrs. Stanley being cousins. There is no question but that they are the possessors of a large fortune.

MORE OIL FOUND NEAR MONCTON

English Capitalists Examine the Property and May Purchase it

MONCTON, Oct. 25.—(Special)—During the last three weeks Major Graham, London, Eng. and O. P. Boggs, Pittsburg, have been in New Brunswick looking over the property the N. B. Petroleum Co.

A well was bored at Dover near this city with great results.

The English representatives selected a site at Dover and at a depth of 523 feet in the oil sands the well was struck. It looks as if the situation is a most valuable one.

THE INDIANS OF THE NORTH

WINNIPEG, Oct. 24.—The Rev. J. Semmens, Indian Agent, has just completed his annual trip among the Indians on the Lake of the Woods and the Lake Winnipeg districts, and he states that the Indians both in Western Ontario and in Manitoba, as far as he has visited them, were in the best condition, having plenty of money, and abundance of food, and being in excellent state of health. There are twelve stations in the Lake Winnipeg district which we are called on to visit, he said, and where we pay out the treaty money. The Indians of Lake Winnipeg are well paid during the fishing season for their work, much better than they were in earlier years. The usual rate of wages is two and a half cents per pound for dressed fish. We have also certain stations in the valley of the Nelson. This country is the ideal of the hunter, and much fur of various kinds is secured in it by the Indians. Among the furs secured are beaver, otter, bear, mink, marten, fisher, muskrat, etc. The hunting season was as successful as usual last year and the Indians expect a good year this winter. The country in the Valley of the Nelson is rougher than that on the shore of Lake Winnipeg. On the Lake of the Woods, in the district included between Kenora, Savanah and Fort Frances, there are twelve additional stations which I visited. The Indians in the Lake of the Woods are still pagan, and the attitude of these natives to religion is quite decided. They refuse absolutely to allow their children to attend any school where religion is taught in any form to any extent.

THE PROGRESS OF FRENCH CABINET

PARIS, October 24.—The Clemenceau cabinet has begun the formulation of its program and the indications are that it will be very broad and that probably some surprises are in store. In well-informed circles the impression prevails that the plans of the government include, besides the complete carrying out of the law providing for the separation of church and state, legislation establishing workmen's pensions upon reaching a certain age, the state purchase of the western and some of the southern railways, and the creation of a state monopoly of petroleum and alcohol.

MEXICAN REBELS WERE REPORTED

PHOENIX, Ariz., Oct. 24.—A despatch from Tucson says that a well-known citizen of that place, whose name is withheld, has returned from Nogales, Mexico, where he was authoritatively informed that the Salas and all the other revolutionists recently deported from Arizona, were taken to Hermosillo and summarily executed, notwithstanding official statements to the contrary.

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BIG INCREASE IN IMMIGRATION

OTTAWA, Oct. 24.—The total immigration to Canada for July and August was 33,869. There arrived through ocean ports 29,079, showing an increase of 12,904 for the same two months of the current year. This shows 57 per cent of an increase, of 59 per cent on the ocean arrivals, and 53 per cent on those from United States.

J. M. Courtney, Deputy Minister of Finance, was subpoenaed this morning to produce the Ontario Bank returns from 1901 down to the date in the Court. An officer will be sent with the returns which are what is wanted.



A corner in the Classroom of the Business Department of the "C. B. C." Students at work.