

MONDAY

RUMOR DENIED.—The item copied from Boston Advertiser on Sept. 26th, concerning Donald Martin's death is false as Medical Examiner Dow pronounced death due to drowning.

The Guardian announced today the death of Mr. Edmund Brown Crosby which occurred at his late residence, Borden on Saturday the 15th instant.

Mr. Crosby was for years an official of the Prince Edward Island Railway and later of the Canadian National Railway. While in the railway service he was painstakingly competent and obliging and was very much esteemed by the patrons of the road.

Mr. Crosby was one of the first to advocate connection by Car Ferry steamer between Borden and Cape Tormentine and lived to see the completion and satisfactory operation of this important enterprise. On resigning from the railway service, Mr. Crosby built and operated the Gerards Hotel. In this connection he became widely known to the travelling public and enjoyed a very large measure of popularity.

He leaves to mourn a widow and one daughter, Miss Olga, one brother William of Denver, Colorado and one sister, Mrs. Hunter of Portland, Oregon.

To the bereaved we extend our sympathy.

WEDDING BELLS.—A quiet and pretty wedding took place at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon MacFarlane, Augustine Cove, on the evening of the 19th Sept. when their niece Bertie Alice Buxton was united in marriage to Ralph Arthur son of Mr. Crosby built and operated the Gerards Hotel.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. P. A. Fitzpatrick. The bride who was given in marriage by her father was unattended. She was attired in white procured satin and bridal veil with orange blossoms. The wedding march was played by her cousin Miss Jean Webster. After the ceremony the bridal party with immediate relatives sat down to a daintily prepared supper. A large number of attendants gathered and after paying their compliments to the bride and groom proceeded to refreshments. The happy couple then motored to their future home in Malpeque followed by the best wishes of many friends.

A bad fire which broke out yesterday morning in the sash and door factory of M. P. Hogan's Sons, Lower Great George Street, completely gutted the building and caused damage to the machinery and stock amounting at between \$12,000 and \$14,000.

The fire, the origin of which is unknown, was first noticed by passers by a few minutes before 11 a. m., and the alarm was sent in from the Victoria Hotel nearby. So quickly did it get under way that before the prompt arrival of the firemen dense smoke could be seen through the windows, and within a few minutes the whole building was in a blaze.

The firemen worked with their customary speed and thoroughness but it was impossible to save the building, stocked as it was with wood-work. Two streams of water from the Lower Great George Street hydrants, two from the Victoria Hotel and one from Prince Street were played on the blazing building, but it was not until after 1 p. m. that the fire was completely conquered, and the all clear signal was given.

The firemen were successful in containing the fire to the Hogan building. The new brick machine shop of Bruce Stewart and Co., adjoining it, was undamaged. The building has steel window sashes and is steel ribbed throughout. The machinery in the burned mill, damaged or totally wrecked in yesterday's fire, include a planer, a planer and matcher, a moulding machine, a variety moulder, a buzz planer, bandsaw, jig saw, two

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rip saws, a tenon machine, a mortiser, and other smaller machines. There was a quantity of lumber and stock in process of manufacture in the mill; also one 35 h.p. boiler and engine, and a 20 h.p. electric motor.

The electric motor was chiefly in use. It is understood that only a slight fire of shavings had been in the boiler Saturday morning and that this fire was allowed to die out altogether in the afternoon. The fire had the appearance of having started from a position about the second window of the building, on the north side. Everything appeared all right when the mill was locked up after work on Saturday afternoon.

The lumber on the wharf at the back of the mill was undamaged. The total insurance amounts to \$7,500.

Messrs. Hogan's plant was totally destroyed by fire about nine months ago, together with a large amount of lumber. At that time the loss was uncovered by insurance.

ISLANDER DEAD.—Many friends will regret to learn of the death in Los Angeles, California, of Mr. Charles Worth, formerly of this city who will be kindly remembered by many old friends. He leaves several brothers and sisters to mourn their loss. Mrs. Eason, Hillboro Street, is a sister of deceased.

PAINFULLY INJURED.—A horse which was being driven by Mrs. Alphonse Collings of Wellington becoming frightened by paper blowing about near her home last week, caused Mrs. Collings, to receive a broken leg. She was immediately removed to the Prince County Hospital where the limb was set, and she is reported to be progressing favorably.

SLIGHT FIRE YESTERDAY.—The firemen were called out yesterday afternoon for a slight blaze on the roof of Mr. Percy Farquharson's house, Upper Prince Street, which was quickly put out. It was noticeable that the large number of motorists proceeding the firemen did not seem to realize the fact that the firemen had the right of way, and the number of cars in the vicinity of the fire might have caused a hindrance to their work had the affair been a more serious one.

The deep sympathy for Mr. and Mrs. Donald Andrews of Hunter River in the death of their beloved son George Wilfred, was shown by the very large attendance at the funeral held from his parents' residence, Hunter River, on Saturday afternoon Sept. 29th, there being over 100 carriages and over 40 cars in the long process ion.

Services were conducted by Rev. George Ayers and Rev. R. H. Stavert.

Rev. Mr. Ayers read from Psalm 91:14, and John 14:1, and Mr. Peters, in a feeling address, uttered words of comfort and consolation to the bereaved parents and other relatives.

The singing of the hymn, "Peace, Perfect Peace," by the large throng within and without the building, was very impressive, bringing tears to many eyes.

There were many beautiful floral tributes.

fore exchanging their lot for other fields of labor.

The next speaker Mr. Laughlin McDonald, referred to the fact that he was one of those who had been instrumental in organizing the Kings County Exhibition Association and complemented the present management on the splendid showings this year, strongly advising them to keep up the good work.

Remarks were also made by Mr. John McKinnon, president of the Kings County Exhibition Association and by Mr. Frank Mullally, who acted as chairman.

The principle feature of the exhibition was the live stock exhibits which elicited much commendation especially the horse display which was exceptionally good.

These animals of which there were many entries were judged by Mr. Hammond Kelly, who declared them to be among the best he had yet seen particularly the younger horses which were of a very high grade.

Mr. W. J. Reid of the Department of Agriculture acted as judge in the cattle display. Among the principal exhibitors was Mr. Edwin Reid, Rollo Bay, with his herd of Ayrshires, also Mr. Wm. Hughes, Mayor of Souris, who exhibited his splendid herd of seven Polled Angus cattle lately imported from Ontario.

In the showing of sheep and swine which was small but of good quality, Mr. C. B. Clay, Dunbrury was the chief exhibitor. These were judged by Messrs. Almon Boswell and W. H. Gibson, Marshfield and received favorable comment.

The Poultry display was also small, but of high grade and was judged by Mr. L. H. D. Foster, Marshfield.

An interesting feature of this year's fair was the Experimental Farm exhibit of general farm products. This was under the supervision of Mr. J. A. Clark.

Another exhibit which aroused much interest was that of the Domestic Science Department under the direction of Miss Harper, Charlottetown. In conjunction with this was the showing of fruit and fancy work which was supervised by Mrs. F. J. Rose, Lakeville and Miss Beesie Brennan, Souris. The principal entries of fruit were made by Rev. Father Walker, Rollo Bay and McIntyre Bros., Montague.

ENJOYABLE "SHOWER."—Friday evening a most enjoyable time was had at the residence of Mrs. A. B. Gillis, the event being in the nature of a shower, tendered by Miss Jean McMillan in honor of Miss Dorothy Davies, who is shortly to be one of the principals in an interesting event. The numerous presents were wheeled into the parlour in a nicely decorated perambulator. The bride-to-be reading the original verses attached to each article, which consisted of linen, silverware, etc. After this portion of the program was completed, music games, etc., were indulged in, the enjoyable evening culminating in dancing.

ANOTHER RUNNER SEIZURE.—The Customs Cruiser Margaret, Captain Coffin, which was in port yesterday loading coal at Buntain & Bell's wharf, seized the rum runner steamer "Sadie Mac," a converted drifter, 3 1/2 miles off Pt. Esplanade last Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The Margaret left Gaspé at 6 o'clock in the morning and intercepted her quarry as she was steaming out of the Miramichi River where she was supposed to have landed part of her cargo. She had still on board 205 cases of Scotch Whiskey and 45 kegs of rum. These were transferred to the

It was with sincere sorrow that the many friends learned of the death of George Wilfred Andrews, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Andrews Hunter River, on Thursday Sept. 27th, at the P. E. I. Hospital, at the age of 25 years.

Only a few days before his death he was taken suddenly ill with appendicitis, he was taken to the Hospital and operated on but as often happens other troubles set in and on Thursday morning with his father and mother and loved one by his bedside, his spirit gently took its flight.

Wilfred was a general favorite with all, and his cherry smile and welcome footsteps will be sadly missed by his neighbors and friends who he often visited.

Besides his sorrowful father and mother six sisters are left to mourn, viz. Mrs. Ira Aackham, Hunter River; Mrs. Heber Barrett, Mrs. Merrill Green, Kensington; Mrs. Vera, and last, at home, three brothers predeceased him with the same disease some few years ago.

The funeral service which was held on Saturday Sept. 29th, was the largest ever seen in this part of the country there being over one hundred wagons and upwards of fifty cars.

The service was conducted by his pastor the Rev. O. Peters, assisted by the Rev. George Ayers and Rev. R. H. Stavert, cousins of the deceased viz:—James E. Andrews, James H. Andrews, Stirling Andrews, William Nicholson, Robert Smith, George Seunter.

BRINGING UP FATHER R



Margaret and the rum runner was towed back to Gaspé left in charge of the Customs. This is the fourth rum seizure made by the Margaret this season.

PROPERTY SOLD.—Mrs. M. Chappelle of St. Avar's, Charlottetown has sold her beautiful property at St. Avar's, the purchaser being Mr. John M. McDonald of Wood Islands. Mr. McDonald is fortunate in securing such desirable property so pleasantly situated near the city.

HALL—LLOYD WEDDING.—An quiet wedding took place at Truro Oct. 3rd the principals being Beatrice Blanche, daughter of Mr. James Lloyd, and Harry G. Hall. The ceremony being performed by Rev. L. E. Davis, of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church. The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, looked exceptionally pretty in a blue suit, neck piece of grey squirrel and black velvet hat. She carried a bouquet of Ophelia Roses. Both bride and groom were unattended. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Hall left for their trip to Charlottetown. The wedding gifts formed a large and beautiful collection, including cut-glass, silver, china and linen. The happy couple have the best wishes of their many friends.—Halifax Exchange.

WEDNESDAY

BURIAL SERVICES.—The funeral of late Mrs. Patrick Duffy, Banbury, was held yesterday morning to St. Dunstan's Cathedral where a High Mass of Requiem was celebrated by Rev. Jas. Rooney. The pall bearers were: Messrs. John Mahar, John McAlister, Jas. Farquharson, Hammond Kelly, Henry Smallwood and George McDonald. Services at the grave were conducted by Rev. R. St. John.

LAID TO REST.—The funeral of the late Mr. E. E. Crosby of Borden took place yesterday forenoon to the People's Cemetery in accordance with the will of the deceased who had purchased a plot in that cemetery some time before his death. The body arrived in Charlottetown this forenoon accompanied by Mrs. Crosby and daughter Olga. The officiating clergyman, Rev. M. J. MacPherson and several friends of the deceased. The pall bearers were Messrs. W. F. Tidmarsh, D. O. M. Reddin, Geo. W. Gardner, Gordon Dawson, Chas. McDonald and William Leard. Rev. Mr. MacPherson conducted the services at the house and grave.

WELL KNOWN LADY DEAD.—The Malden News contains the following notice of the death of Mrs. Fisher, who is kindly remembered by many in this city, where she visited from time to time:—"Mrs. Amy Florence Fisher, widow of Sidney A. Fisher, a well known at Charlottetown, died at 26th Street, Charlottetown, on Sept. 26th. Mrs. Fisher is survived by two children, Arthur S. Fisher, and Mrs. Rudd; also two grandchildren."

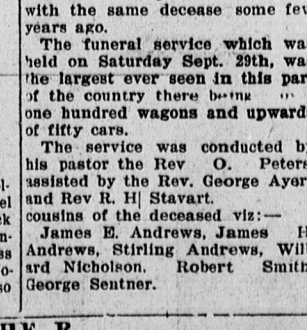
Despite the fact that the weather yesterday was exceptionally good for harvesting over 2,000 people from the surrounding districts and points more remote were in attendance at the Egmont Bay annual exhibition.

The fair, one of the best held in years was formally opened at two o'clock by His Honor Lieutenant Governor MacKinnon and a cordial welcome to the visitors was extended by Rev. F. X. Gallant, who occupied the chair.

In a brief address His Honor Governor MacKinnon heartily commended the people of the district on the splendid showing of farm products. He also made reference to the large attendance which evidenced the keen interest taken by the people, and which added much in bringing "the B. Fair" to the high standard to which it had already attained. The speaker concluded by wishing all every success and a pleasant day's outing.

Hon. J. H. Myers, Commissioner of Agriculture, the next speaker referred to the very creditable exhibit of horses, but stated that the live stock show did not do full credit to the district and hoped there would be a decided improvement in years to come. This branch of farming, he said, was one of paramount importance at the present time and was one of the farmer's best money producers. Mr. Myers concluded with an explanation of the benefits of raising produce for feeding purposes, and stated that every assistance possible would be given by the Department of Agriculture.

Among other speakers were Mr. Justice Arsenault, who spoke in his native tongue, and Rev. Father Gauthier, who spoke in English and concluded in French. Father Gauthier in his remarks laid particular stress on the seed potato industry



THURSDAY

PASSED AWAY.—An aged and highly respected master mariner, Captain Robert Murray, of New Richmond, C.B., passed away on Tuesday evening at the residence of his son, Captain Howard Murray, of this city. The deceased who was 87 years of age, had made many trips between Charlottetown and Sydney in his day. Four years ago he came to reside in Charlottetown. His wife predeceased him, and there are several sons, and daughters in Point Tupper, C. B. He will be laid to rest at New Richmond, C.B., the body leaving here this morning.

FURTHER DAMAGE REPORTS.—During the storm of last week the Gillan Bridge connecting Alberton with Kildare and other points to the East of the town, was seriously damaged and rendered impassable. A fish house at Alberton belonging to Mr. E. M. Matlow was driven from its place and lodged on the outer end of the Railway wharf. A building of Austin Skerry was torn from its place and floated to Oulton's Island. King's wharf was beaten by the high tide and wind, many of its timbers torn loose and more than one hole washed out by the swirling waters. Mr. Craswell Weeks lost fourteen sheep which were pastured upon a marsh to the east of the town.

LIGHT STATIONS DAMAGED.—The extent of the damage caused by the recent storm to the light stations throughout the Province is very considerable, reports Mr. W. H. Prowse, superintendent of lights who returned yesterday from inspecting the Murray Harbor and Georgetown district. 150 feet of the protecting breastwork of the Murray Harbor front light has been washed away. 50 feet have been destroyed at St. Andrew's Point and Georgetown front light protection. Reports elsewhere show similar damage. The inner ranges at St. Peter's Harbor and Tracadie are gone. At Rustico the inner ranges have been demolished and the outer ranges moved out of position. Inner ranges at New London have met a similar fate. Many fishermen on the coast have lost their whole summer catches. Mr. Prowse leaves today, accompanied by Engineer Clawson, to continue the inspection at Rustico and New London.

FRIDAY

WEDDING BELLS.—At the Methodist Parsonage, Fairhaven, Mass., by the Rev. Dr. R. Roberts Jessup, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Smith of this city was married to W.M. Stewart, son of Mr. Dan Stewart of Charlottetown. The bride wore a suit of navy blue with large white carnations, was given away by Mr. Dan McDougal of Taunton, Mass. After the ceremony the bridal party drove to the home of Mr. and Mrs. McLean where a happy evening was spent. After a short stay in Taunton the happy couple left for their future home in Boston, Mass.

The following is taken from the Edmonton Journal, September 26th:—"Rev. Donald J. McLeod, passed away at McLeod, Alberta, on Tuesday, September 25th. Deceased was formerly Superintendent of Education at Charlottetown, P. E. I., and came west a few years ago to reside in his son, John A. McLeod, at Evansburg, He leaves to mourn their loss a widow, (nee Margaret McPherson sister of Mrs. Harry Houle of Charlottetown), two sons, John A. McLeod, of Evansburg, and D. D. McLeod, of Toronto, and two daughters, Mrs. L. Robertson of Annapolis, Mrs. L. Norman, E. Pitcher, of this city. The remains will be brought to the city Thursday morning and the funeral service will be held Thursday afternoon at two o'clock from Connelly and Armstrong's parlors to the Edmonton cemetery. Rev. D. E. Cameron, of the university.

Mr. McLeod was appointed Chief Superintendent of Education for Prince Edward Island in 1891 and resigned in 1900. Later he went to Sydney and thence to Northfield, Mass., where he studied for the ministry in the Moody Institute. After his ordination he engaged in evangelist work and preached for a number of years in the United States, and then went to Western Canada, retiring from the ministry some years ago. Mr. McLeod was born in Rose Valley, P.E.I. over 70 years ago, and before being appointed Superintendent of Education, taught in the public schools and was an educationalist of considerable ability and popular with students and teachers. Besides his sons and daughters referred to in the obituary notice taken from the Edmonton Journal, he leaves several other brothers in the United States, there being no immediate relatives on the island.

RETURNED FROM EUROPE.—Mrs. Kelly, wife of Captain Basil Kelly of the D. G. S. Brant arrived in the city Wednesday evening on return from a three months visit to her former home in Cornwall, England. Mrs. Kelly had a delightful trip. She had been four years in Canada and naturally on her return to England she found many changes. It is true that there is considerable unemployment particularly in the manufacturing centres but on the whole things are steadily coming back to normal and a tone of optimism prevails. What has been unknown since the war. The voyage home by the B. S. Canopic was a delightful one, the sea being smooth and no delays being encountered. Shelled at Halifax Monday morning where she was met by her husband who accompanied her to Charlottetown. She left yesterday afternoon for her home in Summerside.

PRESENTATION TO MISS DOROTHY GILLIS.—A large number of invited friends met at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Lord, North Tryon, on the evening of October 3rd, 1923, to say good-bye to Miss Dorothy Gillis, who was leaving for Boston on October 6th. After willing away the evening with interesting games and music, a suitable address for the occasion was read by Miss Jean Chisholm, expressing the good will of all present, their appreciation of Miss Gillis' worth and faithful services in every activity for the benefit of the social life of the community, and in the various departments of church work, etc., also the respect and esteem in which she is held by all who have the pleasure of her acquaintance. Miss Blanche Thomson then presented Miss Gillis with a bulky envelope



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which he said was now extensively carried on throughout the island. He pointed out that to succeed in this line the farmer must devote a great deal of attention to the work and that one must not expect to obtain big results immediately, as potato growing for seed purposes needed experience and patience.

The other speakers, Mr. J. A. Clark and Mr. Reid of the Department of Agriculture both complimented all on the splendid exhibits and expressed the hope that the future fairs would be even more successful.

In the exhibit of heavy horses Mr. Arcul Arsenault carried off first prize and in the showing of five animals first honors went to Charles M. Arsenault.

Among other exhibits were cattle of which there were fifty entries, swine also with a large entry list, and foxes of which there were five pairs on display. In the showing of fancy work, Mr. J. LeClair and Mrs. Joseph Perrie were the principal prize winners.

There was also a splendid array of vegetables and grains, the latter eliciting much comment from those present.

In connection with the exhibition there were meals served in the hall, and much credit is due to the ladies for their splendid efforts in the culinary art.



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SUFFERED FROM STORM.—In the recent wind storm Mr. James Stevenson of Springton lost his barn and shed which were blown to the ground. The binder was broken to splinters also his wagon, road cart and scuffer and all the hens. They had barely gotten the rattle and horses out of the barn when the gale struck it.

RETURNS TO SEATTLE.—Mr. James White left on return yesterday morning to Seattle, Wash., after a pleasant visit to the city where he was the guest of his cousin, Mrs. Barbara McKenzie, Sydney St. It is forty-two years since Mr. White left the Province and he naturally notices many changes and improvements. Mrs. McKenzie, has two brothers residing in Seattle, viz: Capt. C. White and John E. White, M. P.

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