

A MONCTON YOUTH

Who is Believed to Have
Shot Himself

SIMPLY TO MAKE A SENSATION.

Affair occurred in Basement of
Victoria School.

(Special to Daily Herald.)

Moncton, Nov. 15.—Quite a sensation was created in the Victoria school building about 8.30 this morning, by a shooting escapade in the basement, in which Harold McLeod, aged 17, was the victim.

He had some trouble with his teacher yesterday, and returning to the school this morning, he went to his room and after hanging up his overcoat, then went into the basement, and just as the bell was ringing he rushed into the room exclaiming that he had been shot by a tramp in the basement.

Doctor White and the Chief of Police soon arrived and McLeod's injury, which was only a wound in the fleshy part of the left arm, was dressed.

Young McLeod told his story, but no trace of any man could be found, and it was also ascertained that every chance of escape from the basement was closed.

The doctor said that the shot penetrated from the inner part and went to the outer part of the arm.

Chief Tingley is also satisfied that McLeod shot himself to raise a sensation.

McLeod is an American youth, considered rather fresh, and has been living in Moncton only a few months.

BOERS GROWING BOLD.
(Special to Daily Herald.)

London, Nov. 15.—Frost of unprecedented severity and snow has followed the rough weather. The snow on the northern hills has impeded railway traffic and is causing rivers to overflow.

London's parks are covered with ice, and in the country hundreds of sheep have perished in the meadows.

AWFULLY SUDDEN DEATH.
(Special to the Daily Herald.)

Montreal, Nov. 15.—At St. Vincent De Paul on the arrival of the train from Joliette, a stranger, who had alighted, dropped dead on the street.

In his pockets was found a card bearing the name of J. D. Smith, 482 Brockville Ave., Toronto, also a card showing the deceased was a member of the commercial travellers' association.

THREATENING CAPE TOWN.
(Special to the Daily Herald.)

London, Nov. 15.—A despatch to the Times says that the Boers have approached near Cape Town with the object of revenging themselves on Dutch farmers who have not supported them.

The British are well prepared for them.

AN ABSURD PROPOSAL.
(Special to the Daily Herald.)

London, Nov. 15.—The Evening News says that Irish Nationalists have offered Kruger a safe parliamentary seat in Ireland.

They hold that in consequence of Lord Kitchener's proclamation Kruger is de facto a British subject.

WILL NOT AFFECT C. P. R.
(Special to the Daily Herald.)

Montreal, Nov. 15.—Sir Thomas Shaughnessy said today that the big amalgamated American railways would not affect the Canadian Pacific except that in future it might interfere with the stability of rates.

AN EMPHATIC DENIAL.
(Special to Daily Herald.)

Drummondville, Quebec, Nov. 15.—A message has been received from Hon. Clifford Sifton emphatically denying the report that Girouard registrar of the Yukon had been murdered.

WRECKS AND DEATH.

Fearful Havoc Wrought by Storms on
the English Coast.

London, Nov. 15.—It is still impossible to estimate with any exactness the total

loss of life and property resulting from the protracted gale. Tons of wreckage of unidentified vessels are still being thrown up.

Altogether it is known that some fifty vessels have been wrecked along the British coasts. Thirty-four of these have been absolute wrecks, involving, it is believed, a loss of more than 180 drowned. The Yarmouth lifeboat disaster alone leaves 44 fatherless children.

A winter snap has succeeded the gale which subsided yesterday, while a severe blizzard, which is raging over Scandinavia, is expected to strike the shores of Great Britain today.

Yesterday there was a heavy snow storm in Scotland, and a fall of snow generally throughout the United Kingdom, especially in the hilly districts, where several shepherds lost their lives.

PERSONAL INTELLIGENCE.

Movements of People in Whom Our
Readers Are Interested.

Lieut.-Col. F. H. McLean, of St. John, is at the Queen today.

Squire A C Whitehead of Queensbury, and David Gilman of Pokiok, are guests at Long's Hotel.

School Inspector Mersereau was among the guests at Long's Hotel yesterday.

Mr. James L. Neville, representing the Fredericton Deaf and Dumb Institution, was in town last week calling on friends of the institution. Mr. Neville reports the work in a flourishing condition.—Richibucto Review.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Snowball arrived home from their honeymoon trip Monday, and during the completion of the furnishing of their handsome new residence, corner of King and Howard streets, they are guests of Senator and Mrs. Snowball at Wellington Villa, where they were serenaded on Monday evening by the Citizens' Band, the members of which were invited in and handsomely entertained.—Chatham Advance.

AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.

Annual Meeting Held at the Queen Hotel

The adjourned annual meeting of the agricultural society for District No 34 was held at the Queen Hotel this afternoon with President Campbell in the chair. Those present included A S Murray, D McCatherine, J D Jago, F S Hilyard, C F Chestnut, William McKay, Geo Y Diblee, J D McKay, W T Whitehead, M P P, J A Edwards, D Lee Babbitt and others.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President—John A Campbell, M P P.
Vice President—F S Hilyard.
Secretary—W S Hooper.
Treasurer—D Lee Babbitt.

The usual committees were also appointed.

The Mayor a Witness.

Ottawa, Nov. 15.—His Worship Mayor Morris has been served with a summons to attend the police court on Saturday morning on the charge of "buying and obtaining liquor during hours prohibited by the liquor license act." The summons was served by Constable Hatton, who is at present doing special duty. It is alleged that His Worship after the state dinner, dropped into the Russel House, after hours, and treated some of his friends.

It is stated that the King has ordered the construction of a special crown to be worn by the Queen at the coronation. The principal feature of the crown will be the famous Kohinoor, which was found in the mines of Golconda 341 years ago. The Kohinoor is the most remarkable diamond in the royal collection. It was often worn by Queen Victoria on special occasions. The original weight of the gem was 800 carats, but it now weighs only 106½ carats. Yet it is valued at about ten million dollars.

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AGAIN ALARMING.

Four New Cases Of
Smallpox Developed
today in St. John.

MISS O'DELL THE SIXTH VIC-
TIM OF THE SCOURGE
IS DEAD.

Patients Released from General
Public Hospital.

(Special to Daily Herald.)

St. John, Nov. 15.—Four new cases of smallpox developed today, three in quarantined houses and one on a coal barge which was towed out to the quarantine station this afternoon.

Miss O'Dell died this morning at Fairville, the sixth victim, and Mr. Alward is very low.

The epidemic hospital patients are improving.

The quarantine on the Dean house Musquash, was raised, and four patients at the public hospital were released.

(Telegraph Friday.)

The smallpox scare is showing signs of abatement. Yesterday no new cases were reported at the board of health except that of Frank Gallagher, 46 years of age, who was reported as a suspect on Wednesday.

Last night Dr. Morris told The Telegraph that he had no suspects under surveillance. The illness of a man named Sprout in the DeBow house on City Road, mentioned yesterday, has proved to be a case of gastritis.

Dr. Lunley, at the General Public Hospital, also stated last night that not a suspicious case existed in the institution. Two suspects reported yesterday are suffering only from vaccination, so later developments proved.

All of the patients under the care of Dr. Ellis, except Miss Melanson and Miss Burke, are reported to be progressing favorably. These two patients are very ill, but not in a dangerous condition.

Miss Odell, the victim at Fairville, was delirious last night. Her recovery is not expected. Within six months the unfortunate girl has suffered typhoid fever, diphtheria and smallpox. The three patients in the Alward house are reported serious, but only Wm Alward is in a dangerous condition.

Those who died at the epidemic hospital Wednesday were buried in Fernhill yesterday. The usual precautions were observed. Rev Mr. Roach conducted service for Mrs. Knapp. Rev W. O. Raymond was prepared to officiate at the burial of the child Maggie Sherwood, but Mr. Sherwood thought it better to have the service at a later time when the family could be present.

At the residence of the bride's father, Fredericton, Nov. 13, by Rev. J. H. MacDonald, Harry R. Boyer to Ada May Turner, both of this city.

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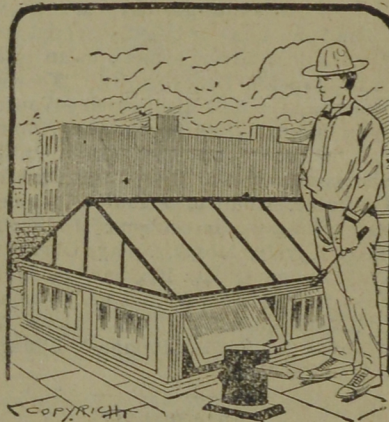
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