

LIVES LOST IN WEST VIRGINIA FLOOD.

Five Inches of Rain Fell and Water Rose Five Feet and Swept Down Valley—Children Were Drowned.

Pittsburg, July 19—The loss of several lives and great monetary damage has resulted through heavy rains throughout Western Pennsylvania, Eastern Ohio, and West Virginia during the last twenty-four hours.

The rivers and mountain streams are out of their banks, live stock have been drowned, bridges swept away, railroad tracks swept away or undermined, trolley systems demoralized, electric light plants out of commission and hundreds of families compelled to abandon their homes and take refuge on higher ground.

About this city the river has risen over six feet in ten hours. Reports from above the city say that recurring storms during the past forty-eight hours have resulted in the precipitation of from three to four inches which being at the head waters, when they reach this city may cause some damage unlooked for at this time of the year.

The interior of West Virginia has sustained heavy damage. Miles of track of the Western Maryland and the coal and iron railroads at Tucker and Barbour counties have been washed away. The services on these roads is said to be at a standstill. The Dry Fork and Linton and Ohio Railroads are under water for many miles and no trains can be operated. In Tygart's Valley the towns of Grafton, Rowlesburg and

Tunnelton are almost submerged, the property damage amounting to nearly a quarter of a million dollars. At McCombs, W. Virginia, the home of Mrs. Mary Ballard was wrecked by the high water and three young children of Mrs. Ballard were drowned. The bodies were washed away.

ANOTHER REPORT.

Wheeling, W. Va., July 18—Despatches last night from Grafton, Rowlesburg, Tunnelton and other towns in Tygart Valley in North Western Virginia, tell of terrific rains followed by the river going out of its bank nearly its entire length, causing property losses that will aggregate nearly a quarter of a million dollars. At Elkins the rainfall reached the remarkable total of five inches and was nearly as heavy at other points.

Fifteen or more bridges are washed out, railroads are washed out, and at Grafton a church from Rowlesburg passed down the raging river. At Thornton the water was five feet over the Baltimore and Ohio tracks and several houses were washed away.

At Grafton traffic on the Baltimore and Ohio is tied up. A bridge passed there but it was not known where it came from.

It is feared many other lives have been lost as the flood came without warning.

SAW VISION OF DYING FATHER.

Young Clergyman Beheld Death Scene 3,000 Miles Away—Confirmed by Letter.

New York, July 19—What appears to be a remarkable psychological experience has just been undergone, it is said, by the Rev. Henry Rollings, now taking a special course in the New York Homeopathic Medical College, in that he saw in a vision the death of his father, although 3,000 miles separated father and son at the time. Moreover, the death scene as the young clergyman saw it in his mind's eye was corroborated in every detail in a letter two weeks later.

The letter from England said that the elder Rollings died on the exact day and at the exact hour that the younger Rollings had had his death

pictured to him. Not only that, the letter said, but the elder Rollings said just before he passed away that he could see his son standing by the bedside. The strange room in the vision was explained by the statement that the family had moved from the old homestead to another house, and the absence of the sister from the room was explained by the statement that at the time she was ill.

Rev. Mr. Rollings received his theological education in England. He came to America and for a time was curate of St. Andrew's parish of Rochester, N. Y., of which the Rev. Algernon S. Drapsey was then rector.

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THE EISTEDDFOF.

A. Winnipeg Man Selected as Judge For the Great Welsh Festival.

Wales clings with fervor to the Eisteddfof, the great musical and patriotic celebration. The choral work at these festivals is generally of the highest order, and therefore it is not surprising that the men chosen as judges in the choir competition should be among the best known and most competent of musicians. This year, Dr. Cowan, Dr. Davies, Dr. Protheroe and Mr. Hays Thomas will pass on the merits of the singers. The first three are Englishmen of eminence. The fourth is a resident of Winnipeg, whose work on behalf of

music in the western city has had splendid results. Mr. Thomas may be regarded as an authority on music and musical topics. His taste is undeniable, his experience varied and his knowledge almost perfect. Because of this it is a matter of considerable pride to the firm of Gourelay, Winter & Leeming that since he has been in Winnipeg Mr. Thomas has been a firm friend to the Gourelay piano. A letter from him to the firm is as follows:—"When I wanted a piano some time ago for my studio, I examined a number of instruments by various manufacturers and finally selected a Gourelay, solely on its merits. Its tone is remarkably rich, the touch very responsive and the mechanism perfect. After using it for several months I am more than ever convinced that it is the finest piano made in Canada." Many other musicians of eminence in this country will endorse the opinion of Mr. Thomas.

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WAASIS.

July 17—Mrs. M. Atkinson of Fredericton is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Higgs.

Mrs. Gaynor, of Fredericton, is living in the Duncan Grass house at the Waasis Bridge. Mrs. Gaynor's health has not been good for the past few months but she is feeling much better since coming out here to live.

The ladies of Waasis assisted by their friends in Fredericton and other places near by are to hold a picnic and strawberry festival in the school house on Saturday evening, July 20th, in aid of the Baptist Church. There will be a special rate from Fredericton of 30 cents return ticket for the occasion and it is expected that a good many of our friends in the city will take advantage of the excursion and come out.

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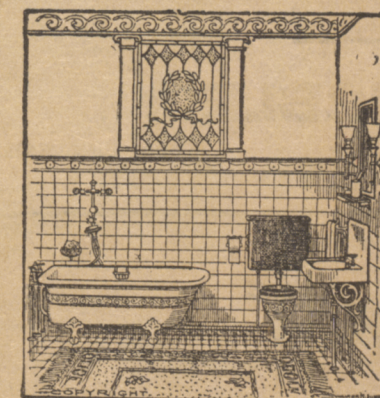
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