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FATAL NEW YORK FIRE.

Two Persons Burned to Death and Fireman Fatally Injured.

New York, Jan. 2.—(Special)— One of the worst fires with which the fire-fighters of this city have been called upon to contend for some time started in the tenement district, West Fifty-Third street, between Ninth and Tenth Avenues, shortly after 1 a. m. today.

The fire began in the livery stable number 439, spread to another stable next door, and reached four adjacent tenements across the street, before it was brought under control.

The loss is estimated at \$200,000. Several persons are reported missing, and the police believe that they perished.

Two of these are the husband and four year old child of Mrs. Kate Garland, 428 West 53rd Street.

Mrs. Garland thinks her husband and child were burned to death. They were still in the Garland apartments when she fled.

Fireman Alfred Kinsella while fighting the fire from the roof of Number 427, fell from the fourth story when the roof of the building collapsed. He was rescued by his companions but was so severely injured that he may die.

The tenements burned or badly damaged were inhabited by nearly 600 people.

SHIPS IN DISTRESS.

One Put Into Halifax With Fire in Main Hold—Another Just off the Rocks.

Halifax, Jan. 2.—(Special)— The ashore at Longley Island, St. Pierre, steamer Saintror, Captain Gibson, from Galveston, bound to Liverpool, with 12,000 bales of cotton put in here this morning with fire raging in the main hold.

The fire was first discovered on Saturday last, when the ship was in lat. 37 N., lon. 67 W., and every effort was made to subdue the flames by injecting steam, but without success, so the captain decided to come here for assistance.

The steamer, Garibaldi, which was

hailed off Monday night by tug D. H. Thomas, and started for Halifax under own steam, put into Louisbourg last night for shelter.

Her bottom is badly damaged, and she comes here to go into the dry dock.

The place where the Garibaldi struck has been the scene of many disasters, and she is only about the fourth ship that has ever floated after striking there.

EATON'S FOR ST. JOHN.

Big Toronto Firm Negotiating for Purchase of Breeze's Corner to Start Departmental Store.

St. John, Jan. 2.—(Special)— It is reported here that T. Eaton & Co., the big department house of Toronto and Winnipeg, are negotiating for the purchase of the property on the corner of Charlotte Street, north side of King Square, known as Breeze's Corner.

If the purchase is arranged the Eatons will build a large department

store here as a branch of the Toronto house.

The property is a valuable one, and would give Eaton & Co. a fine location in the heart of the retail business district.

Dr. James Christie, owner of the building, said this morning that the dead had not yet been closed.

YORK CIRCUIT COURT.

The Civil Docket for January Term Heavier than Usual—Grand Jury Find no Bill in the Rowe Case.

The nisi prius sittings of the York Circuit Court opened at eleven o'clock this morning in the County Court House, His Honor Judge Gregory presiding. The barristers present included J. H. Barry, K. C., J. D. Phinney, K. C.; J. Stewart Campbell, clerk of the court; H. F. McLeod, R. B. Hanson, R. W. McLellan, C. H. Allen, J. T. Sharkey, of the local bar; and H. A. Powell, K. C., of St. John; and Solicitor General Jones of Woodstock. Mr. J. A. McPeake was present in his capacity of special court stenographer.

After Crier Panjov had delivered the usual proclamation, Clerk Campbell read the roll of grand jurors, when the following responded: W. J. Osborne, Eben Miller, John T. Clark, T. L. Morris, W. A. Walsh, A. C. Porter, A. N. LaForest, H. C. Mackey, George Smith, G. J. Barrett, John Oldham, Andrew Lottimer, Harry Lipsett, A. H. Vanwart, G. L. Hawland, Thomas Lockhead, Cecil Burt.

The absentees were J. C. Risteen, Lewis Perley, A. E. Hanson, George Hazen, Jr., and Walter McFarlane. His Honor stated that the two first named had furnished satisfactory excuses for their absence, and, unless

the others did the same thing, they would be fined.

Mr. Eben Miller was elected foreman, after which the grand jurors were duly sworn.

An indictment in one criminal case that of the King vs. William Rowe, charged with carnally knowing a young girl named King, without her consent, was presented by Solicitor General Jones who appeared on behalf of the crown. His Honor, in his charge, said that the case was a serious one, if accepted as sent to the court by the Police Magistrate. His Honor reviewed the depositions at length and casually remarked that the writing in them was so bad that he had not been able to give them that close study which might seem necessary. It was set forth that the girl had been in the habit of carrying milk to Rowe's house, and that he had been in the habit of visiting her home to milk the cow. She gave birth to two children, and claimed that Rowe was the father of both of them. She claimed that he carnally knew her on several occasions without her consent. His Honor defined the law as applying to such cases, and pointed out that it was for the jury to determine whether or not there had been any consent on the part of the girl. It was rather remarkable that the law had not been set in motion either by the girl or her father, but by an officer of the law, who, no doubt, had his suspicions aroused in regard to the case, and had deemed a public investigation necessary. In justice to the police magistrate he would say that there was sufficient evidence, if it were believed, to justify placing the accused on his trial. He advised the jury to be somewhat scrutinizing in their examination of the girl, and allow the enquiry to take the widest scope. In closing, His Honor told the grand jury that they had the power to make a presentment in regard to any public grievance or annoyance, which they thought needed remedying.

Mr. A. E. Hanson, having been in court while the judge was delivering his charge, was afterwards sworn, and allowed to retire with the grand jury to deliberate upon the bill of indictment.

His Honor took occasion to impress upon Constable Fanjov that a grand jury was not the same as a petit jury. The constable was not in charge of them, but was simply in attendance. While nobody had the right of access to a grand jury, they were not to be locked up in their room. If that had been the custom before it would not be followed when he (Gregory) presided over the court.

Following is the list of petit jurors:

M. B. McNally, Queensbury.
A. B. Kitchen, Fredericton.
E. W. Henry, Fredericton.
Alex. Haining, New Maryland.
C. A. Sampson, Fredericton.
G. W. McEwan, Fredericton.
Joseph Walker, Fredericton.
J. A. Bell, Fredericton.
J. E. Smith, St. Marys.
W. L. McFarlane, St. Marys.
F. W. Hatheway, Kingsclear.
F. Del. Clements, Kingsclear.
Michael Ryan, Fredericton.
A. D. Thomas, Fredericton.
A. W. Ross, Douglas.
F. P. Robinson, Douglas.
John G. Christie, Bright.
John McCarthy, Fredericton.
Hedley Vanwart, Fredericton.
Rainford Foster, St. Marys.

THE DOCKET.

The following is the docket as made up by the respective attorneys: The King vs. William Rowe—Indictment for rape.

JURY CASES.

Timothy Lynch vs. William Richards Co., Ltd.—J. H. Barry, K. C., file record.
Harris Vineburg vs. Moses Pickler, doing business under firm name of M. Pickler & Co.—Slipp & Hanson file record.
The like vs. the like.—Slipp & Hanson file record.
The Southwest River Driving Co. vs. Timothy Lynch—R. W. McLellan file record.

Bank of Montreal vs. Phillip M. Sullivan—Winslow & Allen file record.

There being no witnesses ready to go before the grand jury, they adjourned until 2.15 o'clock, and the court also adjourned until that hour.

NO BILL AGAINST ROWE.

This afternoon the grand jury heard the statement of four witnesses in the Rowe case, including the King girl and her father, and after a short time spent in deliberation returned to the court and reported no bill.

Judge Gregory in discharging Rowe from custody, gave him some wholesome advice and expressed the hope that he would get into no more scrapes. The accused, who has been out on bail, seemed to be greatly pleased with the outcome of the case.

The case of Lynch vs. the Williams Richards Company is before the court this afternoon.

LINER'S ARRIVAL.

Halifax, Jan. 2.—(Special)— The Allan liner, Pomeranian from London and Havre, arrived this morning. She proceeds to St. John this evening.

Mr. Harry Beckwith of Walden, Mass., is on a visit to the city.

NEW YEAR'S WEDDINGS

Former Principal of Gibson Schools Married at Moncton—Nuptials of Dr. King and Miss Sadler.

The residence of G. P. Bolten at Moncton, was the scene of a pretty wedding at 12 o'clock Tuesday when his sister, Miss Grace L. Bolten, formerly superintendent of the Carleton County hospital at Woodstock, was married to Charles D. Richards, principal of the Woodstock Grammar School, formerly principal of the Gibson school. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Allan A. Rideout of Fredericton, in the presence of immediate friends.

The bride was the recipient of many handsome gifts. The groom's present was a set of mink furs.

Mr. and Mrs. Richards left on the C. P. R. for St. John and Fredericton before taking up their residence at Woodstock.

KING—SADLER.

At 11 o'clock New Year's morning the new Union Baptist Church, Andover, was the scene of a very pretty and fashionable wedding. The contracting parties were Miss Nellie May Fidler, daughter of the late Captain Sadler, and sister of Mrs. (Senator) Baird, and Dr. James Horace King, M. P. P. of Cranbrook, son of Senator King, of Chipman.

The bride entered the church of the arm of her brother, Frank Sadler. She looked exceedingly pretty with the traditional veil, fastened with orange blossoms, falling over an imported princess gown, with empire train, of white liberty satin trimmed with Venetian point lace and hand embroidery. She carried a shower bouquet of bride roses and lilies of the valley and maiden hair fern.

She was attended by her niece Miss Lena Baird, who wore a most becoming costume of blue chiffon and blue cloth with trimmings of heavy cream lace and hand embroidery, and with a picture hat of blue chiffon and feathers. Her bouquet was of pale pink carnations.

Little Miss Millicent Carter acted as flower girl and was very sweet in a dress of white point d'esprit over white silk, with ribbon trimmings, and carrying a basket of pink carnations.

The groom was supported by Geo. Sadler, brother of the bride. The ushers were Roy Murphy, Herbert Baird, Fred Baird and Francis Rideout.

After the ceremony a luncheon and reception was held at the residence of Senator Baird, brother-in-law of the bride. In the dining room the decorations were in red and white, and in the drawing room they were white and green.

The bride and groom left on the afternoon train for their western home, followed by the good wishes of a host of friends.

DUNBAR—STEVENS.

New Year's afternoon at five o'clock the home of William Dunbar,

Woodstock, was the scene of an interesting and happy event, when his sister, Kate, became the bride of Douglas W. S. Stevens. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. George D. Ireland, in the presence of the immediate friends of the contracting parties. Mr. and Mrs. Stevens will at once take up house-keeping. The bride is one of Woodstock's most charming young ladies, and the groom is a most popular citizen, being a member of the Sheagreen Drug company and a duly registered pharmacist.

WILBUR—LOCKE.

The marriage is announced of Frederick S. Wilbur, formerly teller of the Bank of Nova Scotia at Woodstock, and Miss Winnifred, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry R. Locke of Filmore, Saskatchewan. Mr. Wilbur is a son of the late S. C. Wilbur of Moncton, and a grandson of the late Recorder A. D. Yerxa of Fredericton.

SEDGEWICK—MACKENZIE.

A very pretty home wedding took place on Thursday, Dec. 27th, in River John, Pictou, N. S., the contracting parties being Miss Sophia Mackenzie, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Archibald Mackenzie, and Rev. W. H. Sedgewick of Central Church, Hamilton, Ont., some years ago Presbyterian catechist at New Maryland, and well known and kindly remembered among the Presbyterians of Fredericton. The ceremony was performed by Rev. G. L. Gordon of River John, assisted by Rev. Thos. Sedgewick, D. D., uncle of the groom in the presence of about sixty guests.

The spacious parlors were beautifully decorated with holly and evergreens and quantities of pink and white bride roses and carnations.

The bride looked charming in a handsome gown of cream duchess satin, with veil, and carried a large bouquet of cream roses. The bridesmaid Miss Fanny Sedgewick, sister of the groom, was becomingly attired in a pale rose costume of cologne with cream lace trimmings, and a shower bouquet of pink roses. The groom was supported by the Rev. J. B. McLean of St. Andrews Church, Truro. Mrs. Wm. Sedgewick of New Glasgow played the wedding march.

Mr. and Mrs. Sedgewick received the congratulations of their friends before passing into the dining room, where an elaborate wedding breakfast was served, and immediately afterwards left by the Maritime Express to visit some of the western cities before settling in their new home at Hamilton, Ont.

The groom is a son of Wm. M. Sedgewick, Esq., of Middle Musquodoboit, and is a young man of marked ability. He was lately called from Zion Church, Charlottetown, to Central Church, Hamilton, one of the strongest Presbyterian churches in Canada.

NEW YEAR'S GREETINGS

Hon. H. R. Emmerson's Hopeful Message to the People of New Brunswick.

(From the Sun.)

To the People of New Brunswick.

At this glad season permit me to wish for you and for the province in which it is your privilege and mine to dwell, the brightest and most prosperous of New Years, and for a continuance of these blessings during the years to come.

In almost every life these days are given to reflection, to an accounting of past transactions and to indulging in bright hopes for the future. The year 1906 has been to our province one not to be regretted and a cause for gratitude to the Divine Giver of all good for the innumerable blessings which he has bestowed. Truly these should be days of thankfulness in every department of life. In all branches of industry there has been an abounding prosperity. To the husbandman the earth has produced in abundance, to the fisherman there has been given bounteously to the toiler, to men of commerce and to the workers in the professions there have come the many blessings incident to happy and prosperous times. It is pleasant to know that our own dear province has not been the only one in the Dominion thus favored. From ocean to ocean and north as civilization extends unparalleled blessings have been bestowed. At this Christmas tide many hearts are gladdened by the thought that we live in a goodly land, and that our lines have fallen in pleasant places. Peace and plenty have characterized the days of the receding year, and as

we enter the threshold of 1907 our hearts glow with the thought that the All Wise One will continue to shower His mercies upon us.

It has been wisely said that if ye are but thankful for what ye have ye shall have more. May this be essentially true in so far as the lives of our people are concerned. The opportunity of today have widened beyond those of yesterday, and with this ever widening horizon of opportunity comes added responsibility. I have faith in the sturdy strength of the people of my native province to believe that they will be ever ready to seize these opportunities and make the best of them to the end that our land may be more prosperous and our homes more contented. If there is one thing more than another that has characterized New Brunswick, it is her happy homes, and all of us, no matter where'er we may be, turn in thought and memory to the happy firesides around which we delight to gather.

As one entrusted with grave responsibilities involving to some extent the welfare of all those to whom I address this message, I desire to ask your co-operation and sympathy, and in return allow me to wish for you and for all the interests which you represent the continuation during the coming year and years of the many good things which have been so lavishly showered upon you in the past. I have the honor to be,

Your sincere well-wisher,
H. R. EMMERSON.