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MRS. HAZLETT'S DEATH.

Mrs. Martha M. Hazlett, wife of Mr. Robert H. Hazlett, died at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. John Turner, Brunswick street, at eleven o'clock this morning, after an illness from heart trouble, extending over fourteen years.

The deceased lady is survived by her husband, three sons, Andrew of Boston, and Fraser and Robert of this city; also by two daughters, Mrs. John Kirk, of Maryland, and Mrs. John Turner of this city.

The funeral will take place on

Wednesday afternoon at two o'clock, from Mrs. Turner's home, Brunswick street. Services will be conducted by Rev. Dean Schofield, and interment will be made at the Rural cemetery. J. A. McAdam will act as undertaker.

Mr. and Mrs. George Burbank of Portland, Maine, spent New Year's at Marysville, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Foster.

Mr. John W. Lowe of Blissville, formerly of Aylesford, N. S., is quite ill at Mrs. Richards' private hospital.

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RICH GOLD STRIKE.

Discovery of the Finest Specimen of Quartz ever seen in Nova Scotia.

SYDNEY, N. S., Jan. 4.—(Special)—Ore of the richest gold strikes ever made in Nova Scotia, is reported at Country Harbor, Guysboro county, where a number of local capitalists are interested in developing a number of areas.

A sample section of quartz on exhibition in this city reveals the richness of the strike. Mr. Huntington, an expert, says that it is the finest specimen he has ever seen in the province.

The name of the company is the

Sydney Gold Mining Co., and is capitalized at \$50,000, with John C. Larder as president, and Fred DeYoung as secretary-treasurer. Among others interested are Michael Sihanagan of Halifax, M. G. Henniger and L. M. Henniger of this city. The company has a hundred areas in the Stormont district, eleven leads have been traced, one of them eleven feet wide.

The lead from which the specimen seen this morning was taken is twenty-six inches in width. A ten stamp mill is in operation at the mine.

PREDICTS MORE QUAKE.

Fire breaks out again at Messina destroyed Municipal Records—Other Notes of the Italian Disaster.

MESSINA, Jan. 4.—(Special)—Frank Perrot, of Brooklyn, assistant to Professor Matteucci, director of the Royal observatory on Mount Vesuvius, speaking of the disaster here and in Calabria, says that other shocks are inevitable, as there is a flaw in the earth's crust, where the slip occurred. He predicts heavier shocks for Monday, and declares that something possibly very serious, may happen January 7 and 8th, when the relative positions of the sun and moon will prove the greatest strain.

Saturday morning the fire broke out again in the municipal buildings. The city records were consumed and a high wind carried the burning papers far into the air and scattered them over the war ships in the harbor. The fire communicated to the buildings of the Bank of Italy, where seventy-five millions lire (\$15,000,000) in paper money was stored. The energetic efforts of the firemen and sailors combined to control the flames, and the money was removed to a warship.

REGGIO, Jan. 4.—A detachment of troops which went to the villages on the east coast of Calabria, found nothing but ruins and the bodies of persons found in the earthquake. The survivors had fled. There is every reason to believe that dreadful havoc was wrought in the mountain villages that have not yet been explored.

A convoy with one thousand rations of bread which was going through Baghera was rifled en route by famished persons here. A number of small boats, all of them overloaded, put out into the channel to request food of incoming vessels, which the officers of the vessels were compelled to refuse them. Several of the smaller craft capsized and a number of persons were drowned.

MESSINA, Jan. 4.—At Nizza, between Messina and Catania, a freight train today ran into and derailed an earthquake relief train crowded with injured persons, five of whom were killed.

A BISHOP'S CONSECRATION

May Lead to Some Excitement at Montreal.

MONTREAL, Jan. 4.—(Special)—Catholic.

There is likely to be some excitement at the consecration of the new Anglican Bishop of Montreal on Wednesday.

There is a certain portion of the low church which believes in physical Christianity and one of this faith announces that he will be at the consecration and oppose objections to the use of the church's money to buy what he claims is a Roman Catholic symbol and not Protestant.

What is to be done by the diocese has not yet been decided, many of them refusing to believe that the opposition will eventuate. It is possible that he or any objector will be hustled out of the Cathedral as he is offering no valid grounds against the bishop, but objects to the use of the church's money to buy what he claims is a Roman Catholic symbol and not Protestant.

TALKED TUBERCULOSIS.

St. John Clergymen making a Forward Move for Sanitarium.

ST. JOHN, Jan. 4.—(Special)—At the annual meeting of the Evangelical Alliance this forenoon, the clergymen held a preliminary discussion of the tuberculosis situation, the feeling being expressed that doctors should take the lead in a systematic campaign.

While advocating educative measures the alliance decided some active policy is also necessary.

It was decided to call a public meeting for Thursday evening, and place before the citizens the seriousness of the situation and asking that steps be immediately taken to raise funds for the erection of a sanitarium, which would first necessarily be

a small affair, but could be enlarged from time to time.

The Alliance also elected Rev. Jas. Chriss president for the ensuing year.

A FILTHY JAIL.

ST. JOHN, Jan. 4.—(Special)—William White, who made a daring escape from the chain gang some weeks ago, was today committed for trial.

Speaking in court White said that he was forced to break away because of the filthy condition of the jail, which he says is infested with vermin, so that he could not stand it.

Walter Evans' challenge to Fred Logan for a series of races here has been accepted, and Logan will at once begin training.

Mrs. James Kelly of Oromocto spent Sunday with friends at Gibson.

THE SCHOOL BOOK FAKE.

Another Case in which the Hazen Government Has failed to make Good its Pledges.

(Sackville Tribune.)

Some time ago the Tribune published an article in regard to the school book prices in the province, and it was pointed out that the Hazen government has not fulfilled its pledge to cut in half the price of the books used in New Brunswick schools. In that article it was admitted that there had been some slight reduction in the prices of a few of the books. Exception to the article was taken by Mr. I. C. Harper, of Middle Sackville, for whom we have a great respect as a citizen, and in the last issue of this paper the question was taken up in a letter over Mr. Harper's signature.

To tell the truth, Mr. Harper did very well with a weak case; probably no one could have done better. But the school book farce is beyond any one's power of defence.

It will be remembered that prior to the election of last March it was promised by Mr. Hazen that if the Conservatives came into power the prices of the school books would be cut in half in six months. The situation today, here and elsewhere throughout the province, is this: The prices of seven or eight of the cheaper books used in the schools have been reduced some cents each. By Mr. Harper's own admission there is not a single case in which the promised cut of fifty per cent has been made.

The books used in the higher grades are still sold at the old prices which Mr. Hazen and some of

his supporters so emphatically declared to be scandalous and to be robbing the people of the province.

There are few men in New Brunswick who cannot afford the payment of five cents or three cents for a primer or a scribbler—even if the latter has fewer pages and is of poorer quality than formerly—but there are men who find it a bit burdensome to pay for the more costly books used in advanced grades. Yet the prices asked for these books are the same as in the days when the Conservatives asserted that they were swindlers' prices, the prices set by a "sh of loco" ring.

Moreover, there has not been a single cent's reduction in the prices asked for the French text books. Yet the Acadicians of New Brunswick surely have a right to consideration in this as in other things.

The Tribune's statements still stand. The price asked for twenty-eight school books in Sackville under the old government was \$7.42, and under the Hazen government it is \$7.11. No amount of writing about school lands or kindred matters will blot out the fact that in no one case has the promised reduction of fifty per cent, been made, that the books reduced in price are mostly the less costly books used in the lower grades, that the books for Acadian pupils, and the more expensive books used in the advanced grades sell for just the same figures as of old, despite those glittering pre-election promises of the Hazen party.

POLICE COURT RECORD.

Over Two Hundred Cases dealt with by Col. Marsh during 1908.

During the year 1908 Col. Marsh dealt with 204 cases at the Fredericton police court. There were forty-five Scott Act cases from the city, a slight falling off from the previous year, and there was also a slight decrease in the number of drunks. Following is a complete list of the cases dealt with:—

C. T. Act violation (city).....	45
C. T. Act violation (county).....	17
Theft.....	9
Murder.....	1
Seduction.....	2
Robbery.....	2
Game Law violation.....	10
Fisheries Act violation.....	4
Assault.....	10
Abusive Language.....	6
Intoxicated on Street.....	71
Malicious Injury.....	1
Bringing stolen property into province from U. S. A.....	2
Drunk and creating disturbance.....	8
Fighting on street.....	2
Selling liquor to Indians.....	1
Beard of Health byelaws violation.....	2
Selling beer on Sunday.....	2
Bicycle bye-law violation.....	6
Doing business without licence.....	2
Cruelty to animals.....	2
Total.....	204
Stealing horse and wagon.....	3
Drunk in Indian reserve.....	2
Vagrancy.....	3
Total.....	212
Protectionists.....	29
	211

LONGBOAT A WINNER.

Canadian Runner gain Defeated Dorando the Italian.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Jan. 2.—Tom Longboat, the Canadian Indian, tonight for the second time, took the measure of Dorando Pietri, the Italian, who almost won the great Marathon at the London Olympic games. Dorando, as in his race with Longboat in New York, failed to go the distance. Time and again he sprinted in an effort to get ahead of the Indian, but without success.

The end came with startling suddenness in the fifth lap of the nineteenth mile. Dorando had just made one of his spectacular sprints and the crowd in the armory were on their feet, cheering lustily, when the Italian faltered within four yards of the wire.

"His stomach has gone back on him," said his brother and trainer, Ulpiano, who rushed to his side and

led him away to the dressing room. Dorando was able to walk but appeared to be very weak. He covered the sixteenth mile and six laps, less four yards, in one hour, forty-nine minutes 10 4-5 seconds. The Italian led for practically the entire distance.

HOT PACE AT START.

The pair started off at a hot pace at the crack of the pistol, the first mile being covered in 5.07 or 7 2-5 seconds faster than the time made in the first mile of their race at Madison Square Garden on December 15th. This gruelling pace was moderated somewhat after the second mile but Dorando's frequent sprints kept the time well above the mark set in New York. Longboat never faltered. Everytime Dorando tried to get a commanding lead, the Indian just lengthened out his stride and overtook the Italian before he had gone a lap.

An exciting incident occurred in the third mile. Longboat, trailing along after his opponent, stumbled at the first turn and went sprawling on the track. His legs struck the side of the timber bank drawing blood. The Indian sprang to his feet like a flash and recovered the lost distance before the lap was finished.

After Dorando stopped, Longboat slowed down and covered the remaining six miles at a walk.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Movements of People in whom our Readers are Interested.

Mr. W. H. A. Hamilton and wife and Miss L. Brewer of Woodstock spent New Year's with Mrs. Frank Boone St. Marys.

Miss L. McAuley of Forest Glen, Westmorland County is the guests of Mrs. Frank Boone St. Marys.

Mr. J. C. Hartley, barrister of Woodstock, is among the guests at the Barker House.

Dr. L. A. Currey, K. C., of St. John, is among the guests at the Barker.

Mr. James Fowler, son of the late Mr. J. D. Fowler, is to leave shortly for the Argentine Republic to locate.

Mr. Ernest Everett, who has been spending a few days here, will leave this evening for his home in St. Louis, Mo.

Mrs. Josiah Wood of Sackville, was at the Barker on Saturday.

Mr. W. A. Carroll of Halifax, is among the guests at the Barker.

Mr. A. Peters of Moncton, is stopping at the Barker.