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INSPECTION OF WRECK

CAPT. ESFORD OF STEAMER GRENVILLE TAKEN BEARINGS

Government Official Says a Board Will Sit—Capt. Donnelly Making Report to Owner, J. J. B. Flint, of Belleville.

The official investigation into the wrecking of the schooner George A. Marsh has been temporarily halted owing to the fact that the steamer Grenville, which has charge of the government marine work in this district has been forced to go to Montreal for an inspection.

Capt. Esford of the Grenville took the boat out to the scene of the wreck on Saturday afternoon and took the bearing of its position. On his return orders awaited him to go down the river. He is to report at Montreal on Tuesday morning, but before doing so will repair some buoys that have been washed away near Prescott. The Grenville is expected back this week.

When asked by the Whig on Monday morning when the wreck commissioners would arrive P. D. Thompson, inspector of steamboat machinery for the Dominion Government stated that as the vessel that sank was a sailing vessel and not driven by motive power he had nothing to do with its inspection. He remarked, however, that "undoubtedly a board would arrive from Ottawa to look into the matter."

At the request of the owner of the ill-fated vessel, J. J. B. Flint, of Belleville, Capt. John Donnelly of the Donnelly Salvage and Wrecking Co. left on Saturday to inspect the vessel. He found that the vessel is

lying about three and one-quarter miles above the Nine Mile lighthouse and about four miles south from Amherst Island. It is also about one and one-quarter miles north from the steamboat channel. It is improbable that the schooner will be salvaged as the value of the vessel or the cargo hardly warrant such a procedure. Asked whether it was likely that the vessels would be blown up by the Dominion government, Capt. Donnelly replied that "owing to the fact that it is over a mile from the channel there is hardly a likelihood that it will interfere with traffic and probably will not be blown up."

The boat lies in about eighty feet of water and all her masts are intact. The main mast is about twenty feet out of water and the ship seems to be solidly placed.

T. J. WAFFLE IS IN PORT

THE STEAMER ARRIVED SAFELY AT SWIFT'S WHARF

New Buoy Placed Near Long Point—Movements of Vessels in and About Kingston Harbor.

It is published for the information of mariners in the Canada Gazette, that a black wooden buoy to the depth of sixteen feet, has been placed 0.3 mile 240 degrees (S.70 degrees W. mag.) from Long Point. Latitude, N. 44 degrees, 5 minutes, 54 seconds; longitude, W. 76 degrees, 30 minutes, 39 seconds. The following sextant angles flagstaff of the buoy—Prince Island lighthouse, 0 degrees, Nine Mile Point, 104 degrees, 20 minutes, Long Point, 93 degrees, 30 minutes.

The steamer T. J. Waffle, for which grave fears were held following the storm on Lake Ontario last week, has arrived safely in port at Swift's wharf to discharge coal. The boat which is commanded by Capt. Beupre arrived from Fairhaven at 1 a.m. on Monday morning.

The steamship W. M. Egan arrived from Montreal at 9 p.m. on Saturday night, at the wharf where she is undergoing repairs. All day Sunday and on Monday holes in her sides were fitted with plugs.

The steamer Belleville arrived from Montreal at 1.30 a.m. and cleared for Toronto at 3 a.m. on Sunday.

The steamer Kingston arrived from Toronto at 4.50 a.m. and cleared for Prescott at 5.30 a.m. on Sunday.

The steamer City of Hamilton arrived from Toronto and Hamilton at 9 a.m. and cleared for Montreal at 12 a.m. on Sunday.

The steamer A. E. Ames passed down from Fort William to Montreal at 10.45 p.m. on Sunday.

The steamer Sequin arrived from Montreal at 1.40 a.m. and cleared for Toronto and Hamilton at 2.50 a.m. on Monday.

The steamer City of Ottawa arrived from Montreal at 1.50 a.m. and cleared for Toronto and Hamilton at 2.45 a.m. on Monday.

The steamer Toronto arrived from Toronto at 4.40 a.m. and cleared for Prescott at 5.30 a.m. on Sunday. She passed up from Prescott to Toronto at 5.10 p.m. on Sunday.

The steamer Jeska arrived from Sodus, with a cargo of coal for the cotton mill.

The steamer Jex arrived from Oswego with the barge Kingston both coal-laden for the Sowards Coal Company.

M. T. Co's Bulletin: The steamer Arabian discharged a cargo of wheat from Port Colborne, and cleared for Port Colborne, to load grain; the steamer Western shipped a cargo of grain into river barges, and cleared for Port Colborne; the tug Magnolia cleared with the barges Unava and Melrose, to load grain at Port Colborne; the steamer Joyland passed down with grain from Port Colborne to Montreal; the tug Sheena arrived at the barge Selkirk with grain from Port Colborne; the Bowman will clear with three grain barges for Montreal; the tug Thompson arrived from Montreal with four light barges and cleared with one grain and two coal barges for Montreal.

It is said the schooner Rochester is being outfitted at Sarnia and will be operated by the Canada Steamship Lines on the trip to the Saguenay River. The Rochester is an excellent boat and well adapted for this trip.

INCIDENTS OF THE DAY

LOCAL NOTES AND ITEMS OF GENERAL INTEREST.

Happenings in the City and Vicinity—What the Merchants Offer to the Readers of the Whig.

A meeting of the Utilities Commission has been called for Tuesday afternoon.

H. Cunningham, piano tuner, 21 King street, Leave orders at McAuliffe's Book Store.

Prof. J. M. Lanes, whose condition on Sunday was very critical, was a little better to-day.

The caterpillars are now showing themselves in the city trees. They are very numerous.

Brig-Gen. Nanton, advanced to a major-general is a graduate of the Royal Military College.

There were no contagious disease cases reported to the medical health officer last week. Kingston continues to be a healthy city.

At St. James Church on Sunday evening, Mrs. Falke, Toronto, (nee Louise Tandy), gave a very beautiful rendition of Gounod's "Repentance".

Remember Cooke's Y. P. Society Moonlight Excursion on the Thompson Islander, Thursday, Aug. 16, 1917. Tickets 35c.

Little Robb Sleeth, who was removed to Kingston General Hospital, on Thursday, suffering with a broken leg is doing nicely.

Lieut.-Col. C. H. MacLaren, D.S.O., assisted six Brigadier General in the Royal Artillery studied at Queen's University. His home is in Ottawa.

The post office has been notified that scorchin has been forbidden the mails, and special instructions have been issued to have all parcels containing it refused.

George Pursh, Bay street, who took suddenly ill on the market Saturday and had to be removed to his home in Corbett's ambulance is now progressing favorably.

Mme. P. E. Blondin, wife of Lieut.-Col. P. E. Blondin, former postmaster of Montreal, who is now in the Hotel Frontenac over Saturday.

A liquor case was to have been heard by County Magistrate J. W. Bradshaw on Monday morning in which a resident of Sydenham, is charged with possession, has been enlarged until Thursday.

A social evening was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gifford, 116 Patrick street, on Friday evening in honor of her guests, Miss Nellie Cruickshank, Miss Rosie Dodds and her sister, Mrs. E. Reeves, who have been spending their holidays here. They returned to Toronto to-day.

ROBBED AT BATHING HOUSE.

Citizen Was Touched For \$5.50 Taking a "dip" on Sunday. While enjoying a "dip" in the lake on Sunday, J. J. Dickson, who resides on Jenkin street, was touched for \$5.50, which he had tucked away in his trousers pocket, the said trousers being left in the bathing house on King street, west. When he came out of the water and was about to dress he missed his money. Evidently there was some person loitering around the vicinity who was not enjoying the water and had plenty of time to make off with the money without being noticed. Complaint was made to the police about the theft.

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Brown-Wilson Wedding.

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CAPT. H. E. LAW WRITES

On Furlough in England—Has Been Overseas Three Years.

Mrs. D. B. Gagn recently received a letter from her son-in-law, Capt. H. E. Law, somewhere in France, saying he was about to go to England to visit his wife and little ones, who were soon to sail for Canada; also to have a vacation as he was in a run down condition owing to the strain of hospital work. Mr. Law has been in France nearly three years in different hospitals and has seen many sad sights. He writes of a new gas the Germans are using on our men. They fire it over in shells, and it takes effect three hours after. It causes severe pain to the eyes and the eyelids swell. It burns the body terribly. "Capt. Law says the Germans are arch fiends. "I could kill a German and think no more of it than blowing out a match."

He says Kingston and home would look good to him now, but he will try and do his duty and hope for the best.

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Four rinks from Queen's bowling club go to Belleville on Wednesday to play exhibition matches. The rinks to represent Kingston will be chosen at a meeting this evening.

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