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Slowly Sinking!

News of the Czar's Death May Come Any Moment.

The Japs Said to Have Been Repulsed on the Yalu.

The Russians Are Anxious to Divide Afghanistan in Two.

Tory Statement of a British Cabinet Split Denied.

Thousands Witness Miss Lucy Booth's Wedding—Sixteen Working Women Drowned.

Disastrous Explosion of a Cannon. LONDON, Oct. 19.—At a recent military review in Tegucigalpa a cannon burst, killing Julius Villars, a Swiss artillery expert, and five Honduran officers, and wounding 21 soldiers.

Sixteen Women Drowned. MADRID, Oct. 19.—Twenty women who were unloading the steamer September in Bilbao today were thrown from the dock in some unknown manner, and sixteen of them were drowned.

Only a Tory Roorbach. LONDON, Oct. 19.—The statement made in the Pall Mall Gazette that grave differences exist between Lord Rosebery and the Earl of Kimberley is officially denied, and it is asserted, upon the same authority, that the Premier and the Foreign Secretary are in perfect accord.

The Japs Repulsed. LONDON, Oct. 19.—A dispatch from Shanghai says the Japanese at the Yalu river tried to surprise the Chinese under cover of darkness, but failed and retired after desultory fighting at long range. The Chinese claim that they inflicted losses upon the Japanese advance guard.

The Queen Approves. LONDON, Oct. 19.—The Queen has approved the appointment of Sir R. T. Reid to succeed Sir John Rigby as Attorney-General, and that of Frank Lockwood to succeed Sir R. T. Reid as Solicitor-General. These changes are the result of Sir John Rigby's appointment to be a lord of appeal.

The Light that Failed at a Good Time. ROM, Oct. 19.—A bomb with alighted fuse was placed today at the door of the mayor of Rimini on the Adriatic. It did not explode, as the light went out half an inch from the shell. An examination showed that the bomb was heavily charged with powder and pits of iron. Three men have been arrested.

They Want Herat. ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 19.—The Novos Vremya, declares that in the event of military intervention of Great Britain in Afghanistan, Russia will be compelled to take similar action. The Novos Vremya adds that this joint action on the part of Great Britain and Russia will necessarily lead to the partition of Afghanistan between these two powers.

Miss Lucy Booth Gets Married. LONDON, Oct. 19.—Thousands of Salvationists gathered at the Salvation Army "barracks" yesterday morning to witness the marriage of Miss Lucy Booth, daughter of "General" Booth, of the Salvation Army, to "Colonel" Hellberg, a Swedish member of the army. It is the intention of the couple to go to India and engage in missionary work.

Decorating Lafayette's Grave. PARIS, Oct. 19.—Upwards of 150 Americans assembled at the tomb of Gen. De Lafayette at 3 o'clock this afternoon to perform the annual ceremony of placing an emblem upon the grave. Capt. Nathan Appleton, of Boston, the delegate of the Society of Sons of the Revolution, delivered a brief address and deposited a bronze marker and tablet, the emblem of the society of the Sons of the Revolution, upon the hero's grave.

Are We? LONDON, Oct. 19.—The Hon. G. E. Foster, Minister of Finance, said in an interview this evening: "We are satisfied with the general outlook in Canada."

Then he went on to say: "We are coming through the depression more satisfactorily than most countries. This is evidenced by the trade returns. The tariff changes certainly were framed to encourage British trade. The fact that British exports to Canada have increased owing to the general tendency to economy and curtailed purchases, which is one of the most notable features of Canadian life just now. Moreover, Canada year by year increases her own manufactures. It is emphatically true that Canada desires to strengthen her commercial relations with the United Kingdom, the Australian and other colonies. The Ottawa conference emanated from that wish, and developed a strong pro-English sentiment. Doubtless the tendency is to look away from the States, although our attitude to them is perfectly friendly. The Behring Sea arbitration happily removed the most debatable question. The tariff changes in both countries must help the interchange of trade and virtually constitute a reciprocity treaty. Canada has responded as far as possible to every lowering of the United States duties."

Sinking Slowly. LONDON, Oct. 19.—The latest dispatches received at the Russian Embassy here state that the condition of the Czar is extremely critical. The Paris Figaro says it was discovered in Aug. 18 that the Czar was affected with Bright's disease.

A dispatch from St. Petersburg to the foreign offices at Vienna says the Czar is sinking slowly, and the news of his death may come at any moment.

The Courier du Soir (Paris) says it is rumored that the Czar is dead. No confirmation of the rumor is obtainable, nor can it be traced to any authoritative source.

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 19.—A dispatch sent from Livadia at 7 o'clock this evening

says that the Czar's condition has not changed in the last few hours. Keen anxiety is evident throughout the capital this evening. The streets are unusually dull, and everybody is reading bulletins or inquiring for the latest news from the Czar's bedside. Solemn prayers for the Czar were said at the Cathedral of St. Isaac tonight. Ministers, high officials and the most conspicuous members of St. Petersburg society were present.

CORINTHACZ, Oct. 19.—Private telegrams received from St. Petersburg at 10 o'clock say that the Czar's condition is slightly less critical.

LONDON, Oct. 19.—The Standard's St. Petersburg correspondent says: "It is intended, unless events precipitate matters, to declare a governing council on the 29th, when the Senate will assemble and thus avoid the word recent. The council will consist of the Czar's wife, the Grand Duke, Michael, and Councillors Benko and Solovky."

Dispatches from all parts of the continent show that the whole European press is brimming over with articles on the Czar. The vast majority of writers praise him for his love of peace. Speculation as to the Czar's future policy is rife.

No two statements of his character agree. Many of them are exceedingly unfavorable. The censorship of the St. Petersburg press is reported as being unusually strict. The newspaper which announced yesterday that Father Ivan, better known as Holy John, had been summoned from Cronstadt to Livadia, was seized by the police.

The Allgemeine Zeitung in Vienna suggested this evening that the Czar was already dead, and that the fact was concealed as it was in the case of Emperor Nicholas I.

The Russian embassy in Rome received a dispatch tonight saying that a miracle alone could save the Czar's life.

The London Times' dispatch from St. Petersburg says: "Later symptoms strengthen the belief that the Czar has cancer. It is feared that he is now too ill for the solemnization of the marriage. The Princess Alix of Hesse met her sister, the Grand Duchess Feodorovna, at Alexandrov. They will reach Livadia on the 22nd. Accounts of the grief of the imperial family are heartrending. The anxiety in official circles is very great. All great important affairs are almost at a standstill. When the Czar arrived at Livadia he had not slept for ten nights. He immediately began to sleep and general improvement of condition fostered great hopes of his eventual recovery."

The disease, nevertheless, grew slowly, while the apparent improvement made it a difficult matter for his entourage to prevent his collapse.

The correspondent of the Times at St. Petersburg telegraphs: The Czar has now taken to his bed and his imperial relatives are gathering around him. Special services are being held in all the schools as well as in all the churches.

A dispatch from the Vienna correspondent of the Times, commenting upon the illness of the Czar, notes the outburst of the Russian press against Great Britain's attitude in Eastern Asia.

HONORS FOR LONDONERS.

King's Daughters Convention at Montreal—Election of Officers.

MONTREAL, Que., Oct. 19.—At this evening's session of the Dominion Convention of the King's Daughters the following officers were elected: Dominion secretary, Mrs. W. S. Patterson, Montreal; Ontario secretary, Miss A. M. Brown, Toronto; Dominion treasurer, Miss Carrie Fewings, London, Ont.; Ontario treasurer, Miss Jefferson, Havelock, Ont.; Quebec treasurer, Mrs. Bright, Sorel, Que. A large number of life patrons and annual patrons were elected.

Gen. Booth in New York.

NEW YORK, Oct. 19.—Gen. Wm. Booth, the founder of the Salvation Army arrived in this city tonight from Montreal.

Bloomfield's Mystery Solved.

BLOOMFIELD, Ont., Oct. 19.—The body of Mrs. Wm. Christy, a young married woman of this place, who was missed from her home early on Thursday morning was found this morning in the waters of West Lake, over six miles from her home. Deceased had been rather despondent of late, but not much notice had been taken of it. She was only 19 years old and possessed more than ordinary beauty and amiability. She was a devoted Christian, and had been married but seven weeks. No cause can be assigned for the rash act other than temporary insanity.

Madeline Pollard Heard From.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 19.—On motion of Calderon Carlisle, counsel for Madeline Pollard in her case against Col. Breckinridge, of Kentucky, the Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia today ordered the defendant's name stricken from the docket on the ground that it had not been entered within the statutory time. This ended the litigation as far as the courts of the district are concerned, and leaves the plaintiff free to collect her judgment of \$15,000 and costs from Col. Breckinridge when and how she can. Col. Breckinridge's salary for the remainder of his Congressional term is exempt from seizure, and there is no provision in the laws of the District of Columbia for the arrest and detention of any person about to leave its jurisdiction without complying with the judgments of the courts.

ALL MEN

Young, old or middle-aged, who find themselves nervous, weak and exhausted, who are broken down from excess or overwork, resulting in many of the following symptoms: Mental depression, premature old age, loss of vitality, loss of memory, loss of dreams, dimness of sight, palpitation of the heart, emissions, lack of energy, pain in the kidneys, headache, pimples on the face and body, itching or peculiar sensation about the scrotum, wasting of the organs, dizziness, specks before the eyes, twitching of the muscles, eyelids and elsewhere, bashfulness, deposits in the urine, loss of will power, tenderness of the scalp and spine, weak and flabby muscles, desire to sleep, failure to be rested by sleep, constipation, dullness of hearing, loss of voice, desire for solitude, excitability of temper, sunken eyes, surrounded with HEADACHE, dizzy, looking thin, etc., are all symptoms of nervous debility that lead to insanity unless cured. The spring or vital force having lost its tension every function wanes in consequence. Those who through abuse committed in ignorance, may be permanently cured. Send your address and 10c in stamps for book on diseases peculiar to man, sent sealed. Address M. V. LUBON, 24 Macdonnell avenue, Toronto, Ont., Canada.

Please mention this paper.

Tragedy at Listowel!

The Daughter of Mr. William Keith the Victim.

Brutally Assaulted and Then Foully Murdered.

Her Body Discovered in the Woods—Escape of the Murderer.

LISTOWEL, Ont., Oct. 19.—About 2 o'clock this afternoon a daughter of Wm. Keith was returning from town by way of the railway track, which crosses their farm, about two miles from town. The section men, finding groceries scattered along the track, thought there must be something wrong, and on going to Mr. Keith's house, which was not far distant, notified Mr. Keith, and a search was made of the bush between the house and track.

DISCOVERY OF THE GIRL'S BODY. Here they found the dead body of the girl entirely nude. She had evidently been outraged and terribly cut and stabbed in different parts, the body being covered with blood.

THE MURDERER. The outrage is supposed to have been done by a tramp, who was seen near by the scene, making his way towards Listowel, carrying a black satchel and afterwards reported to have been seen near Britton station, on the way towards Stratford.

Several constables and the coroner are now out searching for the villain.

Another Account.

ONLY FOURTEEN YEARS OLD. LISTOWEL, Oct. 19.—The victim of today's terrible tragedy was a girl named Jessie Keith, aged 14 years, daughter of Mr. Wm. Keith, a farmer, about one and a half miles from town. The unfortunate girl was met on the railway track as she was returning from town (where she had been to the postoffice), by a tramp, it is supposed, and outraged and murdered. The railroad section men, returning down the track after dinner, found some newspapers and spilled rice on the track. Upon further investigation they discovered evidence of foul play, and following the tracks across a plowed field and about 80 yards into the woods, discovered the body of the girl recently.

COVERED OVER WITH MOSS AND ROTTEN WOOD.

The clothing having been removed and taken away, the body bearing evidence of the foulest of crimes.

WAITING FOR THE CORONER. The body at this writing, 9 p.m., still remains in the swamp, guarded, awaiting the coroner, who is expected from Stratford at 10 p.m., there being no coroner here at present, he being from home.

A THEORY. The perpetrator of this terrible crime no doubt came up the railroad track, met his victim and disposed of the body as stated; leaving the swamp crossed over a portion of Mr. Keith's farm directly abutting Mr. Keith's on the town line, east of Listowel, and across to the 3rd concession of W. 10, where he was seen about 4 o'clock this afternoon.

THE SEARCH. A search party are scouring the country in all directions, and it is hoped they will succeed in discovering and bringing to justice this fiend in human shape.

CORONER'S INQUEST HERE. County Crown Attorney Edington, Sheriff Hossie and the coroner from Stratford arrived at the scene of the murder on the night train, stopping at the swamp, and after viewing the body and surroundings had it removed to the girl's late home. A jury has been sworn in, and at this hour (10:30 p.m.) the inquest is going on. The body presented a frightful appearance.

Late Canadian News.

Fined \$2 for Asking for Liquor on Sunday.

Government Suit for \$143,881 in Connection With the Curran Bridge Frauds.

The C. P. R. will build two dairy stations in the Northwest this winter.

H. Dohy died on Wednesday at Winnipeg as the result of a fall from a C. P. R. engine.

Mr. Satelli at Quebec said there was no truth in the report that he was to be made a cardinal.

Rev. J. F. Somerville, lately of Windsor, Ont., has been inducted as minister of the Presbyterian Church at Norwood.

Little Burr, only daughter of Engineer Thomas Burr, of C. T. R. Stratford, has eloped with a machinist named Stewart Wright.

Major F. H. Bonsall, Bowmanville, was fined \$2 and costs on Wednesday for asking for liquor at the Balmoral Hotel in Bowmanville on a Sunday.

The Woodstock Fair Association is in financial difficulties. Creditors are pressing for a settlement of their claims. The board hopes to tide over the present crisis.

Wm. Page, a C. P. R. brakeman, was taken to the Toronto General Hospital Thursday, suffering from a terrible crushing received at Orangeville while coupling cars.

James M. Morrison, a stevedore, of Victoria, B. C., and three brothers, have lately become heirs to \$15,000,000, through the death of a bachelor uncle, who amassed his wealth in Australia.

The Department of Justice has again taken action in the Eschequer Court against Contractor St. Louis, of Curran bridge fame, for \$143,881, on behalf of the Railway Department, paid on account of fraudulent accounts.

It was freely stated in Montreal on Friday that the Hon. Mr. Foster's mission to the old country was principally in connection with the fast Atlantic service. The rumor had it that Mr. James L. Huddart, exiled the Government at Ottawa to send over a member of the Cabinet to help along his scheme.

Mrs. Hannah Rosevear, relict of Matthew Rosevear, St. Thomas, died Friday at the age of 82 years. Deceased had been a resident of that city for 25 years, and a consistent member of the Methodist Church for over 61 years. She had no family, but one adopted daughter, Mrs. Metairie, St. Thomas, with whom she resided.

Robt. Thompson, a Napanee cheese

buyer, who has been ill for the past few weeks, jumped from a two-story window Tuesday night and sustained injuries that will probably terminate fatally.

SUICIDE IN BRANTFORD.

A Carpenter Ends His Life With Carbolic Acid—No Motive Assigned.

BRANTFORD, Oct. 19.—Robert Turner, carpenter, aged 45 years, and residing at Elgin street, committed suicide this morning by drinking a quantity of carbolic acid. For some weeks past Turner had been drinking rather heavily. Last night he retired about 8 o'clock, and when his 14-year-old son went to his room this morning Turner was found dead on the bed. He left a note which read: "13 o'clock in morning, Brantford, Oct. 19, 1894. This is my last voyage on earth. I have been tired of life for the last five weeks. God forgive my poor wife, and all the curses of — he put upon Miss — and — and Mrs. —. God bless my little girl Moun. God bless my son Tom. R. A. TURNER." No motive can be assigned for the rash deed. The wife of the deceased is at present in the hospital, and is in a very critical condition, suffering from an attack of inflammation. Some two years ago Turner's eldest daughter was drowned while bathing in the canal down near the locks.

IN DAYS OF YORE.

How the Old-Time Apprentice Was Pledged to Preserve His Master's Interests.

Many boys of today who work for living are inclined to kick against the generally wholesome restraints imposed by parents and employers. Said to say, not a few of these lads delight to "loaf" on street corners and comment on the passers-by in terms of the reverse of gentlemanly, while too many think it mainly to assume a swaggering air and waste their pocket money foolishly.

In this connection it is interesting to note some of the restrictions to which the boys of 50 years ago had to submit when serving their apprenticeship. A London man, doing business on Dundas street (he is an expert, too), showed his indurate papers to an ADVERTISER reporter recently. The document is a formidable-looking affair, covering three pages of folio paper, written in cursive "round-hand," but phrased in the stiff and stilted style that seems to characterize even the simplest forms of legal statements.

After giving necessary names and dates, the document states that the youth in the case had bound himself with the consent of his said father unto Henry Robinson, for the manner of an apprentice to said master, from the date hereof and during the full term of seven years and three months. * * * during which time he, the said apprentice, his master shall and will faithfully serve, his secrets keep, his lawful commands everywhere gladly obey and diligently and carefully demean and behave himself towards him. He (the apprentice) shall not do, or willingly suffer to be done by others, any hurt, prejudice or damage to the goods and merchandise or other affairs of his said master, neither will he waste or lend them unlawfully to others, but the same to the utmost of his power shall hinder or thereof forthwith warn. The document here mentions some of the youth must not commit, and contains. Nor contract matrimony within the said term. At cards, dice-tables or any other unlawful game, he shall not play. * * * He shall not absent himself by day or night from his master's service without his leave. He shall not haunt ale-houses, taverns, play-houses, or any other places of debauchery, but in all things behave himself during the said term as a good and faithful apprentice ought to do. The penalty for violating these conditions was "twenty pounds of good and lawful money of Great Britain, to be recovered as a common debt."

The master, on his part, covenanted to provide the lad "with good and sufficient clothing, washing, mending, and medical attendance," with "good and sufficient meat, drink, and lodging fit for an apprentice" and to "use the utmost of his endeavors to teach or cause to be taught and instructed the said apprentice in the art or science of a hair-dresser as he now professeth and followeth."

Warning to Cheese-Eaters.

BLACK RIVER FALLS, Wis., Oct. 20.—The family of Andrew Anderson has been poisoned, it is supposed, by eating cheese made in a brass kettle. Ole Anderson is dead and two others are dying.

Killed Down a Well.

VARNA, Ont., Oct. 20.—Wm. Lang, pumpmaker, of Varna, was killed while fixing a pump in a well. The pump hung over him and gave way, falling on him and killing him instantly. Mr. Lang was unmarried.

An Unhappy Family.

CANTON, Miss., Oct. 20.—Last Sunday, Bell Bradley was given an unmerciful whipping by his 21-year-old son. Last night the old man got even by blowing the top of the son's head off with a load of buckshot.

Six Nation Indians' Fair.

The Six Nation Indian Fair closed Thursday. The entries were large and of good quality. The fancy work, bread, butter and preserved fruits of the ladies were especially good. The horses, cattle, sheep, poultry, fruit and roots were of high grade, and took second place to none shown at any of the other fall fairs.

Wasn't Asked to the Wedding.

KALAMAZOO, Mich., Oct. 19.—Miss Dana Douglas, whose parents live in Texas township, has died from the effects of a pistol shot fired by herself. She was employed as cashier at the drygoods house of Livingston & Block, but was not invited with the other clerks to the wedding of Miss Jessie Livingston. She locked herself in her room and fired the shot which proved fatal.

Steamers Arrived.

Oct. 19. At From. Taurie.....Liverpool.....New York
Britannic.....New York.....Stettin
Laurentian.....Fame Point.....Liverpool
Baumwall.....Montreal.....Hamburg
Hirundo.....Liverpool.....New York
Adam.....New York.....Rotterdam

The Chrysanthemum Show of the Florists' and Gardeners' Club will not take place this year owing to a shortage of funds. There will, however, be held at 245 Dundas street, a grand show as ever seen in London, Saturday Oct. 20, we will start the ball rolling, and a grand display of elegant blooms will be seen in our window. We are doing quite a trade in design work. Our prices are reasonable, and we are giving general satisfaction. GREENWAY, Florist, 245 Dundas street. Phone 743, yrs.

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Dundas and Carling Sts.

Dress Goods.

Columns have already been devoted to the details of these stocks. It seems we're always talking of Dress Fabrics of one kind or another, but it is not to be wondered at with such a collection—not such another store within your reach that shows such a wealth of Dress Fabrics. It is our gauntlet. We challenge all competition. The gathering of stylish wares surpasses all former competing collections. It isn't possible, in the limits of a newspaper, to picture the exquisite taste and unique effects of new Dress Goods. Clever genius has been at work, and improved machinery has helped to make stuffs better than they were. We'd be slow indeed to offer you this season the counterpart of what you had last. Among the more exclusive lines we would like you to see our range of Holland & Sherry's Dress Tweed Suitings and Vestings. They are confined to us for this section and cannot be had elsewhere. Of all desirable weaves this season, perhaps, those English Covert Cloths take the lead. There is a feel about them that is almost irresistible. We have them in all pretty shades of fawn, tan, brown, gray and blue, also black. English Broadcloths for street wear are among the quick-selling things. We have them in 21 different shades, 56 inches wide, 5 1-2 yards to the dress pattern, only one of a color. To finish off with, all we can say is that if you want to know what is the fashion we have here the very extremes of present styles. Not a penny wasted in buying them. It's hardly possible for anyone to own the stock for less than we, which means lower prices than others can afford. Colors are good, styles excellent, qualities perfect, and values better than ever.

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