

SUFFRAGETTES INVADE THE PROVINCIAL HOUSE

Delegation Urging the Franchise for Women Stormed the House of Assembly This Morning—Their Bill Likely to Pass—Committee Meetings

Fredericton, N. B., April 24.—(Special)—There were loud calls of "police" followed by a clanging of division bells in the house this morning, when a delegation of ladies representing the Canadian Suffrage Association, appeared in the chamber.

The agricultural and municipal committees were about to meet this session and a number of members were sitting about discussing the events of the evening.

Mr. Hatheway, representative in the house, was not present when the delegation arrived, but Mr. Dixon who seconded the resolution, came forward and gave a smiling greeting to them.

The more haughty of the members made a rush for the lobbies, but the ladies had enjoyed a previous experience in the house and cordially a bunch of members and impressed them with their views.

The delegation consists of Mrs. J. R. Calhoun, Mrs. Fisher, Mrs. Cough, Miss Allen, Miss Peters, Mrs. W. E. Hatheway, Mrs. Harold Cline, and during the morning they struggled with those members who voted against Mr. Hatheway's measure to change their views and do equal justice to the fair sex.

To the ladies, Miss Peters, who takes a very advanced view of the suffrage question, said the measure Mr. Hatheway had brought forward, while not giving all that she thought should be granted to women, was satisfactory to the association, she represented as a step forward.

One of the ladies made a dead end on the good looking member for Queens, who resides in Fredericton, and found him inclined to be argumentative. The room was warm and her coat heavy.

In a moment she was directed herself of her outer garment, and at last accounts the member was gradually surrendering to her arguments.

BULLETS FLEW LIKE RAIN IN STREETS OF CONSTANTINOPLE

Constitutional Army Entered the City This Morning and Desperate Fighting Occurred in the City—Casualties Were Heavy—Troops Now Preparing to Attack Yildiz Kiosk

Constantinople, April 24.—The commander of the troops at Yildiz Kiosk and Scheffer Pasha, the commander of the army of investment are negotiating the surrender of the Yildiz garrison.

Scheffer demanded unconditional surrender by noon, but that hour had passed and an extension of time for four hours. It is understood that the Sultan is insisting on unconditional guarantee.

Constantinople, April 24.—Fighting between the army of investment under General Mahmud Scheffer, and the troops faithful to the Sultan began at five o'clock this morning in the southeast part of Pera, a suburb within two and a half miles of Yildiz Kiosk.

Constantinople, April 24.—Heavy fighting shortly after 3 o'clock this morning, mingled with the occasional rattle of artillery from the heights surrounding Yildiz Kiosk, marked the culmination of the expected clash between the favored troops of the Constitutional garrison and the army of investment, which began its advance on the city yesterday.

The fighting started in the southwest part of Pera, near Yildiz Kiosk, between the troops under General Mahmud Scheffer, commander of the army of investment, and part of those loyal to the Sultan.

Constantinople, April 24.—Complete tranquility was restored in Constantinople by noon, when the last recalcitrant surrendered and the fighting ceased.

Constantinople, April 24.—The Constitutional army of investment, which has been occupying the city since the 13th inst., is now taking possession of the barracks at Pera.

Constantinople, April 24.—Premier Hazret is stepping around very carefully, though fear of falling over an affidavit that has got loose and is causing him and his friends much anxiety.

NUMBER OF LICENSES IS SLIGHTLY REDUCED

Several Changes in the List of Licensed Liquor Sellers This Year—Names of Those Who Secured Licenses Announced Today

The liquor license commissioners have decided that the number of licenses this year shall not exceed sixty-two and the names of the successful applicants were made known this morning.

During the current year sixty-four licenses were issued so that after May 1 the number will be reduced by two.

Michael Harney who had a retail license has been granted a hotel license and James Dalton, 115 Bridge street, W. J. Hogan, 6 City Road and John Travis, 25 Mill street, were refused.

The new men in the business are John Warnock who applied for the premises on Brussels street now conducted by W. J. Hogan for whom he is acting as clerk at the present time; James C. Delaney, Church street, and W. E. Baxter, Water street.

Both Delaney and Baxter were formerly in business but did not secure licenses for the past year.

Henry Finnegan, who conducted a saloon on Prince William street for a number of years, did not apply this year as he is retiring from business.

John Labatt who had a wholesale license last year, has secured a brewer's license for the ensuing year.

The matter of enforcing the new amendments to the liquor license law will be submitted to the attorney-general by Inspector Jones in order that he may be instructed as to exact meaning of the new sections regarding screens and the location of hotel bars, etc.

THE VICTORIAN IN PORT TODAY

Big Allan Liner Had a Good Trip But Passed Much Ice

The Allan liner, Victorian, Captain Outram, arrived today from Liverpool via Halifax. She has two saloons, 139 second cabin and 45 stowage passengers to land here.

On Wednesday two large icebergs were passed. The daily runs were 327, 420, 388, 421, 434, and 237 miles, the latter to Halifax.

On Wednesday afternoon a programme was held on the promenade deck for the first and second class passengers. Foot races, potato races, jumps, etc., were held and the events were quite successful.

THE TIMES NEW REPORTER

NEWS OF THE HUNT. The lovely Miss Birdie McWhorter desires the Times new reporter to say that she was prevented by a slight indisposition from taking part in the Maypole dance last evening, but that she executed a waltz at home.

SOCIETY ITEM. Mr. BINKS IS WEARY. Mr. Peter Binks confided to the new reporter this morning that he was a little tired of hearing the Hazret government reply to charges of broken pledges by attacking the old government.

FRASE FOR BIKEN. Ottawa, April 24.—Dr. Bink and Mr. Crockett are still wearing the muzzle Mr. Borden put on them when he got back to town. Their associates breathe more freely and will move in caucus to the injunction made perpetual.

THE WEATHER. Fresh to strong fair and cooler. Sunday, northwest winds, fine and cool.

Table with names of licensees and their addresses, including John J. Connor, 45 Bernina, John Walsh, 63 Mill, Joshi Ward, 15 Dock, etc.

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THE VICTORIAN MONCTON NEWS

Another Moncton Church to Install a Large Organ

Moncton, N. B., April 24.—(Special)—There will be another new large organ in Moncton. Last evening at a meeting of the trustees of the Central Methodist church it was decided to have one installed which will cost over \$3,000.

John Kirkpatrick. John Kirkpatrick, of West Station, died at his home last night after a lingering illness. Mr. Kirkpatrick was 71 years of age, and unmarried. He was a farmer, and highly respected by all who knew him.

THE LATOUR ROAD RACE

Considerable interest is being created in the road race to be held on May 15 by LaTour Section, T. of H. The course will be from Spruce Lake to Carleton, finishing the last mile in the Market Square. The distance is about 8 miles.

Funerals. The funeral of Mrs. Eliza Henderson was held from her late home, Colonel Street, this afternoon at 2:30. Service was conducted by Rev. S. Howard and interment was in the Church of England Burial Ground.

Funerals. The funeral of Robert Duffy was held from his late home, St. Patrick street, this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock to the Catholic church where the burial service was held by Father Duke. Interment was in the New Catholic Cemetery.