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TO-DAY'S Messages.

10.00 A.M.

RUSSIAN SUCCESSES AGAINST THE TURKS.

PETROGRAD, To-day. The Russian Caucasian operations are widening further to the westward and southward with the possibility, according to semi-official opinion, on a juncture being formed with the British-Mesopotamia expedition. The Russian advance is pushing west of Melazghert, where the important town of Khnyvskaja, 50 miles south of Erzerum has been captured. At the same time progress is reported in the direction of Van, likewise toward Urmiyah, where it is officially announced that Turks have been repulsed with heavy losses. Further southeast in the region of Kandalanski Pass south-east of Hamadan, another Russian victory is reported. Although broken mountainous country intervenes, the latter positions are not far removed from the head of the British column in the vicinity of Kut-el-Amara. It is pointed out that the Turks evidently fear a junction, this being indicated by the retreat towards Mush of a large part of their army that was recently reported to have been routed, the evident purpose of the move being to cover Bitlis and Diarbakar. It is admitted that the recent successes of the Russians in the Caucasus operations thus far have no great strategic importance, but are regarded as having a notable moral effect upon the Turkish troops, which military observers point out are readily stamped in an open campaign.

SURROUNDING ERZERUM.

ATHENS, To-day. The Russians are surrounding Erzerum, from which city the Turkish authorities have fled, according to reports reaching here. A strong Russian column is advancing to the Tigris Valley, advices add.

THE SUGGESTED CONFERENCE.

LONDON, To-day. Although the London Times has been suggesting that Sir Robert Borden should pay another visit to England in order to meet the Australian and New Zealand Ministers expected here and thus have some sort of colonial conference, it is not thought likely here that the Canadian Premier will come, so long as the political situation at Ottawa is unsettled. In any case New Zealand is already out of the arrangement at present, as Premier Massey announced that the proposed visit of himself and the ex-Premier has been postponed, owing to pressure of work. Inquiries in London have failed to locate anyone who knows anything about the proposed inter-Dominion Conference of Australian and Canadian representatives, which a recent Ottawa cable to London fixed for the month of March.

NO PREMATURE PEACE.

LONDON, To-day. Lord Rosebery, speaking at Edinburgh to-day at a meeting of volunteers, said: "This is not a war of the Kings, Ministers or Generals, but a war of nations. You embody the nations' resolution, that so long as there is no premature peace."

Gin Pills FOR THE KIDNEYS How They Relieve

Hardfield, N. B. "It affords me great pleasure to convey not only to you but to all sufferers from Backache and Rheumatism, the great relief I have obtained from the use of Gin Pills. I feel thankful to you, I recommend Gin Pills to everyone suffering as I did."

ROBERT M. WILSON

Gin Pills are 50c. a box or 6 boxes for \$2.50 at all drugists. Free sample on request to National Drug & Chemical Co. of Canada Limited, Toronto.

List of Groceries Stolen.

In connection with the theft of goods from Knowling's, the young man Reid, who was arrested Saturday and is now on remand pending an investigation by the police, is charged with the larceny of the following so far:

54 lbs. sugar, valued at	\$6.30
7 lbs. Rolled Oats	30
14 lbs. Roots	63
7 lbs. Split Peas	28
7 lbs. Beans	49
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All of the value of \$3.02. Other arrests are expected to follow this afternoon.

Fire at Grand Falls.

The R. N. Co. had a message last evening saying that a fire at Grand Falls had destroyed a hotel there owned by a man named John Basha. The blaze started at 3.30 yesterday afternoon and nearly an hour had passed before it was extinguished. A house owned by the R. N. Co.'s section foreman had a narrow escape from destruction. No cause is given for the origin of the fire.

Here and There.

PERSONAL.—Mr. Hierlihy came to the city by train last evening.

ICE IN GULF.—The Sagona reports some ice in the Gulf, and quickly forming.

R. N. CO. AND HOCKEY.—It is probable that the R. N. Co. will get together a hockey team and try their luck during the coming contests.

BUYERS LEAVE.—Several of our city buyers will leave by the Stephano to-night en route to England and the United States to purchase spring goods for their respective firms.

BOYS SUMMONED.—Fourteen boys were summoned to court to-day for coasting over different inclines of the city. They were all let go on payment of costs.

PERSONAL.—Mr. J. M. Devine, of the "Right House" leaves by the Stephano for the American market to purchase goods for the spring season. He will be absent some weeks.

MR. FURLONG IMPROVED.—Miss May Furlong had a message from her brother, Mr. M. W. Furlong, last evening saying that he is much improved in health. Mr. Furlong is in hospital at Montreal.

INTERESTING LECTURE.—At the Grenfell Hall last evening a crowded audience were treated to an interesting and illustrated lecture on the Cathedrals of England, given by Mr. W. H. Jones.

MINNIE ARRIVES.—The baronet, Minnie, Capt. Wakeham, reached port this morning in ballast to A. Goodridge & Sons, after a lengthy and tedious trip of 65 days from Bahia. Many heavy storms were experienced during the trip, but the vessel came through without damage.

GLENCOE'S PASSENGERS.—The Glencoe sailed from Placentia at 6.30 last evening for the south coast with the following passengers: Messrs. T. J. Tibbo, V. J. Parsons, G. F. Pike, H. Fortesque, F. Brazil, Capt. Decker, Miss B. Bishop, Miss V. Inkpen, Miss A. Tucker and Mrs. R. Inkpen.

CHILD MEETS ACCIDENT.—An 8-year-old girl named Barron was slightly injured whilst sliding over Hutchings' Street last evening. The sled on which the little one was sitting ran into an electric light pole with such force as to render the child unconscious. Medical aid was called.

A RUNAWAY.—This morning a horse belonging to Henry Greeley, of Portugal Cove, took flight on Theatre Hill and dashed up New Gower St. A load of empty boxes which Greeley was taking home was scattered about the street. Constable Duddy captured the animal near McNamara's store on Queen Street. The owner stands to lose about \$20 as his slide was completely wrecked.

STEPHANO SAILS.—The s.s. Stephano, Capt. Smith, sails this morning for Halifax and New York, taking a big outward freight of fish. The following passengers are booked to go in saloon: Archbishop Roche, Rev. J. McGrath, Mr. T. Murphy, Mr. G. Kearney, Miss Galloway, Mrs. Smyth, Mrs. Tibbo, Mr. R. G. Pike, Mr. and Mrs. A. Moulton, Mr. A. Goelling, Mr. R. Adams, Mr. Dicks, Mr. and Mrs. Richards, Messrs. C. Manuel, A. Lumsden, McGarry, Frelich, J. M. Devine, W. Mulvey, A. M. Wilson, E. Robinson, Brannette, J. C. Dennison, J. H. Hickey, R. G. Rendell, A. S. Rendell, Master Rendell, Mrs. A. A. Ellis, Misses Kingston, Stick, White, Hayward, Seymour, Mr. and Mrs. Macpherson, Mrs. Balfour and two children, Rev. Dr. Whelan, Mrs. J. S. Adams and 2 children, and 10 second class.

DIED AT PORT MORIEN, C. B.—Word has reached the city of the death at Port Morien, C. B., of Mrs. Joseph Cooper, at one time resident of Gower Street, this city. The funeral of the deceased lady took place from her son's residence, No. 52 Grand Lake Road, Sydney. Mrs. Cooper removed to Morien with her family some 28 years ago.

CASINO Theatre.

Fourth Week.

KLARK-URBAN COMPANY.

Matinee Wednesday at 2.30.

TO-NIGHT

"So Much for So Much."

Prices—Evening, 20, 30 and 50 cents. Matinee—Children, 10c.; Adults, 20c.; Reserved Seats, 30c. Seats on sale at the Atlantic Bookstore.

Showing Monday and Tuesday at THE NICKEL.

"HOUSES OF GLASS."

Starring Ruth Roland and Henry King in the Sixth Instalment of

"WHO PAYS."

Anita Stewart and Earle Williams are "THE GODDESS." Tenth Chapter of "THE SERIAL." Presented in a BEAUTIFUL WEDNESDAY: "THE EXPLOITS OF ELAINE." COMING: CHARLIE CHAPLIN IN A GREAT TWO-REEL COMEDY, entitled "WORK." THE NICKEL'S PICTURE PROGRAMME IS THE ABSOLUTE BEST THAT MONEY CAN BUY.

Prospero Back

From Last Trip North.

The S. S. Prospero, Capt. A. Kean, returned from the northward this morning, having been as far as Tilt Cove and called at all intervening ports. Very frosty weather was experienced during the trip. She brought a full freight, including 1,200 casks of codfish. The following passengers came:—M. Batstone, R. J. Young, W. Hawkin, S. Skinner, G. Hodder, H. Clarke, T. Wager, E. Crane, Miss Hiscok, Grant, Lookyer and 5 in steerage.

From parties who came on the ship we learn that the herring fishery is still being carried on with remarkable success in Green Bay and the people there are making big money, getting fancy prices for the well cured article, particularly for the Scotch cured herring. It has been practically decided that the Prospero will not make another trip north this winter. At present ice is making quickly in Green Bay and White Bay.

Horse Runs Away.

At 1 p.m. to-day a horse, owned and driven by Isador Wilansky, tea agent, took flight on Pennywell Road. In its mad career, and owing to the desperate condition of the road in that vicinity, the sleigh collided with a house, doing some damage and wrecking the outfit, with the result that the contents of the vehicle, tea, boxes, etc., were strewn around the road. The horse continued its flight countrywards where it was finally captured. In the mix-up Mr. Wilansky lost some money, but after a diligent search succeeded in recovering it. We are asked to draw the attention of the Council to the state of this road, as at present it is blocked with snow, forcing traffic to take to the sidewalk.

Reids' Boats.

The Argyle left Placentia this morning for the westward. S. S. Glencoe arrived at Burin at 8.30 a.m. to-day going west. The Kyle arrived at Basques at 9.15 a.m. yesterday.

Fourth Division Will Absorb All Enlisted to Date.

Ottawa, Jan. 21.—The fourth division which the Government has offered for service in the field, and which doubtless will be accepted promptly, will absorb practically all of the total enlistment up to date. There will be 90,000 men in the trenches.

Figuring on reinforcements at 150 per cent, the rate which now prevails, there will be requirements for 135,000 at the base. As the forces move across the Channel from England, there will need to be a corresponding movement from Canada to the overseas training depots.

The extent of this will depend very considerably upon conditions at the front and the number of the losses sustained. Under present conditions it would be an easy affair, but in times of severe engagements and losses the drafts would be both steady and large.

On the basis of the present authorized establishment and the prevailing percentage of reinforcements, it is doubtful, therefore, if more than 125,000 men will be maintained in the trenches at one time.

S. S. LADY SYBIL SAILS.—Orosbie & Co.'s s.s. Lady Sybil left here on Saturday night with a full cargo of codfish for the Mediterranean market. Previous to her sailing some trouble was experienced in getting a crew together. Eventually a satisfactory understanding was arrived at Saturday afternoon. Capt. Marshall, of H. M. Customs, has gone in command replacing Capt. N. Kennedy, who resigned charge.

Our 25 cent Sale!

Stock-taking over, we find many odds and ends that we are desirous of cleaning out, so we have arranged same on our Bargain Counters, and offer them at the uniform price of 25 cents each, or in groups of 2 or more for same money. Many articles worth double the money we ask.

We have also bought some Jobs and Specials for this Sale, so we advise one and all to call. Let your quarters do double work for you. We list a few of the many things offered:

Ladies' Camisoles
Ladies' Mufflers
Ladies' Suspenders
Ladies' Vests.
Ladies' Hose
Ladies' Collars
Ladies' Gloves
Ladies' Belts
Ladies' Scarfs
Ladies' Handkerchiefs
Ladies' Aprons
Ladies' Side Combs
Ladies' Back Combs
Ladies' Barrettes
Children's Hose
Children's Wool Hoods
Children's Stocking Caps
Children's Gloves
Children's Bags
Children's Vests & Pants.
Hair Pins

Needle Cases
Veiling
Embroidery, 3 yds.
Cushion Tops
Pillow Slips
Centre Pcs. for working
Toweling, 3 yds.
Lawn, 3 yards.
Gingham, 2½ yards
Flannelette, 2½ yards
Blouse Flannelette, 2 yds
Towels
Dress Goods
Men's Collars
Men's Ties
Arm Wristlets
Braces
Boys' Shirts
Men's Socks
Men's Gloves
Men's Shirts.

CROCKERYWARE.

Fancy Teapots
Fancy Jugs
Fern Pots
Meat Dishes
Marmalade Jugs
Pudding Plates (4)
Dinner Plates (3)
Soup Plates (3)
Tumblers (6)
Frying Pans
Milk Pans
Many things in Tinware offered at half price to clear.
Silver Forks (6)
Pictures, frame
Books, Half Price
Tea, Dinner and Toilet
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The Tabasco Brings Big Free

The Furness liner Tabasco, Yeomans, arrived here Saturday morning, taking sixteen days from Liverpool. A continuous strong westerly gales and heavy weather were encountered from start to finish of the voyage. She was badly shaken on arrival owing to the springing into ice. The decks were coated and the winches were in making the docking of the difficult and tedious. The ship brought 60 packages of mail and 600 tons of cargo. She sailed for Halifax to-night.

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Thanksgiving Service

AT GOWER STREET CHURCH.
The Hon. R. K. Bishop, who last night and asked people to help along the paying of debt on the church. Mr. Bishop said that when the twentieth anniversary of the dedication of this splendid edifice came round—which will be October—the debt which is now about \$4,000 will have been paid. When the church was first opened in 1896 something like \$25,000 was owed on it, all this has been paid except \$4,000. Miss Storey sang and excellent anthem solo at the of the service.

WITH THE VOLUNTEERS.
Those who resumed drill last morning after being inoculated the day at Swedish and other drill and were dismissed at 5. One squad had practice at the Side Rifle range.

New hats are very high in the back.

Baby Afflicted Dr. Chase

The Family Doctor Tried in vain This Year

It may be interesting to note that Dr. Chase's Ointment was recommended to cure a case of eczema on a child. The disease had spread almost over the entire body and all the regular treatment failed. The doctor was told of Chase's Ointment, and, as a last resort, he tried it. It worked like a charm. The nasty sores, and leaving the skin soft and smooth. That was a good many years ago and since then many thousands of cases of eczema, both in children and adults, have been cured, thanks to Dr. Chase's Ointment. It is the standard cure for it. It is a disease that is not cured by any other means. Mrs. Geo. McNair, River St., N. B., writes as follows: "I used Chase's Ointment in our case, for cuts, burns and bruises. A year ago a friend of mine was