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Rev. Dr. Potts Says Cruise and Convention Was Great Event of His Life.

"I consider the cruise and the convention the event of my life, and its effect on Sunday school work in Palestine and Italy will be permanent and fruitful. My opinion is growing more and more that the Sunday school work is the greatest work of the future for the church and the world." Such is Rev. Dr. Potts' summing up of the results of his visit to Palestine, on which he left Toronto March 8 last.

The American and Canadian delegates numbered six, and 435 British joined them at Jerusalem. The party represented 43 denominations from 25 countries.

From Funchal, Madeira, a cable was sent to Sir George White, governor of Gibraltar, that 70 delegates wished to read an address in Arabic, which was at the Rock and Sir George was occupied with the imperial quest. He received Dr. Potts, Rev. Mr. Frings, and William Johnson of Belleville, who is, like the general, a native of the north of Ireland. Sir George was exceedingly well pleased at their appreciation of his services, and was unstinted in his praise of the Canadian soldiers in South Africa.

A memorable journey.

From Algiers and Malta they passed on to Naples, where the city was illuminated in honor of the president of the address in Arabic, which was read at the Rock and Sir George was greatly interested in the Sunday school convention. At Athens Dr. Potts preached on Mt. Olivet, as has been already reported. On Sunday they passed the Isle of Patmos, where St. John received the Apocalyptic. At Smyrna the great fire, which destroyed the city, was commemorated, the sixty martyr, was of interest.

Jerusalem was reached on April 5, and Dr. Potts thought the influence of the convention on the people was remarkable. The Samaritan high priest read an address in Arabic, which was interpreted by a converted Jew. An ex-mayor of the city who attended the Berlin congress in 1878 also addressed them. On convention Sunday the natives thought the second coming of Christ was expected, and that it was to be announced by cock crowing on Mount Olivet. The cock failed to appear.

Decided on Toronto. The convention met in a tent which held 1800, and was pitched near the site, as General Gordon considered it.

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TOWN TAKES STOCK.

Bracebridge, May 20.—The bylaw regarding the Hess Furture Company was carried by a large majority here to-day, only seven votes being polled against it. The principal item of the bylaw was that the town should make \$1000 in preferred stock, and the mortgage on the property of the company, on the company complying with some of its terms. The change was made owing to the injury to the company by a lack of borrowing power.

The Horse is King.

This week the eyes of admirers of the horse and rider are turned to the sports which have fastened on Toronto, if you are a visitor or one who wants a real good hat—a hat that will add style to your costume—call at Dineen's, corner of Yonge and Temperance streets. They have a large stock of designs in men's hats by English and American makers. They are besides Dunlap's and Heath's sole Canadian agents. Store open to-night.

Williams vs MacMahon to-night, Arm

GREAT RACING WEATHER.

Metropolitan Office, Toronto, May 20.—(8 p.m.)—Showers have been general to-day from the lower to the Maritime Provinces. Elsewhere in Canada the weather has been fine and warm. The outlook is now promising for a period of fine weather in Ontario, Quebec and the Maritime Provinces.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: New Westminster, 38-60; Calgary, 38-70; St. John's, 36-72; Winnipeg, 44-82; Port Arthur, 45-74; Albany, 44-82; Toronto, 48-64; Ottawa, 48-50; Montreal, 46-61; Quebec, 48-60; Halifax, 46-60.

Probabilities.

Lower Lakes and Georgian Bay—Fine and warmer. Sunday—Fine and warmer.

Ottawa Valley and Upper St. Lawrence—Moderate to fresh westerly winds; clearing and a little milder. Sunday—Fine and warmer.

Lower St. Lawrence and Gulf—Fresh northwesterly to westerly winds; clearing and a little milder. Sunday—Fine and warmer.

Maritime—Moderate to fresh westerly winds; clearing; stationary or a little higher temperature to-day. Sunday—Fine and milder.

Lake Superior—Light to moderate winds; fine and warm.

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May 20. At. From.

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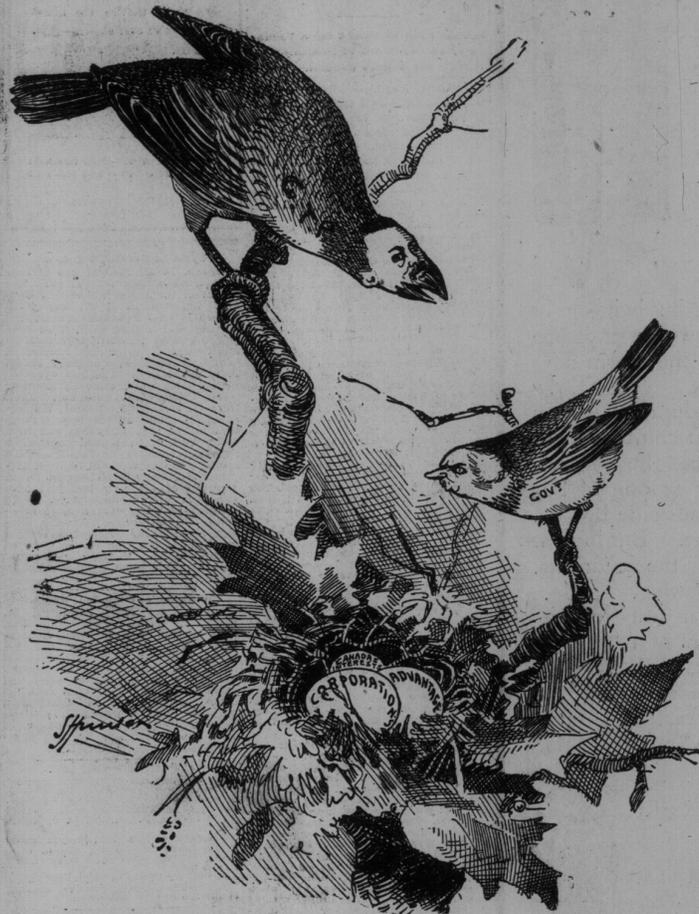
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IMPOSING ON THE WARBLER.



The Cow Bird (who is responsible for the two big eggs): Bless you, she quite believes she's going to hatch nothing but national advantage warblers.

RUSSIANS REPORT A JAP DEFEAT WUKOKI REPULSED WITH BIG LOSS

RUSSIAN RETREAT TO BE GAINING

Heavy Firing Heard in Direction of Port Arthur, Which Japs Are Determined to Take.

WAR BULLETINS.

St. Petersburg, May 20.—A report has been received here, saying that Gen. Kukuzi has been repulsed with great loss.

Tientsin, May 20.—It is announced from authentic Russian sources that the Japanese army from the Yalu today driven back to Fengwangcheng.

Chefoo, May 20.—Heavy firing was heard in the direction of Port Arthur early this morning. Chinese arriving from Dahn say that the Russians regained control of the railway but lost it again.

Chicago, May 20.—A special to the Daily News from Chefoo says: "At 10:30 this morning a tremendous explosion was heard in the direction of Port Arthur. It was impossible to ascertain the cause."

London, May 20.—The Japanese legation today received the following official communication from the Japanese government: "A portion of our army commenced landing at Takushan, west of the mouth of the Yalu River, yesterday."

Newchwang, May 20.—(7 a.m.)—The reports of the Japanese retreat to Fengwangcheng are officially confirmed. The Japanese, numbering 20,000 men, came upon 32,000 Russians in a strong position on Monday, six miles from Newchwang. It being unwise to risk a battle, the Japanese retreated in good order and with great rapidity.

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St. Petersburg, May 20.—The report that Russia may shortly proclaim all the ports of the Siberian coast, including Vladivostok, to be free, thus permitting unrestricted commerce, is confirmed.

JAP MEETS RUSS.

Tokio, May 20.—(3:30 p.m.)—The following official statement has just been issued here: "A section of infantry of the Liaotung forces went in the direction of Shanchuan to reconnoitre and met two sections of Russian infantry. The Russians were repulsed in thirty minutes. Our casualties were one officer and four men killed and one officer and eight men wounded. The Russian casualties were one officer and forty to fifty men killed. The landing of Japanese troops at Takushan began yesterday."

Admiral Hosoya, commanding the third squadron, reports that with the third squadron, consisting of the Fuso, Yashima, Takushan, Sai Yen and other vessels, he protected the landing of troops at an unimportant place, probably Takushan, yesterday, and a party of bluejackets, who occupied a point of land and raised the Japanese flag at 8 o'clock in the morning. The landing of troops was unopposedly commenced, and was accomplished very quickly.

RUSSIANS LOST 300.

London, May 20.—The Japanese legation here gave out this morning the following despatch, received from Tokio: "The enemy's forces participating in the fight near Kinchoo (Liaotung Peninsula), May 16, consisted of the Fifth, Fourteenth and Sixteenth Sharpshooters (infantry), with eight quick-firing guns. They left on the fifth thirty dead officers and men. According to the prisoners, the enemy's casualties were over three hundred."

JAPS RETREATED 12 MILES.

St. Petersburg, May 20.—(4:55 p.m.)—An official report has been received to the effect that Gen. Rennenkampf's Cossacks fell on the Japanese column advancing on Fengwangcheng on Wednesday, and that the Japanese were compelled to retreat for a distance of twelve miles.

The Russians have evacuated Kalpin (or Kalchoo) about thirty-five miles south of Newchwang without a fight.

SHIP WAS DESTROYED.

Tokio, May 20.—(10 p.m.)—A trustworthy report has been received at the Japanese legation that the Russian cruiser Bogatyr ran ashore outside Vladivostok in a heavy fog and was destroyed. This is the first ship of the Russian fleet to be destroyed.

The report of the grounding of the cruiser Bogatyr came last night from the St. Petersburg correspondent of The Echo de Paris, and was announced by the Russian admiralty to-day.

A cable from Vladivostok to-day made no allusion to the Bogatyr and reported all quiet there.

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U.S. and Canada Railway.

Ontario, N.Y., May 20.—The number of directors of the United States and Canada Railway was today reduced from 13 to 9 at a meeting in the city.

The following were elected members of the board: W. Wainwright, Frank Scott, J. Pullen, Dr. O. McFarland, H. W. Clark, W. R. Stearns, J. Y. Cameron. The directors then organized and elected C. Foster, president, S. W. Foster, vice-president, J. Cameron, secretary-treasurer and Frank Scott treasurer.

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MARRIAGES.

WIRSHING—GIES—At a residence of Mr. and Mrs. B. Wilson, 21 St. Patrick street, Toronto, Mr. John Wirshing of Preston to Miss Lizzie Gies of Waterloo.

DEATHS.

BREEN—At his late residence, York Mills, on Tuesday morning, May 17th, 1904, Thomas Breen, in the 78th year of his age.

Funeral on Friday morning at half past nine, to Thornhill. Friends and acquaintances kindly accept this intimation.

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FIREMAN SHOOTS HIMSELF TO DEATH

Charles Toplis, Well Known in Parkdale, Ends Life With a Revolver.

Charles S. Toplis, 25 Maple Grove-avenue, a fireman attached to hose 13, at the Cowan-avenue station, committed suicide by shooting himself in the temple late yesterday afternoon. He went on duty yesterday morning as usual and remained until noon. Just before leaving, he told one of his comrades that he was not feeling well and intended going to the drug store to procure some medicine. Shortly afterwards he was seen on an eastbound car. It is supposed that he came down-town and purchased the revolver, as he was not known to have previously had one in his possession.

About 5:15 p.m. his daughter came to the fire station enquiring for him. Driver Joseph Spence accompanied her home and found the dead body in a shed in the rear of the house. It is supposed that he fired the fatal shot while seated on the bank.

Deceased has been in poor health for some time. He was injured two years ago, being thrown from the hose wagon while going to the McIntosh fire, and again similarly last winter while on his way to the Menzies & Turner fire. A few days after the last accident, his wife, in giving him some medicine, made a mistake in the bottle and gave him some medicine which made him very ill. He has been complaining of his stomach ever since and for the last few days he has had no appetite. Yesterday morning while on duty he was seized with a severe attack of vomiting.

Outward of his ill-health, he was worried by financial troubles. Ten years ago he made his wife a present of the house at 1255 West Queen-street, which he mortgaged the property. Deceased knew nothing of this until a few months ago. He learned that he had mortgaged the property for \$10,000, and he was very much to heart and seemed to be worrying over this transaction more than usual during the past three weeks.

The late fireman was about 55 years of age and was a Yorkshireman. He was chief of the old Parkdale volunteer brigade and when annexation took place, about fifteen years ago, he became a member of the city department. He had a widow, two daughters, who carry on a dressmaking business at the home, and a son, Samuel, a brakeman on the C.P.R. He was a member of L.O.L. 207, the United Workmen, Somerset Lodge, Sons of England, and a Forester. He was well known and liked by all.

The remains were removed to A. M. Craig & Co.'s undertaking parlour, 1255 West Queen-street. Coroner McConnell was notified. He decided an inquest was not necessary. The funeral will take place on Monday.

JAPS HEAD FOR MUKDEN.

Liaoyang, May 20.—Forty-five battalions of Japanese troops have been landed on the Liaotung Peninsula. In order to embarrass their advance the Russians have destroyed the railroad bridges and when annexation took place, about fifteen years ago, he became a member of the city department. He had a widow, two daughters, who carry on a dressmaking business at the home, and a son, Samuel, a brakeman on the C.P.R. He was a member of L.O.L. 207, the United Workmen, Somerset Lodge, Sons of England, and a Forester. He was well known and liked by all.

The excitement among the Chinese has been increasing during the past few days. The Japanese bands are causing considerable trouble and are being energetically hunted by Cosul-General Mukden.

The Eastern Chinese Railroad has increased its carrying capacity, and for some time has been working very quickly and in splendid condition.

TEAM OWNERS TO CONFER.

Last night the Team Owners' Union held a successful meeting in Cameron Hall, with President W. A. Carter in the chair. They initiated ten new members.

The principal business discussed was a letter from the Ontario Drivers' Union asking a committee of the Team Owners' Union to meet a committee of theirs to decide on a definite wage. The team owners are at present averaging \$8 to \$10 a week, and are asking \$11.

The Team Owners' Union elected the following committee to meet the drivers on Friday night: J. Ryan, W. Kirkwood, P. Wilson, J. Turner. The team owners are at present averaging \$8 to \$10 a week, and are asking \$11.

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His Smoking Parlors the Mecca for Many.

Many street car passengers who have to travel at King and Yonge-streets take a few minutes for a smoke at Muller's magnificent tobacco store and smoking parlors at 9 West King-street. Since the parlors recently refitted by Mr. Muller have been noted for their high quality of cigars, they have been receiving a great deal of attention lately.

They have been furnished and decorated with rare skill and taste, and give an after-luncheon smoke. Every line of their re-opening many artists have enjoyed a visit to the parlors. Muller's is known as a "body's store," and its patronage includes the man who wants a five-cent cigar as well as the man who is willing to pay a dollar for an after-luncheon smoke. Every line of goods receives the same treatment, and Mr. Muller is famous for the care he bestows upon his stock.

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Highlanders Band to-night, Armouries

TO-DAY IN TORONTO.

O. J. C. races, Wodlone, 2:30; King's Plate 4:30.

Auto Club, Queen's Park, 3 p.m.

Baseball—Toronto v. Newark, 3 p.m.

Shooting—Louis Ruzick ranges, train leave 1:30 and 2:10 p.m.

Christians workers, Broadway Hall, all day.

Borden Conservative Club, Temple Building, 8 p.m.

Highlanders Band promenade concert, Armouries, 8 p.m.

Grand "Old" Landover, 2 and 8 p.m.

Majestic, "To Die at Dawn," 2 and 8 p.m.

Shea's, vaudeville, 2 and 8 p.m.

Star, burlesque, 2 and 8 p.m.

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BUSINESS MEN DISCUSS STATION

McGUGAN SUGGESTS FREE GRANT PROMISES CREDITABLE TERMINAL

WANTS THE LAND FREE.

The Grand Trunk Railway Company asks the city to transfer to it without cost the land owned by the city along the Esplanade from the York-street bridge to Yonge-street and northerly to a point 150 feet south of Front-street. It proposes in return to tear down the old freight sheds and roundhouse west of the present depot and use the space on both sides for passenger traffic. It will also improve the present Union Station and make it equal to almost any similar structure on the continent. Station-street will be extended easterly to Yonge-street, striking the Esplanade south of the examining warehouse, and will form the northern boundary of the railway yards.

The property sought to be expropriated is now returning to the city approximately an annual rental of \$7000. This is based on the valuation placed on it twenty-one years ago, and in the estimation of experts it would now be worth double that sum. The majority of the leases expire within a few years. Prominent merchants last night expressed the opinion that the city would be justified in granting the property to the company.

DESIRE MUNICIPAL PHONES BRANTFORD AGAINST BELL

Exclusive Franchise Has Expired and It Will Not Be Renewed.

Brantford, May 20.—(Special.)—The Bell Telephone Company's exclusive franchise expired yesterday. It is certain it will not be renewed. At present there appears no doubt that in its place will be inaugurated a municipal system of telephone, owned, maintained and operated by the city.

Some time ago a committee was appointed by the city council to inquire into telephone matters. Every member of that committee has declared himself in favor of municipal ownership of telephones. It was the prevailing opinion among the committee from the first that the Bell Company should not get a renewal of its exclusive franchise, but after much consideration the municipal ownership of telephones was decided upon.

At Monday night's meeting of the city council the special committee, which is a strong one, will ask for further time to study the question. Information about the various kinds of telephones will be obtained, their cost and other matters will be figured out so that the report of the committee may be a final one.

The Bell Company cannot be driven out of the city by legal process, but such keen competition as municipal phones will give it is thought to be sufficient.

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BELL BEATEN IN PETERBORO MACHINE PHONE WINS OUT RESIDENCE PHONE FOR \$15

Contract for Ten Years Given to a Toronto Company at Council Meeting Last Night.

Peterboro, May 20.—(Special.)—At a special meeting of the town council held this evening, the Canadian Machine Telephone Company was granted a ten years' franchise of the streets of the town, on which to erect poles and string wires for the operation of a system of machine telephones.

The present was represented by R. Neill, chairman; F. D. McKay, general manager, and D. O'Connell, solicitor.

It was shown that the company would be prepared to give for all time the cheap rates of \$15 for residence phones and \$25 for business phones. The present cost of phones in town is \$25 for residence phones and \$35 for business phones.

BISLEY TEAM.

Seventeen Members Have Signed Intention of Sailing.

Ottawa, May 20.—(Special.)—The following members of the Bisley expedition of 1903 have accepted places upon the Canadian Rifle team for Bisley, 1904:

1.—Capt. H. C. Blair, 78th Regiment, White, N. S.

2.—Capt. E. Dillon, 34th Regiment, White, N. S.

3.—Pte. C. S. Scott, 43rd Regiment, Ottawa, Ont.

4.—Col. J. A. Crowe, 20th Regiment, Guelph, Ont.

5.—Corporal R. McGregor, the G. G. F. Co. Ottawa, Ont.

6.—Pte. H. Tyers, 10th Regiment, Toronto.

7.—Pte. W. G. Fowler, 12th Regiment, Toronto, Ont.

8.—Col. Sergt. A. G. Gardner, 53rd Regiment, Sherbrooke, Que.

9.—Col. Sergt. Youhill, 90th Regiment, Winnipeg.

10.—Sergt. G. Mortimer, 10th Regiment, Toronto.

11.—Pte. A. Daydon, 45th Highlanders, Toronto.

12.—Pte. N. Smith, 21st Regiment, Hamilton.

13.—Major W. P. Moore, 20th Regiment, Georgetown.

14.—Pte. T. Westman, 43rd Regiment, Ottawa, Ont.

15.—Sergt. W. Gould, 30th Regiment, Guelph.

16.—Col. Sergt. W. Will, 13th Regiment, Hamilton.

17.—Col. Sergt. W. H. Davidson, 1st Regiment, Montreal.

There are two from whom replies are yet awaited—Capt. J. J. Limpert, 29th Regiment, Hespeler, Ont., and Pte. E. H. Haystead, 63rd Regiment, Halifax, N. S.

Commandant is Lieut.-Col. W. P. Anderson, R. O., Ottawa, and second in command is Adj. Meier MacDoughall, 8th Hussars, McDougall, N. B.

Smoke Alive Bolland's Smoking Mixture

WHAT GUARDIAN LOBT.

(Canadian Associated Press Cable.)

London, May 20.—The Guardian Assurance Company announced at its annual meeting that its loss in the Toronto fire was \$150,000. This is less than expected. The fire would materially assist companies in increasing their rates in Canada.

Williams vs MacMahon to-night, Arm

NO INQUEST.

Coroner Cotton has withdrawn the warrant for an inquest on Hal Street, who was killed by an elevator.

Nothing but the best at Thomas.

A BOND OF UNION.

London, May 20.—The postmaster general, speaking at Llandudno, declared the postmark was more than a money-making scheme, as it formed a strong bond of union of empire.

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