

FIGHT WITH 4,000 NAVAL MUTINEERS, A THOUSAND OF THEM SURRENDER.

The Mutineers on Board the Battleship Kniaz Potemkin Bombard the City of Odessa.

Five Hundred Rioters Have Lost Their Lives in the Fight With the Cossacks.

Captain of the Czarevitch Surrendered When He Heard of Rostovsky's Defeat.

Lithuania, June 30.—About 4,000 mutinous sailors are surrounded in a small wood near the port by infantry and reinforced by machine guns. One thousand of the mutineers have already surrendered and given up their arms. The mutiny started on Wednesday night, when the sailors of the first equipment, as the naval units are known in Russia, revolted because the food was bad. They were joined by the sixth, ninth, thirteenth and fifteenth equipments. The guard of the first tried to oppose them, killing one and wounding seven, but the sailors got the upper hand. They seized the guard house, broke open stores, securing arms and ammunition. Pandemonium followed throughout the night. They wrecked the barracks, attacked the quarters of the officers and fired volleys at random until morning.

The city was terrorized when troops with artillery arrived Wednesday morning. All entrances to the city were closed and gradually the sailors were driven into the woods which they have since held.

Much firing mingled with the humming of machine guns have been heard, but as every one is forced by the police to keep off the streets and away from the ports some distance, below town, nothing is definitely known except that 1,000 mutineers have surrendered.

The revolutionary agents have seized the opportunity to distribute proclamations from house to house.

FIRING ON THE SHORE.

Mutineers Train Their Guns on Odessa—300 Rioters Killed.

St. Petersburg, June 30.—A despatch filed at Odessa last evening at 7.30 o'clock and received here this morning, says the battleship Kniaz Potemkin, was firing on the shore. Six officers of the battleship were murdered by mutineers; eight have been liberated and the remainder are prisoners on board. Five hundred rioters have been killed.

CAPTAIN SUICIDED

When He Heard of the Russians' Defeat by Togo—Officer Killed.

San Francisco, June 30.—Captain Robertson, of the Steamer Sandhurst, which arrived here to-day from Tsingtau, China, states that while he was there he was anchored a short distance from the disabled battleship Czarevitch. Capt. Robertson states when the news of Rostovsky's defeat was received there the Capt. of the Czarevitch committed suicide. One of the Czarevitch's officers, writing an account of the battle of the Sea of Japan, which blamed defeat on the sailors, was overheard by a sailor on the Czarevitch, who picked up a hammer and saying "It is such men as you who were to blame," brained the officer. Both dead officers were buried the following day.

NINE SHIPS BURNED.

Odessa, June 30.—Up to present nine ships have been burned.

SOCIALISTS REJOICE.

The News From Russia the Most Joyful Ever Heard.

New York, June 30.—News of the riots and disturbances in Odessa have stirred the anarchists as they have not been stirred before in years. At a mass meeting, which packed Clinton Hall, funds were freely subscribed for Russian revolutionists and the speakers predicted that the uprising marks the wave of the present governmental system in that country. John Most was the principal speaker. He said the news from Russia was the most glorious that the revolutionists of the world had ever heard, and that the movement would go on until Russia was trampled in the dust.

Odessa Blockaded.

London, June 30.—A despatch to the Evening Standard, from Odessa to-day, says: "Since midnight the Russian battleship Kniaz Potemkin has established a blockade of the port in regard to all steamers flying the Russian flag. Not one is allowed to enter or depart. Six of these steamers are now anchored in the roads under the battleship guns. The port thus is in the extraordinary position of being blockaded on the seaside by a mutinous warship and the land side is impassable owing to a military cordon, which seals up every approach to the harbor."

ODESSA QUIETER.

Bombardment Not Serious—British Vessels So Far Safe.

London, June 30.—A despatch from

in a wood near the port and by this morning a thousand of them had already surrendered. Their comrades possibly will be starved out. Whether there was any great loss of life is as yet unknown. Great precautions are being taken to prevent the possible spread of the mutiny to the sailors of St. Petersburg and Cronstadt.

Mutiny Confirmed.

St. Petersburg, June 30, 4.55 p.m.—The mutiny of sailors at Cronstadt is confirmed. One officer was killed. The situation was reflected by an all around slump on the Bourse to-day. Imperial fairs were sustained by the Government, but nevertheless they fell almost a point.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. John Morris is again confined to his house through illness.

Mr. Thos. Renton, Bay street north, left for Island Point yesterday.

Mr. Mrs. and Miss Frances Barber are at the Seaside Hotel, Atlantic City.

Miss Isabel Graham, of this city, is spending a week or so with her sisters in Acton.

Miss Mae Simpson, of Ontario Ladies' College, Whitby, is the guest of Miss Crooks, York street.

Miss Olive M. Carrick, 248 Catharine street north, has returned from a holiday spent with friends in Toronto.

A. E. Meinke, Mrs. Meinke and family, Walnut street south, left to-day for Woodstock to visit Mrs. J. F. Walsley.

Miss Nisbet goes to Burlington to-morrow morning to spend a few days with her cousin, Mrs. William White, at Crescent Hill.

Mrs. Marie Franzen Van Gestel, widow of the late Baron Franzen Van Gestel, of Holland, is visiting Mrs. Magill, Hughson street south.

Mrs. M. Joyce wishes to thank the nurses, Miss Gorman and Miss Cummings, for their kindness to her two children while in the City Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Kelly left Hamilton by the steamer Belleville, for Montreal, there to take the steamship Canada, of the Dominion line for a summer on the British Isles, and the continent.

Mrs. Thomas Vansickle, of Detroit, who has been visiting friends in the city and vicinity for a couple of weeks, returned here Mrs. J. W. Crooks, 43 Crooks street.

Mrs. J. Albert Dickson, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Gordon, Mrs. Gerald, Mrs. J. B. Grafton and Mrs. L. L. Herald, left on Thursday to spend the summer months at Gloucester, on the Massachusetts coast and in the White Mountains.

Mr. Wm. McCormack, formerly a resident of Montreal and also of this city, is now here on a visit to the Hamilton Sanatorium, undergoing a successful treatment by Dr. Kelly, 255 King street west. His friends here will be pleased to know that he is recovering from his recent illness.

Strike Continues.

St. Petersburg, June 30.—The strike at Vornesensk, Province of Vladimir, continues. The town resembles a military camp. Infantry and cavalry are quartered in the house and court yards and are bivouacking in the streets.

ROMANOFF DYNASTY.

SERIOUSLY MENACED BY THE PRESENT CRISIS IN RUSSIA.

St. Petersburg, June 30.—Not since the insurrection in December, 1825, when a portion of the guard regiments joined in an attempt to create a revolution in Russia, has the situation of the autocracy and the Romanoff dynasty been so serious. Nevertheless, the crisis may be passed in a few days. Either the open revolt will by that time be stamped out or the flames will have spread possibly beyond the hope of control. At the Admiralty it is said that the Rear Admiral's squadron is expected to arrive at Odessa during the day. No explanation is offered for the delay in the squadron's sailing from Sebastopol, nor of the nature of Kruger's orders. It is admitted, although great reticence is manifested, that at 9 o'clock last night the Kniaz Potemkin was firing upon the city. The Admiralty thinks the mutinous crew were probably drunk. The officers consider it possible that the crew were supporting strikers and revolutionists ashore against the troops. Throughout the day the soldiers and police had evidently refrained from attempting to interfere with the strikers, under the threats of the mutineers of the battleships to set their guns against them.

It is possible that the quiescence of the soldiers was due to fear. A detachment of dragoons and a brigade of artillery have been sent to Odessa from Kersens. The troops should have arrived at Odessa this morning. With these reinforcements and the city under martial law it is believed the military governor will be strong enough to attempt to suppress the rioters by force. The plan is believed to be for the troops to crush the disorders in the city while Kruger's squadron holds the entrance of the harbor. It is apparently questionable whether Kruger will engage the Kniaz Potemkin if she refuses to surrender as firing upon the vessel might be too dangerous a test for the sailors on board his ships. Besides he would involve necessarily the destruction of the battleship, costing millions and damage to the city. Admiral Skrydloff's plan of starving out the mutinous crew is more likely to be followed. At Libau the mutinous sailors to the number of about 3,000, were corralled by troops and artillery.

Woman Was Strangled

Zanesville, O., June 30.—Mrs. Katherine Hughes, wife of Simon Hughes, a Cooperdale, Coshocton county, miner, was the victim yesterday of a murder that was unmistakably brutal and novel in its execution. During the absence of her husband, about noon, Mrs. Hughes left her three small children to go a spring 200 yards distant from her home. Failing to return within a reasonable time, the children began to search for her.

Mrs. Hughes was discovered lying in a clump of bushes, with her neck forced between the branches of a sapling so tightly that strangulation resulted. Bruises and abrasions were found upon her head, indicating that she had also been terribly beaten. There were no evidences of criminal assault.

The husband of the murdered woman suspected a man whom he said had loved his wife in her youth, and since her marriage had constantly endeavored to alienate her affections. This man is now under surveillance. Mrs. Hughes was 38 years old, and was a remarkably handsome woman. Two weeks ago the Hughes home was burned by an incendiary.

THINKS CASE IS FINALLY CLOSED.

Improbable Limited Ticket Question Will Be Re-opened.

Building Permits Away Ahead of June Last Year.

Will Consider Answer of Mr. Hyman on Monday.

City Solicitor MacKellan is bearing his honors very modestly to-day, although admitting that such an important legal victory as that of yesterday, was a source of much gratification to him. He was amused at the editorial in the Toronto World, which ascribed to this case a successful issue. Mr. MacKellan has not received yet a full text of the judgment of the court in the limited ticket case, but the despatches yesterday covered the ground fully. He is satisfied that the city will hear no more about the matter as he considers it extremely unlikely that the city street railway company will take it to the Supreme Court. Mr. MacKellan is just as pleased with the O'Connor judgment as he is with any of the others, as it was settled on its merit and not on the technicality, which Chief Justice Meredith laid so much stress on.

A special meeting of the Finance and Bay Front Committees has been called for Monday afternoon to consider the answer of the Minister of Public Works to the question as to whether the purchase of the Rogers' dock was necessary to the building of the revetment wall. It is likely a special meeting of the Council will be held to deal with the report of the committee.

The health report for the week shows 10 cases of measles and 1 of diphtheria.

The report of the building permits issued for June show a large increase over last year, the figures being: June, 1905, \$117,445; and June, 1904, \$86,300, an increase of \$31,145.

Cook & Washington will build a frame house on Garth street, between Main and King, for Mrs. C. Johnson, to cost \$500.

Assessment Commissioner Hall, with D. M. Cameron and C. R. McCollough, will go to Niagara Falls to-morrow to confer with representatives of Canadian Cabs from various parts of the continent with a view to confederating them into one association.

It looks as if Dr. Roberts will receive the appointment as medical health officer for the city at the meeting of the Board of Health on Monday night. Chairman Peebles stated that making a temporary appointment did not mean that the board would recommend the one appointed as a permanent officer. Dr. Hilker's friends are working hard for him, and Dr. Baugh has also hopes of being in the running.

ALLOWED TO GO.

POSTAL AUTHORITIES WOULD NOT PAY EXPENSES IN THE CASE.

W. E. Murray, who was arrested by Detective Miller yesterday, at the instance of Postal Inspector Henderson, charged with stealing a letter and forging the name of Charles Stark to a postal note at Cartier in the Algoma district last January, was brought before Magistrate Jelfs this morning. He admitted signing Stark's name but said he did so on Stark's instructions. The authorities alleged that he had impersonated Stark to secure the letter. As the postal authorities did not care to go to the expense of bringing witnesses from Algoma, a constable to take the man back Murray was given his liberty.

FUNERAL OF MRS. MARSHALL.

The remains of Mrs. Gordon R. Marshall were laid at rest this morning in Brantford Cemetery. The pallbearers were: Gardner Finley, Stanley Marshall, Bailey Wilson, Charles Galvin, Bert Corner and James Sinnott. Special services, conducted by Rev. Dr. Rose, were held at the family residence, 32 Baillie street, last evening. The members of Centenary choir, of which deceased was a popular member, were present. The many beautiful floral tributes showed the heartfelt sympathy of a host of friends: Pillow, family; anchor, husband; sickle, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson; cross, Essie Ballantine and family; crescent, Essie Brooch, Lyre, Gard. Finley and Bert Corner; sprays, Nora Galvin, Mabel Attwood, Ella Reid, Olive Wholton, Hazel Nisbet, Oliver Alvert, Julia Manning, Misses Stone, Myrtle Stoneham, Aunt Robert Hall, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. Love, Mr. and Mrs. Willis, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Marshall, Miss Nesh, and Centenary Church choir.

CUSTOMS REVENUE.

IT HAS MORE THAN DOUBLED IN EIGHT YEARS.

Ottawa, Ont., June 30.—(Special).—The customs revenue of Canada for the year ending to-day is \$41,534,653, an increase of \$1,225,901 over the same time last year. The total customs revenue in 1896 was \$20,219,000, so that it has more than doubled since then. The customs revenue for June was \$3,721,637, an increase of \$12,216 over June, 1904.

The Monarch and Sterling Bank bills, with headquarters at Toronto, were reported at the Banking and Commerce Committee to-day. The capital of the former was reduced from ten millions to two.

—The piano owned by Mrs. Edwards and stored at the residence of Mrs. Wilson, Burlington street, was given to the sheriff's office yesterday afternoon. The case will come before Judge Monaghan to-morrow.

The Man In Overalls.

Now will the Street Railway Company be good?

Master Conductor, give me a dollar's worth of limited tickets.

Ald. Howard should spruce up and get after the street railway again. It's easy.

If you please, we shall collect that Jockey Club percentage.

Don't begrudge the City Solicitor credit for these victories.

Constant Harris may have lost his temper, and all that sort of thing, still, I feel sorry for him. Can't the commissioners help him out of the hole?

I only hope the Russian people will get some good out of all this trouble.

A young fellow must have a pretty good nerve to get married these days, when houses are so scarce and rents all up in the air.

The school ma'ams have my best wishes for a pleasant holiday. There is a thankless task at best.

When the dear public sees Ald. Baird's itemized expense account with the city questions will be in order. Some aldermen come high, others not so much so.

Hamilton City Council, I think, must be in a class by itself, when it hesitates to spend \$50,000 when \$100,000 or more is to be got by so doing.

The only change I see in the city schools since the new blood took hold is that they are more expensive.

Perhaps the doctor will allow Steward Childs to wear his hat in the hospital if he promises not to talk through it.

My! Wouldn't you like to be a school-boy again?

Bourassa is now leader of the ultra Tory wing of the Opposition, and the Spec. is never so much as giving a chirp.

Passing the hat is not a new idea. How much was collected for the new Home for Incurables?

Ald. Main got another warning last evening. Is he prepared for martyrdom?

Bourassa might be induced to take the Tory leadership seeing that the party is getting tired of Borden.

Girls, keep away from the chap who rocks the boat.

Take care of yourself to-morrow.

Did you ever hear of a fire quest, Ald. Macleod?

Now would be a good time to give the City Solicitor a little encouragement.

The tragic experience of Miss Roselle Knott in the cold waters of Ontario was a much better advertisement than a diamond robbery would have been.

If the city should buy Rogers' wharf, perhaps there wouldn't be room for the Southern wharf.

Do your shopping early to-night. Let the merchants and their clerks have to-morrow to themselves.

Will ex-Mayor Morden state his reasons for opposing the wharf purchase?

The "foreigner" won in East Finbury yesterday. M. of the Tories not only lost the election, but they lost a seat that was formerly Tory.

Puzzle for the boys and girls: Find your name in the diploma list.

I am glad to report that there were no "regrets to report" in the Art School report.

WHAT TIMES AD. DID.

KENNEDY BROS. BESIEGED WITH APPLICANTS FOR POSITION.

"For goodness sake stop my ad. for an errand boy," said Mr. James Kennedy, of Kennedy Bros., tailors, to the Times this morning. "We have been simply overrun with boys looking for the job since we put that seven word ad. in the Times exclusively. If you would like your wants filled, advertise in the Times."

TWO RARE OLD VIOLINS.

There are on exhibition to-night in the window of J. Faskin McDonald, two rare old violins. Not much to look at, but their tonal quality is the reason of the modest price of \$250 each. One has been sold to a musician in the city and is probably the best violin in Hamilton.

SAFETY DEPOSIT BOXES.

To rent at \$2 a year and upwards, for the storing of deeds, bonds, stocks, wills, silver or other valuables at the TRADERS BANK OF CANADA.

LOSING MONEY.

We have too much first class dairy butter and in order to sell it quick to make room for more coming in, down goes the price to fifteen cents per pound, it's our loss, your gain. Step in and try it. Store will be open late to-night. Closed to-morrow. Andrew G. Bain, 89 and 91 King street east.

Put on the New Garb.

Clothes make the man. You'll feel as royal as a king. We bought more than 200 men's suits last week, from a heavily stocked good clothes maker, at a low price. Let us reduce your tailor's bill \$5 a suit.—Tralock & Co., 15 and 17 James street north.

To-night the Hamilton printers will hold a moonlight excursion on the Macassa. Good music and a good time are promised.

PLANS FOR DRILL HALL ARE ABOUT COMPLETED.

New Building Will Provide Ample Accommodation for All.

There Will be Entire New Front on James Street. With Old Buildings Removed.

Gallery All Around, Bowling Alley, Shooting Gallery, Etc. in the Basement.

Ottawa, Ont., June 30.—(Special).—The Department of Public Works is now at work on the plans for the new Drill Hall at Hamilton. They are about completed. The new Drill Hall will be 130 feet wide and 238 feet long. This was what was asked for. There will be eight armories for each of the two regiments. There is a quartermaster and mobilization stores for each regiment. In addition there are to be commanding officers' rooms, and adjutant and orderly rooms for each regiment, besides bearer company's shelter rooms. There is a gallery all around the hall. There is also a room for the Thirtieth cadets. It is intended to tear down the front of the old sheds facing James street, and it is proposed to build a new front similar to the new Drill Hall. The old shed is to be altered to suit the battery, Army Service Corps company and the Bearer Company. All these will be on the ground floor. On the first floor in the building there will be ante-rooms and mess rooms for officers of each regiment. All these face James street. In the rear of the building there will be sergeants' mess quarters for each regiment. The old hall is to be altered, and will contain mess rooms for artillery officers, and sergeants. In the rear there will be lecture, recreation and other rooms. The basement of the new building will contain bowling alley for officers, and lavatories and wash rooms. It will also contain rooms for each band.

TO BUILD A BIG MODERN DEPARTMENTAL STORE.

Offer of \$75,000 for King Street Property Was Made and Promptly Declined.

Negotiations have been going on with owners of store property in this city for the purchase of King street property for the erection of a large departmental store. Not long ago Mrs. Geddes was offered \$75,000 for the block of stores on the north side of King street, immediately opposite the Waldorf Hotel, and formerly owned by her father, the late ex-Mayor Magill. The intention of the would-be purchaser was to pull down the present buildings and erect a large, modern departmental store. The offer was declined, and the would-be purchaser has since been endeavoring to get options on other central property, with the same object in view. In whose interests the offer was made was not stated, but it was hinted that a company largely interested in Toronto would be behind the project.

JUDGE FITZGERALD DEAD AT HIS HOME IN PORT ARTHUR.

Was Found Dead by His Wife When She Went to Call Him This Morning.

Mr. R. M. Fitzgerald, of the Hamilton Post Office, received word this morning of the sudden death of his brother, Judge Francis Fitzgerald, at Port Arthur. Judge Fitzgerald, whose home was in Hamilton, and who practised law here up to the time he was appointed Judge for Thunder Bay district in 1895, was in Hamilton only a few weeks ago, having attended the race meeting here. He was not in good health after returning home, and was under a physician's care for heart trouble.

He retired quite early last night, intending to arise about 7 o'clock to go to the station to meet a relative. His wife called him and then went to his room. Failing to arouse him, she sent for the doctor, who pronounced him dead several hours.

Deceased leaves two children, besides a widow. He also has three brothers living: R. M., of the Post Office, Captain H. of the Lake Michigan, and W. G., of New York; also one sister, Mrs. Kelly, of this city.

JAMES MCCLURE DEAD.

WAS A WELL-KNOWN HAMILTON RAILWAY MAN.

Word was received to-day of the death at his home in Chicago, of an old Hamilton Railway man, Mr. James McClure, who was assistant general passenger agent of the old Great Western Railway before the amalgamation. Mr. McClure was connected with the Chicago and Alton passenger audit department. He leaves three daughters, Misses Jessie and Lizzie, who lived with him, and Mrs. McPherson, Brooklyn; also three sons, David in Chicago, James, in Ashtabula, and Fergus in Denver.

Capt. J. I. McLaren leaves for Chicago this evening to attend the funeral, deceased being an uncle of Mrs. McLaren.

TIMES AD. DID IT.

One of the popular James street south business men inserted a small ad. in the Times for a clerk for his office. It has kept him busy for the past two days opening letters in answer to his advertisement. He is more convinced than ever that everyone reads the Times.

COMFORT AND SAFETY ON DOMINION DAY.

Take your holiday outing on the Turbina. Three round trips to Toronto on Dominion Day, leaving Hamilton at 7 a. m., 12 noon, 4.40 p. m. Fare 50 cents for round trip at 12 noon or 4.40 p. m.

Listen!

We keep all kinds of wood in stock, but our mixed "special" at \$5.00 per cord, cut and split to order, is a rare bargain. Get some while it lasts. Hard coal \$5.50 per ton. The Connell Anthracite Mining Co., Limited. Phones 1469.

Saturday Cigar Bargains.

Bouquet and Hilda cigars, union made, 8 for 25c; Marguerites, Japs, Barristers, J. C. F., Bostons, 4 for 25c; Majestas, union made cigars, 7 for 25c; Killies, 6 for 25c at peace's cigar store, 107 King street east.

Ex-Sheriff Shot by a Boy

Macon, Ga., June 30.—A special to the Telegraph from Jeffersonville, Ga., says: Former Sheriff E. F. Pettis, 60 years old, was shot and instantly killed yesterday by Cicero Blackshear, a boy, with whose family the sheriff boarded. The boy found the sheriff pummeling the former's mother, and killed him. It is alleged that Pettis was drunk.