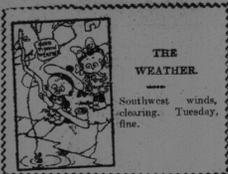


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TAMM'S ELECTION WILL BE THE KEY TEST FOR FEARS

Street Talk Today Indicates That a Number of the Present Aldermen Will be Defeated—Personnel of Council is Likely to be Considerably Changed—Were to Vote.

Not for many years has there been such keen interest manifested in the civic elections as is apparent in tomorrow's contest. The field of candidates is unusually large and a vigorous canvass of the taxpayers has been carried on for some days. Today many of the candidates are going about with a troubled expression on their faces and there is a lack of assurance in the result of the poll.

From the talk on the street it would appear that a number of the present city fathers will be defeated and that next year's council will show quite a change in its personnel. There was quite a band of aldermen in and about the city building this morning and they anxiously awaited the outlook. Some appeared quite confident but the majority plainly showed their anxiety and joined in wishing the election to be over.

The Tax Exemptions. The Civil Service Association and some labor unions have joined hands in the fight for the exemption of \$600 on all incomes, are well organized and will form an important factor in tomorrow's voting. While primarily their object is for a tax exemption of \$600, it is understood that there is a willingness to compromise on the basis of \$400 exemption. A number of candidates are practically pledged to support the measure. Those who have refused or declined to give any promise, are blacklisted, and no vote will be left untaken to defeat them.

That the City Council has no right to exempt any one body of citizens and make others pay for the ones exempt; what is done for one should be done for all. That the actual cost of living of every person is taxed twice. Directly by paying the taxes levied on the Assessors and indirectly by paying rent to the landlord, and buying food and clothing on all of which taxes are already paid by the vendors. That it is unjust to exempt \$300 income and force the men earning \$400 and upwards to pay the taxes of the \$300 men in addition to their own.

WANTED TO BRIBE THE POLICE-MAN

Margaret McLeod of Sheffield Street Charged Today With Selling Liquor on Sunday

How fickle fate it was demonstrated again in the police court this morning. Margaret McLeod, a negro, with an abode on Sheffield street, was responsible for the arrest of Godfrey Kyser and Walter Carrick, assistant stewards on the Empress of Britain, at her domicile early this morning, and for the purpose of testifying against the Englishmen, she visited court today, and on minutes after the stand, was arraigned for selling liquor yesterday without a license, and in the proceedings, Patrolman McLeod swore that the woman made an ineffectual attempt to bribe him.

GORDON McLEAN HAS BEEN FOUND

North End Boy Whose Death Was Feared Has Been Located at Welsford

Gordon H. McLean, the 12-year-old son of Hazel McLean of 112 Main street, former of the street railway car accident, has been missing from his home since Saturday afternoon, has been located at Welsford. Word that he was safe was a great relief to the boy's father and stepmother, who have been under a great mental strain. Mr. McLean received a telephone message about 10 o'clock this morning from Mrs. Godfrey at Welsford saying that the boy was at her home, and the overjoyed father will leave for there tonight to bring his son home.

OTTAWA MEN ARE IN CHATHAM TODAY

Chatham, N. B. April 19 (Special)—The champion Ottawa basketball team arrived here this morning and will play the first game of its New Brunswick tour with M. C. this evening. The line up of the team will be:

PERSONALS

W. E. Foster was a passenger to the city on today's Atlantic train. Parker, Claier, M. P. P., came in on today's Montreal train. A Miles was a passenger to the city on today's Montreal train. Rev. Father Carney came in from Fredericton at noon. Cause arrest in St. John, and when he saw the men running along Sheffield street, he commenced to run, but was restrained by Carrick. Patrolman McLeod swore that he conversed with the McLeod woman after arresting the men between 1 and 2 o'clock, and she whispered to him that "would pay him to keep her out of trouble." He expressed his regret at being unable to accept, and after questioning the men in the lock-up, he preferred the information against the woman. At this afternoon's session of the court Margaret McLeod was fined \$100 or three months in jail and Godfrey Kyser and Walter Carrick were fined \$8 or 30 days in jail. Michael Costello, arrested of taking three oranges valued at a nickel from a case in a car at Sand Point, pleaded guilty. He said he saw the case opened, and picked up three of the fruit. F. R. Taylor, acting for the C. P. R., said the case was closed when placed in the car, and Costello was perceived emerging from the car with bulging pockets. He was remanded to Frank Honey was also remanded for intoxication on Saturday night.

ACCIDENTS AT HALIFAX

Ernest Rennie Killed on S. S. Shenadoah This Morning—Another Man Had Narrow Escape

Halifax, N. S., April 19 (Special)—A series of accidents, two of them fatal, occurred at Deep Water last night and this morning. Ernest Rennie was killed on the S. S. Shenadoah. The victim was a stevedore, who was attending the hatch on the steamer, which was discharging cargo from London. A heavy lift of cable was being raised from the hold, when it was parted by the boom of the derrick, and fell on the head of Ernest Rennie. Three doctors were on the scene almost instantly. They were unable to do much beyond ordering that Rennie be taken to the hospital, where he passed away at 11.30 a. m. Death was due to a fractured skull. Rennie was about 24 years old and unmarried. A second accident was narrowly averted on the Shenadoah this morning. Sandy West, a stevedore, who was tending one of the hatches, had his coat sleeve caught in the sling. As the boom was being slung to the wharf he was carried from the deck to midair. He was in danger of falling into the water as the cloth in the coat sleeve was beginning to give way. With a strong effort, however, he raised himself and gripped it with his free hand until he was taken from his precarious position. He was able to return to work during the morning.

ANOTHER SESSION OF THE C. P. R. CASE

Several Witnesses Examined in the Matter of Matti Tampari an Alleged Insane Alien and an Adjournment Made Until Tuesday

The hearing of the case against the O. P. R. for the alleged importation of Matti Tampari into St. John, he being insane, was resumed in the police court this morning. J. P. Lannan, immigration clerk, was the first witness. He stated that he and Mr. Lantaulum went on board the Empress of Britain when the steamship docked at Sand Point on Feb. 19. Dr. W. L. Ellis said that he was called to the hospital in question had been incarcerated in a room for examination. The plumbing was unrotted and was being conveyed by Tampari, who was behind Dr. Ellis and aimed a blow at him with an electric lamp. Tampari pursued both up the hall and down the stairs, striking several blows at them until they reached a spot where they were immune from attack. V. Lantaulum, local immigration agent, was recalled and displayed confirmation of his appointment as agent at this port, dated by the opening of the hearing by F. R. Taylor. Mr. McAlpine was desirous of placing the communications in evidence, but after perusing Mr. Taylor's summary objected to such action on the ground that the matters were referred to an order-in-council appointing Mr. Lantaulum as agent. Mr. McAlpine was of the opinion that Mr. Taylor was impertinent but the latter stated that the order-in-council was imperative. Mr. Lantaulum stated that he asked the printer if any insane, feeble or infirm or otherwise undesirable aliens were on board the Empress and repeated the query to the ship's physician, who replied that none were on board. Mr. McAlpine called Dr. W. L. Ellis, who was not in attendance and the defence opened its case to the jury.

NEWS FROM FREDERICTON

Lincon and Sugar Island Booms are Being Placed in Position Today

Fredricton, N. B., April 19 (Special)—The St. John River Log Driving Company's logs are at work today straggling booms at Sugar Island and Lincon. The work is being hampered by the ice, and dynamite had to be used to open a passage in some cases. The river fell a few inches last night, but there has been little change today. The ice above Grand Falls is still solid and no difficulty is anticipated in having booms raised before the first run of logs. The first raft of the bank logs will reach Springhill this week. The mixed train which has done duty on the Gt. Northern railway for some years, has been replaced by an express, consisting of two passenger coaches and a baggage car and the change is much appreciated by patrons. Col. Henry Orr, who was seriously injured at Carlow last week by falling from a wagon, was removed to Victoria Hospital this morning. His condition is serious, but he will recover. Several members of the St. John Valley Railway delegation returned from Ottawa today well pleased with the results of the trip. Howard W. Shaw, who lately returned from this city to Garden City, Long Island, intends engaging extensively in potato growing for the New York market. He owns and has under lease one hundred acres of land near Garden City, and will plant eighty acres this season in potatoes. Two car loads of seed, and horses and men to put in the crop, were taken from this province.

MACEDONIAN TROOPS WILL MARCH ON CONSTANTINOPLE

It is Believed They Will Enter the City Today and Enforce Their Demand for the Abdication of the Sultan—Names of Some Canadian Missionaries Believed to Be in Danger Zone

Constantinople, April 19—It is expected in Constantinople this morning that the main body of the troops loyal to the young Turks, that have concentrated outside of Constantinople, will begin soon to march into the city and enforce their demand for the abdication of the Sultan. The advance guards precede the main body of the soldiers. One is composed of 300 men, half of whom are officers, while the other numbers 1,000. These columns are expected to occupy Pera, Galata, the foreign and official quarters of Constantinople as soon as possible in order to protect foreigners in the event of rioting. Many of the troops in Constantinople favor the young Turks and resistance is hardly expected. Vienna, April 19.—A dispatch received here from Constantinople that the troops sent out to parley with the young Turks at Tchaikali, were whipped and driven away. The leaders of the young Turks force have issued orders that the lives and property of all foreigners and Christians in Constantinople will be adequately protected. Constantinople, April 19.—The American vice-consul in Merzina reports that the disorders in Adana are quieting down. The two American missionaries, D. M. Rogers and Mr. Maurer were killed on Thursday afternoon while attempting to extinguish a fire in the house of a Turkish woman when they were shot dead. The missions in Adana and Merzina are now given adequate protection. Merzina is anxiously awaiting relief. Disturbances have occurred also in Marash, a city of about 20,000 in the Vilayet of Aleppo and about 50 miles from the coast of Alexandria. It is reported that twenty persons were killed or wounded there. The authorities of Marash behaved well and the disorders were soon put down. Berlin, April 19.—The Constantinople correspondent of the Morgen Post says in a dispatch that he has been informed from an excellent source in Yildie Kiosk that the Sultan has sent his chamberlain and his secretary to the Grand Vizier with orders that he make peace with the young Turks on any terms without bloodshed. Continuing the correspondent said the Sultan declared that if his person was a hindrance to peace he was willing to forfeit himself in order to save the fatherland from catastrophe. Constantinople, April 19.—The telegraph line to Adana has been re-established owing to the fact that five of the clerks were killed, the line is congested and it is difficult to get messages through. Over 1,000 persons were killed at Tarsus and Alexandretta. The massacres and incendiarism continue. The Saloniki army has six batteries of machine guns and one battery of quick-firers. They expect by morning to number 30,000 men. The Sultan and his reigns in Constantinople and the several barracks here looked deserted.

FATAL FLIRTING COST HIM HIS LIFE

Young Ontario Man Killed By Husband of Woman He Flirted With Three Years Ago

Port Huron, Mich., April 19 (Special)—George Burrell McKinnon, aged thirty-one years, of Moretown, Ont., was shot by Captain Ralph Price of St. Clair in the latter town shortly after midnight yesterday morning. McKinnon died yesterday afternoon at 10 o'clock, after remaining in an unconscious condition almost until the last. The officers who were brought to jail here, that McKinnon had flirted with his wife three years ago, and that he had been in the company of the men were intoxicated at the time. Before breathing his last, at the hospital, McKinnon said Price had no reason for the shooting.

INSANITY WILL BE THE DEFENCE IN HAINS CASE

Counsel for Capt. Peter C. Haines Will Try to Prove His Wife's Conduct Unbalanced His Mind

Flushing, N. Y., April 19—Insanity both at the time of the killing of Wm. E. Haines, and since was expected to be the chief point in the defence in the trial beginning today of Captain Peter C. Haines, Jr., charged with the murder of Wm. E. Haines on the floor of the Bayside Yacht Club on August 15th last. Counsel for the defence announced that they will attempt to prove that Captain Haines was unbalanced by the discovery of the friendship of Mrs. Haines and Annis. Whether or not, Mrs. Claudia L. Haines, wife of the slain, was called as a witness for the prosecution was not certain, and much depended on the decision of the judge. Fifty witnesses were summoned for the defence. Counsel for the defence said today that if the stain was not too great, Captain Haines would probably testify. His brother, T. Jenkins Haines, who was acquitted of a similar charge, was expected to be present.

MONCTON NEWS

Silver Ore Reported Lost in Train Wreck Was Found Under the Snow

Moncton, N. B., April 19 (Special)—Five hundred dollars worth of silver ore reported to have been lost in the wreck of the Maritime express at Causapual Friday morning, has been found, it being covered up by the snow, and yesterday arrived here on the fast freight in the express car. This morning the ore was attached to the Maritime express, and taken to Halifax, where the ore will be placed on steamer for the Old Country. Navigation will open here on Wednesday when the steamer will be expected to make the first trip of the season. Regular trips will commence the first of May. A vessel from Chicago loaded with coal is expected here on Sunday, and the schooner Jettie will also arrive this week.

PROBATE COURT

Estate of Mary Ann Hayden, married woman, the testatrix by her will appointed her husband, John Hayden, formerly of the Parish of Simonds, farmer, and William Ryan, of the firm of M. H. Gallagher, executors, and by her will her husband had the right to expend such moneys as he might see fit out of her estate and the balance that remained over, and after his death to be divided by her surviving executor equally, one-half to William Henry Barnes, her son, a former husband of Laurence, Mass., hostler, and her husband's niece, Jennie, wife of William Crowley. The husband, having died, the surviving executor files his accounts, and on return of citation this day the same are duly passed and allowed as presented and distribution of the balance ordered among the two beneficiaries above named. Mr. E. T. C. Knowles, proctor, represented the estate of the deceased woman. The further hearing in this matter is adjourned till Friday next at 10 a. m. Mr. R. G. Murray, proctor for the administrator, the husband, Mr. Daniel Mullin, K. C., proctor for Benjamin J. Fish, a son.

SENSATIONS ARE PROMISED IN THE KINRADE INQUEST

Much New Evidence is Expected to Be Brought Out When the Inquest is Resumed on Thursday Next

Toronto, Ont., April 18 (Special)—The Toronto Sunday World's dispatches published under sensational headlines, but their effect is as follows:—The Owen Sound correspondent says the police are searching for Arthur Scott, enterprising man who may be important witness in the Kinrade case. He lived in Owen Sound in 1907, and is alleged to know Miss Elliott, Flossie Kinrade's friend. Very few people know anything of Scott now, and even Owen Sound Attorney Blacklock cannot say anything about him. A Hamilton dispatch says the attorney general's department and the police of Hamilton are working on the case, but none of the officers will answer questions. They are obeying strict orders. It is claimed that the authorities have secured new evidence that confirms the original suspicions, but nothing to justify an arrest. What the authorities depended on from the start, and the whole hope now is that the stringent inquiry will break some witnesses down. The evidence received by the attorney general's department is calculated to produce a crisis in the case. One important witness is Luke Copple, employed as a greener's delivery boy but discharged immediately after the murder. A prominent local man will also be called, the mere mention of whose name in connection with the case will cause a sensation. "Mr. Florence Kinrade will be recalled at the opening of the inquest, and other witnesses from the United States. "It is generally held that no direct evidence is available beyond that furnished by inmates of the house after two o'clock on the day of the murder. "It is obvious that the police have abandoned the tramp theory if they ever entertained it. This is also perfectly clear, notwithstanding inconsistencies, inaccuracies and contradictions in stories told about the crime, no other theory has yet received sufficient substantiation to warrant its adoption officially. The insanity theory is receiving more general support. Evidence is being sought from missing witnesses which can have no other bearing. Degeneracy or perversion or some form of mental disease is frequently found to be responsible for such crimes. The inquest resumes next Thursday."

DR. SPRANGLER IS IN FREDERICTON

Fredricton, N. B., April 19 (Special)—A great many members of the house are absent today and an important session is not looked for. It is probable that the speaker will decide whether Mr. Hatheway's woman suffrage bill will come in its present form or as a resolution, as the question was introduced some years ago. Dr. Sprangler arrived this morning and is discussing the medical act with members of the house. He claims that several sections of the bill will have to be changed before it will be possible for him to continue his practice. Hon. John Morrisey, who was in St. John Saturday and Sunday, returned today. Charles H. McDonald went east at noon.

FUNERALS

The funeral of Miss Sarah Ann Hargreaves was held from her late home, 81 City Road, at 2:30 this afternoon. Service was conducted by Rev. Gordon Dickie and Rev. H. D. Marr, and interment was in Cedar Hill. The funeral of Frederick J. Foster was held from Trinity church this afternoon at 2:30. Service was conducted by Rev. E. A. Armstrong, and interment was in Fernhill. The funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth Ralston was held from her late home, Lennox street, west end, this afternoon at 2:30. Service was conducted by Rev. W. H. Sampson, and interment was in Cedar Hill. The funeral of Samuel W. Miligan was held from 122 Hazen street this afternoon at 2:30. Service was conducted by Rev. A. A. Graham, and interment was in Fernhill. The cortege was lengthy. The Thistle Curling Club attended in a body. The casket was completely covered with beautiful floral offerings.

MINISTERS' MEETING

The Methodist ministers met in weekly session this morning. Rev. Samuel Howland presiding. There was a discussion on the question of church discipline and the advisability of legislating in matters of church conduct. It was thought better, however, to leave the questions to the individual conscience. There was a discussion also on the matter of the introduction of religious instruction in the public schools. This was brought up as a result of a letter from Bishop Richardson to the president, asking that delegates be appointed to a meeting to be held in this city in May, when the matter would be taken up. It was left with the conference authorities to make the appointment of delegates. The Baptist ministers met in the Mission rooms this morning, with Rev. F. E. Bishop in the chair. Rev. W. Camp read a review of John R. Mott's book, "The Future Leadership of the Church." A vote of thanks was passed and the discussion on the paper postponed to the next meeting.

EVERYTHING LOVELY.

Mr. Hiram Hornbeak says he is delighted to know that the new highway act suits Mr. Hazen so well. He says the act is equally acceptable to Mr. Hazen, and he has no doubt the next one will be hailed with joy. The adaptability of Mr. Hazen is a source of hilarious emotion to Hiram. "I call 'em," he said, "that Hazen 'd be satisfied with most anything these days, so long as he could boss the job. Beats all-don't it? My! How things change."

A GRAVE OMISSION.

Ottawa, April 19 (Standard-Special)—Dr. Daniel and Mr. Crockett sent a joint telegram to the Standard this morning demanding why the photo of neither one of them had been printed for two whole days, and why the Standard had so much to say about Pugsley and so little to say about their valorous deeds.

THE TIMES NEW REPORTER

A WARNING. Citizens are warned not to pass along the east side of Prince William street, between Penrose and King, after ten o'clock this evening. The Standard is preparing a civic election bomb to be exploded in the morning, and the thing might go off prematurely, to the serious injury of life and property. The explosive will be charged with boiler dynamite and large quantities of sulphuric matter. It is expected to strew the streets with gilt wreckage tomorrow, and bring tears to the eyes of Sir Wilfrid Laurier.

WRECKAGE TOMORROW

Wreckage tomorrow, and bring tears to the eyes of Sir Wilfrid Laurier.

THE YOUNG PEOPLE'S SOCIETY OF CENTRE

The Young People's Society of Centre church will hold their last missionary meeting for this season tonight at eight o'clock. A fine programme has been prepared, consisting of an address by Rev. Wellington Camp, a reading, music by a quartette and solo, both vocal and instrumental. All are cordially invited.

THE YOUNG PEOPLE'S SOCIETY OF CENTRE

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Armstrong wish to thank their friends for the many kindnesses and sincere sympathy shown them in their recent sad bereavement, the death of Arthur Russell Armstrong.

REV. DR. CAMPBELL WAS A PASSENGER

On the Boston train at noon. (F. F. Inches returned to the city on today's Incho train.