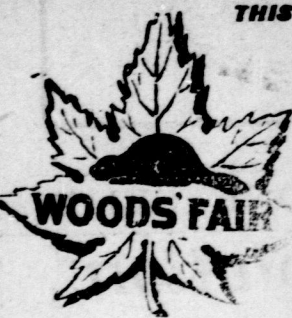


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WOODS' FAIR

JOTTINGS FROM NEARBY PLACES

Though correspondents' names are not published, they should always sign their letters.

PETROLEA.

Petrolea, April 1.—Messrs. Kerr, Ridd and Grant made a business trip to Toronto last week.

Mr. R. S. Ford, the progressive merchant of this town, has just had the most successful millinery opening that Petrolea has ever witnessed, both in respect of quality and quantity. The number of witnesses was extraordinarily large, while the goods on display were among the choicest ever seen. Look out for Easter Sunday!

Mrs. L. Brown, of the Baptist parsonage, has left for a prolonged visit to her home at Woodstock.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kedwell, of the Tropic, left town Tuesday, to take charge of the new office he is opening in London in connection with the publication of the *Advertiser* tomorrow.

The annual meeting of the Bible Society will be held in the Episcopal Church tonight (Wednesday, April 1), at 8 o'clock.

The employees of the Milner Wagon Company had a church parade on Sunday last, turning out about 80 strong. Rev. Mr. Craig, of the Episcopal Church, preached a most helpful and inspiring sermon.

A. C. Pratt, traveler for the Somerville Company, of London, spent Sunday in town with his parents. He left on Monday for the Maritime Provinces.

Mr. James Scott, of West street, is confined to his home with a prolonged siege of the grippe.

MOUNT BRIDGES.

Mount Bridges, March 30.—Mr. George Bond met with a serious accident last Wednesday. He was looking at a team of horses at Mr. West's blacksmith shop, and one of them kicked him. Mr. Bond was unconscious for awhile, and had some ribs broken. Fortunately Dr. Woods was soon brought, and attended to his injuries, and it is hoped he will soon be around again.

There was quite an exciting time here on Friday over a sawing match held in the town hall yard. Men came from all directions, notwithstanding the rain. The Indians won most of the prizes. Mrs. Rockey, with her two children, expects soon to join her husband in the Northwest.

Sandy Graham is able to be up again. Miss Pearl Hare, of Thamesville, paid a flying visit to friends here this week. Mr. Elsey has moved to Mr. D. Thomas' house on the third concession.

BRUSSELS.

Brussels, April 1.—W. H. Kerr, of the Post, preached in Victoria Hall Sunday evening.

Kelley's greenhouse was partly destroyed by fire Saturday evening. Rev. R. Paul, the veteran superannuated minister, is confined to his home by an attack of rheumatism. The woolen mills are now in good running order.

Robert Dark, who has been suffering from inflammation, is able to be out again.

Mrs. Thomas Friendship was not able to move to Teeswater with her husband and family last week on account of sickness. We hope she will soon be convalescent.

Mrs. Matthews, of Owen Sound, spent Sunday with friends in town. The three millinery stores are

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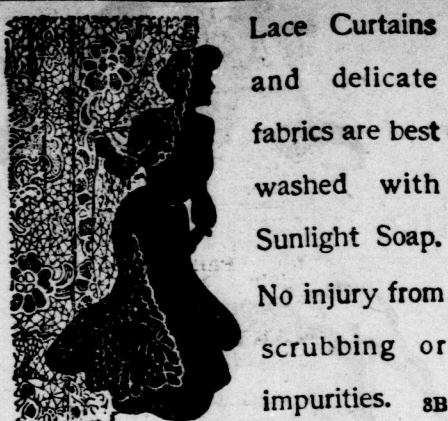
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She Ate Her Cubs.

New York, April 1.—To Princess, a fierce African lioness in Barnum & Bailey's menagerie, came three cubs on Saturday. She devoured them all yesterday. She gorged with her cannibal feast, went calmly to sleep. Keeper George Diebert found Princess crouching in one corner of her cage yesterday morning. One cub had been nearly devoured. The others were still alive. The lioness made a spring at Diebert and landed against the bars of the cage. Superintendent George Conkin was called. The cage is in two compartments. In one was the mite of Princess. He was removed to another cage and an effort was made to drive Princess into the vacant compartment. She spread herself over the two living cubs, and determined prodding could not budge her.

In the hope that darkness might calm the lioness, her cage was covered and she was left alone. In the afternoon, when the cover was removed, Princess was asleep. The cubs had disappeared.



MASSACRES DAILY IN MACEDONIA

Many Villages Are Pillaged, Burned and Razed.

THE TURKS LOSE HEAVILY

Oriental Express Has a Narrow
Escape From Being Blown Up
on Bridge.

Sofia, Bulgaria, April 1.—The Macedonia committee announces that a revolutionary band of thirty-one men and the inhabitants of the village of Abaliche, near Istib, have been massacred by Bashi-Bazouks. The band, it is added, was surrounded in the village. After ten hours' fighting the village was completely razed and burned. All the inhabitants were massacred. The Turkish losses are reported to have been even greater than those on the other side.

According to advices received from Milirovitz, a town in European Turkey, bands of Albanians have surrounded that town and are demanding the removal of the Russian consul. Dr. Daneff, the former Premier, has succeeded in forming a new cabinet, which includes all the members of the late ministry, with the exception of Gen. Paprikoff, who was Minister of War. Paprikoff is succeeded by Col. Savoff.

The bridge of the Turkish Oriental Railroad between Adrianople and Mustapha Pacha, was blown up by an infernal machine early today. The Oriental express crossed half an hour previously. It is believed the perpetrators of the outrage intended to wreck the train, but that the explosion was delayed by defective mechanism in the machine.

St. Petersburg, March 31.—The Russian consul at Uskub, European Turkey, has been informed of the dangerous spread of the revolutionary agitation in the vilayet of Kossovo. He adds that the revolutionists are spreading the belief that Russia is aiding the movement. The consul considers that the movement is artificial and not really approved by the bulk of the population and the army. He is endeavoring to engage in a general alliance of the Christians with the object of securing the intervention of the great powers.

A TERRIBLE TRAGEDY

The Husband Was Killed in Sight of His Wife.

New York, April 1.—Filled with jealous anger at finding another man entertained by his wife, this afternoon, Wm. J. Peppier, threw the visitor out into the hall, fought him from the third floor to the front door of the apartment house in which he lived, with his wife screaming and weeping at their heels, and was there shot down by the man who he thought had wronged him. This man was Wm. Earl Dobson, a general and the police have sent out a fiered alarm for him. Peppier was about 26 years old and a clerk. He had not been long married. A policeman summoned by the cries of the other tenants of the house, who were alarmed by the shooting, rushed into the building, and in the hall struck the man who was lying unconscious. Peppier had been shot in the side, the bullet passing through his body.

UN SOUND FINANCIALLY

The United States Banks Driven to Frequent Borrowings.

London, April 1.—Referring to the position of the New York banks, the Times says: "The temporary borrowings from Europe are merely expedients for gaining time. It is quite justifiable to gain time for the collection of debts due in the near future, or to allow of liquidation being cleared out quickly without forced selling, but the frequency with which these temporary transfers of indebtedness have been made for some time past indicates that the position in the United States is unsound. Of course, the United States is prosperous. If it were not, complete liquidation of unsound commitments would already have come in violent form, and the United States would be better off. It may become healthy even yet, without violent collapse, but only provided the banks and financiers succeed in rigidly repressing all further incautious speculation."

THE FREIGHT THIEVES

Two of the Port Huron Men Pleaded Guilty.

Port Huron, Mich., April 1.—The five railway men arrested for robbing Grand Trunk freight cars in transit were arraigned Monday. William Hickey and Harold H. Hoey pleaded guilty and were held to the circuit court to answer to the charge of breaking and entering cars for the purpose of committing larceny. Frank Degraw, Will Rietie and James Hobbs pleaded not guilty, and will appear before Judge Benedict. These men claim they did not enter the cars, but admit having accepted of some of the swag when it was divided.

A Poor Mail Service.

London, April 1.—Throughout the winter there has been much complaint on the part of the businessmen of the "leisurely manner" in which the mails are dispatched across the Atlantic. Lately this state of affairs has been aggravated. Letters posted in New York on March 15 were only delivered in London late yesterday evening.



THE WEATHER TODAY—Fair and a little cool

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- Eton Coat of Black Silk Applique, large round collar and flare sleeve, silk lined, one only, for..... \$18 00
- Only Eton Coat, of black silk voile, handsomely trimmed with embroidery and silk applique, silk lined, for..... \$35 00
- Lady's Cape, of black silk, applique, collar trimmed with ruchings of silk and chiffon, finished with ribbon, cape finished with chiffon over pleating of silk, for..... \$16 00
- Lady's Cape of black Brussels net and silk applique, silk lined, collar and around cape trimmed with ruchings of lace and silk, for..... \$12 50
- Lady's Cape of black Brussels net, trimmed with braid and silk applique, collar finished with ruchings of silk and lace, finished with satin ribbon, silk lined, for..... \$6 50
- Lady's Cape, 18 inches long, of black silk applique, collar trimmed with ruchings of silk and ribbon, cape finished with frill of lace, silk lined, for..... \$6 50
- Lady's Cape of black broadcloth, silk lined, 30 inches long, trimmed with bands of satin, for..... \$11 50

Grand Opening of Handsome Linens.

To lovers of beautiful Linens this week and next will be events of great importance. The newest and most handsome Linens ever imported from the Emerald Isle will receive their first introduction to the public. We cannot tell you here of the elegance of the stock—we simply refer you to our large east window, which we have devoted to a display in order that you do not require to come into the store unless you want to. But be sure that coming in will repay you. Seeing and feeling are two different things, and to feel these rare specimens of Linen goodness is in itself a pleasure. Don't miss this opening. You want Linens and we have them.

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ARMY BRUTALITY

German Officer Who Maltreats His Men Lightly Punished.

Berlin, April 1.—A non-commissioned officer named Wiedemann was tried by court-martial at Magdeburg for 22 cases of cruelty to men under his command. Evidence was given that one of the soldiers habitually maltreated by Wiedemann committed suicide to escape further suffering.

The military procurator urged that the culprit should be imprisoned for six months, but that degraded and expelled from the army, but the court-martial imposed the remarkably light sentence of five weeks' imprisonment, on the expiration of which Wiedemann will go back to his regiment and continue to do duty as though nothing had happened.

THE SPRING FEELING

Weariness, Lassitude and a Desire to Avoid Exertion.

There are few people who have not experienced what is aptly termed the "spring feeling." Languor and weariness, loss of appetite, touches of indigestion, pimples and irritation of the skin. They all come with the spring. All these ills are banished by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. They enrich the blood, brace up the nerves, and charm away all spring weariness. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are the best tonic medicine in the world. They make new, rich, red blood; strengthen men and women and make the roses of health bloom on pallid cheeks. Here is proof: Miss Catherine Johnston, Gardner Mines, N. B., says: "I was very much run down, and so weak that I would frequently have to lie down. My appetite was poor and food distasteful. I often suffered from headaches, and the least exertion left me completely used up. I used a few boxes of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and since then I have felt like a new person. I do not know of any medicine equal to these pills."

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THE REFERENDUM CASES

Robert Foster Applies for a Plea of Habeas Corpus.

Toronto, April 1.—The St. Thomas referendum irregularities are again before the courts on an application for a habeas corpus writ on behalf of Robert Foster. Foster was convicted by

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Judge Bell of personation. He was not sentenced until some time after, and using only Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. On this ground it is claimed the sentence should not have been imposed. The case stands till Friday.

DISAPPOINTED IN LOVE

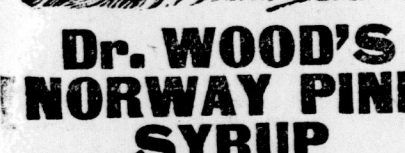
A Sandwich Man Takes a Dose of Carbolic Acid.

Windsor, Ont., April 1.—Disappointment in a love affair caused Merson Pentland, aged 24, a painter, to attempt suicide in the Dominion House, Sandwich, at 10 o'clock yesterday by Sandwith, at 10 o'clock Monday by covered in his room at the hotel in great agony. Town Physician Beasley saved his life with a pump.

Pentland was foreman of a gang of painters at work on the old horsemaster here. He is a son of G. R. Pentland, of Sandwith. About a year ago young Pentland had a quarrel with his parents and went to live at the Dominion House. Soon after a pretty girl of that village broke her engagement to him.

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