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DEATHS. SMITH-In this city, on Oct. 11, 1905 Thomas Smith, beloved husband of Catherine Smith, aged 36 years. Funeral from his late residence, 653

York street, on Friday, Oct. 13, at 3

o'clock; service at 2:30. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation. Interment at St. James' Presbyterian Cemetery. SCOTT-On Wednesday, Oct. 11, 1905, at St. Joseph's Hospital, London, Rev. James F. Scott, B.A., pastor of St.

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Baku, Oct. 11.-Baku has just undergone its second ordeal by fire, large numbers of Armenians and Tartars have been slaughtered, and the oil works, to which the town owes its importance, are reduced to ruins.

Situated on the shore of the Caspian Sea, Baku is the head city of a district famous for oil fields of immense value. A large number of firms, both native and foreign, are exploiting the fields, among them Nobel, Rothschild the Oleum Company, Mantasheff, and the Bibi Eybat. The value of the prop erties is enormous, and about 80,000,000 parrels of naphtha are produced an

nually from 1,804 oil wells. The industry is of great importance of Russia, for besides bringing the Government an annual revenue many millions, the liquid fuel server of Covent Garden Market House will be Sea and the Volga, a large part of received by the undersigned up to 4 hose of the Black Sea, the railways o Clock p.m. on Monday, Oct. 16, inst. The the Caucasus and a number of import highest or any tender not necessarily ac- an lines in Russia proper, in Russian

cepted. For further particulars apply to Central Asia and in Siberia. Besides this the Moscow industries and those of some other centers as well use naphtha residues as fuel. Baku is also an important traffic center, for here the railways of th Caucasus and Russia meet, the steam ers to Krasnovodsk for Russian Ce ral Asia and to Euzeli for Persia;

that a large and growing trade wit the east passes through Baku.

post- In appearance it is the most ghastly nd God-forsaken place imaginable with dirty, dusty, abominably roads, mean buildings without any the conveniences of life, a hot, enervat ing climate, no water, while the cour try round is a parched, sandy desert with hardly a blade of grass. OR. G. H. KENNEDY, DENTIST—Specialty, preservation of natural teeth. 173 Dundas street. Phone 975. gineers from all parts of the world.an nade of Baku one of the largest in dustrial centers in Russia.

The population consisted originally

of Tartars (descendants of those ter

rible hordes that devastated Europe the middle ages), and of Persians Since the Russian occupation in 1804 and the discovery of the oil fields, Russians and Armenians have flocked to creating such a state of anarchy in mans, Jews, Greeks, etc. The land belongs almost entirely to

eigners, although of late years the

Religious and racial influences made the Armenians and Tartars enemies Up | Government and to the Fartars, it has extended its action against all the oil OR SALE—COMFORTABLE RESIDENCE, 168 Mill street; rather large for present owner. Apply in the afternoons for two weeks farply in the afternoons menians as useful allies and advance guards against their common foes, the Turks, while she kept her own Mos-lems in rigid subjection. Of late years she took alarm at the growing power and influence of the Armenians, and, having political reasons

for being friendly to Turkey, she too

favors to the Moslems of the empire

This aroused an Armenian revolution

ary spirit, and societies were formed to

to persecuting them and to granting

resist Russian encroachments. Whe the arch-reactionary, Minister Plehve

Stirred Up Strife. The Government fomented the rival-Apply ry between Armenians and Tartars, form of extra salaries to their directivet, especially at Baku, until last Februtors. To this the committee would not ary, riots broke out. The town authorities tacitly sympathized with the Tartars, and the troops remained almost assive spectators. The Tartars were GREENLEES, BARRISTER, ETC., better armed, braver and more numerous, so there was a massacre of Armenians. At last, through the intervention of the Armenian bishop and the Mohammedan Sheik-ul-Islam, a sort of mostly Armenians and the mostly Armenians and th reconciliation was patched up, and outward peace restored.

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people, and they wish to get complet ssession of the Baku oil fields, ousting both Tartars and foreigners. Finally there are the Armenian revolutionthe Caucasus as to make government impossible, with a view to bringing the Tartars, while the trade is mostly At Baku the committee is ex about a democratic constitution. ally powerful, for although the Armenians are in a minority and most of and has a great deal of money. being hostile chiefly to the magnates as well, for it wishes commenian oil kings were easily captured, but the foreigners resisted. Blackmail

> Just before the recent outbreak the committee was received by the heads of some prominent firms and demanded \$12,500 down and \$2,500 a month in addition to what had already been paid o start a Tartar newspaper advocating the committee's views. The Russian and Armenian papers it already controlled and it arranged for a Tartar paper, and even ordered the plant, but oney was lacking. The oil firms were prepared to pay the money if their works and the lives of their employes were guaranteed, but refused to record the sum paid in their books, and would only give it in the

money for the revolutionary move-

quite clear. It seems to have started mostly Armenians, and the authorities thereupon had the trams run by soldiers. Armenians fired on the trams, killing a few Tartars. Then rioting began in all parts of the town. The Armenians had been steadily irming since February, whereas th Tartars were not so well prepared for

rouble, believing the troops would again help them, or at least not side

with the Armenians. Besides rifles and

revolvers the Armenians had dynamite

pear in the accounts, which could have

On this the negotiations collapsed, and

disturbances began a few days later

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placed the firm wholly in their hands

Provocation certainly came from the Armenians, although whenever a fight vas started the Tartars were by leans backward. They set fire to the rmenian oil works, and incidentally urned down a great many foreign esblishments as well. The damage was greatest at Balakapy and Bibi Tybat, where the oil

fields are, and some havoc was wrought in the "Black Town," where

the refineries are, as well as in Baku

are some of the principal British and

#### An Appailing Scene. I have just been to Bibi Eybat, where

astation is appalling. In the Oleum rks, out of fifty-two derricks only ten standing, and the general proporof derricks destroyed both there elsewhere is 75 per cent. In the wild confusion of ruin are iron rails, stanchions and bars snapped like bam-boo canes or twisted into fantastic hapes, masses of iron wire and cord n hopeless entanglement, blackened uins of what were once workingmen's dwellings or offices; masses of iron plates, torn to shreds, while the few emaining derricks stand out forlorn SEALED TENDERS, ADDRESSED to and dejected, like ghosts surveying a for Port Burwell Breakwater," will be battlefield. Everywhere is green, oozing received at this office until Friday, Nov. nels or lying in oily pools at the bot-

It will take many months before

the damage can be repaired, even if there is no rioting. It is impossible yet to calculate Public Works, Ottawa.

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