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Born, Married, Died.

BORN.

ZIEGLER—At 312 Wolfe street, on April 13, to Dr. and Mrs. C. H. Ziegler, a son.

GILLESPIE—At 539 King street, on April 16, 1897, to Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Gillespie, a daughter.

DIED.

BERRY—On April 18, Robert A., third son of W. L. and Victoria Berry, aged 4 years 9 months and 9 days.

Funeral from the residence, Clark street, South London, on Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock; service at 2:30. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation.

SCOTT—At 72 Bathurst street, on Sunday morning, April 18, Flora, wife of Robert Scott, aged 81 years.

Funeral private, Tuesday, 2 p.m.

Amusements and Lectures

Advertisements under this heading, two cents per word, or ten cents per line each insertion.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE

All Easter week—Bargain matinees, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday. Change of bill nightly. Mackay Opera Company. Tonight and Tuesday matinee, "La Mascotte. "Tuesday night, "Olivette." Night prices—10, 25 and 35c. Matinees, children 10c. Adults 20c. b

MUSIC HALL—ONE SOLID WEEK—Commencing Monday, April 19,

LANGDON DRAMATIC COMPANY.

In a repertoire of the latest popular plays.

Monday night—"Passion's Slave, or a Woman's Revenge." Specialties all through each performance. Change of play nightly. Popular prices, 10c and 15c. 91a

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"Jairus' Daughter"

Public Library, 2 to 10 p.m. Admission 25c. Children 10c. Will continue until Tuesday evening. 93i xvtzy

NORTHWEST REBELLION—HEAR GERALD Willoughby relate thrilling personal experiences. Askin Street Church, Monday night. Silver collection. b

BRISK DEMAND FOR BERTHS—THE Atlantic lines report already a great number of applications. Intending passengers to the old country should apply at once for berths. FRANK B. CLARKE, agent, Richmond street, next Advertiser office.

PALACE DANCING ACADEMY-SPECIAL one month closing term for masters and misses opens Saturday, April 3, at 3 o'clock. Special rates. This term includes the children's closing reception May 1. DAYTON & McCORMICK.

PRIVATE LESSONS IN DANCING BY Mr. R. B. Millard, at his residence 36 Princess avenue. Special attention given to the waltz, two-step, court waltz, two-step Jersey and the cycle. Satisfaction guaranteed. Lessons any hour.

Meetings.

TO THE MEMBERS OF COURT FOREST City, No. 5,744, Ancient Order Foresters. You are hereby notified to attend a special general meeting of your court to be held in the A. O. F. Block, East End, on Tuesday, 27 inst. at 8 p.m., to authorize the trustees of the said court to mortgage the real estate belonging to said court for the purpose of lifting the present mortgage. Dated this 19th day of April, 1897. Signed, THOMAS CLIFT, Chief Ranger, WALTER RICHARDS, Secretary. b

Religious Services.

I. O. O. F. PROCLAMATION—ALL ODD-FELLOWS residing within the city of London will please take notice that with the concurrence of the different lodges the joint committee have completed arrangements for the celebration of the 78th anniversary of Oddfellowship. The members of the several lodges will assemble at the Oddfellows' Hall, corner Dundas street and Park avenue, on Monday evening, April 26, at 7:30 p.m. sharp, and headed by Musical Society Band, will parade to the Dundas Street Center Church, where divine service will be held, Rev. Bro. J. A. Ferguson, of Aylmer lodge, officiating. On the following Wednesday evening, April 28, a grand gathering of all Oddfellows in the city will be held in the hall, corner of Dundas street and Park avenue, commencing at 8 p.m. Programme and bill-of-fare are in the hands of an efficient committee. Chairman of committee, George Shaw, P.G., P.C.P.; secretary, D. W. Blackwell, P.G., P.C.P. 97u zx

SERVICE OF PRAISE WILL BE HELD in St. James' Church, South London, on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Miss Robjyn, Mr. McDonald, Mr. Hewlett and others will take part. Collection for choir. 97u

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GENERAL SERVANT—EXPERIENCED—No washing. Apply 386 King street. 91tf

WANTED—AT ONCE—AN EXPERIENCED nurse. Apply Mrs. VIDAL, Wolseley Barracks. 97c

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TO LET—NO. 1 HOWEY'S TERRACE, north side of Stanley street. Apply to Mr. CAMPBELL, three doors west. 96b

196 AND 198 MOUNT PLEASANT—$4 per month. 168 Mill. 96u

TO LET—BRICK RESIDENCE—389 Queen's avenue; modern conveniences; rent low. Apply next door. SAMUEL R. BROWN. 96r

TO LET—NO. 411 KING STREET—Inside half of double two story brick. Apply 409 King street. 93n

TO LET—FINE TWO-STORY HOUSE—Modern. J. F. SANGSTER, 403 Richmond. 92n

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SALESMEN WANTED IN EVERY DISTRICT to handle reliable goods, new season, samples free, salary from the start. For particulars write Luke Bros. Book Company, Montreal. zxy

AGENTS NOT MAKING $10 PER WEEK and not asking $50 (no idlers wanted), write for particulars. J. L. NICHOLS & Co., 39 Richmond west, Toronto. 68tf-d&w

AGENTS WANTED TO REPRESENT the Farmers' and Traders' Life and Accident Assurance Company, Limited. For particulars address the secretary, box 1,254 St. Thomas, Ont. 93tf

WANTED—EXPERIENCED CANVASSER to call on private families, or lady or gentleman well acquainted in the city, on salary. Apply 258 Dundas street.

Real Estate.

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FOR SALE—BRICK COTTAGE—45 ELMWOOD avenue; 6 rooms; fruit garden of acre. Apply on premises. 94c wtz

SEVERAL GOOD IMPROVED FARMS for sale in counties of Middlesex, Essex, Kent and Lambton. Very cheap and on easy terms of payment. Apply to WILLIAM F. BULLEN, London. 2wt

FOR SALE—FINE BUILDING LOTS high and dry: Elizabeth street, corner Central avenue. Price $4 per foot. Apply 588 Adelaide street. 94bc

FOR SALE—FOUR LOTS AND THREE good houses, near car shops; cheap if sold at once. Two fine new houses on St. James street for sale or rent. Lots in North End; special bargain to first two purchasers. J. F. SANGSTER, 403 Richmond street.

S. CHADWICK & SON—REAL ESTATE Agents, Houses, Investments, Speculation. Call Room 2 Albion Building.

Situations Wanted.

SITUATION WANTED AS GARDENER, with long practice; good references; would make himself generally useful. T. M. JOHNSTON, London P. O. b

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WANTED—SEVERAL LOADS OF GOOD earth suitable for lawn purposes. Apply 379 Queen's avenue. 96u

LONDON STEAM CARPET CLEANING works, corner Wortley road and Craig street, want carpets to be cleaned by steam power. Cheaper than beating by hand. Drop a card to us or telephone 569 or 942. SHAW & BROCKEST.

WANTED—GENTS' SECOND-HAND clothing; highest cash price paid. A. P. SAINSBURY, 90 King street. Mail orders attended to.

IF YOUR BICYCLE NEEDS CLEANING or repairing take it to HUTCHINSON'S, 651 Dundas street.

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FOR SALE—FRAME HOUSE—871 CAMPBELL street; cheap for cash; to be removed. Apply 1037 Florence street. 97c

MISS HARWOOD, MODISTE—REMOVED to 354 Dundas street. Latest New York styles. 73ceod

AN EXPERIENCED MAN OF BUSINESS, well versed in various manufactures, machinery and chemistry, shortly to arrive with his family from England, is desirous of investing $25,000 cash in a safe business, mercantile or manufacturing, and to take an active part therein. No replies can be noticed which do not afford full and precise information as to the business in question, which will be considered strictly confidential. Reply to "Mercator," care of this paper. 92n

DRUNKENNESS CURED IN NINE DAYS—Recipe for $2. Address JAMES HAMBIRD HOWE, 89 Emerald street south, Hamilton, Ont.

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REFRIGERATOR AND STOVES FOR Sale cheap at Keene's furniture store, Masonic Temple, Market Square.

FOR SALE—ONE 30 HORSEPOWER automatic "Brown" engine, built by Goldie, McCulloch & Co., Galt. Cylinder 19 inches, stroke 24 inches; can be run at 60 revolutions, or as high as 90 revolutions; also one tubular exhaust feed water heater. The engine can be seen at H. PORTER & Co.'s storage warehouse, Carling street, London, Ont. 6tf-3tf

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FIRE INSURANCE—I AM PREPARED to quote you lowest rates to insure your property. FRANK B. CLARKE, Richmond street, next door to Advertiser office.

KEEP YOUR HAIR ON—TO ALL young men that are losing their hair, stop it at once by using Cook's Sure Hair Restorer; it is the only Sure Hair Restorer known; it will bring a nice crop of new hair on the shining bald head. Prepared only by JOH COOK, 38 Wellington street, corner Hill and Wellington streets. zxv

BICYCLES, BICYCLE REPAIRING, best work at moderate prices. D. McKENZIE & Co., 233 Richmond street, up stairs. Phone, 1115.

A FEW GOOD RANGES, TWO ORGANS and general assortment of furniture at the Ark, Market Square.

PIANOS, PIANOS—NEW AND SECOND HAND, also a beautiful assortment of music and musical merchandise, and two good organs cheap. Anderson's Book Store, Nordheimer's Piano Agency, 183 Dundas street.

Marriage Licenses.

LICENSES ISSUED BY THOS. GILLEAN jeweler, 402 Richmond street.

MARRIAGE LICENSES AT SHUFF'S drug store, 549 Dundas street east, corner William. Trolley cars pass the door. No witnesses required.

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SPECIAL ATTENTION TO REPAIRING—J. T. WESTLAND, Engraver and Manufacturing Jeweler, 340 Richmond street (up stairs), London, Ont.

The Clash of Arms!

War Between Greece and Turkey in Progress,

Though Not Proclaimed in a Formal Manner.

Fifty Thousand Men Engaged, Without Decisive Results.

A Greek Steamer Sunk by Turkish Batteries.

The Greeks Ordered to Attack Prevosa.—An Ironclad Takes Part in the Bombardment.

London, April 19.—A dispatch was received here from Constantinople on Saturday night saying: "War with Greece has been declared." Later the following was received from the Turkish capital: "Following the news of the incursion by the Greeks on Turkish territory the council of ministers at the palace today recalled the General Assembly, gave passports to Prince Maurocordato, the Greek envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary, and ordered Edhem Pasha, the Turkish military commander, to take the offensive. No actual declaration of war has been made."

A detailed circular sent to the Turkish representatives abroad recalls the week's invasions, and states that the newest incursion was participated in by the Greek troops, which, therefore, establishes war. The circular expresses the hope that the powers in a spirit of justice will agree that the entire responsibility for the war falls on Greece. Turkey has no idea of conquest, and as a fresh proof of pacific sentiment offers to retire the Turkish troops on the frontier, if Greece will retire hers from the frontier and from Crete.

GREEKS ORDERED TO LEAVE TURKEY.

Tewfik Pasha, the Turkish Minister of Foreign Affairs, visited the foreign envoys and informed them that the Turkish frontier had been crossed on Friday night with fresh bands of Greeks, among whom were a number of Greek regulars. It was this news which led to the calling of the Cabinet and precipitated the decision to announce that war had broken out between Greece and Turkey. The Greek minister was at the same time notified of the rupture of diplomatic relations between Turkey and Greece. His passports were handed to him, and he will leave Constantinople. All the Greek merchants in Turkey were notified to leave the Ottoman Empire.

THE ACTUAL SITUATION.

London, April 19.—The Greco-Turkish situation is understood to be substantially as follows: War has not been officially declared between Turkey and Greece, but it has been declared officially to have "broken out." The Turkish Cabinet has decided to sever diplomatic relations with Greece, and has ordered Edhem Pasha, the commander of the Turkish forces, to take the offensive. It is considered in London that war between Turkey and Greece has actually begun, the Turkish declaration that war has "broken out" being merely for the purpose of diplomatically putting the onus of the war upon the Kingdom of Greece.

The Independence Belge announces that Turkey has officially declared war against Greece, and that a notification to this effect was sent to the powers Sunday morning.

DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS CEASE.

The Turkish minister at Athens, Assim Bey, has received his passports. They have been handed to him, and he has left Athens for Constantinople. The Greek minister at Constantinople, Prince Maurocordato, has been recalled.

The Sultan's irade throws the entire responsibility of the war upon Greece. Edhem Pasha is authorized to take immediate action, defensive or offensive, in accordance with this plan and in the exercise of his best judgment. The Porte has handed his passports to the Greek minister to Turkey, together with a note, announcing the breaking off of diplomatic relations between the two governments and the recall of Assim Bey and the Turkish consuls. It invites Prince Maurocordato and all Greek consuls in Turkish territory to quit the confines of the empire, giving the Greek subjects fifteen days' notice. Prince Maurocordato will leave on Tuesday.

AT ATHENS.

A late special sitting of the Greek Legislative Assembly was held Sunday. The public galleries were crowded. Amid intense excitement M. Delyannis, the Premier, announced that the Turkish Government had notified Greece of the rupture of diplomatic relations on the ground of the aggressive attitude of the Greek Government. He reviewed the recent events to show, on the contrary, that Turkey had been the aggressor that her troops had attacked the Greeks, and attempted to occupy neutral positions, and that her batteries at Prevosa had sunk the Greek ship Macedonia. "Turkey," said M. Delyannis, "declares war against us. We accept it." This statement was received with prolonged cheers from the galleries on the floor of the chamber.

The Greeks hold that it was an attempt upon the part of Turkish forces to occupy a strategic position near Mount Analipsis, not far from Nezro, in the neutral zone, which led to the encounter Friday between the Greeks and the Turks. This, it is added, was used at Constantinople as a reason for ordering Edhem Pasha, the Turkish commander-in-chief, to assume the offensive, and led to the rupture of diplomatic relations between the two countries.

THE FIGHTING.

Fifty Thousand Troops Engaged—The Usual Conflicting Statements of Results.

50,000 TROOPS ENGAGED.

Headquarters of the Turkish Army in Macedonia, Elassona, April 19.—The Greeks, from all their positions in the Kiraya district, began the advance toward the frontier at 7 o'clock on Friday evening. The fighting lasted all that night, and extended on Saturday to within sight of the frontier. It is estimated that 15,000 Greeks were engaged. The battle continued with great vigor throughout Saturday, when altogether 50,000 were engaged. On Sunday morning the fire was concentrated toward the southeast of Milouna. About noon today (Sunday) the Greeks began to give way after the hottest fighting of the engagement. The Turks advanced only a little beyond the front into Greek territory. Considering the rapidity of the firing and the expenditure of ammunition, the number killed is comparatively small, probably under 200. Altogether the behavior of the Turkish troops was better than that of the Greeks.

TURKISH BATTERIES DESTROYED

Athens, April 19.—A dispatch just received in Athens says that the Skafidaki batteries, which were attacked by Greek warships, have been completely destroyed. The Greek battery at Kefalipanaghia co-operated effectively with the flotilla in the bombardment.

A dispatch from the headquarters of the Greek army in Thessaly, at Larissa, says: The Greeks have captured the Turkish position from Nezeros to Kautra, and the Turks are in full retreat toward the interior, where their forces are massing. The batteries at Menexa ceased firing at 11 p.m. on Sunday.

GREEK STEAMER SUNK.

Athens, April 19.—The Turkish batteries at Prevosa, on the north shore of the entrance of the Gulf of Arta, fired on and sank a Greek steamer, the Macedonia, yesterday morning while she was attempting to leave the Gulf of Ambracia. The crew of the steamer were saved by boats from the shore. But the captain of the Macedonia was severely wounded. Upon the receipt of this news, the Greek Government sent orders to the Greek fleet in the Gulf of Ambracia to bombard Prevosa. Prevosa, which is in Epirus and eighteen miles from Arta, is strongly fortified.

The Greek commander at Actium, opposite Prevosa, telegraphs that the Greek steamer Macedonia did not sink in deep water, but was able to run ashore near the entrance of the gulf.

The Greek commander requested instructions by telegraph, and the Minister of War ordered him to bombard Provosa immediately. At 10 o'clock a.m. the Safidaki fort fired a few shots on a Greek gunboat, which replied, effectually silencing the Turkish forts outside the entrance of the gulf, partly in order to prevent the massacre of the Greeks at Prevosa. The Greek ironclad Spetzai has arrived to assist in bombarding Prevosa, and the gunboats continue to bombard from inside the gulf.

According to the last telegrams from Actium 8,000 Greeks have crossed the Gulf of Arta from Vonista to Saigora, and are now marching on Prevosa.

A TURKISH ACCOUNT.

A fierce battle raged in the Milouna Pass all night long. The Greeks, who entered and descended toward the valley, encountered four battalions of Turks, who drove them back, and at the point of the bayonet rescued the force, garrisoning the Turkish blockhouse, which the Greeks had encircled, before entering the pass. Before dawn Edhem Pasha rode out to direct the disposition of the divisions. A general engagement ensued, over 20,000 men being engaged. The combat turned on the possession of the Greek blockhouse, which was most obstinately defended. Finally, by a magnificent dash, the Turks took the blockhouse at the point of the bayonet. The Greeks are still defending their position on the summit of the hill.

UNDECIDED.

The correspondent of the Associated Press says: "I regret to have to announce the death of Hafiz Pasha at Milouna. The battle is still undecided, but the Turks, without calling up the reserves, have taken almost the whole pass. I cannot say whether the Turks intend to advance on Larissa.

In the fighting on the frontier the Turkish captured Ana and Milouna, but they have not succeeded in taking Kata. The engagement at Milouna Pass was of the fiercest character and the losses were heavy on both sides.

At 2:40 a.m. (Sunday) firing is reported along the whole line of the frontier in Thessaly."

THE TURKS HAD THE BEST POSITION.

The Times' correspondent at Elassona says: In Saturday's hill fighting the Turks had the advantage. They were judiciously ambushed behind the rocks and from their sheltered positions maintained an incessant fire. Sunday's fight at Milouna Pass took place around three outlying blockhouses, which were captured, then retaken, captured again and again retaken. The Greeks defended with the greatest courage, but were not able to stand against the slow but steady advance of the Turks. As evening came on three of the Greeks' outworks surrendered and asked the Turks to cease the shell fire. The latter now hold the advanced position at one spot. The position of affairs seems to be that the Turkish move on Nezeros is a feint to draw attention from Milouna, where it is evident Edhem Pasha intends to advance in force on Larissa. So far, the results of the contest are indecisive. Accounts of it are based according as they come from Greek or Turkish sources, but it seems pretty certain that the Turks had the advantage.

PLANS FOR PEACE.

Paris, April 19. — The Temps calls upon the powers to intervene by force of arms to stop Turkey and Greece from further fighting.

London, April 19.—A dispatch to the Times from Constantinople says: It is believed that hostilities will break the deadlock and lead up to an arrangement between Greece and Turkey.

The Greek Cabinet has decided to protest to the powers against the aggressive action of Turkey.

Today's Developments

The Outbreak Causes Little Sensation in Britain's Metropolis.

Russia and Germany Content to See Greece and Turkey Cripple Each Other.

London, April 19.—The news of the outbreak of hostilities on the Greek frontier has caused but little sensation here. The permanent officials and the Turkish embassy have received no information beyond the fact that war has been declared. The correspondent of the Associated Press understands that Turkey has no idea of territorial conquest, because she is aware that the powers would not sanction an advance to Athens. The idea is that she will first attempt to capture Larissa, and then march on Trikhala and Phanari, if these also are captured. Turkey would be in a position to compel Greece to comply with the demands of the powers.

It is reported that the powers, so far from blockading Greek ports, will even allow Col. Vassos and his army to return to Greece if he decides to do so. In any case, the Greek fleet would be able to harass Turkey at many points, besides, in addition, keeping open the supply of provisions and munitions for the Greek army. A question of dominating influence is whether the Turkish engineer can organize an uprising in Macedonia and the Sporades Islands.

RUSSIA AND GERMANY SMILED.

Russia and Germany are meanwhile content to see Greece and Turkey crippling each other for many years to come, as long as the other Balkan States are kept quiet.

A dispatch to the Daily Chronicle from Athens, dated midnight, says the Greeks have captured Menaxa after severe fighting. The Turkish losses were very heavy, the Greek comparatively light. The correspondent adds: "The Greek fleet has destroyed half the fortresses at Prevesa and silenced the guns. I am assured that the bombarding will be continued tomorrow (Monday) morning."

GREEK SUCCESS.

The latest news received here tonight is that the Greeks have captured and hold all the positions except Ana and Milouna, along the Thessalian line.

The Athens correspondent of the Times says: "The key to Milouna Pass is Menexa, a position of the greatest importance, where the Turks are strongly entrenched. The latest news tonight (Sunday, 11 p.m.) is that the Turks still hold their ground at that point."

NOTE FROM GREECE.

Athens, April 19—1 a.m.—The Government has addressed a note to Assim Bey, expressing surprise at the allegations contained in his note to M. Skouzes, and pointing out facts proving that Turkey is the aggressor. The Government disclaims all responsibility for any events that may now occur.

Island of Corfu, April 19—Noon.—The Greek troops, as this dispatch is sent, are advancing on Phillipiada, northwest of Arta. A detachment of 800 Greek troops is in readiness to land at Prevesa, the Turkish fortified position north of the entrance of the Gulf of Arta. The Turkish forts at that place have been almost completely destroyed by the bombardment of the Greek fleet. Many of the forts have been reduced to ashes.

Furious fighting has been in progress since yesterday noon on the frontier near Arta.

All the forts except one have been destroyed at Prevesa and nearly reduced to ashes.

Larissa, April 19.—When the Crown Prince Constantine received the news of the capture of the Turkish position between Nozeros and Rapsani, he wired to the Greek commodore there to stop fighting immediately.

THE TURKS ON TOP.

Headquarters of the Turkish Army in Macedonia, Elassona, April 19.—Late Sunday night information was received from the front announcing that the Turks had occupied the whole extent of the Milouna Pass and all the commanding heights from Neckche to Papalyvava, as well as all the defiles. The Turkish losses thus far, are reported to be slight, 30 killed and 50 wounded.

The correspondent of the Associated Press counted 100 Greek corpses on the hill opposite the Turkish position.

The Turkish loss at Kalya is 200. Kenan Bey says he counted nearly 1,000 dead Greeks.

ENTHUSIASM OF THE GREEKS.

Athens, April 19.—At the second sitting of the Legislative Assembly last evening, the House voted the various measures proposed by the Government and then adjourned sine die. Great faith is felt in the wildly enthusiastic patriotism of the Greek troops, but greater faith, and with better cause, is pinned to the navy, which is immeasurably superior in vessels, guns, men and morals to the Turkish fleet. The Greeks are confident that with their naval forces they can capture all the Turkish outposts, and believe that they would stand a good chance of forcing the Dardanelles and even seizing Constantinople itself.

THE STRUGGLE AT PREVESA.

Rome, April 19.—A dispatch to the Messagere from Arta says that the remaining Turkish forts at Prevesa have been destroyed by the fire of the Greek warships, and that the position of the Turks is untenable. Four thousand Greeks, the dispatch adds, have been landed for the purpose of occupying Prevesa.

ALBANIANS RAVAGING EPIRUS.

A dispatch announces that 2,000 Albanians who started into Greece with the expressed intention of reaching Larissa, have re-crossed the frontier and are now ravaging Epirus.

DESPERATE FIGHTING.

Athens, April 19.—Dispatches from Tyrnavo, northwest of Larissa, say that the fighting in the vicinity of Revenia and Boughazi lasted throughout Sunday. The Greeks captured two Turkish posts, one of which was retaken later by the Turks. The fighting was of a desperate character, hand to hand, and the Greeks are reported to have advanced into the Damazi Plain and to have occupied Viglia, which commands it, after capturing a battery of Turkish artillery. A second engagement occurred at Gritzovi, where the Turks, according to the last reports received, were attempting to recapture that post from the Greeks.

In South Africa

The Situation Has Become One of Great Gravity.

Formidable British Fleet Assembling at Durban—Delagoa Bay the Supposed Objective Point.

Cape Town, South Africa, April 19.—The British squadron, which is assembling at Durban, the chief town of the colony of Natal, is under sealed orders. It is supposed to be going to Delagoa Bay to make a demonstration of British paramountcy in South Africa. Nine war vessels have arrived at Durban already, the first-class cruiser St. George (Admiral Ransom's flagship), the third-class battleship Monarch, the cruisers Fox, Raccoon, Astraea, Scylla, Brisk and Philomel and the gunboat Magpie. Three more men-of-war are expected, making a fleet of twelve formidable fighting ships.

The stronghold of Gamasep, Bechuanaland, has been captured by the Duke of Edinburgh's volunteer rifles, Gadishowe lost 300 horses, many cattle and many warriors. The British lost six wounded.

A dispatch from Cape Town, Dec. 26 last, announced that the natives' rising in the Taung Reserve, in Bechuanaland, had developed into serious proportions. A parley had been raided by the natives, fighting had been indulged in, and the British had been obliged to wait for reinforcements. It was also reported that Taung rebels, led by whites belonging to the Cape Town volunteers, had mobilized the burghers, and that the disturbed districts were under arms. A dispatch from Cape Town two days after announced that the Taung rebels had been utterly routed at Pokwani Camp.

London, April 19.—Sir Alfred Milner, the newly-appointed High Commissioner for South Africa, started for his post Saturday, hastening his departure by a fortnight, owing to the gravity of the situation. The debate in the Cape Town House of Assembly on the resolution, urging the adoption of a policy of moderation and conciliation in the settlement of differences, has been adjourned until Wednesday next, and is awaited with great anxiety. It is rumored that President Kruger has intimated his intention to grant the franchise to Uitlanders after four years' residence in the Transvaal, and to grant them partial franchise at the expiration of two years' residence in the South African Republic. This report, however, has not yet been officially confirmed.

The National Observer demands that the Government tell the country plainly whether it possesses, as it seems to hint, proofs of German designs and aggression in South Africa.

The Saturday Review thinks the Government is ill-advised to try to bluff or force President Kruger, adding that it would be better to approach him amicably.

The Spectator implores the Secretary of State for the Colonies, Mr. Joseph Chamberlain, not to be led into war with the Transvaal.

The supposed British designs upon Delagoa Bay are the subject of universal comment in Government circles. The object of the German campaign against Great Britain in South Africa matters is assumed to be carried on with the aim of discrediting England in the eyes of Portugal. The people of Lisbon are incensed at the prospect of losing Delagoa Bay. The Republican party has adopted long resolutions, protesting against the surrender, and accusing the monarchy on more than one occasion of having attempted to consummate this "treasonable act, either through outrageous treaties, or by capitulating to foreign imposition."

GENERAL CABLES.

Four Archbishops Made Cardinals—Primrose Day in England.

PRIMROSE DAY.

London, April 19.—Primrose Day, the anniversary of the death of Benjamin Disraeli (Lord Beaconsfield), was observed today with the usual display of his favorite flower. The decoration of the Beaconsfield statue surpassed all records.

ELEVATED TO THE CARDINALATE

Rome, April 19.—The Secret Consistory today was largely attended. The Pope elevated the Archbishops of Lyons, Rennes, Rouen and Santiago De Compostela, to the cardinalate, and formally proclaimed the previously named Bishops of Buffalo, Cheyenne, Wilmington and Mobile.

Shot By His Bedside.

Brutal Murder by Burglars at Adrian, Mich.

Didn't Know He Had Been Wounded Till He Fell.

Adrian, Mich., April 19.—Lafayette Ladd, proprietor of the Ladd canning factory, met his death from an assassin's bullet. On Saturday morning about 3 o'clock Mrs. Ladd was awakened while in bed and observed in the dim light a man busy looking over papers and articles in the bureau drawers. She aroused Mr. Ladd, who arose and swung his feet out of bed, and demand to know what the man wanted. The intruder would have to pass Ladd nearly in order to get from the room. He sprang to his feet as Ladd spoke, fired his revolver and escaped.

Mr. Ladd did not know he had been shot, and in reply to the inquiry of his wife whether he was hit, said: "I guess not," but almost instantly fell.

The bullet struck the left breast just above the heart. The alarm was given, officers and physicians summoned, and every effort made to locate the miscreant, but without avail. He had gained entrance by prying up the bay window to the front room, using a "jimmy." The ball passed through the liver, kidneys, spleen and bowels, making eight perforations of the intestines. Mr. Ladd died during the afternoon.

Mr. Ladd has been a prominent business man, and served one term of two years in the council. He was highly esteemed, and intense excitement prevails over the deed.

The man at Ladd's had got the pocketbook containing $60 or $70, and that was carried away. In addition to his money, the burglar secured Ladd's gold watch.

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