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BREAK IN TELEGRAPH CAUSES PANIC

ST. PETERSBURG CUT OFF FROM DIRECT COMMUNICATION

WILD RUMORS OF MUTINY AND STRIKE

Troops or Reservists in Baltic Provinces Said to Be in Open Rebellion—Witte Refuses to Deal With Telegraphers—Government Version of Body Guard Arrests.

WHEN TELEGRAPH SHUTS DOWN.

Russia on Saturday was entirely isolated from the civilized world. Altho the London news agencies and newspapers forwarded urgent messages to their various correspondents to secure information at any cost, especially at frontier points, not a single word was received. On Sunday the news came in roundabout ways.

BLOODSHED IMMINENT.

London, Dec. 4.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of The Times, in a despatch, dated Dec. 2, expresses the belief that the Union of Unions will resolve on a general strike.

He says that reaction is rapidly gaining the upper hand at Tsarskoe Selo. The troops are being drafted to St. Petersburg and bloodshed appears to be imminent, with Count Witte powerless to stem the tide.

The people are hoping for a miracle to avert the cataclysm, according to the correspondent, who adds that Russia has been afforded so many surprising phenomena that this hope may not be altogether in vain.

AT ST. PETERSBURG.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 2.—(1 p.m.)—Via Berlin, Dec. 3.—Intense alarm prevails here. Communication with the outer world by telegraph ceased this morning when the Finnish joined their Russian comrades.

The embassies, legations and banks are hastily organizing courier services to both the Finnish and German frontiers.

The population is almost in a state of panic, fearing that the railroads will stop running and that the inhabitants therefore will have no mode of flight in the event of the cataclysm which they seem to fear is imminent.

Stories of the spread of disaffection in the guard regiments are in everybody's mouth, and the revolutionaries continue to boast that the troops will no longer fire on the people.

This morning newsboys were openly hawking flysheets in the streets containing an account of the alleged revolt at Tsarskoe Selo, and crying out, "The emperor's palace guard has mutinied."

According to reliable information the only foundation for these stories is the arrest of the soldiers of the guard at Tsarskoe Selo Thursday. Nevertheless in their excited state the people give ready credence to all rumors, and this adds to the general alarm. The air is also filled with stories of the alleged revolution at the palace Friday, in which Grand Duke Boris is said to have attempted the life of the emperor. These stories likewise are untrue, but they prove that a revolution in the palace is considered possible at any time.

This situation has greatly increased the dangers of a financial crash. The people, even the commercial interests, are withdrawing their money from the banks, converting it into gold, hoarding it or demanding foreign exchange, which the state bank is issuing on the foreign balances of the government. Exchange on London yesterday rose to 9.50 over a rouble above the normal.

Open Mutiny.

The Associated Press has just learned from a high authority that the situation in the Baltic provinces has grown exceedingly grave and that the troops at Reval and neighborhood are in open mutiny. This was the real cause of the extraordinary cabinet meeting, which was held at Tsarskoe Selo last night.

All attempts to secure details of the uprising have thus far failed. According to reports the attitude of the troops in the Baltic provinces is regarded by the government as the most dangerous factor that has thus far developed.

A strike of the policemen and house porters of St. Petersburg is scheduled for to-morrow (Sunday).

Count Witte continues to refuse to deal with the telegraphers, declaring that for the government to yield would be equivalent to its abdication at this order. Nevertheless the surrender of the government to their demand for the dismissal of M. Durnovo, acting minister of the interior, is regarded as inevitable.

Instructions to the governors and the local authorities are being sent with great difficulty over the railroad telegraph lines.

Confined to Reservists.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 2.—(4.30 p.m.)—Via Eydjkuhnen, East Prussia, Dec. 3—A quieter tone prevailed in the bourse to-day, the brokers hoping to stay the panic by taking all offerings of imperial fours at 78, yesterday's closing price.

The government sought to dispel the gloomy feeling on the bourse by assurances that the removal of martial law in Poland would help the situation.

At the war department this afternoon it was declared that the outbreak of troops in the Baltic provinces was confined to reservists, who were insisting on their immediate discharge. The officials refused to furnish details.

Owing to similar troubles in the far east the government is contracting to

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JEWS AT ODESSA APPEAL TO WORLD TO PREVENT THREATENED MASSACRE

Proclamation Being Circulated Among Soldiers Calling Upon Them to Exterminate Jews.

Odessa, undated—Sent by courier by way of Podwolcozyska, Galicia, Dec. 3.

This despatch is sent at the request of the Jewish community, which fears a fresh massacre by the local garrison.

It is asserted that a proclamation is being circulated in almost every regiment calling on soldiers to exterminate the Jews and to destroy the newspaper offices in revenge for groundless accusations against the troops of their participation in massacres and pillage, and in the protection of rowdies.

This is exciting the population against the army.

The Jews assert that the officers deliver anti-Semitic speeches in the barracks after removing the Jewish soldiers, and that Governor-General Kaulbars himself has confessed that the officers are burning for revenge on the Jews, and that he is unable to guarantee that preservation of order.

In view of the fact that this city is entirely cut off from St. Petersburg, and thus is altogether in the hands of the local authorities, the Jewish community implores all civilized nations and their governments to take all possible measures at St. Petersburg to prevent a catastrophe, which may exceed anything that has yet occurred.

CZAR FAVORS GRANTING CONCESSIONS WITTE IS OBSTINATE IN OPPOSITION

Meanwhile Revolutionists Issue Another Proclamation, Placing Responsibility on the Soldiers.

Paris, Dec. 4.—The correspondent of The Journal at St. Petersburg sends the text of a further revolutionary manifesto issued yesterday (Sunday), in reply to the expressed intention of the government to return to repressive measures. The manifesto says:

"The government continues to defy a people now on the road to liberty, where nothing can stop it. All police measures and the armed intervention of troops can only result in sanguinary conflicts for which the government will be responsible."

The correspondent says he is informed by a high functionary that animated discussions are proceeding at the palace at Tsarskoe Selo, the emperor favoring the granting of concessions and the re-establishment of the public services at any price, with Count Witte in opposition, the premier refusing to grant the demands of the government employes on the ground that they had no right to combine.

The St. Petersburg correspondent of The Petit Parisien says that the reactionaries, encouraged by the results of the methods used by the authorities at Sebastopol are doing their utmost to induce the emperor to stand firm.

SAPPERS MUTINY AT KIEFF FAIL TO MAKE IT GENERAL MOWED DOWN BY INFANTRY

Company Rebels Against Martinet Commander and Leads Attack Against Fortress—Leave 50 Dead and 100 Injured—Courtmartial Convened.

London, Dec. 4.—The Daily Mail's Kieff correspondent in a despatch dated Dec. 2, and forwarded by way of Podwoloczyska says:

Early yesterday morning a company of sappers, dissatisfied with their martinet commander, mutinied and persuaded a second company to join them. They left the fortress fully armed, and by threats compelled the remainder of the sappers' battalion to join them.

Numbering a thousand, the mutineers marched to the barracks of the 125th Kursk infantry, which, however, remained loyal. Jewish musicians marched at the head of the mutineers. Several attempts were made to induce other troops to join them, but these likewise failed.

"A body of Cossacks allowed the rebels to pass them in the street. Finally the mutineers arrived at the barracks of artillery division, and the Azoff Infantry Regiment. The Azoff men answered their appeal with insults, and the rebels opened fire upon them. The Azoffs answered with three volleys. A portion of the mutineers fled, but the others continued firing. The Azoffs replied with deadly volleys, and finally the rebels fled headlong, throwing down their arms. Two hundred of them surrendered, and were conveyed to their barracks by Cossacks.

All was over by 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon. Fifty dead and 100 wounded mutineers were left on the ground.

"A courtmartial has been convened, and a notice issued that any further attempt at mutiny will be quelled by artillery."

CONSOLATION.

Seoul, Dec. 3.—The emperor has directed that the highest posthumous honors be accorded to Min Yung Whan, who committed suicide as a protest against the Japanese protectorate.

The body will be given a state funeral.

ABOUT NEWFOUNDLAND.

(Canadian Associate Press Cable.)

London, Dec. 3.—An article by Judge Prowse of Newfoundland on the fishery question appears in to-day's Standard.

At Dunlop's Rosery, 96 Yonge Street you will find everything that is up to date. Nothing but Dunlop's choicest flowers sold. Dunlop Rosery, 96 Yonge Str et. Tel. Main 4790.

Talks on Trucks—XII.

We have said nothing about trucks for some time.

The reason is that what we did say brought us more business than we could handle, and we ceased asking for more when we already had our hands full.

We don't think it is honest to solicit trade unless we are in a position to take care of it with reasonable promptness.

Ever since midsummer our factory has been booked for weeks ahead; we are just now beginning to catch up, and we want more business.

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Chamberlain cigar reduced to 5cts. Alive Bollard.

EFFECTS OF RUSSIAN STRIKE MAY CLOSE PITTSBURG MILLS

Inability to Procure Ferro-Manganese Threatens the Steel Industry.

Pittsburg, Pa., Dec. 3.—The Dispatch to-day says:

"So far-reaching are the effects of the strikes now on in Russia that at present an important end of the steel industry in the United States, and especially about Pittsburg, is seriously menaced.

"There is a strong probability that within the next six months many of the plants of the United States and other steel corporations may be closed from lack of ferro-manganese, which is mined almost exclusively in Russia, and which has become so scarce as to cause the superintendents of all the mills in the Pittsburg district to instruct their open-hearth foremen to refrain from the use of manganese at the front of the furnaces—an order which has never before been issued.

"It is also known that ferro-manganese, which is now sold at $40 a ton, will, after Jan. 1, 1906, be sold at not less than $200 a ton, if indeed any can be secured."

HIGHWAYMAN'S BULLET MISSES.

Serious Attempt to Rob Galt Grocer Saturday Night.

Galt, Dec. 3.—(Special).—A daring attempt at highway robbery occurred on Cameron-street, a thickly populated quarter of the town, last night at 11.30.

A masked man jumped out from behind a hedge and with a revolver pointed at J. R. Hillock, grocer, ordered "Hands up." Hillock was on his way home from his near-by store, wore a heavy overcoat and top boots and bore an armful of books, and so had not a chance to grapple with the highwayman before the latter pulled the trigger and a bullet whistled past the grocer's head.

Seeing that Hillock's son was coming the miscreant turned and ran, disappearing down East Main-street.

The chief of police found footprints indicating that the highwayman had lain in wait near the store and subsequently behind the hedge for the grocer, who was expected to have considerable money, the day's receipts.

INSANE WOMAN HOLDS CAR AT POINT OF A REVOLVER

Girard, K., Dec. 3.—Mrs. Inan Berry of Spokane, Washn., who has held possession of a passenger car for two days, shooting at anyone who tries to enter, to-night is still in control of the situation.

When a dummy figure of a man was pushed into the car last night she fired a bullet into the figure's head.

GEO. HAM IS HOME.

St. John, N.B., Dec. 3.—(Special.)—George Ham, head of the C.P.R. advertising department, arrived to-day by C.P.R. steamer Lake Champlain in improved health, after two months spent in England and Scotland.

Briar Pipes extra quality, 50c. each. —regular 1.00, Alive Bollard.

STEAMER AGROUND.

Chicago, Dec. 3.—The steel steamer German grounded on a reef off Glencoe, north of Chicago, in a snow storm to-night. The crew of twenty men was taken off in safety.

Smoke Taylor's 'Maple Leaf' Cigar.

UNCLE SAM'S PRIVATE VIEW

UNCLE SAM: He seems determined to shut off the Canadian view—but I'll have a look in at what's within my reach.

NOTE.—It is announced that the committee of the New York legislature now investigating insurance conditions in that state has summoned some of the Canadian companies doing business there to appear before it and undergo investigation.

DIXON, JEWEL THIEF, FREED IN BUFFALO

COMES BACK WITHOUT FORMALITY OF EXTRADITION

NOW AWAITING TRIAL IN WOODSTOCK JAIL

Canadian Police Officials Deny That Any Trickery Brought About the Result—Dixon's Robbery an Exceptionally Bold One.

Walter Dixon, the "second storey" worker, aged 60, known, he says, from Seattle to New York, who got away with $3000 in jewelry from the residence of ex-Mayor White at Woodstock so slickly that nobody could imagine it was an "outside" job, who got drunk at Delhi and disposed of a stolen ring, and who was soon thereafter caught in Buffalo, is now at Woodstock jail. Just how he got there is veiled in some perplexing contradictions. The Associated Press are responsible for the following Buffalo despatch of Saturday date:

"That Walter Dixon, the aged thief who robbed ex-Mayor White's home in Woodstock, Ont., of $3000 worth of jewelry, probable escaped a long term of imprisonment was due to the kindheartedness of Mr. White, who after a talk with Dixon announced his intention of dropping the case.

"When Mr. White arrived here from Woodstock to identify and regain possession of the stolen jewelry, Dixon asked permission to see him. His request was granted. Dixon, who is nearly 6 years old, made an eloquent plea to Mr. White, who is also a man of mature years. Dixon said a term in prison meant sending him to his grave. Touched by the apparent sincerity of Dixon's plea for another chance, Mr. White informed the police that he would make no move to secure extradition papers.

Extradition Rules.

"The authorities here have made it a rule not to surrender prisoners wanted in Canad, or any other state, until all the formalities of securing extradition have been complied with. When Mr. White left the city with the announced intention of washing his hands of the affair, the only recourse left to the Buffalo police was to bring Dixon before a magistrate on the lesser charge of bringing stolen goods into the city. No complainant appeared when the case was called, and Dixon was discharged.

"Only one piece of jewelry was missing from the lot turned over to Mr. White. Dixon informed Mr. White that he would go to Canada and get that for him. Whether he kept his word and placed himself within reach of Canadian justice by re-crossing the border is not known here. When he was discharged in police court Chief Detective Taylor warned him to get out of town, and he has not been seen since."

Refused to Prosecute.

The World's Buffalo correspondent wired: "Dixon was discharged by the police magistrate here, White of Woodstock, the victim, refusing to appear against him. Dixon threw himself on

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Campbell's English Chop House. 30 King St. West. Business Men's Lunch from 11.30 to 2.30. Rooms $3.00 to $4.00 per week. 139

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Yonge Street Arcade Restaurant and Lunch Counter now open. Regular dinner in dining room. 35 cents—other meals a la carte. :1

Ten Cents.
buys a sack of OTTO COKE at your grocer's. Will last a whole day. 125

Table d'Hote Dinner at Williams' Cafe, 25c. Shea's Orchestra 6 to 8 and 10 to 12.

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GIRL IS AGED 8, HER UNCLE AGED 5 ALSO HER AUNT IS MONTH YOUNGER

Just a Curious Little Arrangement of Relationship Among Trio of City Children.

Two nice, pretty little girls were chattering about their dolls and how to dress them as they sat at supper last night. They were in merry mood; they were pleased that the snow was falling and Xmas was so near. These little lasses have been taken for twins.

Hannah Cecilia Edna, the girl sitting down in photo, will be 8 years old on April 8 next. She is the daughter of Mrs. Montgomery, of 288 Church-street. Donalda Bell Gallagher is the granddaughter of Mrs. Montgomery, whose daughter, Katie Bell, married at the early age of 14. Donalda will be eight years of age on March 3 next. She is the niece of Hannah, but exceeds her in age by one month and five days.

But wonders do not cease here. Donalda is blessed with an uncle who is three years younger than herself. This young gentleman is Oliver Barney and Montgomery, son of Mrs. Montgomery. Master Oliver is a young sport, and, according to a statement made to a World man, is a special admirer of Buster Brown, whom he imitates to a limited extent. During supper Donalda admonished her uncle by a vigorous thump.

Mrs. Montgomery's late husband's father was medical officer of the asylums at Kingston and Hamilton successively.

NOT A "BEST BET."

And now it is whispered that Mr. Flavelle is only preparing a mayoralty boom for himself.

Shea's Orchestra at Williams' Cafe. Evening Dinners 6 to 8, 10 to 12.

If Not, Why Not?
Have you accident and sickness policy? See Walter H. Blight, Confederation Life Building. Phone M. 2770. 136

TO-DAY IN TORONTO.

Canadian Club—Chas. Marell, M.P., on "The French-Canadian." McConkey's, 1.
O. C. P. Council, 2.
Prof. Horning on "Canadian Literature," Chemical Building, University, 8 p.m.
City council, 4.
District deputies' night, St. John's Masonic Lodge, Temple, 7.30.
Praise service, Trinity Methodist Church, 8.
Anglicans discuss Lambeth Conference, Holy Trinity, 8.

FIREMEN ACT AS FIREBUGS

TERRORIZE SARNIA 3 WEEKS

FROM SPIRIT OF REVENGE

Three Sensational Arrests a Climax to Twenty-five Fires With $30,000 Loss—Ex-Fireman and Would-be Policeman the Ringleaders — Caught in the Act.

Sarnia, Dec. 3. — (Special.) —Because he had a grudge against the fire department, James Milne, an ex-fireman, was incidental in the formation of a gang supposed to be responsible for a series of fires aggregating in loss over $30,000. This is the substance of his confession given in the jail here after his arrest early this morning for incendiarism. His confession implicated several more, and Benjamin Buchanan and Percy Jackson were arrested this afternoon.

All three prisoners have been firemen at periods during their lives. Buchanan belongs to the fire department at the present time. The other two were dismissed under suspicion. Milne was taken on the fire department three months ago. He forged the name of a fireman on sick leave to a pay cheque and was dismissed. Percy Jackson was mixed up in a disgraceful affair, and was asked for his resignation.

Since that time this trio with one or two others have done their best to make trouble and succeeded. Twenty-five suspicious fires have taken place in the last three weeks. This gang, of which Milne was the leader, is accused of commencing all of these. The list of fires is long, but the loss in the greater proportion has been small. To this fact credit is due to the fire department, which has been working night and day. Lack of sleep has told upon them and they are rejoicing to-night.

Six on Saturday.

On Saturday six more fires were added to the already long quota of fires laid to the incendiaries. Shortly after midnight of Friday a frame storehouse and nine new separators at John Goodison's thresher works were set afire. Efforts were made to track the incendiaries in the snow, but failed. The fire was put out at a loss of about $10,000. Only the hard work of the firemen saved the fire from spreading to the main building, where a lot of new machinery has been installed. The three men under arrest were noticed at this fire. It was remarked that they attended the fires in the past three weeks regularly.

During the daylight no fires occurred, but no sooner had the firemen retired on Saturday night when another alarm rang in. This time it was an oil shed on the principal street. It was totally destroyed at a loss of about $3000, without insurance. Then the Victoria Opera House took fire shortly after they had returned to their couches. While putting out the fire it was noticed that Milne and Buchanan were again in attendance. The loss was slight.

Caught in the Act.

While returning from this fire another small one broke out in a barn, but the promptness of the firemen, tho they were almost failing down from weariness, prevented any great loss. Then a barn behind the Baptist Church was fired, but when the firemen arrived they rejoiced as they saw Milne in the custody of an officer, who informed them that he was caught setting fire to the barn. The officer had followed him around after the previous blazes, and jumped on him as he was lighting a match to a pile of inflammables.

His arrest, however, did not stop the fires, for at 4 a.m. W. Watson's livery stable broke into flames. It was a total loss. It is thought that some of the gang set this one fire to divert suspicion from Milne. A number of buggies were destroyed in the fire, together with eleven horses and a quantity of harness. The loss was $4000, with only $1200 of insurance.

Soon after his arrest Milne confessed to setting fire personally to a number of buildings. The firing of others he had deputed to certain others. Jackson and Buchanan acted as sub-leaders of the gang under him.

Within a short time of the confession the other young men were rounded up and placed in the jail. Other arrests upon information from Milne are expected.

Wanted to Be a Cop.

Milne is an applicant for a position on the police force, and has done duty on the force at different times as a substitute, in fact started one blaze while on duty. He poses as a model of goodness, being a sexton of St. George's Church. He attended Sunday school regularly, and was looked upon as one of the respected members of the community. The fact of his committing a forgery was not generally known.

Praise From a Fair Visitor.

An American lady who occasionally visits Toronto says it is well worth while coming here to see how smart the Canadian women dress. Yesterday afternoon she was greatly struck with the number of beautiful fur jackets she saw. This year the number of ladies possessing Persian lamb coats has increased to a most noticeable degree. Dineen's at Yonge and Temperance-streets have the finest furs obtainable in the whole world, and anyone contemplating the purchase of such garments should see the beautiful stock at the old reliable store.

LOCAL SNOWFALLS.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 44—48; Kamloops, 22—30; Calgary, 28—36; Edmonton, 14—36; Qu'Appelle, 16 below—10; Winnipeg, 18 below—2 below; Port Arthur, 8—16; Parry Sound, 26—36; Toronto, 27—34; Ottawa, 26—34; Montreal, 24—36; Quebec, 24—34; Halifax, 38—54.

Probabilities.

Lower Lakes and Georgian Bay—Northerly and westerly winds; colder and mostly fair with light local snowfalls.

STEAMSHIP ARRIVALS.

Dec 3	At	From
St. Louis	New York	Southampton
Potsdam	Rotterdam	New York
Lacrertian	Halifax	Glasgow
Cartagenian	Glasgow	Philadelphia
Minnehaha	New York	London
Florida	New York	Genoa
Brooklyn	New York	Genoa
Gerty	New York	Trieste
Umbria	New York	Liverpool
Kaiser W. der G.	Plymouth	New York
Canopic (2)	Genoa	Boston
Mount Royal (2)	Liverpool	Montreal
Cretonia	Liverpool	New York
St. Paul	Southampton	New York
Lake Champlain	Stt. John, N.B.	Liverpool

MANY HAPPY RETURNS.

To John Smith of Unionville, who on Sunday celebrated his 85th birthday. He was born in the old homestead, lot 7, con. 5, Markham Township.

Always smoke a "Dame" cigar and be happy. Ask for them. Wilbur, 548 Queen st. West. 135

BRITISH NAVAL ESTIMATES LARGE REDUCTIONS MADE

But It Cannot Continue if Foreign Countries Increase Their Armament.

London, Dec. 3.—An official memorandum issued by the admiralty states that, as the result of recent reforms the next estimates for the navy will show a reduction of $7,500,000 beyond the reduction of $17,500,000 made last spring.

The admiralty considers that the present strategic requirements will necessitate the building of four large armored ships annually.

The admiralty further remarks that "however formidable foreign shipbuilding programs appear on paper we can always overtake them in consequence of our resources and power of rapid construction."

Lord Cawdor, first lord of the admiralty, however, accompanies this explanation by warning the public that a reduction in estimates cannot be continued in future years if foreign countries make unforeseen developments in their shipbuilding program.

HOME RULE IS AN ISSUE BALFOUR GIVES INDICATION

Tells Unionist Candidate to Set Example of Resistance—Cabinet Rumors.

London, Dec. 4.—Evidence of the intention of the Unionist party to force the question of home rule for Ireland to the forefront in the impending election struggle is shown in a message sent by Premier Balfour to a Unionist candidate in a by-election in which the premier says he hopes the electors "will set an example of determined resistance to those home rule proposals which, as we have recently heard from the leader of the opposition, once again threaten the country."

The political gossips are busy with cabinet making for the Liberal party. The names suggested are interesting as forecasting the return to office of Sir Charles Dilke, who has been twenty years without a portfolio.

The Daily Telegraph, somewhat curiously, predicts that the chief secretary for Ireland in the Liberal cabinet will be Sir Anthony MacDonnell, at present under secretary to the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland.

NEW GRAND TRUNK ENTERPRISE.

Car Ferry Company Incorporated for International Business.

Ottawa, Dec. 2.—The Ontario Car Fery Co. has just been incorporated here with a capital of $500,000. Its connection with the Grand Trunk is evident from the appearance of the names of Charles M. Hays, Earl H. Fitzhugh and John W. Loud among the incorporators. The remaining incorporators are A. G. Yates, Wm. T. Noonan and Robert W. Davis of Rochester. They propose to operate the freight, passenger and mail service between the United States and Canada. Power is given to conduct business in the United States as well as Canada, and to enter into arrangements with any railway company in the Dominion or the republic for the operation of car ferries in connection with their system.

Dunlop's new store is at 96 Yonge street. Tel. Main 4790.

BIRTHS.

VIVIAN—On the 2nd inst., at 392 Queen W., to Mr. and Mrs. George L. Vivian, a son.

DEATHS.

BASSMAN—Antoinette Bassman, youngest daughter of O. E. Bassman, aged 3 years 6 months.
Funeral from F. Rosar's, Monday morning, at 8.45.

DONLEY—Suddenly, at 288 Berkeley-street, Rachael Donley, aged 81 years.
Funeral notice later.

HALL—On Sunday morning, Dec. 3rd, 1905, at the residence of her son-in-law, J. C. Linday, 383 Adelaide-street West, Mrs. Martha Hall, aged 67 years.
Funeral from above address Tuesday, Dec. 5th, at 2.30 p.m. Private.

HOPKINS—On the 2nd inst., at his mother's residence, Toronto Township, Walter Henry Hopkins, in his 29th year.
Funeral from the above address to Dixie Cemetery, Tuesday, 1 p.m. Late of Little York.

MAILE—Suddenly, on Friday, Dec. 1st, 1905, Frank Maile, in his 48th year.
Funeral from his late residence, corner of Leuty-avenue and Lake Front, Kew Beach, on Monday, Dec. 4th, at 2.30 p.m., to Norway Cemetery.

PASSMORE—James Passmore, aged 39.
Funeral at 3 p.m. from his late residence, 39 McGee-street, to St. James' Cemetery.

POWELL—On Friday, Dec. 1st, at the residence of her son-in-law, H. E. Robinson, 15 Coolmine-road, Toronto, Mary F. Powell, in her 75th year, wife of Abram Powell.
Funeral private, at 10 a.m. on Tuesday. Ottawa papers please copy.

VIVIAN—On Saturday, the 2nd of December, at 392 Queen West, George Vivian, infant son of George L. and Annie Vivian.
Funeral Monday, the 4th inst.

WOODS—On Dec. 1st, 1905, at her late residence, 97 Cherry-street, Sarah, widow of the late John Woods.
Funeral from above address, Monday, Dec. 4th, at 3 p.m., to the Necropolis.
Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation.

IN MEMORIAM.

ROBINS—In loving remembrance of Winnie Robins, who died Dec. 4th, 1903.
Sleep on, dear one, thy labors o'er,
Thy willing hands will toil no more;
On earth there's strife, in Heaven peace;
They loved you most who knew you best.
—Father.

F. W. Mathews Co., Undertakers.