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LIONS PROWLED IN THE CITY STREETS

Fort Worth the Centre of Wild Wind and Rain-storm--Much Damage Done

Fort Worth, Texas, April 18.—With telephone, telegraph and railway service almost completely suspended, Fort Worth was, last night, the centre of the worst wind and rain storm that has raged over Texas in many years.

TUESDAY'S ELECTION

Indications Are That a Small Vote Will be Polled

There does not seem to be any very great interest in Tuesday's election and the indications are that a very small vote will be polled.

DEATHS OF THE WEEK

Twenty three burial permits were issued by the board of health during the past week from the following causes: scurvy and bronchitis, three each; peritonitis, heart disease, gastro enteritis and pneumonia, two each; broncho-pneumonia, cerebral tumor, arterio sclerosis, oedema of larynx, chronic nephritis, membranous croup, tubercular meningitis, suppurative appendicitis and congenital steleosis, one each.

M. R. A.'S SHOPPING BULLETIN

Enter Saturday—Shop early. Easter clerks in the busiest department.

AUCTION.

Auctioneer Lantland sold at auction at Chatham's on today the James Donovan farm, situated on the Sandy Point road to James Moore, for \$650.

SOME SUGGESTIONS FOR CITY PUBLICITY FROM CALIFORNIA

In the way of increased population, Oakland, Cal., has achieved larger results than any other city in the United States in the shortest space of time.

WILD BEASTS IN CHARGE OF A SHIP

Monkeys, Tigers, Leopards and Snakes Over-run Steamer--A Rather Tall Story

New York, April 18.—A despatch to the Tribune from Boston says: The German freighter Bramfels came into port this afternoon from Calcutta after a series of adventures.

CANADIAN AFTER WESTON'S RECORD

Arsena Beaudin to Walk From Portland Me. to Chicago

New York, April 18.—A Times special from Pittsfield, Mass., says: Arsenia Beaudin, of Adams, who is to make an attempt to break the record walk of Edward Payson Weston, from Portland, Maine, to Chicago, will start from Portland city hall Sunday on his long contest.

THREE MEN DROWNED WHEN THE SCOW UPSET

Hardisty, B.C., April 18.—(Special.)—The temporary bridge at the Grand Trunk Pacific crossing, Battle River, being swept away by the spring freshets, a scow was used to ferry the men to and from work.

THE WEATHER

Forecast—Moderate to fresh southwest to southeast wind, fair and a little milder today. Sunday, showery.

John Russell

The death of Mr. John Russell took place at 3.30 this morning at his residence, 81 Main street.

THE BANGOR SCHOONER JOHN B. CARRINGTON

The Bangor schooner John B. Carrington, Captain McDonough, arrived in port this morning from Bar Harbor to load bait for New York.

ALASKA GOLD OUTPUT

Seattle, April 18.—According to special advices from Nome, Alaska, bankers and miners of Seward Peninsula expect to realize this year the largest spring production in the history of Alaska.

SOLDIERS LEAD WILD CAREER OF CRIME

Mutiny, Murder and Highway Robbery Features of a Drunken Outbreak in Mexican Town

San Francisco, April 18.—While almost the entire population of Mazatlan, Mexico, were participating in a religious feast last Sunday, twenty five soldiers broke out of the garrison and began a wild career of rioting and bloodshed.

CONVICTED OF MURDER

Two Boys Found Guilty of Shooting a Companion From Ambush

Gunnison, Colo., April 18.—Fred Collins, aged 17, and Edward Carver, aged 15, were convicted last night of the murder of Louis Benn, near Crested Butte.

RAILROAD EXPERTS ENDORSE CONCRETE

About as strong and unexcelled an endorsement of concrete as was ever rendered was that made at the recent annual convention of the American Railway Engineering and Maintenance of Way Association, says Ernest Age.

SHEDDING THE LIGHT IN DARK AFRICA

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PERSONAL

Dr. J. D. Maher returned this morning from Halifax after a month's stay. Rupert E. Turnbull arrived in the city yesterday from Montreal.

POULTRY ITEM.

Mrs. Hen—"Just look here, John! I've found a ten-cent piece in this chicken's crop."

THOUGHTFUL APPRECIATION.

Six citizens met in the lobby of the postoffice this morning and spent some time commending the department for placing a large waste basket there for the collection of waste paper.

ARRESTED AS HE LEFT POLICE COURT

A Moncton Liquor Dealer Arrested Twice This Morning for Scott Act Violation

Moncton, N.B., April 18.—(Special.)—Dennis Hogan was twice arrested this morning for Scott act violation. He was first taken on a warrant charging him with keeping for sale, which he pleaded guilty and paid a \$50 fine.

THOSE WHO ARE QUALIFIED TO VOTE

Total Number of Voters in Next Tuesday's Election is 9,900

The number of citizens whose names are on the list of voters for the general election of 1908 is 9,900, though probably not more than half that number will actually vote.

LEADING PERIODICALS FAVOR WOMAN SUFFRAGE

The North American Review, the publications of the Harper Brothers and Collier's Weekly have all "lined up" in favor of extending the suffrage to women; and now comes the Saturday Evening Post with the following pertinent editorial, under the heading:

MINERS AGREE ON WAGE.

Des Moines, Ia., April 18.—The great conference of miners and operators of Iowa agreed yesterday on a wage scale which is a duplicate of the expired contract. The new agreement is to cover one year.

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The biggest turkey that has come down the pole for many years is on exhibition today at Dickson's stall in the country market and has been purchased by George Wamamaker.

A MURDER IN THE BARRACKS AT LONDON

London, Ont., April 18.—(Special.)—Corporal Sergeant Lloyd, R. C. R., of Wolsey barracks was shot and instantly killed, last night by Private Moir, a young Scotchman who came here from Scotland a short time ago.

U. S. CONGRESS MAY GO AFTER PAPER TRUST

Washington, April 18.—In the event that the attorney-general does not soon show that some substantial has been done to prosecute the paper trust as a combination in restraint of trade, the House of Representatives is reported to be preparing to introduce a bill which is reported to be in violation of the law.

A USUAL RESULT OF A MONCTON SPREE

Young Man Loses His Watch and Money and Turns Up at Police Station

Moncton, N.B., April 18.—(Special.)—A young man who has had a binge at Black Point, N.B., reported at the police station Thursday night that the sum of \$25 and gold watch had been stolen from him on Wednesday night.

KENNEBECCASIS REPORTED OPEN

River Boats are all Making Ready for the Opening of the Season

What is probably the feature of river navigation this year is the reported opening of the Kennebecasis to Hampton, Captain Arnold Mabee, of the steamer Hampton, told a Times man this morning that his information was that the river is clear to Hampton, the only ice holding being a small quantity at Royale. He announced that his boat would leave here, Indiantown, this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

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RUSSIA ACTIVE ON PERSIAN BORDER

Marauding Kurds to be Punished With Full Strength of Russian Forces

Tiflis, April 18.—The situation on the Persian frontier arising from the activity of bands of marauding Kurds has not materially improved. The Persian bandits who retired into their mountain fastnesses after their first successes against the Russians, again concentrated yesterday and renewed their attacks against Bolestar.

NEWS FROM FREDERICTON

Manager McNicol of the C.P.R. Inspecting the Gibson Branch

Fredericton, April 18.—(Special.)—D. McNicol, second vice-president and general manager of the C. P. R., Superintendant and Col. MacLean arrived here this morning on a special train, here to inspect the Gibson branch.

THE EASTER MARKET

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SURVIVORS ARRIVE

Captain and Crew of the Helen E. Kenney Reach New York. New York, April 18.—Captain Hindon and six men of the crew of the British schooner Helen E. Kenney, which was lost on March 23, in the Port of Porto Cabello, arrived here today on steamer Prinz Frederick Henrick.

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THE TIMES NEW REPORTER

Hiram extended a cordial invitation to the new reporter to spend Easter in the Settlement, assuring him that Mrs. Hornbeam's parlors had lost none of their flavor, and that the lunch had been conducted in the most exemplary manner.