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MURDER OF WOMEN AND CHILDREN

Turks Report Italians First Bound Them With Ropes, Then Killed Them

PROTEST IS LODGED

Execution of Arabs in Tripoli Brought to Notice of Powers—Said to Number 4,000, Including 400 Women and Children

(Canadian Press)

Constantinople, Nov. 4—Neschad Bey reports with regard to the killing of many women and children by the Italians in Tripoli that they were bound with ropes before they were murdered. The Turks find everywhere, corpses with their throats cut.

The government has lodged a protest with the powers which signed the Hague agreement of 1907 against the execution of Arabs in Tripoli.

Berlin, Nov. 4—The Lokal Ansieger Tripoli correspondent says Italy's losses in Tripoli, since Oct. 23, amount to 1500 men of whom 280 were killed. Eighty-seven soldiers are suffering from cholera.

"The Italians," continues the correspondent, "have executed 4,000 Arabs including 400 women and children. Cholera is rapidly increasing among the Arabs and Jews. No room exists in the city for the expected reinforcements and their arrival must further increase the ravages of the cholera."

London, Nov. 4—A cablegram from Herbert Montagu, a second lieutenant of the Fifth Fusiliers who is serving as a volunteer with the Turkish troops tells of the finding the bodies of women and children ,with their hands and feet tied, mutilated, pierced and torn. In another town they found a mosque filled with the bodies of women and children mutilated almost beyond recognition. They are getting news of further masacres from farms lately occupied by the Italians.

KILLED PROTECTING HIS EMPLOYER'S PROPERTY

Watchman at Home of Copper Millionaire Found Shot to Death

New York, Nov. 4—Burglars frustrated in their attempt to rob the country home of Isaac Guggenheim, the millionaire copper magnate at Port Washington early today, shot down and killed the night watchman, Alfred Crooker. The burglars escaped in a boat.

After the sound of the shots members of the family and the servants ran out and found Crooker lying dead on the lawn in a pool of blood. A revolver was clutched in his hand, but none of the chambers had been discharged, showing that his assailants had dropped him before he could fire a shot. There are no clues beyond footsteps on the piazza.

WEATHER BULLETIN

Issued by authority of the department of Marine and Fisheries. R. F. Stupart, director of meteorological service.

9 A. M. WEATHER REPORTS.

Temperature Past 24 Hours.

	Max.	Min.	Dir.	Vel.	
Toronto	44	32	Calm		Clear
Montreal	40	30	SW	6	Fair
Quebec	32	28	SW	14	Cloudy
Chatham	38	18	W	4	Fair
Sarmouth	46	38	W	12	Fair
Halifax	36	24	W	8	Clear
Sydney	34	28	W	6	Fair
Sable Island	38	34	W	20	Fair
St. John	36	28	W	8	Clear
Charlottown	36	26	W	6	Clear
Boston	46	34	W	8	Clear
New York	48	34	SW	4	Cloudy
Bermuda	74	64	NE	18	Cloudy

Bulletin from Central Office.

Forecasts—Moderate west and southwest winds, fair today and Sunday.

Synopsis—Barometer is now highest along the Atlantic coast and is likely to fall slowly, weather is fine throughout the Dominion with a general tendency for higher temperature. To Banks and American ports, moderate to fresh west and southwest winds today and Sunday, rising temperature.

Saint John Observatory.

The Time Ball on Customs building is hoisted half its elevation at 12.45, full elevation at 12.59, and drops at 1 p.m. Standard time of the 60th Meridian, equivalent to 5 hours Greenwich mean time.

Local Weather Report at Noon.

Saturday, Nov. 4, 1911.

Highest temperature during last 24 hrs 45
Lowest temperature during last 24 hrs 28
Temperature at noon 45
Humidity at noon 61
Barometer readings at noon (sea level and 32 degrees Fah.), 30.35 inches.
Wind at noon—Direction southwest, velocity eighteen miles per hour; fine.
Same date last year—Highest temperature 60, lowest 44.

D. L. HUTCHINSON.
Director.

HANKOW AFIRE AS MASSACRE GOES ON

Fearful Conditions in Chinese City This Morning; Many Lives Are Lost

Fifty Blind Boys and 150 Wounded Men Likely Burned in Weslyan Mission—Red Cross Steamer Driven Back by Fire of Forces — Threat of Massacre in Foo Chow

(Canadian Press)

London, Nov. 4—The Times' Shanghai despatches, say that the situation at Hankow is reported most serious. The city is half burned, and it is feared that large numbers of wounded were burned in the ruins. The massacring of innocents was begun apparently on both sides. There is danger of reprisals in other quarters, thus changing the whole character of the revolution.

The Times' Pekin despatches say: "The feeling here is more hopeful, but there are still immense difficulties to be overcome, which will not be lessened if the stories of the massacre at Hankow prove true."

Fear Many Lost in Mission

Hankow, China, Nov. 4—(Via Wu Hu)—Almost the whole of the native city of Hankow is afire this morning, and it is feared that the Wesleyan mission near the Han River, in which are fifty blind boys and 150 wounded persons, who, with the staff of the mission, make up a total of 300 persons, will be destroyed. The head of the mission asked the imperialists to grant an armistice of two hours to permit of removal from the mission, but the firing ceased for only half an hour. A Red Cross steamer which attempted to rescue the people in the mission was driven back by the fire from the rebel fort. One shell riddled the steamer.

When the vessel was compelled to turn back the mission was still standing, but its position was hopeless, the flames being within 200 yards of the building. The fires in the town were started by the imperialists, who threw inflammable shells into the place.

A strong wind carried the flames across the river to Han Yang and a strip of that city on the waterfront, a mile long, was destroyed, and the fire is still burning. A few hundred rebels against whom the Imperialists are preparing to advance, occupy the unburned parts of Hankow.

When the steamer left the harbor, a battle was taking place between the batteries of the imperialists which were planted back of the British concession, and the Wu Chang and Han Yang forts. Several rebel shells landed in the foreign concessions, piercing the walls of houses.

China, Nov. 4—All steamers arriving here from Foo Chow are crowded with refugees who report that eighty per cent. of the population have fled that city. The new army has been disarmed, but the pay of the men is continued. General Soon Tiew Long and his family are held hostages in the Tartar general's camp.

Manchus, between the ages of ten and forty years, are under arms. One hundred Manchu soldiers are stationed at each of the seven gates of Foo Chow with guns trained on the city. The Manchu street is mined, and guns are mounted at each end of it. The Tartar general theatens, in the event of an attack, that he will set fire to the city and blow up the magazines so that the Manchus and Chinese shall perish together.

British Position in Shanghai

Shanghai, Nov. 4—The new revolutionary government which is apparently impersonal, nevertheless effectively controlled the situation in Shanghai and on the Yang Tse delta today. This morning the rebels' cause has been strengthened by arming of all those who applied for rifles and ammunition. The rebels obtained not only the arsenal but the powder factory, gunboats and an enormous supply of new and first class Mauser rifles. Not less than 10,000 rifles were given indiscriminately to applicants this evening. The forts at Wu-Sung went over to the rebels without resistance, and the other upriver forts hoisted the white flag. As though on a previous understanding with the rebel commander. The revolutionists can hardly be said to have "seized" Shaghai Wu-Shung and the other up river forts. It was simply a change of control. About ten people were killed and twenty others injured, but most of the deaths were accidental.

The arsenal at Shanghai has a capacity for a great output, and is now completely manned and is being operated. It can manufacture 20,000 cartridges daily. The powder factory, which is the largest in China, is well stocked. Admiral Sah's squadron has depended entirely upon this arsenal and powder factory as the basis of supplies.

Up to six o'clock last night, there has not been a single case of disturbance, within the city. The foreign troops which had been guarding the railway station of the Nanking-Shanghai railway continued on duty there today upon the order of the British consul. The action continues to cause not only comment, as being contrary to the policy of foreign neutrality, but apprehension lest the rebels interpret it as a determination of the foreigners to support the Manchus. The bonds of the railway company are owned in England and this appears to be the only reason for British interference.

UP RIVER CONSERVATIVES BUY THE McMULKIN-SMITH DREDGE PLANT

Thirty Thousand Said to be Price—Some York Men Who Are After Government Positions

Fredericton, N. B., Nov. 4—(Special)—Slipp & Hanson, barristers, acting for a syndicate of Sunbury and York Conservatives, have purchased the McMulkin-Smith dredge, which has been operating on the river for some months. The purchase price was $30,000. Mr. Hanson will leave soon for Ottawa to interview the public works department officials.

It is understood that Miss Mary Thompson, who has been employed on the education office staff for thirty years, has signified her intention of retiring at the end of the year. She is a daughter of the late George Thompson, who was connected with the department for many years, and a sister of Mrs. A. G. Blair.

It is said that John A. Humble, of Stanley, an active Conservative worker, has been promised the position of claims agent on the I. C. R. James F. Hawkins of Douglas is out for the job of fishery overseer, now held by J. D. McKay.

A LIBERAL VICTORY

London, Nov. 4—The East Bristol bye-elections, necessitated by the elevation of C. E. Hobhouse to the chancellorship of the Duchy of Lancaster, resulted in a majority of 2,000 for the Liberal candidate. The figures were: Hobhouse 4,913, W. Moore, independent, 2,913.

FREED BY JURY

Denver, Colo., Nov. 4—Less than an hour after the case had been given to the jury last evening, a verdict of acquittal was returned in the case of Mrs. Eleanor C. Valentine, charged with the murder of her husband, Harry C. Valentine, on March 15. Self-defence and temporary insanity resulting from long continued abuse, formed the defense.

BILL MINOR RE-CAPTURED

Waynesboro, Ga., Nov. 4—Old "Bill Miner," said to have been a notorious train robber, who with Tom Moore escaped from a Georgia prison several days ago, was captured in a box car at St. Clair late last night. Moore, who resisted arrest, was killed.

SOME EXCITEMENT.

A large pot of tar afire caused some excitement this morning in Bridge street.

A YORK LOAN DIVIDEND SOON

Another 25 Per Cent Expected By the End of Year—One More Later

Toronto, Nov. 4—It is reported that there will be another dividend of the York Loan & Savings Company assets on Jan. 1, 1912. There is at present the sum of $37,000 in the bank for the purpose of a dividend and the liquidators count on getting an additional $50,000 required for a 25 per cent dividend by the end of the year. That will make a total payment of fifty cents on the dollar since liquidation.

The cheques will be sent out to 108,000 addresses all over the world, and the postage bill alone will be $1,500.

There will be a third and final dividend, but what this will be is uncertain. The $85,000 of unclaimed balances and uncashed cheques may be divided among the other shareholders, though special legislation would probably be necessary for that.

Then there is a tract of land in the west Bloor street district which is not sold yet, and which will increase in value if the Humber Valley scheme in which Mr. Smith is interested is carried through.

CONDENSED DESPATCHES

Reading, Pa., Nov. 4—The new Folger hotel, only recently rebuilt, with seventy-five sleeping rooms, was burned early today and Peter Rotheman was suffocated.

Hamilton, Ont., Nov. 4—Frederick Bell, a fruit grower, near Burlington, was probably fatally injured today when a wagon in which he was seated, was struck by a G. T. R. train on a level crossing. Bell had both legs broken. His horses were killed.

Winnipeg, Nov. 4—The operation of the Manitoba government telephone system for the year 1911 will show a loss of nearly $151,000. It is likely that a new system of tolls will be inaugurated.

Newark, N. J., Nov .4—An inveterate cigarette smoker who slep in a hay loft was burned to death early today when fire destroyed a boarding stable where he spent the night. Twenty nine horses also were burned to death besides a trick mule valued at $2,000.

Winnipeg, Man., Nov. 4—A committee appointed to solicit subscriptions for the erection of a monument over the grave of General Wolfe, has met with gratifying success, more than $4,000 having been subscribed in Winnipeg.

Berlin, Nov. 4—The morning newspapers comment on the government concerning the agreement reached between Germany and France over Morocco mostly in unfavorable terms. The Post regards the agreement as a cup of care sorrow and shame for the German people.

NO PLACE FOR THEM TO VOTE

Lancaster Has an Interesting Situation Under Rearrangement of the Polling Districts

An interesting situation has arisen in the Parish of Lancaster as the result of the revision of the election act by the provincial government at the last session. The voting districts were arranged, under the new act, according to the school districts and it was said today that no provision is made for the voters who are not included in any of the school districts specified.

The New Brunswick Election Act, by which the revision of voters is regulated, was largely amended by the legislature in April, 1911. The parish of Lancaster heretofore was divided into two voting districts, No. 1 and No. 2, and under the amendment there will be four polling districts, school district No. 2 and 3 will vote at Wasson's Hall, Fairville, school district Nos. 11 and 12 at the Public Hall in Lorneville, school district No. 1 will vote at Griffith's store, Duke street, Lancaster and school districts Nos. 13, 14 and 16 at the Temperance Hall, Milford.

There are some voters who are in none of these school districts, and for these, it is said, no provision is made for the registration of their vote.

In order to solve this difficulty it is probable that the names of these voters will be added to one of the existing districts, and the legislature will be asked to pass a special act authorizing this change.

LOCAL NEWS

CARLETON FIRE.

The west side fire department was called out yesterday for a fire in the home of James Holmes in Winslow street. The damage was slight.

THANKS OF THE TIMES.

The Times staff yesterday received a box of very fine Fameuse apples, some of those shown at the exhibition, from the New Brunswick Fruit Growers' Association. The apples and the courtesy which prompted the gift are both highly appreciated.

VISITING PUGILIST.

"Young" Donohoe, a well known Boston boxer, passed through the city last evening from Sydney on his way to New York, where he intends trying to arrange a combat with Knockout Brown. Donohoe has won several bouts and is anxious to meet some Canadian lightweight in a "go." He expects to return to the maritime provinces about January.

C. P. R. WORK

General Superintendent William Downie of the Atlantic Division of the C. P. R. returned today after an inspection trip over the line. There is, he said, considerable ballasting being done on the Tobique and Edmundston branches and several wooden bridges are being replaced by steel structures. There are also some coal sheds being built in the vicinity of Presque Isle and Caribou, in Maine. The superintendent found everything quite satisfactory over the division.

BISHOP CASEY IN QUEBEC.

His Lordship Bishop Casey has gone to Quebec to attend the consecration of Monsignor Oliver Mathieu, the recently appointed Bishop of Regina, Sask. He will be consecrated tomorrow in Quebec, where he has been a leader for many years. The consecrator will be His Grace Archbishop Begin, of Quebec. The apostolic delegate, Monsignor Stagni and most of the archbishops and bishops of Canada will be present. The Bishop of St. John will be attended by Rev. F. J. McMurray, of Woodstock.

IN ST. PATRICK'S HALL.

Before a large and appreciative audience in St. Patrick's Hall, Carleton, last evening, the members of St. Rose's Dramatic Club, Fairville, presented "The Convict's Daughter" in which they again scored the success won when they first presented it in their own hall some time ago. The characters were capably enacted and rounds of hearty applause greeted the efforts of the players. The characters were portrayed by Misses May Butler, Gertrude Hughes, and Alice McManus, and Messrs. J. J. O'Toole, Wm. Quigg, Joseph Calnan and James Conway. Music was furnished by Mrs. J. J. O'Toole, and Messrs. A. Dykeman and P. Joyce. Mr. Thibideau gave a speciality which would have done credit to a far larger theatre or stage, completely mystifying his audience in a "handcuff act." The proceeds were in aid of the Church of the Assumption.

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ONTARIO'S NEW LIBERAL LEADER

Newton Wesley Rowell, K.C., the new leader of the Liberal party in the province of Ontario. He is not a prominent parliamentarian, never having been elected to a legislative body, but during the recent federal campaign he proved himself to be a most eloquent and forceful speaker. He is a prominent Methodist, was the first president of the Laymen's Missionary movement in Canada, is prominent in educational circles and is forty-four years of age.

WANT OLD RAILWAY SHOPS IN MONCTON PUT TO SOME USE

Citizens Wait Upon Hon. Mr. Cochrane — Government Members, Including Mr. Hazen, to Ottawa

Moncton, N. B., Oct. 4—(Special)—Premier Borden and the members of his cabinet, who were at the Halifax banquet, returned to Ottawa, passing through Moncton yesterday afternoon. The minister of railways, accompanied by Messrs Monk and Pellitier, arrived in Moncton at three o'clock on special train and spent part of the afternoon here.

Several citizens met the minister at the railway station. A deputation interviewed Hon. Mr. Cochrane regarding the old railway shops, representing to him that the buildings were falling into decay through disuse and neglect, and requested that some use might be made of the structures, either by the railway department or by leasing them to private concerns. Mr. Cochrane said he was desirous either that the department use them or lease them to private concerns.

These three ministers, accompanied by members of the managing board and others visited the new railway shops, where they spent more than an hour. They expressed great surprise and pleasure at the magnitude and completeness of the railway plant at Moncton.

Premier Borden, Mr. Foster, Mr. Hazen and others passed through the city on the maritime express last evening, and were also met by citizens. Mr. Hazen accompanied the party to Ottawa.

FIFTY MILLIONS A YEAR IN TIPS

Commercial Travelers of United States Start an Anti Campaign

Chicago, Nov. 4—A campaign against tipping has been started by commercial travelers of the United States. According to H. E. Dowie, president of the Commercial Travelers' National League, $50,000,000 is disbursed by salesmen annually among bell boys, waiters and porters, in addition to $325,000,000 paid as regular hotel charges.

AN EMPIRE WIDE SHOOTING COMETITION

London, Nov. 4—An imperial challenge competition open to the services of the whole British empire will be held on any available range between April 15 and May 24 next year.

Lieut Schumacher has given a challenge cup of the value of 100 guineas with silver and bronze commemorative medals and $2,000 in money prizes to be competed for by open teams of forty from any unit in His Majesty's services, with the object of encouraging the boys throughout the empire to learn how to use their rifles effectively.

CASHIER SEEKS JAIL

Rochester, Ind., Nov. 4—After state bank examiners had closed the Citizens' Bank at Akron, Ind., and had announced that its funds were short about $35,000 today Howard Hartley, the cashier obtained the sheriff's permission to stay in the jail until inquiry into the bank's affairs had proceeded further.

TEN NEW CITIZENS.

Registrar J. B. Jones reports for the last week seven marriages, and ten births—five boys and five girls.

RIVER FROZEN OVER; ICE APPEARS THIS YEAR RATHER EARLY

The Hampstead Could Not Get to Fredericton Because of Ice Blocade at Upper Maugerville This Morning

Winter weather has struck the upper reaches of the river early this year. L. A. Currey, K. C., said to day that he had received word that, owing to the river being frozen over the steamer Hampstead was unable to proceed to Fredericton this morning. She got as far as Upper Maugerville, but owing to the fact that her hull is of wood it was impossible to force her way through the ice there.

The Elaine, which is of steel construction made her way through the ice and the Hampstead attempted to use her track,, but this was found impossible, as the ice formed again too rapidly.

The captain communicated with Dr. Currey and received instructions to return to Gagetown to await further orders.

PERSONALS

Mrs. W. S. Carter, of Fredericton, is visiting friends in St. John.

W. W. Hubbard returned to Fredericton last evening.

Rev. Canon Powell, president of Kings College, Windsor, is the guest of Rev. H. A. and Mrs. Cody.

Mrs. Calvin Powers, who has been seriously ill in Houlton, has been brought to St. John and is now at the home of her daughter, Mrs. E. S. Hennigar, Orange street.

E. R. Coles, of McDonald's corner, is in the city visiting his children.

Miss Tessie Graham of Fairville has returned home after spending two weeks' vacation in Boston.

John T. Kelley of the inland revenue service returned this morning after a visit to Boston.

Rev. M. E. Fletcher, field secretary of the Baptist Foreign Mission board, returned this morning after a visit through the upper part of the province.

Thomas E. McDonald of west St. John returned this morning from Montreal.

Hon. Robert Maxwell came home from Hartland this morning.

Major Ashburnham of Fredericton, is in the city today for the purpose of inspecting the military stores and the local ordnance department.

Senator Wood, who arrived in the city yesterday, returned to Sackville this morning.

BURIED TODAY.

The funeral of James Smith took place this afternoon from his late home in Winter street. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Gordon Dickie and interment was in Fernhill.

The body of Mrs. Elizabeth Williams was laid at rest this afternoon at 3.30 o'clock in Fernhill. Funeral services were conducted at the home of J. B. Jones in Winter street by Rev. W. O. Raymond, and Rev. W. Dunham of McAdam.

The funeral of George R. Day took place this afternoon from his late home in Marsh street. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. W. Wentworth and interment was in Fernhill. Members of the Knights of Pythias attended in a body.

The funeral of James F. Barrett took place this morning at 8.30 o'clock from his late home in Sommerset street. The body was taken to Holy Trinity church where requiem high mass was celebrated by Rev. J. J. Walsh. Interment was in the new Catholic cemetery. Members of Div. No. 1 A. O. H., attended the funeral.

AN EXPLANATION

Because of a heavy pressure on the advertising and news columns of the Times today some of the interesting Saturday features have to be omitted today. They will be published early in next week.

DEATHS SIX MORE THAN LAST YEAR

Tuberculosis Victims Fewer Than in 1910 and Year Before

BOARD OF HEALTH REPORT

Five Suicides and Twenty-Three Other Deaths by Violence—Thirty-Six Deaths Caused by Cancer — Statement of Contagious Diseases

The statement of the Board of Health for the year ended October 31, shows a total of 760 deaths to which should be added the deaths of twenty-two non-residents making a grand total of 782. This is a slight increase over last year's total, which was 776, and shows a death rate of 18.4 to the thousand. The number of infectious and contagious diseases for St. John city and county is 304 with the number of deaths at fourteen. This is a decrease from last year, when the total was 330, but the deaths are exactly the same number.

The number of suicides was five, three poisoning, one drowning, one by fire arms. There were twenty deaths by violence, as follows: Seven fractures, two burns, four accidental drowning and seven through other accidental ways.

There were 289 males and 371 females in the death list. Of the total, 616 were Canadian, 140 foreign, and four not stated. There were 357 single and 398 married and not stated five. The ages are as follows.

Under one year—146.
One to five—55
Five to ten—14.
Ten to fifteen—14
Fifteen to twenty—15.
Twenty to twenty-five—25
Twenty-five to thirty—25.
Thirty to forty—60.
Forty to fifty—45.
Fifty to sixty—71.
Sixty to seventy—91.
Seventy to eighty—111.
Not given—1.

This does not include the non-residents.

By months, the death list is as follows: November, 57; December, 59; January, 56; February, 87; March, 79; April, 72; May, 57; June, 53; July, 36; August, 92; September, 54; October, 58. This shows August to have had the largest death rate, and July the smallest.

Of the diseases, tuberculosis claimed ninety four; cancer thirty six, meningitis, twenty six; congestion and cerebral hemorrhage, twenty eight; general paralysis, fifteen; infantile convulsions, thirteen; organic disease of the heart, sixty three; endocardis, twenty one; syncope, eighteen; pneumonia, thirty six; acute bronchitis, sixteen; bronco pneumonia, fourteen; infantile disease, thirty six; acute nephritis, ten; Bright's disease, eight; old age, seventy eight; marasmus, inanition and premature birth, sixty three.

Last year there were 107 deaths from consumption here, and in 1909 the number was 118, so there is something of a decrease.

The statement of infectious and contagious diseases for the city and county for the year is as follows:

Diptheria—November six, December eighteen, January sixteen, February five, March fourteen, April two, May five, June ten, July fifteen, August seven, September nine, October sixteen, total 123.

Scarlet fever—November eight, December sixteen, January ten, February five, March sixteen, April five, May six, June one, July three, August four, September nine, October sixteen, total ninety eight.

Typhoid Fever—November five, March two, April five, June two, July four, August eleven, September thirty, October thirteen, total seventy-two.

Measles—December one, February one, March one, April seven, total ten.

Small Pox—February one.

The total number of contagious diseases, which is 304, is made up as follows:—November nineteen, December thirty five, January twenty six, February twelve, March thirty three, April nineteen, May eleven, June thirteen, July twenty two, August twenty two, September forty eight, October forty four.

From diptheria there were six deaths from scarlet fever one and typhoid fever seven.

LOST LIFE TRYING TO SAVE YOUNG WOMAN

She Fell Into Canal While on Way Home After a Party

Utica, N. Y., Nov. 4—William McSweeney, 35 years old lost his life about two o'clock this morning while endeavoring to save Miss Charlotte Smith from drowning in the Erie canal.

The young woman, dressed in ball gown and furs, fell into the water, while going home after a party. Her cries attracted McSweeney, who plunged in. He helped her out and then sank. His body was recovered half an hour later. Miss Smith suffered no harm beyond a drenching.

POT OF RED PAINT ON HEAD OF THE PREMIER

Madrid, Nov. 4—Prime Minister Canalejas while passing a shop which was being redecorated, received the contents of a pot of red paint upon his head. The painter, who had fallen, was not badly hurt, but the premier's hat and clothes were covered with paint, and his eyeglasses were broken.