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**GLENE GROVE AVE.**—Beautiful 16-room residence, with three bathrooms and conveniences, medicine cabinet, full-size collar, laundry compartments, hot-water heater, three fireplaces and mantels. House beautifully finished in hardwood and decorated with 44 x 17 1/2 ft. fruit trees. Two verandas and Colonial balcony. Must be seen to be appreciated. \$14,000, cash \$1000; balance easy.  
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## LUMBER MERCHANT WAS SHOT AFTER DESPERATE STRUGGLE WITH BURGLAR WHO ESCAPED

Allan McPherson of Longford, Near Orillia, Attacked in His Home—Marauder Was Masked and Escaped Thru Window—Provincial Police and a Doctor Sent to Assistance of Wounded Man.

ORILLIA, March 23.—(Special.)—

In a desperate struggle with a masked burglar shortly before 11 o'clock tonight, Allan McPherson, one of the best known lumber men in the country, was shot in the thigh and so badly wounded that he may not recover. The burglar escaped. Mr. McPherson lives at Longford Mills, across the lake from Orillia, with his two adopted children. His is a handsome residence, and as he is a man of considerable wealth it is thought that the burglar surmised that he would make a rich haul.

Word of the shooting was sent to Mayor Goffatt of this town, who at once sent Provincial Constables Wright and Holmes with Dr. Harvie to the scene of the attack, which is several miles from Orillia by road. The mayor also notified Superintendent Rogers of the provincial police by telephone, but was informed that the superintendent had no man to send to Orillia on Monday morning. Details of the shooting are not all to hand. It is thought that Mr. McPherson heard the burglar in his house, and upon going downstairs to investigate was met by the crackman, who was a short man with a red handkerchief tied over his face, concealing everything but his eyes. The man carried a large rifle, which he pointed at Mr. McPherson, and threatened to shoot if he was not given money.

Mr. McPherson struggled with the burglar, and after being shot managed to wrench the rifle out of his hands. Before he could get a shot at the marauder, however, the man jumped thru a window and escaped.

Mr. McPherson, who is 55 years old, is very well known and very popular in this district. He is the head of the McPherson Lumber Company, is connected with the Longford foundry, the Spanish River Pulp and Paper Company and other large corporations. If it is found that he is suffering too much to be moved he will be attended at his home, otherwise he will be brought back to Orillia in the morning.

**Dineen's Millinery Department.**  
 After the winter is over and furs are no longer in popular demand the millinery department at Dineen's is brought into prominence. A special effort is made each spring season to import exclusive and tasty designs from Paris, London and New York. Dineen's millinery display of hats for ladies, misses and children is always unique and deserving of the attention of the most particular lady shoppers. W. and D. Dineen Company, Limited, 140 Yonge street, corner Tapscrope.

## KILLED BY FALL DOWN FLIGHT OF STAIRS

George M. Bullen Was Fatally Hurt and Wm. Margetts So Badly Injured That He May Die When the Two Men Fell Down Stairs at Margetts' Apartments.

Falling down the stairs at 559 West Bloor street, shortly before 2 o'clock yesterday morning, George M. Bullen, 21 Grenadier row, was almost instantly killed and Wm. Margetts so seriously injured that his recovery is doubtful. Constable Gardner (147) heard the men fall and summoned Drs. Shier and Hoidege.

The two men were artists. Mr. Bullen worked at Rolph, Clark Co., while Mr. Margetts was employed by the Stone Lithographing Company. Being old friends they met accidentally on Saturday night and went to the theatre, and later to Mr. Margetts' apartments, 559 West Bloor street.

When near the landing at the top of the first flight of stairs, Mr. Bullen slipped on the edge of the stairs. In an attempt to save him from falling, Margetts clutched his companion by the arm. The two men fell. At the bottom of the stairs they struck a radiator with sufficient force to fracture Bullen's skull and crush Margetts' head.

Within a few minutes of the doctors' arrival, Bullen died. The body was taken to the morgue, but an inquest is unnecessary. Mr. Bullen was 48 years of age. A son attends Toronto University.

## SHACKLETON'S NEW EXPEDITION.

LONDON, March 23.—(Can. Press.)—Just before his departure for New York on the steamer Mauretania, Sir Ernest Shackleton announced that he intended to head a scientific expedition to the Antarctic. The Mauretania sailed from Southampton today. Sir Ernest said he would visit several points in the United States and go to Ottawa.

## A Clever Manager.

Very few managers would expend the necessary money to pay two such exorbitant salaries as Richard Carle and Estelle Williams and place them together in one comedy, but when success is to be achieved Manager Charles Frohman does not seem to stop at any expense, however great.

## APPEAL BY PARLIAMENT'S PRISONER TO BE MADE IN COURT TOMORROW

MONTREAL, March 23.—(Can. Press.)—The hearing of Mr. R. C. Miller's appeal against the judgment of the superior court, ordering him to give an accounting to the Diamond Lighting & Heating Co. of the expenditure of certain moneys, has been set for Tuesday morning. The case was listed for hearing early in the lists of the present term of the court of King's Bench, and it was expected that it would have been called last week.

Mr. Miller is now a prisoner of parliament as a result of his refusal to account to that body for the expenditure of the money involved in the action. His position may be affected to the extent of his liberty being granted should a judgment be given reversing that of the superior court. On the other hand, as the litigation involves a large sum of money, the matter may be carried to the privy council, in which case no decision would be obtainable for many months.

## LUSITANIA WILL BE TIED UP MONTHS

Full Extent of Damage to the Vessel Now Is Realized and Will Amount to Three Hundred Thousand Dollars—Loss of Earnings Will Be Half a Million.

LIVERPOOL, March 23.—(Copyright.)—Inquiry tonight afforded no confirmation of the widely circulated rumor that the steamship Lusitania of the Cunard Line was wrecked as a result of sagging amidships when suspended on two waves last January. The great vessel at present is in dock undergoing repairs to her turbines, which were seriously damaged when entering the Mersey on Jan. 2. At best, however, it will be August before the vessel will be in service again. On her last trip from New York, the Lusitania had reached the mouth of the River Mersey on Jan. 2, when she suddenly reversed engines to avoid a collision with a South liner. It is supposed the strain in reversing quickly was so great that the blades of four turbines were stripped away. When after avoiding the South liner, she attempted to proceed up river, it was found that the propelling turbines would not work. In fact, that the vessel was helpless. Tugs were signaled for and towed her up the river. Passengers were disembarked by tender in mid-river and the vessel was hurried into dock. The company gave out a statement that owing to slight derangements of the machinery, the vessel would be unable to take her place the following Saturday, according to schedule. Closer examination revealed that the repairs to be made were very numerous, but then it was announced that the ship would be in drydock only a few days. Now the extent of the damage is realized in full and it is believed it will be August before the Lusitania will be able to resume her sailings. Actual repairs will cost \$300,000, while the loss of earnings is estimated at half a million dollars.

**Gifts Exchanged.**  
 Among the fingerboards that mark the passing of the year and celebrate great events, Easter is third in importance. As at Christmas and New Year, gifts are exchanged.

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## CHINESE LEADER KILLED AT SHANGHAI

Sung Chiaojen, a Patriot and Scholar Universally Esteemed, Assassinated by Order of His Political Opponents—Plan Also to Kill Two Generals.

LONDON, March 24.—(Copyright.)—(Monday)—A Peking cable to The Morning Telegraph says: No more fatal and far reaching thing for China, dashing the fair hopes just raised by President Wilson's message, could have occurred than the cruel assassination at Shanghai of Sung Chiaojen, leader of the Kuomintang party. He was a patriot and scholar universally esteemed. There is not the slightest doubt he was shot by order of his political opponents.

"Probably there was also a plan to kill General Fungshing and General Chenkel, who represent the military element of the Radical south, and control the Kuomintang, or United Nationalists, who have 288 members out of a total of 545 in the coming parliament. They are devoted to the two leading ideas, namely, a party cabinet and provincial rights, as opposed to Yuanshihki's ideal of a Peking dictatorship.

"In all diplomatic quarters the blackest pessimism reigns, for the days when the government of China by the assassin's dagger was possible are now long past, and a resumption of such methods must inevitably precipitate civil strife."

## CLOSURE FIGHT TO BE DELAYED

Interim Supplies Will First Command Attention—Real Struggle to Start Next Week.

OTTAWA, March 23.—(Special.)—Parliament Hill is well-nigh deserted, and there will likely be only a slim house here on Tuesday. Notice of the proposed change in the rules making closure possible, will, no doubt, appear on the order paper at an early date, but the amendments may not be passed immediately. There is every reason to believe that an interim supply vote will be passed this week, thus enabling the government to carry on the business of the country until May 1. This vote of course cannot become effective until the return of the senate on Thursday.

The coming week will therefore be devoted to the supply bill and concurrence and to a general discussion of the proper interpretation of the rules of the house as they now exist. The fight over closure, which will be a long drawn out and bitter contest, will hardly commence before Monday or Tuesday of next week. It is still anticipated, however, that many members upon their return after the Easter recess, will be urged to advocate some reasonable compromise which may postpone the question of closure to another session and permit Canada contributing to imperial defence to be presented as a free-will offering of the entire nation.

## NO DISSOLUTION SAYS PELLETER

Election Rumors Scoffed at by Minister—Opposition Seeks to Paralyze Canada, He Asserts.

QUEBEC, March 23.—(Can. Press.)—That there will be no election this year nor until the time fixed by the constitution, was the emphatic statement made today by Hon. L. P. Pelletier, postmaster-general, who has proffered by the Easter vacation to visit his aged father at Trois Pistoles, whose health is somewhat discouraging. Mr. Pelletier has also spent a couple of days at Quebec.

He characterized the attitude of the opposition as being infantile and handled Sir Wilfrid's latest manifesto without gloves.

Mr. Pelletier accused the opposition of trying to paralyze everything in an effort to impose its views on the country and to commit the country to an expense of \$150,000,000.

## AUSTRIA PREPARED TO MAKE WAR UNLESS MONTENEGRO GIVES WAY ULTIMATUM IS THINLY VEILED

### Pope Leaves His Room

ROME, March 23.—(Copyright.)—The Pope left his room for the first time today and spent several hours in his private study. He remained very quiet all day, receiving no one. His holiness will resume private audiences next Thursday.

## WOMEN DAUNTED BY A HOSTILE GATHERING

Disorderly Mob in Hyde Park Threatened Serious Disturbance if Suffragettes Appeared and Latter Wisely Held Aloof—Windsor Castle Under Guard of Detectives.

LONDON, March 23.—(Can. Press.)—A great crowd of youths armed with various kinds of missiles, tin whistles, mouth organs and bells, gathered in Hyde Park today, prepared to repeat the rowdy scenes of last Sunday should the suffragettes attempt to hold their regular Sunday meeting.

The women, however, wisely refrained, but the crowd, who were out for trouble in any event, spent the afternoon in hustling men who declared themselves to be sympathizers with the suffrage movement.

The police had been advised that the meeting would be held, and a strong force patrolled the park and the adjoining streets. The crowd finally became weary of waiting and dispersed toward evening. An officer who has long experience in handling mobs, said that it was a good thing the women did not appear, as the men were in an angry mood because of the burning of the country home of Lady Amy White, widow of Field Marshal Sir George White, the hero of Lady's death.

Altho Lady White's house fortunately was empty, this act of incendiarism has caused a more bitter feeling against the militant suffragettes than any of their previous crimes.

**Windsor Castle Guarded.**  
 Windsor Castle, where the court has gone into residence, is being closely guarded and special precautions have been taken to prevent women from making any demonstrations or committing any outrages. A special staff of detectives has been sent to Windsor, and the north terrace of the castle, which has always heretofore been open to the public, has been closed. Hampton Court Palace has also been closed.

James Keir Hardie, the socialist and independent labor member, who is one of the strongest supporters of the women's cause, had a peculiar experience at Manchester today. He addressed a suffrage meeting in the afternoon and was interrupted by men with cries of "traitor" in the evening when he addressed a meeting in connection with the annual conference of the labor party, suffragettes persisted in interrupting him, and several women had to be forcibly ejected.

## MAN YET STARTING

One Man in Every Forty-Seven Who Voted For President Wilson Wants a Government Job.

WASHINGTON, March 23.—(Can. Press.)—One man in every 47 who voted for Woodrow Wilson for president is a candidate for office under the Democratic administration. In other words, there are on file at the ten executive departments of the government 121,530 applications for jobs.

There are just 10,384 jobs available for office seekers. President Wilson, the members of his cabinet, senators and representatives are now engaged in the difficult task of parceling out 80,000 applications. Presidential postmasters are appointed for a four-year period.

## Coercive Measures Will Follow Persistence by Little State in Refusing to Allow Civil Population to Leave Scutari—Italy Also Makes Demand, But Omits Threat.

LONDON, March 23.—(Can. Press.)—Austria today delivered at Cetinje a thinly veiled ultimatum to Montenegro, threatening that if the civil population of Scutari were not allowed to leave the city the dual monarchy would take coercive measures for compliance with its wishes.

Italy took similar action, but without expressing any threat, and Russia, the friend of Montenegro, advised the Montenegrin government to accede to Austria's demand.

Austria is sending a steamer to Scutari, evidently expecting that this, her second request for the release of the civilians, will not be refused, and has also made clear what she requires in connection with the other incidents of the dispute between the two countries.

**Powers Are Busy.**  
 In the meantime the representatives of the powers at the Balkan capitals are busy submitting to the governments of the allies a note suggesting terms as a basis for peace. The note has not yet been presented to Turkey, as one of the ambassadors has failed to receive his instructions. The allies have been consulting with regard to the note, and the public and press of the Balkan States do not receive the suggestions with any favor.

News from Montenegro quarters indicate that King Nicholas believes that the fall of Scutari is imminent. He is in command of the combined Serbian and Montenegrin army, numbering 52,000. From the same source it is reported that the city has already been partly destroyed and the large buildings having been damaged. Famine prevails, and it is reported that many Austrians and Italians have been killed.

## MUST COMPLY OR FIGHT.

CETTINJE, March 23.—(Can. Press.)—It is semi-officially announced that Austria presented an ultimatum to Montenegro today, demanding a suspension of the military operations around Scutari until the entire civil population leaves the town. In the event of a refusal, Austria will resort to arms against Montenegro.

In a note which is couched in threatening terms, Austria also demanded that all Catholics and Mohammedans in Jakova and the surrounding district, who have been converted since the Montenegrin occupation, must be restored to their former faith.

With a view to proving that the conversions in question were not attended by any compulsion, Austria replied that she proposed to appoint a commission, on which, besides the Montenegrin members, there should also be one representative of Austria and another of Italy or some other great power.

Montenegro at the same time stated that she could not allow the government of Austria to be exercised in territory occupied by Montenegro.

Austria refused to accept the answer to this note, on the ground that its wording was not seemly. In government circles here the conviction is expressed that Austria refused, not on account of the form of the reply, but because of its contents.

The official journal publishes a communication, in which it is stated that the Catholics and Mohammedans of Ipek and Jakova expressed the wish to join the orthodox church, but were dissuaded by the Montenegrins, who advised them to exercise patience. The movement spread, however, as the people were unable to understand why they should not return to the old faith of which they had preserved usages. When they repeated the demand, their wish was granted.

The priest Palic, the communication explains, was arrested for inciting the Albanians against Montenegro. He was being taken to Ipek for trial when he attempted to escape and was shot.

## TORNADO HITS MIDDLE WEST

Many Lives Lost in Indiana and Missouri and Towns Wiped Out, Say Reports.

CHICAGO, March 23.—(Can. Press.)—It is reported that a tornado has struck Omaha, prostrating wires and unroofing houses. All telegraph lines are down, and communication with the city is cut off. The storm is said to be headed east.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 23.—(Can. Press.)—At the Union Pacific office here it was said tonight that Yutan, Neb., had been partly destroyed by a tornado tonight and that the town was burning. Five persons were dead and many injured, the report said.



## WELL TRAINED

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## TURKISH LINES ARE RESTORED

Tchatalja Columns Now Are Vastly Different From Those of a Few Months Ago.

Special Cable to The World.  
 LONDON, March 23.—(Copyright.)—H. M. Donohue, who, with other war correspondents, was allowed by the Turkish officers to visit the army at Tchatalja, says in a cable to The Daily Chronicle:

"The Tchatalja army today is a vastly different force from those terrible columns composed of starving and emaciated human wrecks, survivors of Abdullah Pasha's terrible retreat, which I saw falling back on those lines towards the end of the first phase of the war. Some one has worked wonders in the interval. Order and organization have been evolved out of almost hopeless chaos. Food is no longer a rare luxury, for the Turkish soldier is now well fed, well clad, well housed, and his long overdue pay has evidently been forthcoming in full around Hademkeul has been rebuilt, the former execrable roads have been remade, permitting motor traction. A light railway has also been put down for re-equipping the army and carrying ammunition to the forts. These are only a few of the administrative miracles which some Turkish general Kitchener has worked on the Tchatalja lines."