

May 26, 1904.

CITY NEWS.

Recent Events in and Around St. John.

Together With Country Items From Correspondents and Exchanges.

Michael Burns, brakeman on the C. P. R., who has been living in Fairville, has moved to Fredericton Junction.

A recent deal charter is that of the str. Powhattan to carry a cargo from St. John to W. C. England at private terms.

Mr. Hilda, which brought rails here for the C. P. R., will go up to Hillsboro to load plaster for Hill Gate at \$1.00.

The Anacosta Standard of May 18, records the death of T. Clowes Miles, who was born in this province in 1811, and when only 20 years of age went with his family to Montana.

Government Inspectors Olive and Dalton inspected the str. Beaver at this port yesterday. The tug Lord Kitchener will be looked over Monday or Tuesday, and then the inspectors will visit Fredericton to inspect the tug boats there.

The up river steamer Queen, which is repairing and improving everything in the way of new equipments at the western side of the harbor, will, it is expected, be ready to go on her route next month. The Union Foundry Co. are doing the work.

An up river lumberman who was in town yesterday reported having received a letter dated Monday from one of the biggest operators to the effect that while the river water was keeping up pretty well, that in the brooks it was rapidly falling, it is feared a large number of logs will be laid up this year, and this gentleman has between forty and forty-five million.

STUBBORN SKIN DISEASES. Nothing is more discouraging than a case of eczema or salt rheum which refuses to heal. By using Dr. Chase's ointment, however, you soon see that new skin is forming and the sore part is becoming smaller and smaller. The itching is entirely overcome after a few applications and you are given satisfactory evidence that a continuous treatment will bring a thorough cure.

W. D. RICHARDS DEAD. W. D. Richards, a wealthy and prominent farmer of Greenwich, Kings county, passed away at his home on Wednesday last week. Mr. Richards was eighty-eight years of age and had for some time in addition to his farm managed a brick yard. He leaves four children, two sons and two daughters. One of the former, Donville, is now in the Yukon, and the other, Duffin, Bessie and Eva, are at home. Burial was at Green-wood on Saturday.

NEW CHURCH OPENED. Rev. Dr. Gates returned yesterday from St. George's where he had been opening the new Baptist church. The old church was destroyed by fire in June last.

SERIOUS BATTLE. CAPE HAYTIEN, May 26.—A serious battle was fought today between the Dominican troops and the revolutionists at Esperanza on the road from Molester to Santiago, near Mao. The revolutionists were victorious. Many were killed or wounded on both sides.

General Raoul Cabrera, minister of war, who commanded the government troops, was killed and his body was taken to Navarre.

The revolutionists are before Navarre, where another battle will be fought.

The government troops are waiting for reinforcements.

The United States cruiser Detroit and the gunboat Newport are off Montserrat.

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GREAT BATTLE FOUGHT NEAR FENG WANG CHENG.

Report States That Russians Lost 4,000 and That 1,000 Surrendered—Japs Have Stormed Kin Chou With Big Loss.

LONDON, May 26, 4.31 p. m.—A despatch to the Central News from Tokyo says the Japanese have stormed and captured the town of Kin Chou, about 32 miles north of Port Arthur.

LONDON, May 27.—The Tokio correspondent of the Daily Express says it is reported unofficially that the Japanese have captured Kin Chou, and are now attacking Dalny.

The Tokio correspondent of the Daily Mail under date of May 26 says: "According to reliable report, the Japanese occupied Kin Chou today."

ST. PETERSBURG, May 26.—The general staff is not in a position tonight to confirm or deny the Tokio report that the Japanese have occupied Kin Chou. The latest official information regarding the fighting in that vicinity was conveyed in Gen. Kurapatkin's telegram which said that the Japanese had lost 700 on May 18. This agrees with information contained in the Associated Press despatches of May 25, General Kurapatkin apparently accepting the report from the same Chinese source.

The opinion of the best authorities is that if the Japanese rushed Kin Chou by a frontal attack, unsupported by heavy guns, which it is not believed they possess, the capture of the place must have been effected at a tremendous loss to the attackers.

The war office is inclined to believe that severe fighting is in progress in the southern part of the Liao Tung peninsula about the narrowest point of the peninsula, but no credence is attached to reports that the Japanese have entered the Kwang Tung peninsula, south of and connected with the Liao Tung peninsula.

No change of importance in the positions of Gen. Kuroki and Gen. Kurapatkin are reported.

ST. PETERSBURG, May 26.—The general staff has received the following telegram, dated May 25, from General Kurapatkin: "There is no change in the general situation in the Feng Wang Cheng district."

"Our cavalry report that the Japanese are constructing fortifications around Feng Wang Cheng, where they have a force of 30,000 infantry and 2,000 cavalry, with thirty-six field guns."

"The Japanese advance guard has advanced to 21 miles north of the A. river, their front being turned towards Salmae and Kuan Tien Shan. They are effecting no other movements."

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In which the Japanese lost 700. The Russian losses were not so great. "A Japanese landing at Takushan, beyond the town of Kin Chou, that fifty thousand troops, principally infantry, were landed, but this has not yet been sufficiently verified. The troops landed are marching from Takushan northwest towards Su Yen and southwest towards Port Arthur.

"On May 21 a Russian reconnoitering party found the Japanese army near Tansanchintse, on the main road from Sakhezda to Liao Yang, and found a Japanese detachment of 1,000 men, strong. Heavy transport wagons were necessarily passing. The Russian scouts watched for sixteen hours, during which time at least 1,200 Chinese and Korean coolies passed, together with 200 carts. The Japanese finally discovered and attacked the Russian scouts, all of whose horses were killed. The scouts were obliged to return on foot."

LONDON, May 27.—Bulletin.—The Shan Hai Kwan correspondent of the Daily Chronicle sends a report received from Neway, which states that, thinking that the Japanese had retired from Feng Wang Cheng, 15,000 Russians from Hai Cheng and Liao Yang marched towards Feng Wang Cheng. They were surprised by 30,000 Japanese in the Tatung passes.

The Russian casualties were 4,000, and over a thousand Russians surrendered. The report does not state the Japanese losses.

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Hon. Robert Marshall was born in Pictou Co., Nova Scotia, April 27, 1832, his parents being Alexander McNaughton and Elizabeth Marshall. He was a great-grandson of Deacon Robert Marshall, who emigrated from Dumfriesshire, Scotland, to Pictou, N. S., in 1773, and was educated in the grammar school at Chatham, N. B.

After leaving school he was employed as an accountant and confidential clerk by the well known mercantile, lumbering, and ship building firm of Johnson & Mackie, of Chatham. In the month of April, 1859, he removed to St. John, having been appointed accountant of the now Intercolonial railway, then known as the European and North American railway. While holding this position he organized a system of returns and accounts, prepared as the result of a personal inspection of the various railway systems in Canada and the United States. In 1866 he established in St. John a general agency for fire, life and marine insurance and for many years has acted as an accountant and cashier of the Mutual Life Insurance Co. of New York.

Mr. Marshall was secretary and treasurer of the New Brunswick Sanatorium, and was also a notary public for the province, and justice of the peace of the county of Kings and of the city and county of St. John. He was the author of several papers which received considerable notice at the time of their appearance.

Mr. Marshall was an ex-commissioner of the General Public Hospital of St. John, a director of the Protestant Orphan Asylum of St. John, a life member of the Y. M. C. A., an ex-president of St. Andrew's Society, a trustee of St. Andrew's church, and a prominent Orangeman, besides being prominently connected with several other important orders.

PARLIAMENT.

OTTAWA, May 23.—Cardinal Gibbons, who takes a leading part in the laying of the corner stone of Ottawa University, arrived at noon today, accompanied by Rev. Dr. Eade, who boarded the train at Albany, Bishop Macdonnell of Alexandria, and Rev. Dr. Emmery, rector of the university.

Non-resident delegates from Italian societies waited on Hon. Mr. Sifton this morning and asked the government for relief for 5,000 Italians now stranded in Sicily. Sifton promised to do all possible. These laborers came out from Italy expecting to get work on the G. T. P. line, being deceived by last session's bill into believing that the road would be started this spring.

Marine and fisheries department today ordered the government steamer Tyrian to the rescue of the survivors of the str. Turret Bay, who are still on St. Paul Island. The Tyrian will convey them to Sydney, C. B.

Negotiations for control of the St. John Telegraph, which nearly completed, are hung temporarily over conditions attached to the price asked, \$100,000. Mr. Gilligan, the lion in the math. Efforts are being made to secure his appointment as maritime provinces representative on the general committee on the labor question remains to be seen.

There is a story current in No. 6 that Ned Farrar is writing the third speech in Emerton's bill. His speech had done nothing to meet the approval of Laurier and the minister of railways. Emerton is booked to speak in the G. T. P. debate this week. He may do so, No. 6 is the St. R. headquarters in the commons.

OTTAWA, May 25.—Cardinal Gibbons occupied a seat on the floor of the commons chamber this afternoon to the right of the speaker's chair, while several high dignitaries of the church in full robes had front seats in the speaker's gallery. It was a strange coincidence that Cardinal Gibbons, whose work for laboring men of the United States has made him world famous, on the occasion of his first visit to the Canadian commons was compelled to listen to a debate on the labor question precipitated by Clare of South Waterloo, who moved an amendment to the Grand Trunk Pacific bill restricting the employment of engineers, etc., on the lodatation surveys to Canadians and other British subjects.

Clare showed that Mulock, since being removed to private bills, had done absolutely nothing to protect the Canadian workman against Yankee competition in Canada. Mulock made a handsome denial of his hardness and was keenly scored by Monk, who showed that the alien labor law, even as it was, was not enforced, while the United States applied its stringent law against Canadians. The debate was continued up to six o'clock by Taylor, McPherson, Col. Sam Hughes, Puttee and others. Law of Yarmouth, seconded by Lewis of Albert, moved for leave to amend the Canada Temperance Act giving the trial justice the right to convict with or without hard labor. As the law now stands a man can be turned on in banks, stores, etc.

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NOVA SCOTIA MURDER.

Woman Killed and Her House Set on Fire.

HALIFAX, May 26.—The coroner's jury which held inquest at Berwick on the remains of Mrs. Wm. S. Robinson today, returned a verdict as follows: "The deceased came to her death by violence before the fire by the hands of some person or persons unknown."

That Mrs. Robinson was murdered in her home on the North Mountain on Tuesday night, and her home fired to cover the crime, there seems but little doubt. Robinson was arrested by Constable Thomas of Berwick, on Wednesday morning and during the evening he was taken to the jail at Kentville. Mrs. Robinson was formerly Mrs. McAuley, a widow with a family of several children. She is about sixty years of age and was married to Robinson about a year ago. The family relations were not happy and friction occurred between Robinson and the children. Ten days ago Robinson and his stepson had a serious quarrel and the former was bound over to keep the peace. This augmented the bad feeling, but nothing more was heard of the Robinson family affairs until yesterday, when news came of the burning of the house and barn and the discovery of

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