

PORT ARTHUR CUT OFF FROM RUSSIAN BASE; JAPS HAVE LANDED CLOSE TO FORTRESS

Mikado's Soldiers Hold Railroad—Isolation Complete.

ALEXIEFF AND BORIS ESCAPE

Kuropatkin May Be Caught Between Two Armies—Port Arthur Must Fight Battles Unaided.

Tokio, Friday, May 6, 12 noon.—It is officially announced that a Japanese force began landing on the Liao Tung Peninsula yesterday (Thursday).

The place where the landing is occurring and the number of men being landed is withheld.

[Pitewo is situated on the east coast of the Liao Tung Peninsula, and about 50 miles north of Port Arthur. It is near the narrowest part of the peninsula, along which passes the railroad connecting Port Arthur with Mukden and Harbin. Kin Chou Bay, where the Japanese transports are also reported to have been sighted, is on the east coast, where the Japanese have landed, is less than 20 miles from Port Adams.

PORT ARTHUR CUT OFF.

London, May 6.—A dispatch to the Central News from St. Petersburg today says the Japanese landed at Port Adams on the west coast of the Liao Tung Peninsula, as well as at Pitewo. Port Adams is situated about 50 miles from Port Arthur, at the head of Society Bay, and on the railroad connecting Port Arthur with Mukden and Harbin. Consequently, it may be expected that if the report of a Japanese landing there is correct, communication with Port Arthur has been cut off. Pitewo, on the east coast, where the Japanese have landed, is less than 20 miles from Port Adams.

LANDING CONFIRMED.

St. Petersburg, May 6, 12:43 p.m.—The landing of the Japanese at Pitewo, northeast of Port Arthur, is officially confirmed. It is expected that the railroad connecting Port Arthur with Mukden and Harbin will soon be cut. The departure of Vice-Admiral Alexieff and Grand Duke Boris from Port Arthur was hurried on account of the possibility of the interruption of railroad communication.

The Japanese landed in sufficient force to discourage the few hundred Russians watching at Pitewo from offering any resistance.

Paris, May 6.—A dispatch to the Havas Agency from St. Petersburg says the Japanese troops who landed at Pitewo yesterday may have cut off communications with Port Arthur.

New Chung, May 6.—It is reported here that the Japanese troops landed yesterday at Pitewo on the Liao Tung Peninsula, number 10,000 men.

Port Arthur, according to reliable information, is well supplied with provisions, 30,000 to Land.

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The report of Admiral Kuroki, commander of the third squadron, gives additional details of the landing. The admiral reports that his squadron conveyed the first batch of the second army to the Liao Tung base, and adds that the Kaga Maru grounded near the base at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon. She was assisted by the torpedo cruiser Akitsushima, which succeeded in floating the transport, which reached her destination safely at 5 o'clock the same evening.

The Garrison Reduced.

Rome, May 6.—According to a telegram received here from Che Foo, the garrison at Port Arthur has been reduced to 4,000 men and all the important documents, money and field guns have been removed to Mukden.

Where Is Kuroki?

St. Petersburg, May 6.—No direct information has been received as to whether Kuroki's army has advanced from its position on the Yalu River, but it is known that the Japanese are reconnoitering south of Feng Wang Cheng, and along the Liao Tung, and a landing near Taku Shan, in order that the enemy might establish himself on the right flank of the Russians, is considered probable. A sharp lookout is being kept northeast of Feng Wang Cheng to prevent the



GEN. KUROKI.
Who Led the Victorious Japs at the Yalu River.

possibility of a flanking movement from that direction, but it is understood that no signs of the enemy have been discovered. Gen. Kuropatkin's plans are being carefully guarded. The general staff insists that hardly more than 7,000 Russians were actually engaged in the battle at the Yalu, while the enemy had five times that number, and there was an almost similar disparity in the number of the Russian guns.

It is reported that Gen. Kuropatkin has asked the Emperor to dismiss Lieut. General Zaslitch for disobedience of orders. Such action would not be surprising.

Among the many rumors afloat which are not confirmable, is one that the Emperor intends to proclaim the mobilization of the entire Russian army on the occasion of the grand review at St. Petersburg, May 11, and at the same time bid farewell to the famous Semenovskiy Foot Guards, who have been selected to go to the front.

The late Vice-Admiral Makaroff's daughter has been appointed maid of honor at the wedding of Prince and Princess of the Danes.

The Washington Begun.

Washington, May 6.—The state department has received a cablegram from United States Minister Griscom at Tokio, confirming the press report of the landing of the Japanese in the Liao Tung Peninsula, about 40 miles above Port Arthur. The location given in the Japanese dispatch is Kinchow. This is the narrowest point on the peninsula, and consequently, the minister says, the railroad is practically closed, according to reliable information, is well supplied with provisions, 30,000 to Land.

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the railroad nearer Port Arthur, north of Kaiping, and northeast through Tsukuan and Feng Wang Cheng. A landing at this moment would make it difficult for Gen. Kuropatkin to concentrate, fortifications force against Gen. Kuroki, whose forward movement is not yet reported. Furthermore, once the Japanese are across the railroad, Port Arthur will be as good as besieged. A member of the general staff says that Gen. Kuropatkin is now ready to depend on its own resources.

The absence of press dispatches telling of the fight on the Yalu is partially explained by the heavy mortality among the correspondents. Three of the Novosti's correspondents are missing to Seoul and the Korean killed, while the Russ lost one of its correspondents. The other journals are wiring to ascertain if their representatives are alive.

RUSS LOSSES INCREASED.

Tokio, May 5, 8 p.m.—A telegram has been received from Gen. Kuroki, dated May 3, in which he reports that a careful search of the battlefield of last Sunday revealed 200 additional wounded and dead Russians. He expects that a complete search of the field will result in increasing this number.

The Jap Loan.

New York, May 6.—Kuhn, Loeb & Co. announce that the Hong Kong and Shanghai Banking Corporation and Parr's Bank, Limited, of London, have purchased from the Imperial Japanese Government £10,000, seven-year six per cent treasury notes redeemable after three years at the option of the government, and unique hospitalities for the first time on the customs. Kuhn, Loeb & Co. have agreed to join, and a small public issue will be made in London and New York. It is understood from outside sources that Kuhn, Loeb & Co. take half of the notes, and the syndicate which will purchase them.

Adelbert in Far East.

Berlin, May 6.—Prince Adelbert, the third son of the Kaiser, who is serving with the squadron on the China station, is expected to visit the Korean coast. He will then go to Tientsin, and thence to Peking, where audience of the Dowager Empress and Emperor has been arranged.

New Telegraphic Apparatus.

London, May 6.—The Times has the following from Paris: A St. Petersburg dispatch says: A new telegraphic apparatus permitting direct communication between the Russian capital and Paris and London will be tested next week. Hitherto St. Petersburg telegrams for Paris have gone by way of Berlin or by cable via Libau, Bornholm and Calais. The new transmitters are of Danish make.

Corean Roads Still Bad.

London, May 6.—The Times has the following from Peking: The roads from Tokio, after giving details of the second Japanese army, which it says is not completely equipped for the campaign in Korea, are still in a very bad condition, and that, moreover, the Japanese do not desire to assume the responsibility of the road. The roads are enough Russian troops in Southern Manchuria worth fighting. The Japanese were afraid the enemy might withdraw northwards without risking a battle. The telegram also says the Japanese navy sustained serious damage in some recent encounters with the Russians, and that several large ships were recently docked at Sasebo.

BOUGHT CANADA EASTERN

Domination Government Purchases the Road for \$800,000.

Ottawa, Ont., May 6.—It is officially confirmed today that the Dominion Government has bought the Canada Eastern Railway in New Brunswick for \$800,000.

The road connects with the I. C. R. and runs through York County.

THE TRENT CANAL

The Section Between Lakefield and Peterboro To Be Opened.

Ottawa, May 6.—It has been determined to open to navigation that section of the Trent Valley Canal between Lakefield and Peterboro, Ont., on June 1st, as it is expected that the new hydraulic lift lock near Peterboro will be ready to operate about the same time. The completion of the Lakefield-Peterboro link of the Trent Valley system will afford continuous navigation from Bala to Lake Huron. Hon. Mr. Emmerson intends to make the opening of the magnificent new lift lock an event of considerable ceremony, and intends to go up with him accompanied by a large party of members. The arrangements are now being made.

EIGHT FIRMS TENDER

Cost of Erecting New Sheds at Montreal Will Be About \$3,000,000.

Montreal, May 6.—Eight Canadian and American firms have tendered for the construction of the permanent shed at the port of Montreal, which will be on the different wharves. These tenders are now in the hands of the secretary of the board of the port, and will probably be considered at the meeting of the board on Monday next. The firms have each put up guarantee deposits of \$50,000.

Neither the fortunate tenderer, nor the price will be known till next week. It is believed that the tendering will be close, and that the price will not be above \$3,250,000 or below \$3,000,000.

P. C. R. Earnings.

Detroit, Mich., May 6.—The total earnings of the P. C. R. for the past year, were \$22,552,201, an increase of over three and a half million dollars. There was a net revenue, after paying the Canada Southern its proportion of net income, and the other operating expenses of \$21,189,340.

THE WAR NEWS.

The Japs have landed from 10,000 to 30,000 men close to Port Arthur on the Liao Tung Peninsula, and it is now believed the fortress is completely cut off from the Russian base. The Japanese hold all the approaches by both land and sea. Alexieff and Grand Duke Boris are said to have escaped from the city, going north.

A later dispatch from General Kuroki says that in Sunday's battle a Russian division mistook some of their own men for Japanese, 110 being killed in the ensuing fight.

Nothing is known of the whereabouts of the Vladivostok squadron.

There are no further reports from Port Arthur, but the Japs would hardly risk transporting troops if the Czar's ships are not rendered helpless.

Kuropatkin is supposed to be at Feng Wang Cheng, but there is no clear as to the movements of the pursuing Japs, the Japanese censorship being as rigid as ever.

COMMISSIONER ON FISCAL PROBLEM

Hodgson Submits Plan Which Meets With Favor.

SLUMP IN BRITISH BIRTH RATE

Colonies Fail to Make Good Falling Off in England, Which Will Equal France's.

London, May 5.—Mr. Hodgson, the Dominion life stock commissioner, was today the producer of a report on the birth rate of the colonies, which was presented to the annual meeting of the H. C. R. shareholders yesterday, when Wm. H. Newman, president of the New York Central, and of the Lake Shore, was made a director of the M. C. R. The board of directors was increased from 13 to 18, the other newly-elected directors being Wm. Rockefeller and James Stillman, of New York, and Frederick Swinson, of Chicago, who had been elected to the board of directors in office were re-elected.

THE TRAINING CAMPS

London's To Open June 7, Instead of June 9.

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New York, May 6.—The expulsion of three members of the Consolidated Stock and Petroleum Exchange was announced at the opening of business Saturday. The expelled members are W. Grant Hoage, who is said to have been connected with the firm of Longley, Hale & Co., M. E. Halley, and A. H. Page. The expulsions were made on charges that these members had engaged in irregular transactions.

THE MAY STRIKES

The Troubles at Montreal Still Remain Unsolved.

Montreal, May 6.—The various strikes inaugurated on May Day are still in full swing. Both sides appear to be standing firm, and the outlook for an immediate settlement of the difficulty, unless conciliatory methods are adopted, does not seem very bright.

Trouble which has been brewing since Monday in the establishment of the Consumers' Cordon Company, Point St. Charles, culminated yesterday when about 250 employees went on strike. The officials of the company when seen said that their business would not suffer to any great extent.

SPROULE LOST HIS TEMPER

Another Row in Committee Over the Peace River District.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Ottawa, Ont., May 6.—There was another row at the agricultural committee today over the Macoun evidence on the Peace River district. Mr. Henderson (Halt) protested against its going on, as people were taking more interest in the squabbles of the committee than in the Grand Trunk Pacific. Mr. Oliver blamed Dr. Sproule for taking up too much time, and the doctor retorted that he was not so, and added that Mr. Oliver could not choke down his throat a statement of that kind.

A COOKED-UP LOTTERY

Revelations in Inquire into Montreal Company's Business.

Montreal, May 6.—The men arrested on Saturday by Chief Carpenter and his staff on a charge of selling or taking part in the issue of tickets for a policy game, carried on under the name of the Argenteuil Granite Company, were brought before the court yesterday. Telephone Repair, secretary and manager, admitted there was no quarry in existence belonging to the company, and that the tickets were kept. There was no real system of drawing the winning tickets, the agents being allowed to draw from a committee of fifteen, who were permitted to select from day to day the number of tickets to which was to be awarded the prize.

MERGING THEIR ROADS

President of the N. Y. C. and Lake Shore on the M. C. R. Board.

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RUSS SOLDIERS IN RETREAT MOWN DOWN BY COMRADES

A Detachment of Two Hundred Mistaken For Japanese and Were Almost Wiped Out.

JAP AND RUSS PATROL IN HAND-TO-HAND FIGHT

Tokio, May 6.—General Kuroki in reporting yesterday tells of a bloody encounter during the Russian retreat on Sunday last when according to information furnished by a Japanese body of Russian infantry, two thousand strong, occupying a hill near Tengshang Hong, mistook for a Japanese detachment of Russian soldiers, a detachment of 200 strong, retiring before the Japanese troops and fought among themselves. In the scuffle 110 were killed, and 70 wounded, and the Russian horses were stampeded, leaving their loads of stores behind. According to the story told by a captured Russian officer, who participated in the battle on Sunday last, only five or six

batallions of Russian infantry and two battalions of artillery were able to retire in order. The other troops ran away in a state of entire confusion. Gen. Kuroki says that a Japanese patrol consisting of four hundred men reached Tengshang Hong on the third instant, when a Russian patrol posted on a hill south of the village attacked them. The Japanese patrol thereupon turned and charged them and after an interminable hand-to-hand affray, the enemy was driven back in the direction of Feng Wang Cheng. The Japanese patrol pursued them to a stream three miles southwest of Kaolmen, where Russian sentries were discovered posted on hills on both sides of the road.

TIBETANS READY FOR MORE FIGHT

Strong British Force to Dislodge Powerful Menacing Army.

Gyangtse, Tibet, May 6.—The officials at Lhasa seem to be determined to defy the British Tibetan expedition. A strong reconnoitering force has left Gyangtse to dislodge a Tibetan army on the further side of Kharola Pass, where a captured Tibetan officer, who was being watched by the police, his secretary, Lombardo, escaped abroad. Nassa's whereabouts are unknown.

AN ARMY COUNCIL DECIDED UPON

Will Be Known Under Australian Name, Board of Advice.

Ottawa, May 6.—The Minister of Militia has finally decided to create an army council, and for this purpose will adopt the clause in the Australian bill, which has been given the name of the board of advice. The name adopted for Canada will be military council. It will consist of seven members, the minister of militia, the chief accountant, the chief of staff, a position which is created by the new military bill, two other members of the headquarters staff and an inspector general. The last-named officer, it is said, will be the general in command of the militia. The chief of staff will be responsible for seeing that the policy of the council is carried out by the council, and the inspector-general will carry out an annual independent inspection, in order to report upon the manner in which the policy has been carried into effect and the military efficiency of the force resulting from the policy. The result of the inspection will be given notice of today.

SAM PARKS' FUNERAL

15,000 Men To Walk Behind Hearse of Dead Leader.

New York, May 6.—Plans are being made for the attendance of thousands of workmen at the funeral of Sam Parks, former business agent of the Housewives' and Bridgemen's Union, who died on Wednesday in Sing Sing Prison Hospital.

The health department refused a permit for the funeral on Sunday, so that the time was changed to Saturday afternoon. This will allow members of the building trades organization to attend and fully 15,000 of them are expected to turn out, forming practically a labor parade. All will wear the costume in which they appeared on parade last Labor Day when they marched down Fifth Avenue with Parks at the head of the line.

Parks' widow lives in a small flat in East Eighty-fourth street, where the funeral services will be held. As the crowds of unionists desirous of seeing their former comrade before the internment could not gain entrance to the small quarters, a special casket has been made opening on the side, so the body can be viewed by them in the street before the procession starts.

Made Business of Murder;

Awful Tale From Vermont

Rutland, Vt., May 6.—Attaches of the sheriff's office have unearthed evidence which they believe shows that three men, who were supposed to have been killed by trains of the Rutland railroad, were robbed and murdered in a roadhouse on the outskirts of this city and their bodies placed on the railroad tracks by the murderers. In some respects the case resembled that of the notorious Bender family years ago in Kansas.

Since the finding of the body of Joseph Murray on the railroad tracks near the house last June, the sheriff's department has been working on a murder theory. It is now thought certain that Murray was killed for a few dollars and that his murderers will shortly be placed under arrest. Stories of wild oracles which have taken place in the roadhouse, and which were followed by the disappearance of men, who, until recently, it was thought had left the country, are now being investigated by the police, who say they will only be able to charge one murder—that of Murray—against the persons they suspect.

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You believe magic is purely Arabian. What was the waving of Prospero's Wand over his Island, compared to the waving of "The Busy Stores" Wand, that brought these stylish Hats to our counters at such magnetic prices.

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3 Dozen Ladies' Ready-to-Wear Fine Straw Hats, deep, fine stitched satin binding, quill and fancy knot. The Hats to sell in regular way are worth \$2. They are satin bound, in black and navy. On Saturday they are yours at 75c each. Colors white, navy and champagne.

We are selling lots of Hats here, we have styles and prices that will surprise you.

Bleached Table Linen, 70 inches wide, fine, new patterns, regular 75c. For only

43c Yard.

Black Linenette Skirt Lining, regular 8c. Saturday to clear

4c Yard.

2 pieces only Heavy Plaid Wrapperette, worth 12½c yard. Saturday Sale

15 yards for \$1.

5 pieces only Red Print, in spot and figured patterns, worth 12½c yard. Saturday Sale only

8c Yard.

One piece Fine Unbleached Table Linen, 65 inches wide, worth 50c. Saturday only

35c Yard.

228-230
DUNDAS
STREET.

TO BEGIN DIGGING WITHIN 2 WEEKS

Work On the Panama Canal
Will Be Pushed With
Great Energy.

Washington, E. C., May 6. — The United States will begin digging the Panama Canal within two weeks. Gen. George W. Davis, governor of the canal zone, accompanied by a corps of American engineers, will leave New York next Tuesday, and on their arrival in Colon the immense property will be taken over and work will begin under the supervision and control of the United States Government, displacing the private enterprise hitherto at work there.

Practically the entire payroll of the French company will be assumed, and the army of workmen will be continued uninterrupted at their labor, though the American plans will be substituted for the French. Excavation of the Culebra cut, which is considered one of the most difficult engineering problems of the entire canal, will be pushed as rapidly as possible with the force of workmen now on the isthmus. As soon as new machinery is secured this force will be increased. While this work is in progress the corps of engineers will prepare the necessary detailed plans and specifications for construction purposes of the other sections of the canal, and these will be submitted to the various intending contractors for estimates and bids. The successful bidders will, upon the award of the contracts, secure such machinery as will be necessary to carry out the work, and the gigantic enterprise will be pushed as rapidly as possible to its completion.

Purification of all water and unrelenting war against mosquitoes are the two great things in the plan of sanitation of the Panama Canal route. Col. W. C. Gorgas, U. S. A., will submit to the canal commission a report upon this vital matter. It contains also the ideas of Major Le Garde, Capt. H. E. Gillette and Surgeon J. W. Ross, U. S. A.

Establishment of a gigantic system of waterworks to supply all camps along the canal route is recommended by Col. Gorgas. He is preparing to construct a huge reservoir fed by the Chagres River. Col. Gorgas is in favor of establishing a line of wholesale depots, to be divided into 17 sanitary camps, in each of which will be stationed two or more sanitary experts whose duty it will be to see that the laws of sanitation are rigidly enforced. The extermination of mosquitoes will be urged upon all natives of the Isthmus of Panama.

G. T. P. BILL PASSES COMMITTEE STAGE

Measure Taken Up As a Whole
—Several Amendments
Offered.

Ottawa, May 5.—The G. T. P. measure was today put through committee and taken up as a whole. Messrs. Northrup, Clancy, Ouellet and Kemp criticised the modifications of the contract, but did not spring anything very new or original. Their speeches were along the line of wholesale denunciation of the scheme, that is the Opposition policy.

Mr. R. L. Borden criticised the clause which provides that after the expiration of 30 years the company shall have full rights over the line of the Grand Trunk. He asked, was it not also provided that the Government's railway should have full rights over the Grand Trunk line west of Winnipeg?

Mr. Fitzpatrick showed that under the provisions of the bill the G. T. R. or any company could be compelled to grant running rights to a Government road.

Returning to the discussion of clause 10, Mr. Barker said the clause he drafted so as to make it clear and explicit beyond peradventure that if at the end of 30 years the Government undertook to run the eastern division, it should have privilege rights over the western division remaining in the hands of the G. T. P.

After some further discussion the clause carried, and the remaining clauses of the bill were put through. When the measure came up as a whole, the Opposition offered several amendments, the most important of which was that the title to the rolling stock upon which the Government is to have a mortgage be transferred to the company.

The Minister of Justice promised to take the suggested amendment into consideration. Mr. Morin offered an amendment in regard to the title of the bill. For some distance east of that place it is reported that Cordell was visited by a tornado and that much property was destroyed, but wires cannot yet be verified. No loss of life has been reported.

Kansas City, May 5. — A thousand people have been driven from their homes in Rosedale and Kansas City by the overflow of Turkey Creek, due to a severe rainstorm today. John Downey, a laborer, was killed by lightning at the oil refinery in the east bottom. The city hall, the Savoy Hotel and other buildings were struck by lightning, but none were seriously damaged.

IN THE ITALIAN HOUSE

Deputies Wax Hot Over President
Loubet's Recent Visit.

Rome, May 6. — There was a lively scene in the Chamber of Deputies yesterday when Deputy Mirabelli, Republican, proposed that greetings should be sent to President Loubet in the name of the Italian democracy. The president of the chamber, interrupting, said: "A greeting should be sent to France in the name of the Italian Parliament." Deputy Santini, cried "Remember Mentana," alluding to where the French defeated Garibaldi, Nov. 3, 1867, and maintain the temporal power of the Pope. Signor Mirabelli retorted: "I listened to your panegyric after the German Emperor's visit, and now you deny history. You knelt before the French Empire and now kneel before the republic." Amid violent protests the president closed the incident.

A little Sunlight Soap will clean cut glass and other articles until they shine and sparkle. Sunlight Soap will wash other things than clothes.

he would offer, instead of Mr. Morin's, an amendment providing that the work on construction be commenced simultaneously at Moncton, Quebec and Winnipeg, and proceed west to completion or nearly simultaneously as possible. Mr. Ingram wants an amendment to prevent the road charging up cost of rolling stock in expenditure. Another amendment proposed by Mr. Borden requires that freight trains, when destined for ports in Canada, be carried entirely on Canadian territory, or between Canadian inland ports, and that the rate thereon shall not be greater than that charged by any route which includes any part of the G. T. system. The conference then rose and reported progress, and the house rose at 10:45 p.m.

WOMAN'S F. M. SOCIETY

Convention at Toronto Concluded—
Peterboro Next Year.

Toronto, May 6. — The Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church concluded its twenty-third annual meeting yesterday afternoon. Officers for the next year were chosen, and a number of important proposals dealt with. The motion picture of the number of delegates from the branches to the annual meeting was rejected, the feeling being that the and from the branches of such a large body of workers was an incentive to much good work. It was decided to appoint a field secretary, whose labors will be chiefly to the Canadian West, and the appointment was left in the hands of the members of the board of management. Peterboro was selected for the next annual meeting. The following were appointed delegates to the Pan- Presbyterian Alliance at Liverpool, Eng., next month: Miss J. F. Caven, Toronto; Mrs. Grant, Orillia; and Miss Hay, Ottawa. The election of officers resulted as follows: President, Mrs. Shortreed; vice-presidents, Mrs. Macfarlane, Mrs. G. H. Robinson, Mrs. Telfer, Mrs. MacMurphy; corresponding secretary, Miss Martin; home secretary, Mrs. Macfarlane; international conference secretary, Miss Thurnley; secretary of Indian and Chinese missions in the Northwest and British Columbia, Mrs. J. J. Bell; secretary and treasurer, Miss George; editor of Tidings, Mrs. McMillan.

FELL INTO BOILING METAL.

Chicago, Ill., May 6. — Making a misstep while walking on the edge of a vast cauldron of boiling metal, Hainey Anderson, an employee of the Illinois Steel Company, at South Chicago, clung for life to the edge of the cauldron while his feet burned off. Then, his strength failing, he slipped with a shriek into the seething mass below. In a few moments his body was literally consumed. One of his fellow workmen, fainting with horror at the spectacle.

WINE IN THE GUTTER.

Zurich, Ont., May 6. — While John Larmer was delivering a wagonload of port wine from his home at Zurich, being about half-way, stopped to water his horses. While rearing up, the horses dashed the wagon away. Main street, the wagon struck a telegraph pole with such force that the large hogsheads were hurled into the air, and the wine was spilled in the finest imported wine soaked the streets. In trying to stop the team, Mr. Larmer narrowly escaped being crushed to death by one of the flying barrels.

CRUSHED TO DEATH.

Carleton Place, Ont., May 6. — A sudden call came to William Hall, late of Carleton Place, Ont., on May 5, 1903, when he was driving a traction engine then hauling a large boat, to the C. P. R. siding. The engine projected at both ends of the truck. Owing to some soft ground the engine threatened to stop. He backed his engine a little to have a better grip, and then, to the desired effect. He backed a second time and was caught between the two ends of the truck. His body was cut nearly in two and badly scalded with escaping steam. There was difficulty in extricating him. He died about two hours after being caught. Mr. Hall leaves a widow and five small children.

ADJUSTING THE LOSSES.

Toronto, May 6. — One of the largest insurance losses in the great fire to be adjusted yet is that of the Merchants' Dyeing and Finishing Company, on which the sub-committee made its report to the general committee of adjustment. The adjusters found a total loss, so that the whole amount of the insurance, which amounts to \$270,000 on the front street warehouse, will be paid. There were in addition to this two smaller insurance payments of one of \$10,000 on the factory and another of \$3,500 of the storehouse. Other losses adjusted were the Continental Costume Company, Hendrie & Co., and C. H. Smith.

DEBS IS PRESIDENT.

Chicago, May 6. — The National Socialist convention yesterday nominated Eugene V. Debs for president, and Benjamin Hanford, of New York, for vice-president. There was no opposition. After condemning the policies of the Democratic and Republican parties, the platform appeals for support as the only organization that is democratic, and that has for its purpose the conversion of all society to the principles of true democracy. The question of inserting a plank in the platform favoring labor unions, which caused several heated discussions during the convention, was adopted by a vote of 167 to 53.

ST. JOHN'S FOREIGN TRADE.

St. John, N. B., May 6. — The winter shipping business from St. John to Great Britain, Antwerp and South Africa, was very successful. There were 96 sailings, and the steamers took away Canadian goods to the value of \$10,135,813, and foreign goods to the value of \$5,722,376, or a total of \$15,858,189. This is an increase of \$2,733,711 over the value of the goods shipped last season. Four steamers sailed for South Africa.

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Kingston, Ont., May 6. — Yesterday the priests of the Archdiocese of Kingston presented Archbishop Gauthier with \$1,000, with which to purchase a team of carriage horses. His grace greatly appreciated the gift.

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BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS.

DIED.
CAMERON.—At Annan, Ont. of periton-
itis, after short illness, Maud Beatrice,
beloved wife of Allan D. Cameron, 186
St. George street, London, Ont., on
Sunday forenoon.

RICKARD.—On May 6, 1904, Winifred
Margaret, only daughter of Nicholas
and Margaret Rickard, aged 4 years and
9 months.

Funeral (private) this afternoon.
SHERLOCK.—At Victoria Hospital, on
May 3, 1904, Annie Lauretta, only
daughter of William and Annie Sher-
lock, 30 Grey street, aged 5 years and
2 months.

Funeral private, on May 4.
A little form so dear is gone;
A voice we loved is stilled.
A place is vacant in our home
Which never can be filled.

YOUHILL.—In Winnipeg, on Thursday,
May 5, 1904, Jennie Wyatt Youhill, be-
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Lynch Stanton, K.C., Hon. C. S.
Hymen, Sir John Sparling, Senator
Coffey, Lieut.-Col. Peter Henry Canon
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BOARD OF TRADE—THE ANNUAL
general meeting of London Board of
Trade will be held on Friday, May 6,
at 8 p.m., to receive reports, election of
officers and general business. Increase
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BLACK HORSES
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British Officer Fails to Secure Animals for the King's Household Guards.

Col. Lawley, of the British army, and Major Moore, of the British veterinary department, are in the city looking for suitable horses for the three regiments of King Edward's Household Cavalry. Col. Lawley said yesterday that although he had been all over America from New Orleans to Lake Superior, and from the Atlantic to the Pacific, he had not as yet made a single purchase. The class of horses the colonel is looking for are cool-blooded geldings or mares, about 15.2 or 16 hands, and weighing about 1,150 pounds. They must be breezy and well set up, with a good appearance. These are, of course, very scarce, and it appears that money cannot buy them. Col. Lawley says, however, that Canada has a very poor class of horses, especially Eastern Canada. In Ontario, he says, the farmers never breed a type of horse, and as a result hackneys, coach horses, trotters and so on are mixed with draft and general purpose horses. Thus Ontario is full of animals which are neither useful nor dressy, and they do not bring the breeder the money horses should these days.

Though the saddle horses he saw in the United States are somewhat better than those shown in Eastern Canada, the colonel says they are spoiled by a strain of harness blood in them. In the Canadian West he saw several animals, however, and he thinks that if the western breeders progress on their present lines, they will be able to supply the army with the finest saddle horses in the world. To his way of thinking, it does not hurt a saddle horse to have a strain of the western horse in him. In fact, he says, it makes the horse tough and wiry, and with a bit of freedom about him, makes him an ideal cavalry horse.

The object of Col. Lawley's visit is to furnish the British Government with information as to where good cavalry horses can be obtained. In the future, as well as now, but, of course, he is ready to pick up at present all first-class black horses suited to the purposes of the Household Cavalry.

The colonel remarked, however, that the Government thought \$40 (\$200) for a horse laid down in London, England, was a fair figure, but as a matter of fact his experience had been that a really first-class animal could not be purchased for less than \$200, which means about \$240 when shipped to England.

In London he viewed only three horses, none of them being suitable. He left for London last night, and will go to Glasgow.

Col. Lawley commanded the Seventh Hussars in the Boer war.

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LONDON AND DISTRICT

—Miss McLean, of this city, is visiting at her home in Kincardine.

—Miss Aggie Milligan, of this city, is visiting Miss Dods at Aylmer.

—Mr. Daniel Kohler, of Kingsmill, has taken up his residence in this city.

—Arthur Brown, of this city, is spending a vacation at his former home in Kingsmill.

—The Bishop of Huron will hold confirmation in Gorrie on Sunday, Clinton Monday, and in Exeter on Tuesday.

—Miss Annie Adcock, daughter of Mr. Richard Adcock, of this city, was married to Mr. Ernest L. Richardson, of Calgary, a few days ago.

—Mr. Peter McCallum, of Glencoe, was banqueted at the town hall there recently, and presented with a gold locket and chain on the occasion of his leaving for London.

—Mr. J. B. Little, of Glencoe, has taken possession of the London Hotel and Cap Company, whose business he purchased, and will move his family here in a short time.

—The Women's Christian Association met yesterday and received reports that were encouraging. At the Infants' Home, the Aged People's Home and the Home for Incurables, some good work had been done.

—No. 2 committee of the board of education met last night and decided to make the full grant for the improvement of the grounds of Princess avenue, Talbot street and Colborne street schools. Those present were Messrs. Fitzgerald, Blackwell, Birtwistle, Dr. English, MacRobert, Principal Radcliffe and Architect Matthews. The regular accounts were read and passed.

—Miss Mary Houghton, who for some time past has been visiting in Ingersoll,

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THE COMPANY LOSSES.
The defendants in the case of Griffiths vs. London Street Railway appealed against a judgment given against them at the assizes here. The court dismissed the appeal yesterday at Toronto.

LATE NAVIGATION.
C. P. R. officials expect that the boats of the company on the upper lakes will commence running about the 10th of the month. This is about two weeks later than usual.

GEACH-MACVOY.
On Wednesday a quiet but pretty wedding was solemnized at All Saints' Church, Windsor, when Miss Frances, eldest daughter of Charles Macvoy, of this city, was united in marriage to C. H. Geach, of London. The bride was given away by her father, while the ceremony was performed by Rev. P. A. Chabwick. Afterwards an enjoyable evening was spent at the home of the bride's parents, 56 Chatham street. Mr. and Mrs. Geach will reside in this city.

ABOUT CANNED GOODS.
The following report from a report of the provincial board of health, presented at a meeting held in Toronto on Wednesday is of interest to the housewives of London. Speaking of his examinations of various canned fruits, vegetables and jams, Dr. Amyot said some contained poisonous materials in harmful quantities. Jam, he said, consisted very largely of apples and turnip pulp, with just sufficient fruit to give it appearance.

TILSONBURG WOMAN IN THIS.
S. P. Judd, hackman of Hamilton, is up against a breach of promise suit. The plaintiff in the action is Mrs. Clara Wall, a dashing young woman who formerly resided in Hamilton, but is now making her home in Tilsonburg. On her behalf, W. B. Brown, barrister, of Tilsonburg, has written a writ against Judd claiming \$2,000 damages for breach of promise of marriage. The defendant does not take the widow's action seriously. He thinks she heard about him receiving a small fortune a short time ago, and is anxious to get a slice of it.

W. M. C. OFFICERS.
The Women's Mission Club held their annual meeting in the Masonic Temple yesterday afternoon. Reports were most satisfactory and officers were elected as follows: President, Miss Graydon; first vice-president, Mrs. R. M. Burns; second vice-president, Mrs. E. B. Smith; third vice-president, Miss Baldwin; fourth vice-president, Mrs. Walker; secretary, Miss Hodge; assistant secretary, Miss May Fowler; treasurer, Mrs. Minnie A. Little; assistant treasurer, Miss Boomer; librarian, Miss Harkness.

HICKS NOT IN IT.
Rev. Irl Hicks, in his weather prophecies for the first week of May, was away out, at least as regards this section of the country. The sage said: "The first week (in May) will bring many active, if not dangerous storms. The Vulcan and Mercury will be in a danger period. The Vulcan and Mercury periods are central together on the 2nd and the Venus period is central on the 4th. About the 1st to 3rd look for change to very warm, starting in the west and spreading eastward. The barometer will fall to very low reading and from about the 2nd to the 6th violent storms will pass eastward. The barometer will rise again. This is a time when tornadoes are very probable."

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"I understand it is proposed to have a boulevard constructed in the center of Wellington street, and my opinion has been asked by you as to the power of the council to construct such a work. I am of the opinion the council has no power to construct a boulevard, or to permit one to be constructed."

The opinion was received and filed, and the city engineer was instructed to go ahead and put the pavement down in the ordinary way, without a boulevard.

Regarding the claim of Mrs. Leslie, of West London, for damages to her property, the engineer was instructed to have the rubbish which was washed on to her premises during the flood removed at the city's expense, if Mrs. Leslie is willing.

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Pretty Story of Exercises Now
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The Catholic Register gives the following pretty story of the origin of the May devotions, which are now being observed in the Catholic Churches of the universe:

"The origin of the beautiful devotion of the month of May seems to be somewhat obscure. Even here within the narrow limits of our city area we have two different origins quoted in a little book, entitled 'Month of Mary,' just now being somewhat largely circulated. We find the beginning of this great and ever-spread devotion accounted for in the following manner: In the city of Rome at the end of the eighteenth century a 'child of the community' gathered his little companions around him on one beautiful evening in May and guided them to a church in which stood a statue of the Blessed Virgin a lamp was kept constantly burning; here the little party said prayers and sang hymns in honor of the Blessed Mother and on each evening throughout the month they continued their pious work. The acts of the little ones attracted the mothers of the vicinity and in a short time others were drawn to join the little band until in a short time the exercise spread throughout the whole of the city of Rome, communicating itself to France and eventually to the entire Christian world until at present the numbers who take advantage of the month of May to show special honor to the Mother of God are counted by the millions.

"The second origin as given by Rev. Father Skuhle in his sermon on Sunday, the 1st of May, was slightly different. It was to the effect that the religious and infidelity consequent upon the French revolution were felt not in France alone, but in all parts of the Christian world and that in Italy especially it caused great sorrow in the hearts of those still devoted to the cause of Christ. His Blessed Mother, amongst those so affected was a good and holy priest, who, seeking a way to counteract the evil, thought of asking the aid of Mary Immaculate and for this purpose he collected a few kindred spirits and they together during the month of May sang the praises of Mary and invoked her intercession to stem the tide of infidelity that then threatened to spread itself over the whole of Europe. The month of May was chosen because the prodigality of nature at this time seemed to suggest to the volupulous worldling a prelude to the riotous rioting even in excess of that of any other time of the year. This exercise, as so inaugurated, was sanctioned by the church and has since been followed by the children in all lands and climes until today it is one of the best-known customs and institutions of the church.

"The first origin—that of the boy and his little playmates—is pretty and possible, but not as probable as that of Father Skuhle; however, in the absence of proof, choice is given in the matter of selection. There seems to be no doubt, but that the devotion took its rise in the city of Rome, the heart of the Christian world, and further, that no more effective means could have been thought of to stay the onslaught of infidelity."

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Boulevard Will Not Grace
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City Has Not Power to Grant
Request of the Wellington
Street Residents.

According to the opinion of City Solicitor Meredith, which was presented to the board of works last night, the city has no power to allow a boulevard to be laid out in the middle of Wellington street, from Dundas to York.

"I understand it is proposed to have a boulevard constructed in the center of Wellington street, and my opinion has been asked by you as to the power of the council to construct such a work. I am of the opinion the council has no power to construct a boulevard, or to permit one to be constructed."

The opinion was received and filed, and the city engineer was instructed to go ahead and put the pavement down in the ordinary way, without a boulevard.

Regarding the claim of Mrs. Leslie, of West London, for damages to her property, the engineer was instructed to have the rubbish which was washed on to her premises during the flood removed at the city's expense, if Mrs. Leslie is willing.

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