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ARMENIANS ARE BEING MASSACRED AT MERZURA

Populace Enraged by the Murder of Moslem—Apply to Consuls for Help—New Turkish Administration Makes Appointment

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 15.—A massacre of Armenians is in progress today at Merzura, a seaport of Asia Minor on the Mediterranean. Enraged at the murder of two Moslems by an Armenian and the fact that the assassin was not apprehended, the Mohammedan population of Merzura, which counts a total of 10,000 inhabitants, took the law into its own hands and attacked the mission quarters.

CASTRO'S MOVEMENTS ARE STILL UNCERTAIN

Will Not be Allowed to Land at Colon for Fear He Might Escape to Venezuela. COLON, April 15.—Ex-President Castro's wife and sister and other members of the party have arrived here on the steamer Guadeloupe.

GRAFT CHARGED IN MEDICAL WORLD

How German Specialists Secured Patients—Bribed Hotel Porters. BERLIN, April 14.—The medical world of Germany is excited over charges of graft in its most important quarter—the famous Berlin specialist fraternity.

LATEST NEWS OF THE PRIZE RING

MEMPHIS, Tenn., April 15.—Freddy Carroll, of the Phoenix Club, has matched featherweights Danny Goodman and Julius Stein for ten rounds April 18 at Joe Chynoweth's rink.

A RECORD GAME EARLY IN THE SEASON

CHICAGO, April 15.—Orville Page, the Maroon pitcher, set an early season record yesterday at Marshall Field by twirling a no hit, no run game, against DePaul University team and incidentally winning the contest four to nothing. Page struck out 11 men.

DEFENCE AGAINST AERIAL WARSHIPS

Search Being Made for an Effective Weapon—Smaller Machines Will Rise Above the Larger Ones and Destroy With Impunity.

LONDON, April 12.—A problem at present exercising the minds of military and naval experts is that of finding an effective weapon of defence against aerial warships. In Germany the problem has been under consideration for many months and despatches have already described the new howitzer invented by Messrs. Krupp solely for use against an aerial foe.

SACKVILLE STUDENTS WIN VALUABLE SCHOLARSHIPS

At Harvard University—All Three in Mathematical Department—Wedding of Popular Couple. SACKVILLE, N. B., April 15.—To win three valuable scholarships in the mathematical department of Harvard University in one year is the record of three Allisonians, according to word received from Cambridge.

AUTOMOBILE OWNERS WILL MAKE A STRONG PROTEST

Against Proposed Legislation Excluding Their Cars from the Public Highways on Market Days. Local automobile owners do not feel kindly toward the enactment of the bill to prevent the running of the machines on market days.

LAST OF CONFEDERATE GENERALS IS DEAD

COLUMBIA, S. C., April 15.—General Matthew C. Butler, of Edsallfield, former U. S. Senator and one of the last of the confederate cavalry generals, died here last night at a local infirmary, aged 72. His death was a complication of diseases induced by an old wound.

THIRTY TWO KILLED IN RIOT IN MEXICAN MINING TOWN

UNKNOWN MAN WAS KILLED BY I.C.R. TRAIN Horribly Mangled Body Found by Trainmen

MONTEZUMA, N. B., April 15.—The body of an unknown man was found this morning about 6.30 by the train crew of freight train No. 24, bound for Truro, between Paines Junction and Calhoun's Mills. The man had evidently been struck by the early morning express. The body was badly mangled, and was in a horrible condition, the head being cut considerably, while other parts of the body showed he had been killed instantly.

GOTCH ALTOGETHER OUTCLASSED MAHMOUD

Later Admits Opponent's Superiority—Dispute Among Sports Ends in Murder. CHICAGO, April 15.—Commenting on his easy overthrow of Yusuf Mahmoud, the highly heeled Turkish fighter, at last night's contest for the championship, Frank Gotch says: "I had him beaten when I laid my hands on him, he is a strong fellow, but I am stronger and know more about wrestling than he does. I have made no plans for the future."

PASSENGERS STRUGGLED THROUGH IMMENSE DRIFTS

From Snow Bound Train—Seven Preferred to Await Relief Train. DENVER, Colo., April 15.—All but seven of the seventy-five passengers on the snowbound Denver North-western and Pacific train which has been stalled for several days at Corona, the point at which the road crosses the Continental Divide, have been safely landed at Sulphur Springs after they had walked two miles through huge drifts to a relief train which had penetrated the banks of snow at that point.

FELL ON BUZZ SAW; MAY LOSE HIS ARM

SUSSEX, N. B., April 14.—Horatio Arnold, one of the best known and most prosperous farmers hereabouts, was very badly injured this afternoon at his home. He was working with a circular saw, cutting wood, when he slipped and fell on the rapidly revolving saw. One arm was terribly lacerated from the wrist to the shoulder. Arteries, cords and bones were severed and the victim bled profusely. Dr. Burnett dressed the wound and hoped to save the arm. Mr. Arnold is very weak after his frightful experience.

THE BANK OF ENGLAND

LONDON, Apr 15.—The weekly statement of the Bank of England shows the following changes:—Total reserve increase £21,000; circulation decreased £312,000; bullion decreased £491,500; other securities decreased £1,718,000; other deposits decreased £1,715,000; public deposits decreased £3,000; notes reserve increased £5,000; Government securities unchanged.

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FOR SALE—Invalid's chair. Apply 285 Gormain St.

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ROOMS AND BOARDING—Two nice sunny rooms, furnished or unfurnished. Apply 130 Elliott Row, left hand b'ldg.

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IN THE RACE FOR BUSINESS. The gentleman on the tortoise represents the man who tries to do business as it was done in the days of the tallow candle.

SITUATIONS VACANT—FEMALE

- WANTED—Kitchen girl, 45 Elliott Row. 15-4-6. WANTED—Kitchen girl. Apply Grand Union Hotel. 14-4-6.

LOST AND FOUND

- LOST—Between Main Street and Carleton via Douglas Avenue, a green soft felt hat. Finder please leave at Star Office. 4-14-11.

MOVING

REMOVAL NOTICE. Miss M. Campbell, Milliner, will remove from Gormain St. to corner Union and Sydney Sts., 1st of May. 1-4-10.

STAR WANT ADS. BRING RESULTS

The General

By REM A. JOHNSTON.

(Continued.) Yet, as he read a wave of indignation and scorn tingled hotly through him. This, then, explained it all. This was why teacher had the white, sick look. Her "witty" who was the superintendent, was "a turn" of her down—in words of many scintillating whose entire meaning was hazy to the General because they had dropped out of the dictionary just as Constantinople had lost itself of the map.

Then he turned the paper over and put his private mark (which was an outline head with an ugly leer on the lips) on it to show that he had read and did not voice the sentiment. It was the superintendent who first heard the howling of the mob and the rattle of galloping horses, racing under the lash; it was the superintendent, too, running as if death were at his heels who saw the black vomit of smoke from the basement below Rooms One and two at the front of the building; and it was the superintendent, dizzy with fear for the hundreds of

AMUSEMENTS.

ORCHESTRA AT "STAR" AGAIN TONIGHT

Over in North End the people are being treated to a regular New York show in the cosy and clean Star Theatre. Last evening the crowds were taken for a jaunt in the Land of the Hindu, those brown subjects of King Edward whom the British Columbia people are trying to keep out of Canada.

It was a big thing and Jimmy ran back to the platform soberly. Teacher had not come. Taskoville flashed into his mind like a red streak. At Taskoville teacher never came, for her body was a charred mass in the corridor where she had run to save a boy from his head.

"You kids listen," he commanded. "The 'General' has a special 'March' for you. Right face! March!" In a moment they were circling the room to the steady rhythm of the song and the realistic effects introduced strong. Around and around they went, shouting the refrain, each file taking its place in the line in order. Louder and louder swelled the chorus, until even the agonized people below, fighting the faint martial music and looking into the teeth of the fire to see the little heads and shoulders bobbing past the windows.

"The 'lamb'!" cried a woman with a look in her throat. "The 'lamb'!" And she screamed with fire mania, which is the worst hysteria in the world. It was indeed a sight to drive the spectators mad. Pity and despair swept the gathered hundreds.

There were little puffs of the same choky smoke in the room now, and the General, marching obediently to the command of The General, were strangely nervous. The firemen must not be impeded in their work.

SCRAPPS. If we sit down at set of sun, And count the things that we have done, And counting find One self-doubting act, one word That eased the heart of him that heard.

THE BLUE SKY. The blue sky which reveals itself as the hemispherical vault of the firmament in the absence of clouds in the observer some part of the solar illumination which they receive. The light thus returned to the eye is "blue" simply because the particles of the air are of such exceedingly diminutive size that they can effectively deal with only the smallest of the luminous vibrations—that is with the "blue" rays in the blue of the sky, but they are in such trifling quantity that the blue swallows them up.

CANADIAN PACIFIC HOMESEKERS' EXCURSIONS

Table with columns for dates (April 7 and 21, May 5 and 19, June 2, 16 & 30, July 14 and 28, Aug. 11 and 25, Sept. 8 and 22) and destinations (St. John, N. B., Winnipeg, Brandon, Regina, Edmonton, Regina, Edmonton).

INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY

Table with columns for train names (No. 4—Mixed for Moncton, No. 3—Express for Halifax, etc.) and destinations (Moncton, Halifax, St. John, etc.).

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To Elizabeth Frances Smith, wife of James D. Smith, of the City of Saint John, in the City and County of Saint John, in the Province of New Brunswick, carpenter, and the said James D. Smith, of the City of Saint John, in the City and County of Saint John, in the Province of New Brunswick, carpenter, and to all other persons whom it doth, shall or may concern.

Helped Some.—Mrs. Gillet: So there is a tablet in your transport to her memory. Did she do anything to bring people into the church? Mrs. Perry: Well, I guess! She wore a new hat every Sunday for three years.

The King Dental Parlors

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CRIME IN CANADA. The steady and disquieting increase in crime in Canada as shown by an examination of the criminal statistics for 1907-08, recently published, should create not only a feeling of astonishment among Canadians but should also cause them to become a bit thoughtful over our national tendencies and the causes which make for a lower standard of citizenship.

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"Arise! Arise! My children of the sea! Loosen your bondage to the ties that hold you, Break from the deep-arms, and come to me!" They come in hosts, the sea's bright-eyed medusae, Shy and young souled, by pulsing movements seek Up from long arms and tentacles that hold them Among strange shapes upon the ocean's bed.

High o'er the surface of the air's deep ocean, The Voice calls to us: "Ye who blindly seek Life which is light—come upward, O my children! Leave the earth bottom, where the highest peak"

"Pierces in vain the immeasurable waters, And never lagged from the wave breaks forth: Dim shapes you move among, my sons and daughters, Come up to me and know the true life's worth."

"Ye who have eyes, the time has come for seeing! Ye who have ears, the time has come for hearing! Come from blind depths and know the full of being, The rounded orb, the music of the spheres!"

Up from the deep, advancing and receding, By heart's diapason and seeking— The Light that calls our waking— Instinct leading— Do we go forth, we children of the Sea!

Now comes the time the hero of the diamond Steps in the limelight for a season's span, While eager scribes depict the daily battles In veridical strange unto the ear of man:

How Hui smote the ball with force terrific, How Hal speared wild ones with a wizard's speed, How Maitry, he of curves the most profane, Fooled every bitter, so he does, in vain, But 'mid the crowds who watch our sport From early spring until the russet fall Are countless girls; and they the fawn-bowdler, Who asks: Have they got any curves at all?

TRAGEDY OF DRESS Young Bride's Head Turned by Easter Clothes Parade Disatisfied, She Quarrelled With Her Husband, Drank Carbollic Acid and Died.

NEW YORK, April 14.—Mrs. Anna Boehm, a bride of four months, and her young husband, John Boehm, who had been her sweetheart since she had been a child, had their first disagreement last night, and this morning she stole from his side while he was sleeping and drank some carbollic acid.

"John," she said, as she sipped her husband, "I have done it." "You have done what?" asked Boehm, sleepily. "I have done things you won't quarrel with me again," and she finished speaking she fell unconscious.

Following the marriage of the young couple, they secured a flat at No. 1025 Pacific street, Brooklyn. Boehm was ambitious, and he worked hard, and they were very happy until last night, when they had a disagreement about a day's outing.

The bride and bridegroom, in their wedding finery, came over to New York. They saw the fine persons in their finery parading on Fifth avenue. Then they journeyed back to Brooklyn, and Boehm suggested that they go to Canarsie for dinner.

Mrs. Boehm wasn't quite satisfied with her clothes when she compared her outfit to the dress of some women who had seen. She was disappointed. The young couple returned to their inexpensive flat about 10 o'clock last night. The disagreement began to take form quickly. It grew into a quarrel, and Boehm left his bride in anger and went to bed.

Mrs. Boehm then set about taking her life, after she had arranged her room and had changed into the dress she was so proud until she saw the Easter parade. The funeral will be held tomorrow.

NEW ROAD TO PACIFIC NEARING COMPLETION Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Issues No Bonds for 1400-Mile Line

The Trackage and Equipment of Heavy Standard—Pennsylvania Co. Shared in Work. (Philadelphia North American.) With a total expenditure less than the Pennsylvania Railroad will have made on its New York passenger tunnel-terminus by the time it shall be completed, the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railway has constructed a new through line to the Pacific coast.

This new railway, extending from the eastern side of the Missouri river, at Moberly, S. D., across five states to Seattle, is a distance of 1,400 miles. Over this ninth railroad route to the Pacific coast through trains will be in regular operation about June 1. The last rail was laid on March 29, and while this act was performed without demonstration of any kind, it none the less marked the consummation of another of those great material accomplishments which have dotted the history of the United States.

Building of this Pacific coast extension of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railway was prompted by a conviction that the section of the northwest which it traverses was insufficiently provided with transportation facilities, and that, therefore, construction of the line would not only result in profitable railroad trade, but also in adding largely to the earnings of the old railway system behind it.

Not a bond was issued to raise funds for the line. The Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railway constitutes the largest piece of railroad construction ever undertaken at one time in the history of the United States. This fact illustrates what engineering means and ready money.

On September 29, 1906, they authorized an increase of \$100,000,000 in capital stock of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railway Company. Then, in December of that year, \$99,000,000 of bonds were being offered and one-third preferred, was allotted to the old shareholders at par, to be paid for in installments, the last of which was paid March 1 last. This was the necessary money provided as the course of empire has been westward, the Pacific coast extension.

Experience of the older transcontinental lines ruled in construction of the Pacific coast extension of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railway. Strange as it might seem, since the course of empire has been westward, the weight of traffic on the transcontinental railroads has run predominantly eastward. And so the new line was built, no reasonable expense being spared to provide minimum easements. The track is sixty-four feet above low water, and for one pier it was necessary to go down 64 feet below the water level to get a firm foundation. Another great bridge on the line is that across the Columbia river, which is 2,900 feet long and contains 4,550 tons of steel.

THE TOLL OF THE WILD Prospectors Starve to Death In Northern B. C.

Set Out With Insufficient Supplies, Stole What They Could and Finally Lay Down on the Trail to Die. VANCOUVER, April 14.—Forecast to rob caches in order to sustain life, and only departed at the point of a gun from placing them in the same plight as themselves, the two prospectors, Charles Baker and J. McCurdy, whose frozen bodies were discovered on Feb. 24, near the headwaters of the Goat River, 66 miles from Barkerville, were the principals in a tragedy of the trail in the north.

Information of the death of the two prospectors was conveyed to the Provincial Police Department by Reginald Randall, Provincial constable at Barkerville, whose letter on Feb. 23 to Superintendent Hussey was reported at the time. In the first communication Constable Randall stated that on December 29 a party of four prospectors, Charles Baker, James McCurdy, William Spittal and Sam Henderson, left Barkerville, bound for Tete Jaune Cache, on the south fork of the Fraser River. The men had an inadequate supply of provisions, but expressed themselves confident that they would themselves be able to make their objective point.

From the time the four left Barkerville until February 24 nothing further was heard of them. On that date three dog teamsters, John Goldie, Frank Allen and Russell Peden, came into Barkerville with the news that the frozen bodies of Baker and McCurdy had been discovered by them near the headwaters of the Goat River. The teamsters, who were returning to Barkerville after freighting supplies, ran across the bodies lying on the trail. The three teamsters were about to turn back, but were persuaded by the dog teamsters to go on. Accordingly, Peden was sworn in as a special constable, and immediately set out with the dog teamsters to find the bodies. He was also instructed to endeavor to find some trace of the bodies of Baker and McCurdy.

Peden, acting under these instructions, went to the spot where the bodies were found, and made a report which has now reached Superintendent Hussey. Peden's report indicates that the bodies were found to be in an emaciated condition. The feet had evidently been frozen. The bodies were found in a state of starvation and exposure. He buried the bodies near the mouth of the Goat River, a tributary of the Fraser River. He also reported that the bodies were found in a state of starvation and exposure. He buried the bodies near the mouth of the Goat River, a tributary of the Fraser River.

While it is local traffic that the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railway management largely counts upon to make the Pacific coast extension pay, arrangements have been perfected for handling Oriental trade. This will be done in conjunction with a direct steamship service to Japan and China, to be performed by the Osaka Shosen Kaisha, the Japanese steamship company.

Store open till 9 p. m. Thursday, April 15, 1909. Gentlemen, Are Your Feet Comfortable? A man spends his life with his feet in his boots. Then he should see to it he is properly booted. THE GOLD BOND SHOE is made the shape of your foot. Because it is made on lasts that are fashioned after all normal feet, you do not have to break them in, because you are properly fitted at the start. PRICES \$4.00, 4.50 and \$5.00. They are made the style that just suits you. Do not be contented with your shoes. Let us fit you and you will be pleased. PERCY J. STEEL, FOOT FURNISHER, 519-521 Main St. SUCCESSOR TO W. L. YOUNG.

HAVE JOLLY GOOD TIME AT WHITE'S

Last night the members of the Virginian Athletic Club and their friends held their second annual dinner at White's restaurant, followed by a most enjoyable smoking concert. Lieut. E. R. A. Thomson, F.N.R., occupied the chair, supported by the officers of the club. During the interval the chairman made the following remarks: Ladies and Gentlemen—I feel greatly honored in acting as your chairman this evening, and I trust you have enjoyed this entertainment as well as I have.

The Virginian Athletic Club is now twelve months old, having held its first dinner just a year ago on these premises. May it live to enjoy many more annual dinners. During the past year I have watched with interest the many branches of sports you are interested in, and I can congratulate you all on the splendid result you attained and your very successful management. In a ship like the Virginian, where the wishes of Capt. Vignard and all the officers in the ship, there is one item I regret to state. It is that Doctor Trumbull is soon to leave us to settle down in Ireland, but will probably rejoin us about August next, when the close season for shooting game and landings in Ireland will be over. During the evening the following excellent programme was gone through:

PART I. Song, "The Veteran" . . . W. Potts Song, Selected . . . D. Brooke Song, Selected . . . J. Lansdowne Character song, Selected . . . T. Wright Song, Selected . . . E. Woods. PART II. Song, Selected . . . T. Hardcastle Song, Selected . . . Messrs. Douglas and Wynne Song, Selected . . . T. Wright Song, Selected . . . D. Brooke God Save the King. Accompanist, D. Brooke, F.R.C.O. The following toasts were given: The King, by Mr. Thomson; The Allan Line, by Mr. Taylor; Captain and Officers, by Mr. Theatle; Ladies, by Mr. Taylor; The Press, by Mr. Taylor. Replies were made by Mr. Hutcheon, Mr. Warrilow and Jos. Murphy of the St. John Sun.

WANT A JUVENILE COURT FOR ST. JOHN. The directors of the Industrial Home met yesterday afternoon when it was decided to ask the local legislature to make operative within the Dominion act providing for the more humane treatment of juvenile transgressors. The matter of the recent escape from the institution was also taken up, and a committee appointed to devise some means of reaching through the courts those who have harbored the youngsters in their dashes for freedom. It was also decided that all the boys in the institution should be photographed in future.

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YOUR EYES! If your eyes are troubling you, have them examined by D. BOYANER. He is an expert optician and devotes his time to optics only. Call at 38 Dock. THE BANK CHECK. A Frenchman quoted in a Paris letter of the London Globe tells of the origin of the present day bank check. It is well known, he says, that the fog is at times so dense in London that everything is blotted out. That is the opportunity for the marauder, and he is not slow in turning it to his profit. At the beginning of the last century the attacks made upon bank messengers and others became so numerous that tradesmen and manufacturers began to think seriously of devising some means of protecting themselves. They therefore invented the check, which enables a man to go about with little real money and renders useless the indirect exploration of a pocketbook. A VILLAGE OF TWINS. The village of High Halden, near Ashford, England, undoubtedly holds the record for the number of twins born there. Ten children, all of whom are twins, attend the village school regularly. Every morning two older twins can be seen carrying two younger twins to school, all being members of one family.

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CANADIAN ORDER FORESTERS Assessment system. Fraternal Insurance. NIGHT OF MEETINGS CITY COURTS COURT ST. JOHN, No. 419—Orange Hall, Germain street, 1st Friday in month. COURT UNION JACK, No. 648—Orange Hall, Germain street, 4th Wednesday. COURT NORTH END, No. 661—Union Hall, Main street, last Tuesday each month. COURT YUKON, No. 738—Oranage Hall, Simons street, Third Wednesday. COURT HIAWATHA, No. 738—Temperance Hall, Market Building, 1st Wednesday. Offices of the order PALMER'S CHAMBERS, 41 Princess Street. R. W. WICKMORE, District Deputy. D. R. KENNEDY, District Organizer.

CAUTION! Refuse any bread sold as RUTERNUT BREAD. BUTTER NUT BREAD. without this label. DEATHS. TOMPKINS—At Woodstock on 15th instant, Frances Charlotte, wife of John R. Tompkins, and daughter of the late Rev. Chas. Lee, rector of Fredericton. Funeral from Woodstock Saturday on arrival of morning train from St. John.

IRISH MINISTER FATALLY INJURED IN SUBWAY NEW YORK, N. Y., April 14.—Preparatory to his first ride in the subway, the Rev. Samuel William Nesbitt, a Methodist minister from Tipperary, Ireland, lost his head and fell to the track in the downtown station 53 157th street and Broadway tonight and was so badly crushed by a train that he will die. He and his sixteen-year-old daughter, whom he came to this country to visit last week, were on their way to see friends in New Jersey. It is supposed the minister became confused by the noise and pitched headlong from the platform. Miss Nesbitt narrowly escaped falling herself in trying to aid her father. The minister was 63 years old and has a son in this country, the Rev. Samuel William Nesbitt, Jr., of Elgin, Neb.

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THE NATIONAL FINANCES.

Preliminary Statement Shows Large Excess of Expenditure Over Revenue.

OTTAWA, Ont., April 13.—The preliminary statement of the debt and revenue and expenditure of the government of Canada for the fiscal year ending with March 31 appears in the Canada Gazette. The figures will be considerably modified when the accounts are audited. As it is, they show the expenditure during the twelve months to have exceeded the revenue by \$29,950,656, while the debt has been increased by \$46,666,956. The figures of the revenue and expenditure are:

Consolidated Fund expenditure	\$71,535,760
Public works, railways, etc.	36,078,839
Dominion lands	67,254
Militia	85,461
Railway subsidies	1,700,282
Bounties to industries	2,101,439
Grand total	\$113,561,015
Revenue	\$83,610,359
Excess of outlay	\$29,950,656

There is an entry in reduction of the capital outlay that reduces the last figure by \$47. In 1907-8 the preliminary statement gave the revenues as \$84,708,932, and the expenditure as \$84,218,978, which showed a seeming excess of revenue of \$489,954.

Liabilities:

1908.	1909.	
Payable in Canada	7,588,775	\$ 4,871,131
Payable in England		
Banking ac-	214,944,169	246,610,962
land temporary		
loans	9,299,999	15,068,323
Bank circulation		
redemption	4,001,777	4,082,384
Dominion notes	50,114,447	73,319,453
Savings banks	60,625,209	58,050,011
Trust funds	9,915,666	8,818,119
Province accounts	11,920,668	11,920,668
Miscellaneous and	14,615,574	22,371,010
counts		
debt	\$391,729,249	\$451,653,066
Assets:		
Investments	47,946,829	43,925,789
Other investments	17,115,454	16,630,048
Province ac-	4,023,705	2,296,514
counts		
Miscellaneous and	62,137,572	81,579,590
sanding ac-		
counts		
Total assets	\$131,183,561	\$144,440,743
Total net debt	\$260,545,727	\$307,212,322
Total net debt last		
day of February	260,789,013	268,054,789
Decrease in		
month	\$243,284	\$842,466
The net debt on March 31 last was \$46,666,956 greater than on the same date in 1908.		

KIAMAL PASHA PROBABLY NEXT GRAND VIZIER

Return to Power Expected
NEW CABINET
But Only Regarded as Temporary—Tranquility Reigns Now



CONSTANTINOPLE, April 14.—After the stirring events of yesterday and the early part of today in the Turkish capital, the successful formation of the cabinet and the issuance of an imperial proclamation, ordaining the observance of the Shari laws and the preservation of the constitution, served to bring about a comparatively peaceful situation here tonight. The members of the new cabinet, of which Tewfik Pasha is the grand vizier, have been installed in office.

The formation of the cabinet, although it is not composed according to general expectations, has greatly relieved the tension of the last 26 hours. The majority of the people passed a sleepless night, owing to the continuous discharges of musketry. Tonight the city is quiet, the troops have returned to their homes.

Confidence is gradually returning, although the military situation will require all the energies of the new government for its successful handling and the promulgation of wise measures so that the army may be placed on a more satisfactory basis. One of the first acts of the government will be to supply new officers to replace those who have been rejected by the men and this will be no easy task. Fortunately the new Minister of War, Edhem Pasha, is generally respected and trusted, and it is confidently believed that he will succeed in restoring order.

It is noteworthy that while the revolution of last July was the work of officers, the present movement was carried forward by the soldiers, aided by the religious party.

During the whole thrilling momentous episode, the salient features of the revolution were the loyalty of the troops and the people to the Sultan, whose name was frequently acclaimed and the absence of attacks on the lives and property of citizens.

The new cabinet held a meeting tonight to deliberate on the situation. The Grand Vizier and the Sherkat Pasha arrived at Porte in state at 3 o'clock in the afternoon and were cheered by an immense crowd that had gathered there on the approach of the cortege an intimation was sent to the troops and his discharges of musketry ceased like magic. The precincts of the Porte were crowded in every part and the hall where the ministry was installed was rocked by overflowing. An imperial hat, appointing Tewfik Pasha, grand vizier, and conferring Zia ed Din Effendi as Sherkat Pasha, also ordains the strict observance of the Shari laws and the preservation of the constitution "for the maintenance of the security and progress of the government and country and the welfare of all my people."

The Sultan adds that the observance of the instructions laid down in the Hatt is of the most important and concludes by invoking divine assistance on the efforts of the grand vizier and the cabinet, which is composed of elements outside of the parliamentary parties and which generally is considered as transitory and likely to lead eventually to the return of the former grand vizier, Kiamal Pasha and the two of the most popular men in Turkey.

COURTS WILL DECIDE ON USE OF LAUNCHES

St. John pilots intend to submit a test case, as to whether pilots are entitled to board vessels from gasolene launch. Suit will be brought by James S. Spears for the recovery of \$147.35 for dues held back by the pilots.

There has been serious opinion expressed concerning the legality of the pilots collecting the fees, should they board the vessel from a gasolene launch. The case will come up for hearing in June.

A SURPRISING ESCAPE

LYNN, Mass., April 14.—Miss Florence Whipple, 28 years old, lives to tell of being run over by an engine. She was struck by the cylinder head of the locomotive pulling the regular 5:00 train from Boston for Lynn, as she was crossing the tracks in this city. She was thrown beneath the train and this and most of the first cars passed over her before the train was brought to a stop. An examination after the young woman was taken to the hospital disclosed nothing more serious than a fractured jaw and a few bruises.

"WOMEN!" "Are You Nervous?"

The results of modern civilization are evidenced in an increase of nervous disorders. It could not be otherwise with the way we eat, drink, lose sleep, and keep up a continual round of excitement. The work, the worry, the excitement, all tell upon the nerves till they cry out in revolt, and will not be placated till a remedy such as

HEROIC PREACHER

LONDON, April 13.—During the recent severe weather the Rev. Thomas McClelland, of Bromley, Kent, one of the organizing secretaries of the Church Missionary Society, fell at Guildford while descending a hill on his way to preach at St. Saviour's Church.

He managed to crawl to the church, says The Record, though considerably shaken, and rested in the vestry until the time came to preach when he succeeded in reaching the pulpit, and gave an able and impressive sermon.

When the service was over Mr. McClelland collapsed, and was carried to the house of friends. It was found that his leg was broken just above the ankle.

Next-Teacher: What is the highest form of animal life? Schoolboy: The giraffe.

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SICK MAN WITH PISTOL DRIVES DOCTORS AWAY

Leaps From Operating Table as Anesthetic is Administered and Hous Surgeons.

BELLEFONTAINE, Ohio, April 14.—where he was being bludgeoned under the influence of an anesthetic preparatory to a surgical operation, Earl Hilbott, a Big Four Railway fireman, of this city, overpowered surgeons, and, rushing downstairs at his home, procured a revolver and kept the doctors at bay for nearly an hour.

"Get out of here or I'll kill you!" said Hilbott at every approach of the surgeons, and they were finally compelled to leave the house, Hilbott covering them with his revolver.

His family was unable to dissuade him. The man had been ill of appendicitis, having a second attack, and the surgeons had prepared to operate. He gave his consent, and the other was being administered. The doctors say the patient had reached the excitement at that time he made his sensational escape.

THE EGGNOG SEASON DEVELOPS SCIENTIFIC MARVELS IN THE HENCOOP

Shad-Like Fowl is Expected to Lay Thousands of Eggs a Year—New Chicken Produces Run Eggs for "Dry" Towns.

NESTERS, Pa., April 14.—It is alleged that a new variety of chicken known as the shad hen, the price of eggs will drop to 3 cents a dozen, and cold storage eggs will become a thing of the past.

Mr. Graber has learned that a shad hen lays 200,000 eggs in a season, and does not have to overwork at that. The only trouble about the eggs as that they are most too small for household purposes.

He believes that it is within the range of possibility to produce a fowl which will possess many of the good points of the ordinary hen and the benefits of the shad hen. Even if the shad-hen was good for only 10,000 eggs a season the results would justify Mr. Graber.

Many unfortunate accidents have been held him back in his work. The first shad-hens turned out had feathers like a chicken, but they insisted in living in the water. Another lot had scales like a fish, and the first cold snap killed them.

In case Mr. Graber finds his task to be an impossible one, he says he will turn his talents in the direction of a turtle hen. This, he believes, will be the most certain, and the turtle hen would satisfy any reasonable person. One thing is certain; the turtle hen won't wear any scales.

THESE NEW EGGS COOK THEMSELVES.

BEATERSBURG, Pa., April 14.—By merely feeding his hens more lime, Mr. Johnson gave to the world his justly famous self-cooking egg. It is one of the marvels of the egg, and the price of turning out twenty or thirty eggs a day, and such an output should satisfy any reasonable person. One thing is certain; the turtle hen won't wear any scales.

BELIEVE MINE BOSS IS BURIED ALIVE IN PIT

Discharged Negroes Said to Have Taken Revenge on Superintendant.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., April 14.—Edward Joyce, superintendent of the Carnegie Coal Company's mines at Camp Hill, who has been missing since last Monday, is believed to have been buried alive by negro miners who were discharged by him some time ago.

Joyce was seen entering one of the shafts on Monday afternoon, and soon afterward several of the negroes, who had been loitering around the mine all day, were noticed hurrying away from the shaft. They have not been seen since.

William Joyce, a brother of the missing superintendent, arrived here several days ago from his home in Wilkes-Barre, and has been personally searching for his brother in the abandoned rooms of the mine ever since.

This afternoon William Joyce heard tappings, which he believes indicate that his brother is in one of the rooms and that he is still alive. When this fact became known, he was joined in the search by several hundred miners and by Miss Grace Joyce, the 19-year-old daughter of the missing miner.

Considerable care must be used in the distribution of the eggs. For instance, several got into the case sold at a church fair, and some old ladies who ate slices of the cake carried on something scandalous.

YOUNG WOMEN END THEIR LIVES AT SEA

LIVERPOOL, April 14.—During the voyage of the Cunard liner Lucania which sailed from New York April 7, two young women who had occupied second class cabin together committed suicide by shooting. They were Margaret Clarke, 29 years of age, who is believed to be a resident of Brooklyn, and Annie Miller, 23 years old, whose former residence is not known.

The motive for the double suicide has not been ascertained and as the bodies were buried at sea, there will be no inquest.

Miss Clarke shot herself in her cabin on Thursday, the second day out. Her companion was greatly agitated from the occurrence and four days later took her own life in the same manner. It is thought that she became mentally unbalanced by her friend's tragic death.

LOST REWARD OF MONTHS OF STRENUOUS WORK

ST. JOHNS, Nfld., April 14.—With but a short distance separating them from this, their home port, and a ready market for their catch, the two hundred men composing the crew of the sealing steamer Vanguard were forced to abandon their ship and the results of their months of strenuous work, 300 seal skins, when the steamer's main shaft was broken among the ice fields. The crew was landed at Catalina today, from the steamer Algerine, which picked them up after their own craft had sunk.

BRIEF DESPATCHES.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 14.—Already the navy department has well under way the plans for the increase in ships provided for by the last appropriation bill. Proposals inviting bids for the construction of five torpedo destroyers have been issued and the bids are to be opened on May 29.

NEW YORK, April 14.—Another evidence of Yankee progress—mail delivery by automobile—the first experiment of the kind to be adopted by the post office department, will begin in New York at midnight tonight when four high power electric machines will be placed in commission in the upper part of the city. An extension of the service will depend largely upon the success of the first experiments.

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FOLLOW DIRECTIONS

BIG SENSATION PROMISED NOW

Kinrade Murder Case Again

TO RESUME INQUEST

Florence Kinrade Reported to be Broken in Health— Will be Called

HAMILTON, Ont., April 14.—The Kinrade murder inquest, which was abruptly adjourned a month ago, after a series of sensational events, will be resumed a week from tomorrow night, and Hamilton is again getting keyed up to the excitement that prevailed during the early stages of the case.

Many people believe the inquest is already virtually ended, and that the authorities are completely baffled.

Big Sensation

"I am sure we will have a big sensation in this case, and before very long," was the statement made by your correspondent today by an officer who refused to permit his name to be used, in view of the orders from the attorney general's department, that the police officers should not be named in any publication.

Detective Miller's attitude has been so optimistic.

In addition to the man walk in the case, the inquest will be held at the home of Mrs. Kinrade, who is at Delmore Hotel, Preston, with her mother, is broken in health.

The first witness called at the next session of the inquest. There is a great demand for the inquest, and it was concluded before Coroner D. E. Berryman in the court house last night.

FLAGMEN SHOULD HAVE GREATER AUTHORITY

The inquiry into the death of Hugh Simpson, who was killed by a C. P. R. engine near the Bentley street crossing on the night of March 20th, was concluded before Coroner D. E. Berryman in the court house last night.

Cyrus Inches and C. P. R. Claims Agent Harry Brennan were present in the interests of the C. P. R.

Witnesses called at the inquest were: Watchman John Taylor and Conductor James Patterson were the witnesses.

Conductor Patterson told of being on the engine the night that Simpson was killed. He also described what he saw of a curve in the track where Simpson was killed.

William Taylor, the crossing flagman, said he saw the man walk on the track, but he had no authority to trespass on the tracks.

After about half an hour's deliberation the jury brought in a verdict to the effect that the deceased came to his death by being struck by a C. P. R. locomotive on the night of March 20th, and that no blame could be attached to the crossing watchman or the C. P. R. authorities, but they recommended that more authority should be given the watchman to prevent persons from trespassing on the tracks, and that the C. P. R. should use greater precautions to prevent persons from trespassing on the tracks between the depot and the bridge, so as to prevent accidents of a similar nature in the future.

THE PONY EXPRESS. How Fast Mails Were Handled in the West Years Ago.

A good deal has been written about the pony express, that thrilling dash on western ponies across 2,000 miles of mountains, prairie and desert to deliver the western gold miner his tissue paper from the east at \$5 per letter, but comparatively little has been written about the pony express in its heyday.

When William H. Russell, a far-western freighter of the west, heard that a Wall Street syndicate had offered to transport mail from New York to San Francisco and to exceed any time hitherto made if guaranteed an annual subsidy or compensation of \$5,000,000, he decided to take the mail between St. Joseph and San Francisco—1,500 miles of canon, gull, mountain and Indian trail level—in ten days by the watch!

There was no train to the far west in those days, and when the freighter's proposition arrived the government smiled and said it was willing to be shown.

How the pony express of the west was organized and developed is now being written by a gentleman of Kansas who was a part of the service and knows the ins and outs of the most picturesque and successful enterprise ever inaugurated probably better than any other man now living.

A most important element in the pioneer scheme for fast mail service from coast to coast was the Hannibal and St. Joseph railroad, just completed in 1868, and the Missouri Pacific, 200 miles long, the building of which was regarded as the mightiest enterprise of the west.

The state government was officially represented at the ceremony and all of the big men of the state were in addition to the railroad officials.

This was February 13, 1868. A little over a year later—April 3, 1869—the pony express train made its test run from Hannibal to St. Joseph.

The government had given its route, and the pony express was born. So it began to be necessary for the management of the new railroad to show Uncle Sam how the pony express of the west was organized and developed.

In comparison with the quiet way the railroads go about such matters the pony express was a different matter. Every man on the line considered himself an important part of the service.

The man at the head of the line, the superintendent, was a man of the west, and he was connected with the Burlington system, which was the backbone of the west.

John A. Miller, the roadmaster, and who lives at Quincy, Ill., issued orders for every switch, to the man in the back of the pony, the man in the front of the pony, the man in the middle of the pony, the man in the rear of the pony, the man in the side of the pony, the man in the top of the pony, the man in the bottom of the pony, the man in the left of the pony, the man in the right of the pony, the man in the front of the pony, the man in the rear of the pony, the man in the middle of the pony, the man in the side of the pony, the man in the top of the pony, the man in the bottom of the pony, the man in the left of the pony, the man in the right of the pony.

SHE WILL BE A TOTAL LOSS

Mary E. Ashore

Near Machias

BOUND FROM HERE

Cutler Which May Be Saved

MACHIASPORT, Me., April 14.—The two-masted schooner Mary E. (Br), bound from St. John, N. B., for Hingham, Mass., with 7,000 of spruce plank and scantling, dragged ashore in Larabee's Cove, Machias Bay, today, grounding on Long Ledge and will be a total loss.

The crew are safe. The schooner was nineteen years old and 80 net tonnage.

She was owned by D. R. Glennie of Sackville, N. B. The cargo belonged to Stetson and Cutler, St. John, and can be saved if never broken action is taken, it was reported.

BOARD MAY DISINFECT AFTER TUBERCULOSIS

In monthly session yesterday afternoon the St. John Board of Health transacted considerable business. It inspected the premises and the following were appointed to supervise the work: St. John, John R. McFarlane, George E. Lavens, S. J. Stubbs, Hugh J. McElroy, Andrew Brant, Dennis Blinks and Ernest Fiewelling. Robert Lawson will be the inspector.

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ITALIANS WILL BE WELL DEFENDED

Sandy Murray, Andrew and James Hatch, the Italians who will face trial on Thursday next on the allegation of being implicated in the murder of Edward Green, will have a strong defence.

Hon. H. A. McCowen, M. P., Hon. W. P. Jones and F. B. Carvell, M. P., have been engaged to handle their case, and an able plea is sure to be entered.

The crown prosecutors have not as yet been announced. The case will be heard before Mr. Justice McLeod.

BOARD DECIDES THERE WAS NO DISCRIMINATION

HALIFAX, N. S., April 15.—The conciliation board which investigated the complaint of the U. M. W. section of the Dominion Coal Co., was announced yesterday in their report today.

Judge Wallace and G. S. Campbell are understood to have found the complaint of discrimination by the company against the U. M. W. men was unfounded.

D. McDougall, the men's representatives, filed a dissenting report in which he claimed recognition for the U. M. W. McDougall is president of the U. M. W. branch. He believed the decision of the board is against the men.

UNIFORM RATES FOR RIVER STEAMERS

For the first time in the history of the river traffic a uniform tariff will exist during the coming season. The announcement will be received with favor by all the merchants that all the companies operating steamboats on the river have entered into an agreement.

The settlement of a uniform tariff was reached at a meeting held Tuesday, and the schedule will be into effect immediately. The uniform rate is on freight and passengers. An interchange of tickets on the various lines has also been agreed to by the different owners.

IMMENSE STEEL PLANT.

PITTSBURG, Pa., April 14.—It was stated here today that the \$100,000,000 bond issue recently authorized by the Republic Iron and Steel Company would be utilized in the construction of a new plant to cost anywhere from \$10,000,000 to \$15,000,000 at Youngstown, Ohio, where the company already has the largest plant.

The new plant, it is stated, will be for the manufacture of tubes, which have not hitherto been made by the Republic Company.

Every Woman

As you desire for it... Every Woman... Marvel Super Soap... The new Yarned Springs... Interchange of tickets on the various lines has also been agreed to by the different owners.

DR. DANIEL EXHIBITS DEAD MATE'S SCANDAL IN HOUSE OF COMMONS

OTTAWA, April 14.—In the committee on motions to get into supply, Dr. Daniel (St. John) brought up again the old question, already threatened earlier in the session, namely, the Mayes affidavit and Hon. Dr. Pugsley's connection with the alleged dragging scandal, exploited by Conductor Mayes last October. He started to place on Hansard in full the affidavit made by Mayes without the good reader's errors or mistakes in dates, etc., which marked its first promulgation.

Dr. Daniel was proceeding to announce the reading of the affidavit with explanations, noting particularly that the date of the transaction referred to in regard to the Mayes affidavit had been wrongly read as 1907 instead of 1908 at the St. John proceedings.

Mr. Pugsley noted that what was now sought to be placed before the House was not the original affidavit. "There has never been any charge made against me," he said.

Mr. Lennox urged that the affidavit be necessary to substantiate the demand for the investigation. If, as the Minister of Public Works said, he reflected on him, there was all the more reason why the matter should be investigated.

Mr. Northrup urged that the objection could only be taken on the point of order after the affidavit had been read. No objection could be taken against something that was going to be said which might reflect on any member of the house.

Mr. Conroy said that Dr. Daniel's motion contained no charge against the Minister of Public Works. If a member for St. John wanted to assume the responsibility for the truth of the affidavit, then let him make a specific charge and stand by it.

Specific Charge.—"The rule of the House is that no member shall make a charge without assuming the full responsibility therefor. The reading of the affidavit in St. John is a different thing from the reading of it in this House.

Mr. Crockett—Does the Minister say a charge was made against him?

Dr. Pugsley—Yes, grave charges were made against me at the Conservative meeting in St. John, but they were proven to be false. Now it is proposed to substitute a new version of the affidavit, though the member for St. John was admittedly reading from the original affidavit, which was confessedly erroneous. If he reads that affidavit he must under the rules of the House assume the full responsibility for it.

Dr. Daniel's reading of the affidavit noted that the original affidavit clearly made a charge against the Minister, but now the date was changed from 1907 to 1908, and at the same time Dr. Pugsley was not a member of the House. According to the rules of parliament there could be no investigation by the House of his conduct of any member prior to his membership in the Commons.

Mr. Foster—The specific purpose of the resolution is to secure an investigation of the contract in question.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier—Then why not leave out the offensive references to the Minister of Public Works?

Mr. Foster concluded a third or fourth speech in discussion of the point of order by saying: "If we are in dignified parliament or in a mad house let us know." "I have the whole matter in the hands of the Prime Minister."

Sir Wilfrid thereupon straightened out the question by again stating the rules of the House that unless a specific charge was made on the responsibility of a member no statement reflecting on any other member could be presented to the House. If a member made a charge he must be prepared to prove it.

But, Dr. Daniel is not making a charge against the minister of public works. He suggested that the member for St. John might continue the reading of the affidavit providing that offensive words must not be used.

"If we are to preserve the dignity of parliament let this well known rule of the House be rigidly adhered to," he concluded.

But before Dr. Daniel could resume the long interrupted thread of his discourse and proceed with the reading of the affidavit 6 o'clock had arrived and the speaker left the chair with Mr. Foster proposing that before the reading as made should be considered final, the whole matter should be carefully brought over in relation to its bearing on future demands that might be made for parliamentary investigations.

WAS IN BED FOR THREE MONTHS.

PEOPLE SAID SHE HAD CONSUMPTION.

Read how Mrs. T. G. Buck, Brasbridge, Ont., was cured (and also her little boy) by the use of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup.

She writes: "I thought I would write and let you know the benefit I have received through the use of your Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup. A few years ago I was so badly troubled with my lungs people said I had Consumption and that I would not live through the Fall. I had two doctors attending me and they were very much alarmed about me. I was in bed three months and when I got up I could not walk, so had to go on my hands and knees for three weeks, and my limbs seemed of no use to me. I gave up all hopes of ever getting better when I happened to see in B.B. Almanac that Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup was good for weak lungs. I thought I would try a bottle and by the time I had used it I was a lot better, so got up and it made a complete cure. My little boy was also troubled with weak lungs and it cured him. I keep it in the house all the time and would not be without it for anything."

Price 25 cents at all dealers. Beware of imitations of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup. Ask for it and insist on getting the original. Put up in a yellow wrapper and three pins through the trade mark.

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Both Cleans and Sterilizes

A better cleanser than soap—harmless alike to fabric and hands.

Soap Powder is a germicide used as a superior washing on everything that is soiled. It is thoroughly sterilized—never becomes a germ incubator. It is a handy soap—get better results. Give your soap a package.

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To the Electors of the City of Saint John:

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN: At the solicitation of a large number of the ratepayers of St. John I have decided to offer myself as a candidate for Alderman-at-Large. As my views on some important subjects are generally known, I will not repeat them, and as I will not be able to see a large number of the voters before the election I would respectfully solicit your support, and as I intend in this election to practice what I preach, namely, economy, I do not intend to employ a single man to represent me at any polling booth in the city, believing that the independent voters of St. John generally desire who they vote for before going to the polls. At least I am willing to put that matter to the test. Hoping that my friends and acquaintances and the public generally will give me their assistance and support, for which in return I pledge myself to use the best that is in me to advance the interests of my native city.

Your obedient servant,
JOHN SIMS.

ELECTION CARD

Gentlemen—In accepting your endorsement to become candidate for the office of Alderman-at-Large I might say there is no one in this city who would like to see a good honest city government better than I. That means no tax on the city, no increase in the city's tax, no increase in the city's debt, no increase in the city's expenses, no increase in the city's liabilities, no increase in the city's obligations, no increase in the city's responsibilities, no increase in the city's duties, no increase in the city's burdens, no increase in the city's cares, no increase in the city's troubles, no increase in the city's sorrows, no increase in the city's pains, no increase in the city's agonies, no increase in the city's torments, no increase in the city's miseries, no increase in the city's calamities, no increase in the city's disasters, no increase in the city's catastrophes, no increase in the city's misfortunes, no increase in the city's afflictions, no increase in the city's plagues, no increase in the city's pestilences, no increase in the city's epidemics, no increase in the city's famines, no increase in the city's droughts, no increase in the city's floods, no increase in the city's 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THE WEATHER

Maritime—Moderate to fresh variable winds, cooler and showery today and Friday.

LOCAL NEWS

Patrick Whelby, 175 Chesley St., states that he did not sign the petition for a vote on ward option in Lansdowne ward.

Great spring bargains in men's and boys' clothing. See our special young men's suits at \$38. C. B. Pidgeon, corner Main and Bridge.

Wm. Patterson, of Crapton Ave., entered the General Public Hospital this morning to be operated on for appendicitis.

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POLLING PLACES AND RETURNING OFFICERS

For Civic Election Next Tuesday—Preparations for the Contest About Complete.

The civic election contest continues to engage the attention of many in various sections of the city, and a lively fight is predicted. The preliminary work of issuing the ballot boxes, electoral lists, etc., is being carried on and Common Clerk Wardroper has his hands full.

The complete list of returning officers and the polling booths are as follows:—

Guys Ward—Thomas E. Browne; City Hall in Guys Ward.

Brooks Ward—George McCoskey; shop occupied by Andrew Robson, 24 St. John street.

Sydney Ward—Harry A. B. Fales; shop occupied by John Fox, Britain street, near Charlotte street.

Dukes Ward—Stephen W. Palmer; shop occupied by Samuel Fisher, 158 Charlotte street.

Queen's Ward—Robert Bair; old city court room in the court house.

King's Ward—Beverly R. Armstrong; shop occupied by Michael Driscoll, 7 Germania street.

Wellington Ward—Olive Thomas; shop occupied by the Canada Postal Service, 21 Brussels street.

Prince Ward—Fred Sancton; shop occupied by Digges Scribner, corner Sydney street and King Square.

Victoria Ward—J. Leslie Smith; Victoria Skating Rink on City Road.

Dufferin Ward—Caleb Bolger; shop occupied by Hugh Campbell, 675 Main street.

Lansdowne Ward—John Z. Eaglet; house occupied by Harry McK. Nelson, 408 Main Street.

Lorne Ward—Marshall D. Austin; shop occupied by T. Black, 151 Main street.

Stanley Ward—Walter Roy Gigger; house occupied by James Jefferys, Millidgeville Road, near the old ropewalk.

The polls will open in the morning at 8 o'clock and close at 4 p. m.

The usual regulations regarding taking the vote will prevail.

TEMPERANCE CAMPAIGN WILL BE VIGOROUS

Several Meetings Planned for Sunday and a Final Rally Will be Held on Monday.

The temperance element of the city are continuing assiduously their efforts to secure the adoption of local option at the plebiscite to be taken next Tuesday. Mass meetings are being arranged in Dukes, Lorne, Lansdowne and Victoria wards for Sunday next.

A grand rally concluding the campaign will be held on Monday evening.

In Lansdowne ward the meeting on Sunday will take place in St. Luke's church, where prominent speakers will be heard. The other meetings will be held in the Main street Baptist church, Queen's square church and the Tabernacle church. Each of the ward committees is arranging its own meeting.

AMUSEMENT ENTERPRISES PLANNED FOR ST. JOHN

Rumors of Project to Erect Big Bowling Alleys and Pool Rooms on Princess' and Charlotte Streets.

There is a rumor that after the first of May there will be a couple of new amusement resorts up town, but the parties who are said to be interested do not wish to discuss the matter at present.

It is stated that on a vacant lot recently purchased on Princess street, will be built a large up-to-date bowling alley and billiard hall, and that the contractors are soon to be asked for.

There is a large stable in the rear of the old Y. M. C. A. building on Charlotte street, also an hotel, and the rumor is that the property is to be rented by an amusement promoter who intends putting in eight up-to-date bowling alleys and fitting the upper portion of the building with a pool and billiard hall. Another rumor is to the effect that the place is to be turned into a motion picture theatre.

Those whose names have been mentioned in the affair state that there is nothing to say at the present stage, and while these prospective enterprises have been thought of nothing definite has been decided on.

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Little Girls' Apparel

Colored Dresses, Sailor Suits, Waist Dresses, Jumper Dresses, White Dresses, Mother Hubbards, Waist Dresses in French Style. Waist Dresses in Dotted Swiss, Pinafores.

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Long Coats, Knit Jackets, Booties, Bibs, Vests, Lace Bonnets and Hats, Hamper, Bassinets and Baskets, trimmed to order, and in fact everything for baby will be found in this department.

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TWO NEW ADDITIONS TO YACHT CLUB FLEET

Outlook for Splendid Season—First Cruise on May 24th.

There will be at least two additions to the Royal Kennebecs Yacht Club fleet during the coming season. Fred Fleming has secured a splendid motor boat, designed by Elijah Ross, of the West Side, and Rupert Turnbull will appear on the river in his new yacht, now being built by Daniel McLaughlin at Robbsey.

From present indications the yacht club boys will have a splendid season. It is planned to have the first sailing on May 24. On the first week in May the sailing programme will be arranged. Rear Commodore Horace King is the chairman of the committee.

PERSONAL

Captain Walsh, of the C. P. R., reached the city on the Montreal express today.

Dr. T. D. Walker came in on the Montreal express today.

W. J. Dean was a passenger on the Montreal express.

T. E. Calhoun reached the city from the south today.

Hon. H. A. McKeown went to Fredericton this morning with the appointment of Dr. Gallagher went to Sussex today.

MRS. JOHN R. TOMPKINS.

Many in this city will regret to learn of the sad death at Woodstock this morning of Mrs. Frances Charlotte Tompkins, wife of John R. Tompkins, who recently received the appointment of sheriff for Carleton County.

The deceased lady contracted typhoid about the same time as her son, who passed away only a month ago. She was a daughter of the late Rev. Chas. Lee, rector of Fredericton, and was twice married. By her first marriage she is survived by a daughter, Miss Emma Mills, of this city. The sons are Charles S., accountant with the Bank of New Brunswick in this city, and Douglas and Neville, at home. Three sisters and one brother are also left. They are Miss Elizabeth Lee, of Newport, N. I.; Mrs. T. C. Lee, Mrs. W. G. Lee and C. H. Lee, of this city.

The funeral will take place at Woodstock on Saturday upon the arrival of the morning train from St. John.