

## SAD DROWNING ACCIDENT

of a Prince Edward Islander at Bellows Falls, Vt.

### THE BODY WAS RECOVERED ON THURSDAY

The Disappearance of Angus Finlayson a Mystery—He was the son of Hugh Finlayson of Cardigan and a Nephew of Capt. Fin'ayson of the S. S. Minto.

BELLOWS FALLS, Vt., May 25.—The body of Angus Finlayson, who so mysteriously disappeared about four weeks ago was found last Thursday night about six o'clock by L. J. Robertson of the firm of John Robertson in the 6 Racks of the International Paper Co. He was last seen on Friday, April 27 about nine o'clock in the evening.

His brother Rodney, who was working in Alstead, came over and with others searched all around the village and then went down the river as far as Walpole, N. H. dragged the canal and searched the flumes of the International Paper Co. but was unable to find any trace of him till he was discovered as above stated.

The mystery will probably never be wholly cleared up, but it is generally supposed that he started for his room and attempted to cross the bridge of the Rutland, R. R. at the head of the canal to

make a short cut and was caught by a train and pushed into the canal.

The bridge is a single track, open iron bridge and is not for foot passengers but is used a great deal by mill and railroad men as a short cut to their homes and several accidents of a like nature have happened there in recent years.

He was twenty-two years of age and has worked in the press room of the International Paper Co. ever since he came here, about four years ago. He had one brother in Alstead, N. H., and another who is with Co. L. 46th Regulars, U. S. V. L., stationed at Manila.

He was the son of Hugh Finlayson of Cardigan, Prince Edward Island, and nephew of Capt. Finlayson of the Dominion Government S. S. Minto.

He was buried in Oak Hill Cemetery last Friday at ten o'clock. All his friends have tendered their warmest sympathy and lent their aid in the continuous search.



MR. S. J. WILLIS,  
(Arts) First rank honors and medalist in McGill University.  
Mr. Willis belongs to Kingston, Lot 31.

## CLOSING EXERCISES

Young Ladies Receive Degrees.

### DR. BORDEN'S ADDRESS

Interesting Proceedings in Lingley Hall—Islanders Take Part.

SACKVILLE, May 28.—The weather remains unclouded and the closing proceedings of the Mount Allison institutions continue from day to day without any drawback. The interest which brought such large numbers of visitors to the town has suffered no diminution, as the crowded audiences at every entertainment testified. Indeed this seems to be a banner year in the matter of attendance. It is safe to say accommodation in the town was never so taxed as at present, and while some beated friends are still arriving no one has as yet turned homeward.

Among the former students who are present at the closing are the Misses Graham, Rice, Murchie, Penna and Kenny, and the Messrs. Rice, Pugsley, Black and Johnson, Miss Lathern, of Halifax, one of the most popular teachers of the Ladies' College, who has been home for her health and returned for closing, is receiving a warm welcome from both pupils and teachers.

To-day was mainly devoted to the exercises of the Ladies' College. This morning an interesting organ recital was given in Beethoven Hall to a very large audience.

This recital attained increased importance, in view of the fact that it was the first pipe organ recital ever given in Beethoven Hall. The standard of execution was good throughout the performance, each pupil acquitting herself in a highly creditable manner. Miss Cole's numbers, however seemed to be the favorites of those rendered on the organ.

This evening one of the most important of the anniversary exercises, the formal closing of the Ladies' College, was held in Lingley.

Among the numbers on the program was a vocal solo by Miss Minnie Moore of Charlottetown.

The formal closing exercises of the Mount Allison Male Academy and Commercial Academy took place in Lingley Hall this afternoon. The proceedings were of an interesting nature and reflected credit on the competent staff and Academy teachers. Among the numbers on the program was a vocal solo by Miss Mary Wright of Summerside.

## RUSSO - CHINESE AFFAIRS NEARING THE END

Sudden Death of Dr. T. H. Rand, Former Superintendent of Education in N. B. and N. S.

### BUFFALO DYNAMITERS THREATEN REVENGE

Revolution ends in Venezuela—French Minister of War to Resign—Sir Robert Peel in Trouble—King Oscar III—Honorary Degrees for P. E. Islanders from University of New Brunswick.

#### DEATH OF DR. T. H. RAND.

FREDERICTON, May 29.—(Special)—Dr. Theodore H. Rand, ex-Chief Superintendent of Education, who came from Toronto to attend the University Centennial Celebration, fell dead this afternoon.

Dr. Rand was born at Cornwallis, N. S. in 1835, was educated at Acadia and became assistant teacher in Horton Academy. Thence he went to the Normal School at Truro. He assisted in preparation of the Free School Act of 1884, and subsequently became Superintendent of Education in Nova Scotia. In 1871 he accepted the like position in New Brunswick to put in operation the Free School Act there. That position he held till 1883, resigning to accept the chair of Education and History in Acadia College. In 1885 he accepted the chair of Apologetics in McMaster Hall, Toronto. Other positions since filled were Principal of the Baptist College in Woodstock, Ontario, Professor of Education and Ethics in McMaster and subsequently Chancellor of the same institution. He published a volume of poems in 1897.

#### REVOLUTION IN VENEZUELA ENDED.

PARIS, May 29.—(Special)—Gen. Jose Kermantz, the Venezuelan revolting leader, has been captured and the war is at an end.

#### RUSSIAN AND CHINESE AFFAIRS.

It is believed that Russia will land troops from Port Arthur at Takw, where 30,000 were in readiness.

The Boxers expect to receive the support of the Dowager Empress of China. They are intent on expelling everything foreign.

#### DYNAMITERS MAKE THREATS.

NIAGARA FALLS, May 29.—(Special)—G. A. Dolphin, proprietor of the Dolphin House where the Welland dynamiters remained, has received an anonymous letter from Buffalo calling him a P. A. dog and threatening him with the same fate as Dr. Cronin of Chicago, who was murdered.

#### DE GALLIFET WILL RESIGN.

PARIS, May 29.—(Special)—It is said the Marquis De Gallifet, Minister of War, will resign immediately.

#### SIR ROBERT PEEL COMMITTED.

LONDON, May 29.—(Special)—Sir Robert Peel was to-day committed for trial on a charge of libelling Des Hydt, one of the trustees of the Peel estate.

Mrs. Gladstone is growing weaker.

#### KING OSCAR CAN'T GO TO PARIS.

The King of Norway and Sweden, owing to indisposition, is obliged to postpone his visit to Paris.

#### SOME HONORARY DEGREES.

FREDERICTON, N. B., May 28.—The University Senate to-day decided to confer degrees on D. J. McLeod, Chief Superintendent of Education for P. E. Island, Dr. Anderson, Rev. D. G. Fraser and Sir Wm. C. Vanhorne.

Roberts May Reach Johannesburg Today.

### PRETORIA NEXT WEEK

Orange State Annexed—Lady Sarah Praises Canadians—The Advance.

#### IN JOHANNESBURG TO-DAY.

LONDON, May 29.—(Special)—Lord Roberts will enter Johannesburg at noon on Wednesday.

The British expect to be in Pretoria within a week.

#### THE ORANGE RIVER STATE NOW.

The Free State was formally annexed by proclamation to-day and will hereafter be called the Orange River State.

#### GEN. FRENCH CUTTING CONNECTIONS.

There is a report that Gen. French has cut the Boer connections between Heidelberg and Boksburg near Johannesburg.

Boksburg is within five miles of Johannesburg and Heidelberg is on the railway leading southeasterly to Laing's Nek and Ladysmith.

#### OPERATIONS IN NATAL.

The British guns at Ingogo heavily bombarded the Boer position all day.

#### ON THE WESTERN BORDER.

The British from Mafeking have invaded the Transvaal on the line of the Jameson Raid, have occupied Zeerust and are marching against Leychenburg.

#### LADY SARAH PRAISES THE CANADIANS.

Lady Sarah Wilson says the Canadian Artillery that relieved Mafeking made a record march of 300 miles in 12 days and so accurately shelled the Boer positions as to clear them out in twenty minutes.

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Louisville and Nashville	80 1/2
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### THE WEATHER.

WASHINGTON, May 30.—(Special).—Partly cloudy, showers, fresh easterly winds.

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## THE BUDGET CONTINUED.

At the conclusion of Hon. D. Farguharson's budget speech last night Hon. Mr. Gordon replied to him. He said that of all the budget speeches that had been delivered in this House he had never heard such a speech as that given by the present Leader. The Leader first spoke of the Wise matter, and sought to make it appear that the Opposition were responsible for what had taken place. But despite the statement of the Leader it was a grave question as to the right of Mr. Wise to have a seat in the House. The Premier seemed anxious to show that Mr. Wise was not entitled to a seat. But that hon. member's resignation had never been tabled nor had a writ of election been issued. It is said that the resignation had been placed in the hands of the Speaker, and the inference was that the Governor had failed in his duty. He (Mr. Gordon) took the opposite ground. The Executive had failed in its duty and the people will hold them responsible. He then quoted from Hon. Joseph Howe on this point, showing that the Executive was to be held responsible. This, said Mr. Gordon, showed that the Executive was responsible for the acts of the Governor, and upon them should rest the responsibility for the non-appearance of the writs. The Premier went on to show that the province was in a prosperous condition. But he (Mr. Gordon) did not see things in that light; he rather thought things were in a deplorable condition. He disputed the statement regarding a surplus, and quoted from the public accounts to prove his statements.

Besides this there is an amount carried over, the extent of which is not known. The people do not relish this, neither do they relish the large debt that is being rolled up. The leader never referred to the delegations to Ottawa, although it is claimed that all the way from one to three millions is to be obtained from this source, and falling in this, arbitration is to be brought up. A few years ago the present leader of the government condemned delegations. He said the very opposite of what he said tonight. As the hour was late, Mr. Gordon moved the adjournment of the debate.

He again pointed out that the speech of the premier was not what the people expected. It was in a great part devoted to the case of Mr. Wise, and to an attack upon the honorable member from New London, for his conduct while Commissioner of Public Works. This was all ancient history. He thought that the language and actions of the Leader indicated that there was a good deal of the tyrant in his composition. He is not the friend of freedom, equity or justice. When the Opposition fought for freedom the Leader threatened to put us in jail;

this was the act of a tyrant. He hoped that as the Premier grew older he would become more moderate and less arbitrary. The Leader's speech shows that Mr. Wise resigned, that he placed his resignation in the hands of the Speaker, that the resignation was handed to the Governor, who caused the writs for an election to be issued. But up to date there has been no election and no word of an election. He thought there was even cause for complaint in this regard. But it is not the Governor who is responsible, it is the Government that is responsible for not issuing the writ of the resignation of Mr. Wise is held to be valid. The Premier had compared expenditures of the Liberals and Conservatives, but he failed to state that the late gov't built new wharves and new bridges so that the present administration had little to expend on these solid structures. The Premier had been very cautious as regards the Asylum. He had not explained what reason the medical superintendent had for complaining about eight pages of his report that had been cut down. The House had a right to know what was contained in the missing pages. One part of this report they had obtained. In it the Medical Superintendent, and Dr. McNeill recommended separate buildings for milder cases of insanity, but in the face of this, the Government was now building a wing to the main building. Dr. Blanchard, according to the best information, condemned the new wing and advocated separate buildings. The Grand Jury had opposed the Premier's presence when they visited the Asylum. Why did they do this unless it was thought he would endeavor to sway their judgment. Dr. Johnson says that

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