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JAPAN'S LOSSES IN PRESENT WAR

Total Fifty Thousand Killed and Six Times as Many Wounded or Sick—Long Conflict Yet.

TOKIO, April 28.—(Special)—Count Okuma has estimated that the number of Japanese sick and wounded as the result of the war will reach nearly three hundred thousand and that fifty thousand have been killed.

LIKENS EARL GREY TO KAISER

Westminster Gazette Lectures Him for His "Inflated Sentiments." Says He Meddled.

MONTREAL, April 27.—A special London cable says: "The Westminster Gazette says it hopes Earl Grey is not going to the Kaiser as a model for the speeches which he is called upon to make as governor-general of Canada, yet we could be finding his speech at Toronto on Monday distinctly 'Kaiserish.' We recognize the difficulties which must attend the composition of those official speeches, but inflation of sentiment ought to be scrupulously avoided."

"The remarks of Earl Grey referred to by the Westminster Gazette are embodied in the following extract from a Toronto despatch: 'His Excellency, after referring to the variety and superiority of the products of the Dominion, drew attention to the potentiality of the markets across the Pacific which Canada commands, and asked Canadians to reflect that the door to these markets and the ways thereto were kept open by the mother country and her fleet. Yet Canada does not contribute a single ship or dollar to this Imperial service.' His lordship said that he had been warned by the press that it was not the province of a governor to interfere, but there were some subjects on which men of all parties were agreed and to which it was proper for him to refer, and one of these was the hope that the clash of race and creed conflict would never be heard in Canada."

MEN PRAISE HAWES \$3 HATS

They can't do otherwise, stylish comfortable, finely finished, best quality. They're all right! Weeks & Co., Sole Agents. 22d St.

SLATER SHOE

The second lot of 22 dozen pairs has arrived at Goff Bros., balance following. On every pair is a ticket explaining what kind of leather is in them so you know just what you are buying. Only one price stamped on sole, \$3.50, \$4.00, \$5.00.

Goff Bros. Sole Agents.

AUTONOMY VOTE DUE NEXT WEEK

Mr. Martin Will Speak Next—Compulsory Record for All Pure Bred Stock in Canada.

OTTAWA April 28.—(Special)—In the House today Hon. Mr. Fisher introduced a bill making it compulsory to keep records of all purebred stock in Canada. The Autonomy Debate was continued by several speakers and Mr. Martin of P. E. Island moved the adjournment. The vote on the bills will be taken possibly on Tuesday but not later than Wednesday.

ST. JOHN ROBBER IS STILL ALIVE

St. JOHN, April 28.—(Special)—Joseph Dixon the St. John man who was reported to have been killed while robbing a bank at Lancaster, Ontario, is said to be in St. John, having returned two nights ago.

The finder of a blue veil will please leave it at this office.

Mrs. McDONALD, Peake's recently lost a valuable horse which had to be killed owing to an accident.

It is J. C. Sprague who will be manager of the new boot store on H. M. Sprague as yesterday stated.

The Miama Ladies Hockey Club held a very enjoyable At Home to their friends in the Lyceum last night.

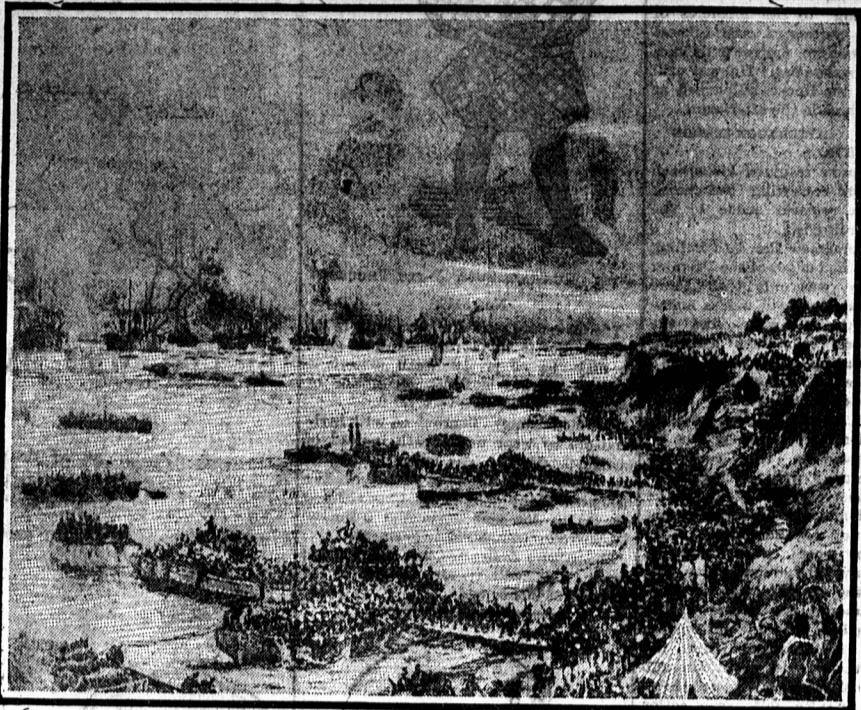
The fine music rendered at St. James Church on Easter Sunday will be repeated tomorrow by special request.

Pronunciation of English Names. The London Chronicle gives the pronunciation of a number of names of places in England where "phonetic laziness" has made the spoken name of the town far different from the written name. The eccentricities of pronunciation are as great as those involved in calling the family names of Chalmers, Chumley and Colquhoun Cohoon. According to the Chronicle, these are the local pronunciations: Rhudbaxton, is Ribson; Woodmancote, is Uddenmuckat; Sawbridgeworth, is Sapses; Churchdown, is Chosen; Sandiacre, is Sankler; Chaddeswyche, is Charange; Hapsisburgh, is Hazeborn; Salt Fleetby, is Sollaby, Almondesbury is Amesbury, and Congressbury, is Commesbury. Of places better known Ulverstone, is Oost'n and Hurstmonceux, is Horse-mousses.

A Conclusive Speech. A story is told of a speech recently made by an Irish barrister in a court of law. He was for the plaintiff, whose cow had been knocked down and killed by a train, and this was the contention: "If the train had been run as it should have been run, or if the bell had been rung as it should have been rung, or if the whistle had been blown as it should have been blown, both of which they did neither, the cow would not have been injured when she was killed."

Iron-Ox Tablets are on sale at A. A. Reddin's, 7d St. Invictus shoes for men.—Alley & Co. Charlottetown Agents. 22d St. The "Slater Shoe" agency has been transferred to Goff Bros. 29d St.

HELP FOR VICTIMS OF EYESTRAIN. Most cases of headache, nervousness and insomnia are due directly or indirectly to eyestrain. Drugs afford only temporary relief, our scientifically-adjusted glasses will positively remove eyestrain with all its attending afflictions. G. F. HUTCHESON, Expert Optician.



JAPANESE LANDING AT NEW CHWANG TO JOIN OYAMA'S FORCES.

DESERTED WIFE WANTS DIVORCE

Now in Boston but was Married in Eldon, P. E. Island Seventeen Years Ago It is Said.

BOSTON, April 28.—(Special)—Mrs. Catherine Fraser of Cambridge is a petitioner in Middlesex Co. Court for divorce from James G. Fraser of Elgin, B. C. The couple were married at Charlottetown in 1882. Mrs. Fraser alleges that her husband deserted her at Eldon, P. E. I. in 1883.

A MAINE TOWN BADLY SCROCHED

MILFORD, Me., April 28.—(Special)—This little town was almost wiped out of existence by a fire which originated from a pile of burning boards to-day. Twenty-one buildings, including the post-office, a hotel and many residences were destroyed along with a million and a half feet of lumber.

PROTEST AGAINST INSTITUTE.

MONTREAL, March 25.—The United Hebrew Trades Union of Montreal has called a meeting for tomorrow night to protest against the action of the Baron de Hirsch Institute committee in sending immigrants to take the place of the striking Sydney bricklayers.

CONSIDERABLE alarm was created among friends yesterday afternoon by the disappearance of Ernest Carson, the twelve year old son of Ed. Carson. He left home about three o'clock and no trace could be found of him since.

All Humors

Are impure matters which the skin, liver, kidneys and other organs can not take care of without help, there is such an accumulation of them. They litter the whole system. Pimples, boils, eczema and other eruptions, loss of appetite, that tired feeling, bilious turns, fits of indigestion, dull headaches and many other troubles are due to them.

Hood's Sarsaparilla and Pills

Remove all humors, overcome all their effects, strengthen, tone and invigorate the whole system. "My health was poor and I suffered much from hives and kidney trouble. After taking two bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla I was cured. I regard this medicine as superior to all others." Mrs. JERRY HOLLIBREAD, HARRISON, Ontario. Hood's Sarsaparilla promises to cure and keeps the promise.

IMMIGRATION HOSPITAL, QUEBEC

Burned to Ground by Bad Electric Wiring—Loss Fifty Thousand Dollars—Belonged to Dominion.

QUEBEC, April 28.—(Special)—The immigration hospital here owned by the Dominion Government was burned to the ground today involving a loss of fifty thousand dollars. The fire probably started from defective electric wiring.

PROSPECTS FOR OLD HOME WEEK

Are the Brightest—Arch Irwin Returned Last Night From a Trip to the New England States.

Archibald Irwin, Editor of the P. E. I. Magazine and Secretary of the P. E. I. Tourist and Development Association, who has been for the past two weeks in the New England States booming the Old Home Week returned early this morning. Mr. Irwin has been successful in his trip and anticipates a Reunion in this province this summer that will be beyond the expectations of the most sanguine.

At a meeting of the Prince Edward Island Association, held in Boston on Wednesday evening, the 26th inst., Mr. Irwin had the honor of being made an honorary member. He was introduced by the President of the Association and invited to address the meeting. Mr. Irwin explained the aims of the Association stating what had already been accomplished and also referred to the Home Comers Week to be celebrated this summer. The members present entered with interest into a discussion of details connected with transportation, accommodation and other matters, many of them pointing out where improvements might be made in the mode of travel to and from the Province. Mr. Irwin stated that a much-improved service had been arranged for this year, and that those in control of the transportation by rail, with whom he had had a number of interviews had promised to do their very best to cater to the comfort of travellers to the Island. The members of the Association were unanimous in their desire to assure to the best of their power, the success of the Home Comers Celebration, and a committee of three—the President, the Vice President and the Secretary were appointed a committee to assist the P. E. I. Tourist Association in distributing advertising matter and in promoting increased tourist travel to Prince Edward Island.

Mr. Irwin distributed some advertising matter and there is little doubt but that the members of the Boston Association will do a good deal in the way of influencing many to visit this province during the summer.

NO WITNESSES FOR THE DEFENCE

To be Called in the Nan Patterson Case—Counsel Claim Prosecution is Weak.

NEW YORK, April 28.—(Special)—In the Nan Patterson trial today counsel for the prisoner said they would call no witnesses for the defence but would rest on the contention that the prosecution had not made out any case. The trial, which was adjourned till Monday, will therefore be brief.

PROVINCIAL LEGISLATURE

House met at 8.30. Mr. Fraser resumed the debate on the Budget dealing with the speech of the previous speaker (the member for Bay View) and quoted at length from the figures of the Public Accounts in charging a great part of the debt to the Liberal Government.

Mr. Clark said the people were tired of hearing the question of responsibility for the debt discussed. The fault lie with the people themselves; the expenditures were needful and he had hoped after the meeting of the Public Accounts Committee that if there was anything wrong it would soon be exposed. But there was nothing to be found which the Opposition could charge against the Government. He referred to the roads as they are at present, and the hay question, and contended that the cause of the deficits was that there was not money enough, not that there had been extravagance. The House then went into Committee of Supply with Mr. Clark in the chair. Shortly after midnight the work of voting supply was concluded. The total amount of ordinary expenditures estimated at \$325,448 and for Capital Account \$12,000. House adjourned at 12.15 this morning till 3 p. m. Monday.

WEATHER FORECAST.

TORONTO, April 29.—(Special)—Slightly winds, fair, and a little higher temperature.

BOSTON BROKER FAILS.

Boston, April 25.—Warren Hunt, of Rockland (Mass.), a promoter and broker, filed a petition in bankruptcy today. His schedule showed liabilities of \$100,983 with assets of \$29,160. Twelve of Hunt's creditors are secured by stocks and bonds, but 55 are unsecured.

T. J. FLEAGER, Medicine Hat, Assn. and a brother-in-law of D. A. Bruce, city is a prominent gentleman in educational circles there and an exchange says that the new school there will be called the Fleager School in honor of him.

GENEROUS GIFT AND LONG REST

From Merchants' Bank to Boy Who Defended its Vaults Against Burglars Recently.

MONTREAL, April 28.—(Special)—The Merchants Bank of Canada today voted generous remuneration and a lengthy holiday to Von Metzke, the Halifax boy who so pluckily defended the bank in Lancaster against robbers a few nights ago.

EDITOR'S MAIL

LOT 48. MAIL SERVICE.

DEAR SIR.—In this advanced age of the world's history, when Railways, Telephones, Wireless Telegraphy &c., are bringing the news of the world from one country to another, from one section to another section of the same country with almost lightning rapidity is it not a serious matter when large influential sections of this Island such as Cross Roads, Mt. Herbert and Bethel are compelled to put up with a semi-weekly mail, and even that very poorly carried out. Does the mail driver for the above mentioned places think that he can come and go with the mail when it may best suit himself? Making every allowance for the stormy winter and the bad state of the roads I unhesitatingly make the assertion that no other place on P. E. Island has been treated as we have been during the past winter and early spring. Sometimes going within half a mile of the Cross Roads' P. O. at eleven o'clock in the forenoon. Very often he comes to Charlottetown, does his own business and arrives at the P. O. with important mail matter any time between 2 and 6 o'clock p. m. When he has no business to transact in Charlottetown he sometimes will go to Southport and if the mail has not arrived there at 10 o'clock will return without and thus deprive us of our mail matter for another week. This was actually the case on a beautiful day this spring. Now, Mr. Editor, I have no doubt you together with the other newspaper men of the city find the subscribers to your papers as good to pay their subscriptions as most of the places on the Island. They pay as heavily in taxes, both local and Federal as any other sections of the country and yet to be compelled to abide with such a miserable mail service as has been given us for the last number of years is simply imposing upon a law-abiding people. Knowing that you, Sir, are always prepared to advance the interests of the people of this Island, I trust you will insert this brief letter in your valuable journal, and call the attention of the Postmaster to the above facts. Yours &c., SUBSCRIBER.

BRILLIANT WRITER DEAD.

QUEBEC, April 24.—Jules Paul Tardivel, editor and proprietor of La Verite, and one of the best known French writers of the province, died this morning at one o'clock at the age of 51 years from Bright's disease.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

CHICAGO, April 28.—(Special)—April Corn 46 1/2 May Corn 46 1/2 Wheat 83 1/2 Wheat 82 1/2 Pork 112.05 " 111.75

BLUE OUTLOOK FOR MIRAMICHI.

NEWCASTLE, April 25.—Miramichi lumbermen are greatly worried on account of the absence of rain. It is not likely that the drives on the Northwest will be got out. It will take a tremendous fall of rain now to bring them out. The drives on the Southwest are in much better shape and can be conveniently brought out.



The Rich Appearance of The New Scale Williams Piano is the result of care and attention given to each detail in the selection of the material for case and finish, the choicest woods and varnish of the finest quality being used. After varnishing, every case is hand-rubbed to the brightest finish, which gives the brilliancy and durable finish, which is only one of their chief characteristics. "Its tone and strength of design are certainly very beautiful." Dr. Edward Fisher, Musical Director of Toronto Conservatory of Music. Write Williams Piano Co., Ltd., Oshawa, for copies of illustrated booklets on the history and construction of a Piano, or call at the local warehouses, MILLER BROS., Charlottetown