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CHARLOTTETOWN, PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND, CANADA, FRIDAY, MAY 7, 1909.

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AWFUL SUFFERINGS OF POOR ARMENIANS

In All Twenty-five Thousand Killed Since Massacres Began, Multitude of Helpless and Destitute Women and Children Left. British Officers Render Aid.

BIERUT, May 6-(Special)-The situation at Suedia, where a number of Armenians were massacred has been relieved as a result of the presence of the Captain of the British battleship Triumph and the British Consul at Alexandretta, who went down the coast.

ADANA, May 6-(Special)-Rev Stephen Trowbridge, missionary, estimates the number of Armenians killed in Adana since the outbreak of anti-Christian rioting at 23,000. The surviving Armenians in the entire province are largely women and children. They amount to about 25,000 souls

and are without homes or anything. A most pitiable and wretched multitude is passing up and down the streets of Adana like lost people. They throng the big factory yards, where a dose of flour is given out by the relief committee. Crowds of brokenhearted women and children are coming from the country to even greater misery in the city.

DUMA HELD A SECRET SITTING

Taxes for Non Combatants Stormy Debate on Allowing Jews in Army.

ST. PETERSBURG, May 6-(Special)-The Duma in a secret sitting adopted the first and second readings of the Military and Naval Bill with amendments, imposing a special tax on those who do not serve in the Army and extending this tax to Finland. Animadversions from the extreme Right on the Jews culminated in a declaration from Deputy Zamiatovskiy that no Jew should be admitted to the army. The debate at times was very stormy.

WILL TAX BACHELORS AND MERRY WIDOWERS

SANTA FE, May 5-A bill was introduced in the New Mexico Legislature providing for the classification of bachelors and widowers and levying a tax against them. Bachelors between the ages of 25 and 45 are to pay \$10 annual tax, and widowers will be required to pay \$25 annual tax. The revenue from the source is to provide support for unmarried women.

SERIOUS FIRE IN HALIFAX

HALIFAX, May 6-One hundred thousand dollar damage was wrought this morning when seven buildings on the water front of this city were consumed by fire. For four hours the entire fire department aided by the Dartmouth brigade and several hundred soldiers from the Garrison battled with the flames and before they were subdued the premises of E. H. Fuller Co., Hardware dealers, E. W. Fraser, Flour and Feed dealer, Donovan & Brennan, Plumbers, J. Simon, Junk Dealer, G. E. M. Stephens, Clothier, and the Eureka Hotel were consumed. The fire was poorly handled in the first ten minutes and spread rapidly. Before it was finally subdued seven engines and three water-boats were engaged. One fireman, Geo. McGuire, was seriously injured by a falling wall. The insurance will only partially cover premises.

Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper

THE EMPIRE NUMBER WILL BE A SURPRISE

Oh! the Daughters of the Empire are bright. They will edit The Guardian one night. The next day ev'ry town Will be turned upside down. With laughter and harmless delight.

Every day adds to the quantity of reading matter for the Empire number of the Morning Daily Guardian on May 22 next.

Those who have been expert and successful trout fishermen on Victoria Day in the past cannot have "poor luck" as a result of securing and reading one or more copies of the Empire number, the last issue of this paper previous to the holiday. Business men are more than usual alert to the advisability of large "special" advertisements, some a half page, in the "special" Empire section with the "special" reading matter in that "special" issue, for everybody will want to see it. Business houses are sending to the Daughters of the Empire for blank forms to place advertising in the Empire number.

WESTLEY WIPED OUT BY FLAMES

NELSON, B. C., May 5-Fire yesterday almost completely wiped out the little town of Westley, twenty-five miles west of here, on the boundary. Only two buildings were left, office and cook-house belonging to Yale-Columbia Lumber Company. The Company's mill, valued at \$50,000, lumber valued at \$50,000 more as well as all the employees house and other buildings, belonging to the firm, were completely destroyed. The fire started from a refuse heap. A high wind carrying the sparks to dry sawdust, and spreading to the mill and lumber yards. It broke out at the noon hour and reached the engine room before being discovered, rendering pumps useless.

MAN DEAD IN WOMAN'S DRESS

LONDON, May 5-The body of a man dressed completely in woman's clothes, from dancing shoes to corsets, was found last night on the shore of Cornwall, near Penzance. The wrists and ankles were shackled and there were severe bruises across the eyes, which suggested foul play. The body was identified as that of a London visitor to Penzance who had been missing since April 26. At first the body was believed to be that of Ronald Ramsay, twin brother of the Earl of Dalhousie, who was lost from the steamship, Cleveland on the night of Saturday, April 24. The fact that the body was dressed in female attire did not seem to show that it was not Ramsay's, as it is said that the ball on ship-board Ramsay was 43 have attended to a fancy dress one and he was to have appeared at it in the character of a suffragette.

A BALLOON ASCENSION

FITCHBURG, Mass., May 5-The first balloon ascension of the year from this city was made late yesterday by Chas. J. Glidden, of Boston and J. Walter Flagg, of Worcester in the balloon Boston, owned by the Aero Club of New England. The balloon left the ground at 4.10 o'clock for the Aero Park and drifted slowly in a northeasterly direction.

PRINCESS GOT DIVORCE

PARIS, May 5-Princess Robert De Broglie, who was a Miss Alexander of San Francisco was today granted a divorce from her husband on the ground of desertion. She was given also the custody of her child and alimony of \$60 a month. The father is to see the child at stated intervals only. The Prince was condemned to pay the costs of the suit.

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A blank order form with prices thereon of each advertisement will be promptly forwarded to any business firm throughout the Province or elsewhere, who will write "Daughters of the Empire, P. O. Box 926, Charlottetown" for same.

The ladies will not receive any remuneration whatever for their work with that number, as the total net receipts both from their "special" advertising and the sales of that issue will be for the "Anti-Tuberculosis" movement.

In a few days blank coupons for ordering copies of the Empire number will begin appearing in The Guardian and be distributed throughout the various parts of the Province. The net receipts from all "special" advertising, and from all sales at five cents or more for each paper will be for the "Anti-Tuberculosis" movement. Every reader of The Rural Daily Guardian should not miss The Morning Daily of above date, for they should know what the women can do in editing a newspaper.

"LOST" MEN MAY BE IN PRISON

KINGSTON, St. Vincent, B. W. I., May 5-It may be that Captain Collins Stephenson and the crew of the whaling ship Carrie D. Knowles, long since thought to have been lost at sea, are alive in a Venezuelan prison. An American seaman, who gives the name of Payne, an escaped prisoner from Venezuela, has made his way to Kingston, where he had before the authorities an astounding story of the seizure of the Carrie D. Knowles at a Venezuela port where she arrived five years ago in distress and the incarceration of the captain and his men. So convinced are the authorities here that there is truth in Payne's story, that they have taken his full statement and have taken steps looking to a speedy investigation.

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SHEERING WILL BE PROFESSIONAL

HAMILTON, Ont., May 5-William Sherring, winner of the Marathon at Athens in 1906, has turned professional. Many attempts have been made to get the little fellow to turn over, but none were successful until Charles Ellridge, promoter of the Marathon in Montreal on May 24, saw him and induced him to sign to run in that race. The inducement offered is \$1,500 win or lose, with the same terms for a race within the month. This means guarantee of \$3,000 for two races.

CINCINNATI FAVORS DAYLIGHT SAVING

CINCINNATI, Ohio, May 5-Prominent Cincinnatians are interesting themselves in a national movement to change business hours during the summer months after the fashion in vogue in England which makes the day begin two hours earlier in the summer months than the remainder of the year.

The plan as suggested provides that each year on May 1st, the standard time of the United States be advanced two hours and continue thus until October 1st. In this way it is intended that persons who start to work at 7 o'clock in the morning during the other months shall begin their day at 5 o'clock in the summer months and quit two hours earlier the plan giving them two hours of daylight for recreation which they are not able to enjoy now.

PROGRESSIVE LADIES' COLLEGE

To keep its pupils in touch with live topics of the day St. Margaret's College for Ladies, Toronto, provides for weekly lectures on current events. A list of the subjects discussed since January last which shows the wide range of important news and questions of interest dealt with is given in "St. Margaret's Chronicle." To schools with complete freedom of initiation new educational methods are possible and St. Margaret's step is certainly a commendable one.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

CHICAGO, May 6-(Special)-May Wheat 117 1/2, May Corn 69 1/2, June Wheat 129, June Corn 72 1/2, June Pork 18.00

PRAIRIE FIRES CAUSE DAMAGE

Two Farmers in Regina Districts Lose Buildings. Caused by Burning Stubble.

REGINA, May 6-(Special)-Prairie fires raged through Regina district yesterday and last night. McNally Bros. 10 miles southwest, lost all their buildings, feed, seed and hay and only saved horses. In the fire which started four miles east and travelled nearly to Pilot Butte, the barns of a farmer named Kopaf were destroyed. The fires in most instances were started by farmers burning stubble.

LOBSTER MEN GO ON STRIKE

Want Higher Prices and Factories at Gabarus, N. S. May Close Down.

SYDNEY, May 6-(Special)-The lobster fishery men of Gabarus are on a strike. The lobster men will not accept the packers' prices and positively refuse to set a trap. They demand that their prices be paid by Saturday night, viz. \$3.25 per cwt and 25 per hundred. They want five cents each for large and ten cents for small lobsters. The packers will eventually be obliged to grant these prices or close their factories, as the fishermen there are united and determined.

ASQUITH PROVIDED FOR AERONAUTICS

LONDON, May 5-The public meetings voicing widespread protests at Government's apathy in the field of aeronautics have had their effect. Premier Asquith today announced that the authorities were providing adequate funds to employ the highest scientific talent with the object of devising and constructing dirigible balloons and aeroplanes and to carry on a continuous series of experiments and investigations. The work has been divided between the Navy and Army and a special committee under the Presidency of Lord Rayleigh, Chancellor of Cambridge University, has been appointed to act as general advisor on the scientific problems involved.

QUARTERLY SESSION SONS TEMPERANCE

The Grand Division, of Prince Edward Island met in this City yesterday morning, afternoon, and evening, representatives being present from quite a number of Subordinate Divisions. The officers present were G. W. Patriarch, Rev. E. S. Weeks, B. D. Bideford; G. Scribe, J. F. Profit Hampton; G. Treasurer, D. W. McFlay, Springfield; G. Sentinel, D. M. McDonald, Hunter River; G. S. L. P. W. C. Howard, Cornwall. Appointed, Protom G. W. Associate, L. U. Fowler, Bedeque; G. Chaplain, J. K. Henry, Grenville; G. Conductor, Hedley Weeks, Fredericton; Past G. W. P.-J. J. Chappell, Charlotte town. Bro. R. Meikle was appointed to organize visitors. The reports of officers showed the order on the Island to be in a very gratifying state of prosperity. Sister Perron of the Grand Division of Nova Scotia was present and escorted to a seat on the right of the G. W. P. A delegation consisting of the G. W. P. G. Scribe, S. F. Hodgson, John Anderson and L. U. Fowler, were appointed to wait on the president of the Dominion Alliance, Rev. H. E. Thomas, on important matters touching the Prohibitory Law. The session was brought to a close after a pleasant and profitable day.

CONDENSED ADVERTISEMENTS

(Too Late for Classification.) WANTED, a girl for general housework. Apply to Mrs. W. F. Robins, 193 Prince St. 5-7431pd. WANTED for Fredrick Farmers Institute, pure bred Holstein bull of milking strain. Parties having same will correspond with D. N. McKay, Sec'y of Institute. 5-742r21pd. MRS. HARWOOD, dress-maker, has removed from 159 Kent St. to 119 Euston St. Old Court House, and will proceed with business as before. Old customers please call. 5-7431pd. FOR SALE, Farm of 200 acres at Dundas lately occupied by George E. Saville. Apply to McLeod & Bentley, Charlottetown. 5-7431pd.

Minard's Liniment Cures Garget in cows. The temperature was thirty-nine degrees above zero at half past two this morning. Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria.

FAIR AND MILD. TORONTO, May 7-(Special)-Moderate to fresh winds, fine, not much change in temperature.

JUDGE HANINGTON OF DORCHESTER

Unexpected Death of Able Jurist and Ex-Premier. His Career in Brief. Sackville Has Three Unusual Funerals.

DORCHESTER, May 6-(Special)-Judge Daniel Lionel Hanington of the supreme Bench died this morning, after a lengthy illness, the end being totally unexpected as the patient had been steadily improving. Judge Hanington was born in Shediac in 1835, admitted to the bar in 1859 and until his elevation to the Bench practiced at Dorchester. He was promoted to the Bench in 1892, but for twenty years previous had been one of the foremost figures in provincial politics being Premier for some years, giving way to the late A. G. Blair. He was a leader in Church of England affairs, being delegate to the

Pan-Anglican Congress, and was for fifty years Superintendent of the Dorchester Sunday School. SACKVILLE, May 6-(Special)-Three funerals with the burial of five persons were held this afternoon. The funeral of Conductor Trueman, took place from his late residence with service at the Methodist Church at three o'clock three children of Chas. Crossman, who were suffocated in Tuesday night's tragedy, were buried. An hour later the funeral of five year old Clara Allen, who died from the effects of burns was held. Such a day of sorrow has not been known here before.

YALE STUDENTS ON THE RAMPAGE

NEW HAVEN, Conn., May 5-Charged with breach of the peace and injury to property, W. F. Howe, Jr., of Brookline, Mass., and N. G. Tomlinson, of New York City, members of the Yale freshmen class, were arrested last night in the foyer of a local opera house. Howe and Tomlinson, in company with about 200 other Yale freshmen, made a demonstration in front of the opera house later, entering the foyer and smashing the fittings there and assaulting an attendant who attempted to prevent their entry. The two men were released on bail for appearance in court this morning.

A SLIGHT FIRE LAST EVENING

About 10.45 last night a fire broke out at the residence of John White on Richmond Street. Owing to the high wind at the time things might have proved serious, but owing to the promptness of the fire department the blaze was extinguished before anything of a serious nature took place. A stranger who happened to be passing by was overheard remarking upon the quickness of the firemen in responding to the alarm, and a Guard (an representative being of a somewhat inquisitive frame of mind entered into a conversation with the speaker. He learned that the gentleman came from one of the large American cities, and was a person of some influence. These facts may help to prove the true weight of the following words, "Well I know very little about Charlottetown, but if every person, and everything is of as high a standard as your fire fighters, they certainly must be O. K."

The press has more than once expressed its opinion of this important branch of Charlottetown enterprise, and it is nothing but a genuine pleasure to hear the candid opinion of an outsider on the same subject. Condensed Advertisements (Too Late for Classification.) WANTED, a girl for general housework. Apply to Mrs. W. F. Robins, 193 Prince St. 5-7431pd. WANTED for Fredrick Farmers Institute, pure bred Holstein bull of milking strain. Parties having same will correspond with D. N. McKay, Sec'y of Institute. 5-742r21pd. MRS. HARWOOD, dress-maker, has removed from 159 Kent St. to 119 Euston St. Old Court House, and will proceed with business as before. Old customers please call. 5-7431pd. FOR SALE, Farm of 200 acres at Dundas lately occupied by George E. Saville. Apply to McLeod & Bentley, Charlottetown. 5-7431pd.

WINNERS OF "SPECIAL" PRIZES TOMORROW

Japanese people are celebrated for their skill in jugglery, strength and dexterity, and the feats they perform are so difficult that they seem impossible. The figures represented in wax are arranged upon pedestals around the Winter Garden, in addition to which several figures are suspended from the truss work of the Garden. These latter include a Japanese woman balanced upon a slender wire, a girl upon a trapeze and two other figures suspended in graceful and difficult attitudes. The fifteen figures represented these wonderful people. The sides of the Winter Garden are covered with huge French plate mirrors which reflect the figures until the number seems almost unlimited. They are all dressed in the richest costumes possible and to a large extent the figures and costumes are exact reproductions of famous Japanese jugglers who have from time to time performed at the Musée. In the rear of the Winter Garden will be found the very interesting figure of a Japanese warrior in armor. The attention of the public is called particularly to the wonderful delicacy of the work shown in the manufacture of the complicated armor on this figure. The beautiful statue, in bronze, the Laocoon, is a faithful reproduction of one of the best known of ancient statuary, whose origin is shrouded in mystery. It was discovered in 1506, on the site of the ruins of Titus's Palace in Rome, where it had remained buried in the dirt since the destruction of Rome, by the Goths and Vandals. It had become damaged, and a restoration was effected by Michael Angelo, who found that the statue was made up of three marble blocks most skillfully joined together. (Continued on page 3.)

ELECTRICITY MAY BE USED ON NEW LINE

MONTREAL, Que., May 5-The project of electrification of the Grand Trunk Pacific from Montreal to Moncton, 460 miles seems to be taken seriously. The officials of the company here have it under their serious consideration and the Government of Canada and New Brunswick also have it in hand. The power which would be utilized would be from the Grand Falls on the St. John River about half way between the two points and in connection with the lakes would give 150,000 horse-power. The officials here are very reticent. The chief reason for its use if it becomes a fact is the cheapness, and the great saving it would mean in absence of bush fires in the immense stretch of spruce forest through which the line passes.

SHAREHOLDERS TO PAY SIXTY DOLLARS

TORONTO, Ont., May 5-Shareholders of the Ontario Bank will be called on for sixty dollars per share each to make up the liability of six hundred thousand dollars. The capital of the bank was a million and one half, but holdings by the Bank and insolvent parties bring available shares for assessment down to about a million dollars. Parties who purchased shares at the hundred and thirty-five, price they ruled at before failure, lose one hundred and ninety-five dollars on every share held. Shareholders are contesting the claim. Minard's Liniment Cures Colds etc.

TELEPHONES IN RAILWAY DEPOTS

Railway Commission Makes Sweeping Order. All Phone Companies Have Rights.

OTTAWA, May 6-(Special)-A general order made by the Railway Commission affects the telephone situation. It is ruled that in spite of any agreement for the exclusive use of the railway station between the Bell Telephone Company and a Railway, any independent telephone company shall have the right to have an instrument placed in any railway station. The order was made general.

BULLET CAUSED SMALL TROUBLE

But Traveled Fourteen Years From Woman's Head Down to Her Foot.

YOUNGSTOWN, May 5-(Special)-A bullet which lodged in the head of Miss Elizabeth Farragher 14 years ago has been found in one of the woman's feet. The bullet never caused any pain in its travels. She discovered the projectile near the surface of the skin by accident. An operation was performed and the bullet removed.

BRITISH RIFLEMEN DEFEAT AMERICANS

WASHINGTON, May 5-British riflemen in the international small bore match just ended demonstrated their superiority over the Americans by scoring an overwhelming victory. The match was a friendly one with small bore rifles on gallery ranges in the respective countries, the targets were issued by the British Society of Miniature Rifle Clubs, were signed by the respective associations and interchanged, and the results were announced by cable. Australia, the other contestant, has not yet been heard from, but the National Rifle Association of American, under whose auspices the contests were conducted in this country, is of the opinion that their scores will not equal those of the British team.

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MISS MABEL HOWATT, Tryon.

one of the leading candidates from Prince County District, in The Guardian's contest, by the popular young ladies for the Big Free Trip to New York City and return. Tomorrow's issue will contain the names of the winners of the "special prizes" of \$10. in gold and \$5. in gold, and there will be many surprises. At the Eden Musee on 23rd Street near Broadway, New York City, the marvelous perfect and artistic Japanese Jugglers are posed in the Winter Garden, where the daily afternoon and evening concerts are held.

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