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## GZAR REFUSES TO ACCEPT ADDRESS

### In Person—The Russian Members of Parliament Insulted and their Rage Difficult to Control—Feared the Result of this Will Be Civil War

ST. PETERSBURG, May 20.—(Special)—A bomb was thrown in Parliament today by the Czar's refusal to receive the address personally. He directed that it be presented through the Ministry of the Court. Instead of complying, President Morozoff called a special meeting tomorrow morning when a heated discussion is expected.

## MISSING CHILDREN MYSTERY GROWS DEEPER

### No Sign of the little Ones Yet Discovered—A Thorough and Systematic Search Made To No Effect—All Hope is Abandoned—All Sorts of Theories About the Case Reviewed—Nothing Definite.

SACKVILLE, N. B., May 20.—(Special)—The mystery surrounding the disappearance last Sunday night of the two little Creamer children is becoming even more insoluble as time passes. The impression was strong that when this Sunday came and hundreds joined in the search that the dead bodies would surely be found in the woods where they wandered thus throwing light on the terrible affair but after fully two hundred men and boys searched diligently throughout the day when the woods were covered carefully for miles by a living chain all hope is abandoned. How children aged three and five could penetrate thick under brush and travel over obstructions that try the strength of men, and so quickly get beyond discovery is one of the most mysterious things that can possibly be imagined.

## A CALAMITY FOR TOWN OF COBALT

### An Explosion of Dynamite Wrecks many Houses and Fire Afterwards Causes Further Damage—Forest Fires Were the Cause of the Explosion

COBALT, Ont., May 20.—(Special)—Several tons of dynamite in the western section of the town exploded on Friday through forest fires igniting the building in which the explosive was stored, wrecking twenty five houses and breaking the glass in almost every house in town. A number of citizens were more or less injured by flying debris, but in no case was the injury of a very serious nature. Fire broke out after the explosion and about fifty houses in the French quarter were burned before being got under control. The wildest excitement prevailed for some time but as soon as the people realized the limited extent of the disaster quiet was restored.

## THE S. S. HESTIA FLOATED AGAIN

HALIFAX, May 20.—(Special)—The Donaldson liner Hestia, which sank in Shelbourne harbor a week ago was successfully floated on Saturday.

## DESPOBENT BOY HAS DISAPPEARED

### Had Lost Situation and Threatened to Kill Himself—Has Not Been Seen Since.

ST. JOHN, May 20.—(Special)—Joseph Lyons, an eighteen year old lad, lost his position in a machine shop last Thursday. On Friday morning he left the house in great despondency saying that if he couldn't get his job back he would kill himself. His employer refused to re-engage him and he has not been seen since. His parents are wild with anxiety and have engaged the police to aid in the search for him. The last seen of him was in the vicinity of the Marsh bridge where a strong current runs seaward.

## REV. W. W. BAER IS SUSPENDED

### For Six Months For Intemperance—He Resigns From Ministry.

VICTORIA, B. C., May 20.—(Special)—Rev. W. W. Baer of Nelson was convicted of habitual intemperance before the West Kootenay Methodist District Court and suspended from the ministry for six months. He resigned from the Ministry.

## THE CAPTURED TRAIN ROBBERS

### Said to Be Canadians and to Come of Highly Respectable Families.

VANCOUVER, B. C., May 20.—(Special)—It has developed that the train robbers Edwards or Miner as well as Lewis Colquhoun or Calhoun are Canadians. Calhoun's people in Ontario are declared to be highly respected. It is reported Colquhoun will turn King's Evidence.

## LAUNDRY BURNED IN MONTREAL

### A Fine Building Guttled—Loss Is Estimated at Forty Five Thousand Dollars.

MONTREAL, May 20.—(Special)—A fire this morning gutted the five story building on the corner of St. Paul and Champ de Mars occupied by the Imperial Laundry. The loss is forty five thousand dollars.

## RAILROAD SOLD IN NEW BRUNSWICK

### The Hampton and St. Martins Railway—It Was Bid in For Bond Holders.

HAMPTON, N. B., May 20.—(Special)—Under a decretal order issued out of the Supreme Court the Hampton St. Martins Railway, together with all its plant, buildings, rolling stock and franchises were sold at public auction on Wednesday. The road was sold for fifteen hundred dollars which bid was made by George Vaughan of St. Martins for the bond holders.

## GETTING READY FOR N. S. ELECTIONS

HALIFAX, N. S., May 18.—The liberal and the conservative conventions for Halifax have been called to nominate candidates for the provincial general elections. The liberal convention will take place on May 28th, and the Conservative on May 29th. The elections will likely be held either on June 22 or June 23.

## U. S. RAILWAYS NOW CONTROLLED

WASHINGTON, May 18.—The principal purpose of the railroad rate bill passed today is to permit the Interstate Commerce Commission to fix rates. The provision conferring this authority is found in the fourth section of the bill which amends section 15 of the interstate commerce law so as to accomplish that result. That section directs the commission to investigate complaints of unjust and unreasonable charges on the part of common carriers in the transportation of persons or property or of regulations or of practices affecting such charges. It also authorizes an inquiry as to whether the rates or practices are "unjustly" discriminatory or otherwise in violation of the act, and in case any of these conditions are found to exist, the commission is empowered to determine and prescribe what will be the just and reasonable maximum rate and what regulation or practice is just, reasonable and fair.

## SUNDAY PAPERS & LORD'S DAY ACT

OTTAWA, May 19.—The Sunday newspaper is doomed. An appeal was made to the committee on behalf of five British Columbia morning papers that publish Sundays but gave their employees a rest by bringing out no issue on Mondays. The committee, however, appreciate undesirable features of the sale of newspapers on Sundays and will doubtless frame their finding accordingly. Newspapers publishing on Monday mornings will be allowed to set their staffs to work at 8 o'clock Sunday evening. The clauses dealing with the Sunday operations of trains will be to some extent in the nature of a compromise bill as drafted did not attempt to interfere with passenger traffic other than to put a ban on Sunday excursions. The bill may be further amended to allow delivery from cars on Sunday of perishable goods on arrival and the transfer from train to boat or elevator of wheat arriving from the west on Sundays at terminal points on the great lakes. Sunday labor will not be forbidden upon vessels where it is essential to their leaving port on scheduled time.

## NO TRACE OF THE CREAMER CHILDREN

ST. JOHN, May 18.—Never in the history of Westmorland County has an event caused so much stir as the disappearance of the two Creamers who left their home in Bayfield on Sunday night. No trace of them has been found, and it is now brought out that their father is a disreputable character, and since the children's disappearance has been on a notorious spree, while the mother is afraid of her life. Hundreds of citizens are continuing the search. Some believe the children were kidnapped for the purpose of causing the father to give up drink, but if that is true, it is having a contrary effect.

## GREAT INCREASE OF IMMIGRANTS

OTTAWA, May 20.—(Special)—The flood of immigration continues to raise. For the first ten months of the fiscal year over a hundred and seventeen thousand arrived, being an increase of over eighteen thousand over the same period in last year. Over eleven thousand came from the United States.

## SILVER CLOUD IS TOTAL WRECK

ST. JOHN, N. B., May 20.—(Special)—While passing Mispec Point, bound to this port from Digby, N. S., the packet schr. Silver Cloud, Capt. Post, went ashore in a dense fog on Saturday night. Today she rolled off at low water and when the tide came in filled and sank. She will be a total loss. Vessel is owned by Capt. Post and other Digby parties.

## CUBANS FIGHT WITH AMERICANS

WASHINGTON, May 18.—The Navy department has received the first report of a serious fight which occurred at Guantanamo, Cuba, on April 29, between American sailors and natives, in which one American was shot and twenty-two others were wounded. While the sailors were ashore at Guantanamo they left the naval reservation and were attacked by a large band of natives, who used their knives and machetes with telling effect. The blue jackets had no weapons, and although outnumbered three and four to one they fought with their fists until all were disabled. The local police, it is said, instead of attempting to quell the riot, sided with the natives. The sailor who was shot was for a time in a serious condition, but has since recovered.

## MORE ABOUT THE PAGE MURDER

BINGHAM, Me., May 18.—A telephone message received here yesterday from Sheriff Smith at Greenville Junction informed the authorities who are holding Jerry Hayes, the laborer arrested in connection with the Mabel Page murder case he would arrive on the forenoon train to take Hayes to Skowhegan for a hearing. Sheriff Smith while here questioned Hayes for an hour, and the questions answers were taken by a stenographer. Hayes did not deny having had conversation with Mrs. Margaret F. Brown, of this town, with whom he boarded, and said he may have made some foolish talk while drinking heavily. He positively denied being at the Mabel Page house or that he even knew where it is situated. He said that during the spring of 1904 when the murder was committed he was working at Wellesley, Mass., and on a certain day he did call at the house to get a drink of water and may have spoken of that to Mrs. Brown, but he did not think it was the day of the murder. He stated that all he knew about the Mabel Page case is what he read in the papers. He denied ever going under any other name than "Jerry Hayes." He says he arrived here in September, 1904, and has made his headquarters here since that time. The officers took Hayes and Mrs. Brown to Skowhegan as arranged they would not reach Skowhegan until after three o'clock.

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Wheat, 84 1/2    Wheat, 83  
Pork, May, \$15.57    Pork, Jan., \$15.02

## FISHERY BULLETIN.

May 19.—(Special)—Alberton District: Cod, herring and lobsters plenty. Malpeque: Herring plenty, lobsters fair. Bloomfield: Herring plenty, cod and lobsters fair.

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## NAVIGATION OF YUKON RIVER

WASHINGTON, May 18.—The Post Office department has been advised that navigation will open on the Yukon, on or about June 6, after which date and until the close of the season, the postal service to all points of the Yukon, including Alaska, will go via the Yukon absolutely, restricted according to the class of the mail.

## CONDENSED ADVERTISEMENTS

(Too late for Classification.)  
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