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FOUR KILLED IN MEDICINE HAT GAS EXPLOSION

STATE PRISONER WILL PROBABLY BE RELEASED—FIGHTING ALONG TCHATALJI LINES

SUPERIOR FLYING MACHINE BY BRITISH EXPERTS

SAID TO BE SUPERIOR TO THOSE IN POSSESSION OF ANY OTHER NATION—SECRETARY OF WAR MAKES AN ANNOUNCEMENT

(Special to The Daily News.) London, March 20.—Col. Seely, Minister of War, made a statement in the House of Commons today announcing that army experts had succeeded in evolving a flying machine that is much superior to any in the possession of other nations.

G.T.P. OFFICIAL GIVES LITTLE POSITIVE INFORMATION

THE MOST PROBABLE SITE FOR THE NEW HOTEL IS WHERE ANNEX NOW STANDS—NO DEFINITE INFORMATION AS TO TIME OF COMPLETION OF RAILWAY

Arriving on the Prince George yesterday, Mr. M. Donaldson, vice-president and general manager of the Grand Trunk Pacific, spent the whole of the morning with Mr. W. C. C. Mehan, general superintendent, discussing work that has been done so far and various plans for the immediate future. In the afternoon, in company with Mr. Mehan and Mr. McNicholl, he personally inspected a large portion of the waterfront and the extensive improvements that have already been made towards the preparation of terminals and station site.

In regard to the date of an actual start on the building of the station Mr. Donaldson made no definite statement.

Plans are being carefully considered and the company realized that there is no time to be lost in getting things under way.

In regard to the proposed hotel, the site has not yet been definitely settled, but Mr. Donaldson was of the opinion that it would probably be erected on Second Ave., probably where the Annex now stands. Mr. Donaldson said he expected to see a start made during the present year. It will be an imposing structure, he says, 175 feet high, and will be fitted throughout in keeping with other large hotels of the system.

Another matter that is being considered at the present time is a site for the erection of oil tanks to supply fuel to the steamers of the G.T.P. fleet, it being the intention to convert all of their steamers into oil burners. The Prince Albert is at the present time being changed from a coal burner to an oil burner.

Speaking of the Kaieen Island road Mr. Donaldson said the company was prepared to assist in its construction. The matter had been considered and would be further gone into before leaving the city.

Asked as to when he expected the road would be linked up, Mr. Donaldson declined to answer positively. He hoped that, barring unfavorable conditions, the line to Prince Rupert would be finished some time next year.

It is Mr. Donaldson's intention to make a trip of inspection over the line before returning south. He will remain here for several days.

A. D. McPhaden, local representative for the Swift Canadian Company, left last night on the Venture on a business trip to Vancouver.

Everybody come to the ball game tonight. Best game of the season.

BASEBALL
TONIGHT
Skating Rink, 8:30

GERMAN DIRIGIBLE BROKEN IN TWO

Military Dirigible of the Zeppelin Type Wrecked While Landing

(Special to The Daily News.) Kersrupe, Germany, March 19.—Within two months after its trial trip flight, the military dirigible of the Zeppelin type was wrecked today, being broken in two while attempting a landing.

TRAINS TO FORT GEORGE NEXT FALL

Grand Trunk Pacific Railway West from Edmonton Will then be Operating

Vancouver, March 19.—"Construction along the line of the Grand Trunk Pacific between Tete Jaune Cache and Fort George is proceeding at a rapid rate. Ninety per cent of that section has been graded and the remainder is covered and should be finished late next fall when a regular train service will be inaugurated. Mixed trains are now running to and from Edmonton and a point thirty miles west of Tete Jaune Cache," said Mr. F. E. Chamberlin, of Winnipeg, who is at the Hotel Vancouver.

Mr. Chamberlin is a brother of the president and has charge of the railway company's interests west of the Yellowhead Pass. He reached Vancouver last night from Fort George after making a detailed inspection of the section now under construction. He stated that there was no scarcity of men, over 5,000 being employed by the various contractors along the south fork of the Fraser. He travelled south from Fort George in a sleigh, later taking a stage and completing the last section by automobile.

AMBITIOUS PLAN OF THE C. N. R.

New Scheme of Financing Said to Entail Handling of \$200,000,000

Vancouver, March 19.—All of Sir William Mackenzie's many trips across the Atlantic hither to on financial missions for the Canadian Northern Railway and other Mackenzie & Mann interests bid fair to be eclipsed on the present pilgrimage of the Toronto railway magnate to Europe, according to railway and financial authorities, for it is stated that his present mission has as its object the final financing or co-ordinating of the finances of the entire Mackenzie-Mann interests, which will require a sum probably greatly in excess of two hundred million dollars. Col. Davidson went to London just ahead of him.

FOOTBALL MATCH TOMORROW AFTERNOON

The first football game of the season will be played tomorrow (Good Friday) afternoon, between two teams of the Callies to be called A. and B. The line up will be as follows:

A Team—Goal, Patterson, full backs, Watt and Robertson; forwards, Murray and Gilmour; forwards, Stewart, McLean, Abbott, Lamb, J. Currie and McMeekin.

B Team—Goal, J. Kelly, full backs, Martin and Brown; half backs, Dennis and J. H. Kelly; forwards, Campbell, Willisroft, Hunter, Ferguson, S. Currie, Dowther.

The game is called for 2.30.

TURKS GAIN MANY STRATEGICAL POINTS

Fighting Continues Along the Tchatalji Lines and Turks Makes Advances

(Special to The Daily News.) London, March 19.—A Constantinople despatch says that fighting continues along the Tchatalji lines. The Turks have advanced three miles north of Derkos and have occupied many strategical points.

London, March 19.—The bombardment of Constantinople by the foreign warships now lying off the Moslem capital is an admitted possibility, according to government officials here today. Another revolution is imminent in Constantinople, the latest despatches here say, and if an active revolt starts, it is expected the foreign warships will be ordered to shell the city.

A despatch received here today from Alexandria, where the Turkish cruiser Hemedieh is anchored, said the cruiser's bombardment of Servians along the Adriatic coast killed 119 persons.

London, March 19.—With the improvement in the weather conditions the armies in the near East have become more active, although thus far the news of a pitched battle of any character has not come through.

According to the official reports issued at Sofia, both the Bulgarians and the Turks at Tchatalji have been moving and reconnoitering parties have been in collision. In one case a rather sharp engagement resulted. Two Bulgarian parties sent out in the direction of Akalon took a redoubt to the east of the village at the point of the bayonet. The Turks have reinforced and tried to capture it, but in the attack lost three hundred dead and wounded, who were left on the field.

The same day the Turks advanced towards Kadikeui, but were repulsed. According to Constantinople reports conditions in the Galipoli peninsula are quiet. An engagement in the Tchatalji district is reported, the Turkish warships bombarding the Bulgarian positions at Livei, but with what result is not known.

Late advices say that the Montenegrin siege guns have commenced a fierce bombardment of Scutari, a portion of which is in flames.

DENOUNCES ORIENTAL SETTLERS OF PROVINCE

Rev. Dr. McKay, of Presbyterian Mission Board Calls Them Mistake

Toronto, March 19.—A vigorous denunciation of the admission into British Columbia as permanent settlers of Chinese, Japanese and Hindus has just been issued by Rev. Dr. McKay, of the Presbyterian Foreign Mission Board.

In his statement Dr. McKay says that it was a mistake to admit the Hindus at all, for at present they are quite incapable of self-government and to them Canadian citizenship has no meaning. He further states that those who are here should be allowed a reasonable time to return home and that no further immigration should be tolerated. These regulations should apply to all Oriental laborers now here and no others should be admitted.

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STATE PRISONER MAY BE RELEASED

R. C. Miller, Confined to Jail for the Past Month, in Bad Health

Ottawa, March 19.—R. C. Miller, who was committed to jail on Feb. 20th for refusing to answer questions put to him by the public accounts committee, continues in bad health. It is reported that he will likely be released before prorogation of the House.

LIBERAL SENATOR DIED AT OTTAWA

Senator McMullen, a Prominent Figure in the House of Commons for Many Years Died Yesterday

Ottawa, March 19.—Hon. Jas. McMullen, a member of the Senate since 1902, died here today, after a brief illness. Deceased was born in Ireland in 1836 and came to Canada with his parents when only seven years of age, settling on a farm near Fergus, Ontario. After serving about ten years in municipal life he was elected to the House of Commons in 1882 as Liberal representative for North Wellington, being re-elected for three successive terms. He was a director of several railway and insurance companies.

G. T. P. BOATS FROM SOUTH NEXT WEEK

Word has been received at the local G. T. P. passenger office that the new summer schedule of the steamboat service will go into effect one week earlier than was previously announced. Next week there will arrive the two boats, the Prince George and the Prince Rupert. The George, as usual on Wednesday and the Rupert on Saturday.

TWENTY-TWO REBELS LINED UP AND SHOT

Short Shrift for the Followers of Zapata in Mexico

Puebla, Mex., March 19.—A detachment of twenty-two adherents of the rebel Zapata was captured by federal troops near here yesterday, taken to a neighboring farm, lined up and shot without trial. The actions of the federals is approved by inhabitants of the district.

Douglas, Ariz., March 19.—Fourteen federal soldiers wounded in Saturday's battle have died at Naco, making a total of more than thirty known dead among Ojedas' federal troops. The loss to the state troops was at least fifty killed although only about 25 of the bodies have been recovered from the battlefield. These losses do not include those executed by the victorious state troops.

FAMOUS POLICE CHIEF RESIGNS HIS POST

Paris, March 19.—Louis Lepine, a famous chief of police for the last twenty years, has resigned and will lead a retired life.

Mr. C. G. Duncane, consulting engineer for the city water pipe line, accompanied by city engineer Mason, left early this morning to pay a visit to Woodworth Lake. However they were obliged to return without accomplishing their wish, as they found Shawatlans Lake frozen over with a sheet of ice too thick to allow of rowing a boat, and yet not strong enough to permit of crossing on foot. Mr. Duncane is returning to Vancouver tomorrow on the Prince George.

MEDICINE HAT EXPLOSION KILLS FOUR, INJURES MANY

EXPLOSION FOLLOWED FIRE AT WESTERN CANNERIES—MANY SUPPOSED TO BE BURIED UNDER THE DEBRIS

(Special to The Daily News.) Medicine Hat, March 19.—Four persons are known to be dead and a dozen more were seriously injured as the result of a gas explosion which followed a fire at the Western Canneries building late this afternoon. Many are reported to be buried under the debris.

OFFERS SUBSTANTIAL PRIZES FOR GRAHAM ISLAND FAIR

HOSOM LAND SYNDICATE CONDUCTING EXPERIMENTAL STATION—MANY SETTLERS ARE BEING ATTRACTED BY THE SOIL AND CLIMATE

Among the passengers arriving on the George yesterday were S. D. Sewall and A. J. M. Hosom, both of whom have extensive interests on Graham Island. The former brought with him a party of twelve, several of whom are taking up land on the island and the remainder are looking into the prospects and possibilities.

The former gentleman is connected with the Star Realty Co., of Vancouver, who are the fiscal agents for the Graham Island Settlement Co., Ltd. The latter company have large land interests on Masset Inlet, about 20 miles from the village of Masset. Up to the present fifteen settlers have taken up land and it is expected that the number will be rapidly increased. The company have recently built a sawmill at Sewall, a townsite they are putting on the market, and are clearing land for a hotel and boarding houses for the men who will be employed there. A contract for 5000 telegraph poles for shipment to Panama, which the company recently secured, will give employment to a large number of men. A good deal of work is also being done on roads and trails.

Mr. Hosom represents the Hosom Land Syndicate of Seattle, owning 30,000 acres of land west of Naden Harbor. He has visited Graham Island a number of times during the past four years and has remarkable faith in its possibilities and future development. It is his intention to establish at once an experimental station for the purpose of demonstrating the suitability of the soil and climate for different varieties of grasses, grains, vegetables and fruits. He is taking over with him a supply of seeds which will be given a fair test this season. Four men are permanently employed looking after the experimental work.

Both Mr. Sewall and Mr. Hosom state that the farmers of Graham Island are hearty supporters of the coming exhibition to be held at Prince Rupert this fall. They are at present considering the advisability of holding an exhibition at some point on the northern end of the island just prior to the Prince Rupert fair with the idea of bringing the entire exhibit here for the latter event. As an inducement towards the holding of such an event on the island the Hosom Land Syndicate have expressed their willingness to contribute substantial support to be applied as premiums for the best cleared acre and the best 500 foot drain ditch, both to be 1913 improvements, also for the best five acre tract cleared and drained this year and made ready for cultivation. They also offer a substantial prize for the best engineering scheme in writing, with plans attached, for the districts east and west of Naden Harbor, with estimates of cost for each district. They will also offer premiums for the best exhibits of fruits, vegetables,

grains, and the products of the sea, including whale, canned and salted, salmon, halibut, herring, cod, crabs, clams and northern shrimps, also the products of the forest and mine,—coal, oil, copper, clays, limestone and sandstone. These prizes would be offered for a three year term of annual exhibits, but they would hold the option of giving cash or sending stump machines, stump powder or drain ditchers.

In the matter of sports they would offer prizes for horse races, aeroplane races or automobile races, all of which could be held on the north beach of Graham Island, where thirty automobiles can drive abreast for twenty miles. Yacht, motor boat and canoe races would command attention.

Mr. Hosom is a most enthusiastic booster for Graham Island, its climate and its agricultural and horticultural possibilities.

Owing to special attractions at the Majestic last week there was no gold prize drawing. On account of this, manager Witt has decided to make the drawing this week for double the amount usually offered. This evening the drawing will be for \$20. An excellent bill is provided in the way of entertainment of both amusing and instructive character.

Miss Milligan, of the Public School staff expects to spend the Easter vacation at Granby Bay.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Peters and family are on pension at the Bayview.

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You be the Judge

We do not ask you to take our word for any statement made in this circular. We might say, right here and now, that you shall be the judge. Come and see for yourself. Look over the great bargains offered and see if we are not making prices which were never before made in this store or in any other store in town. This is not a profit-making sale. Mothers, bring your children. Husbands bring your wives. Now is the opportunity to dress well for little money. If we were to offer you silver dollars for 50c you would line up in front of the store and wait your turn. Now here is the same proposition, so get in line. Be here early. Don't allow your neighbor to get ahead of you. In some cases we are going further than offering you silver dollars for 50 cents. Now we advise you to HURRY! HURRY!! HURRY!!! If you can't run, hurry just a little.

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FIRE BRIGADE DID QUICK WORK TODAY

Cottage Back of Skating Rink Was Scene of Fire this Afternoon

Just before going to press news was received of a fire which did considerable damage this afternoon to a small cottage just at the rear of the large Auditorium and not more than 20 feet from it.

The cottage was occupied by Mr. William Watson, an employee at the dry dock. At the time the fire occurred Mrs. Watson was sick in bed and her little daughter accidentally dropped some coals from the stove on the floor. The fire gained headway rapidly and Mrs. Watson had her hair slightly singed but was not seriously burned. An alarm was turned in and the brigade was promptly on the scene. While a good deal of the furniture was destroyed, several boxes containing clothes were saved. The fire was soon under control, the damage, amounting to probably a hundred dollars, being confined entirely to the interior of the house.

Mr. Jos. Scott, who lives next door, removed most of his furniture fearing the fire might spread to his residence. He will have a busy afternoon replacing it.

Mrs. Watson is at present staying with a neighbor, Mrs. Neilson.

Many comments were heard as to the splendid and quick response of the fire brigade, notwithstanding that they had quite a long run down Fulton to 8th Avenue, thence to McBride and back to the scene of the fire.

THE WEATHER.

The weather report at 5 o'clock this morning read: Barometer, 30.102; maximum temperature, 31; minimum temperature, 20.

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Mexican Federal General Bating for Supremacy of Northern Sonora

Navo, Arizona, March 19—General Ojeda, with a force of 475 federals, is fighting an enemy twice his strength this afternoon in what may prove to be the decisive battle for supremacy in Northern Sonora. Bottled up at Naco by constitutionalists advancing from the east, west and south, the commander of Huerta's army unexpectedly left his fortifications and marched two miles southeast to meet the columns of Elias Galles and Prefecto Braemonte. A brisk engagement began at once, the federals using field artillery with effect. By 1 o'clock the fighting was general between the 500 federals and 900 state troops. The constitutionalists were beginning to hold their positions despite the artillery fire.

See the wonderful ball tossers at the Auditorium. 11

NEW WESTMINSTER WITHOUT PHONES

Telephone Service Crippled by Blowing Out of Switchboard

New Westminster, March 17—This city is without telephone service and may be so for a week or even longer. On Sunday last about 8 a.m. the main switch in the basement of the local telephone exchange on Clarkson St. was blown out. This made the operating switchboard useless. The blowout also started a fire in the exchange and the fire brigade was called out. But little damage from fire was done, however, although the loss to the switchboard and apparatus from the blowout will be thousands of dollars.

None of the officials of the B. C. Telephone Company who visited the city yesterday would say what was responsible for the accident. They intimated that the trouble resulted from cross wires somewhere or from some unknown cause. Shortage of men will render the work of repairing the damage slower than usual. There is also a possibility that some parts destroyed yesterday will have to be ordered from Chicago. Every effort is being made to repair the damage as quickly as possible and give the public telephone service once more.

J. W. McIntosh, representing W. J. Pendry & Co., of Victoria, manufacturers of White Swan soap, is paying a business visit to Prince Rupert and district.

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LOCAL NEWS ITEMS.

Cubs and Pirates tonight at the Auditorium. 11

The Atlin Fisheries Limited, is shipping a big consignment of halibut south tomorrow on the Prince George.

Mr. Adair Cars is leaving for Victoria to write for his final law examination. He expects to be absent from the city about three weeks.

The Prince Rupert Employment Agency sent seventy-five men to Granby Tuesday via ss. Venture for employment on construction work.

Glen Searle, linotype operator at the Daily News office, was able to be out today, having been confined to his room at the Windsor suffering from a cold and rheumatism.

The Princess May arrived in port this morning at 11.30 with a full passenger list en route to Skagway. A great number were returning Klondikers, whilst there also was on board a big contingent for the reported rich placer strike on Teslin Lake. The May had some little difficulty in effecting a landing, breaking one of the heavy hausers before getting finally moored to the wharf. She left again at 1 o'clock.

Mr. W. G. Radford, of the real estate and insurance firm of Patullo & Radford, of Prince Rupert and Dawson City was amongst the passengers returning north today on the Princess May. Mr. Radford, who is Mayor Patullo's partner, represents the Dawson end of their real estate and insurance business. He has spent the winter in the lower coast cities.

Messrs. Archie Martin and Norman Watt, two of the best known of the old pioneer band of adventurers who went into the Klondike in the spring of '98, returned north today on the Princess May, after spending the winter in Eastern Canada.

Mr. Fred. R. Chute, managing director of the Lone Star Mining Co., located near the forks of Bonanza and Eldorado Creeks in the famous Klondike basin, was amongst the northbound passengers today on the Princess May. Mr. Chute, who was one of the original locators of this valuable property in '98, has stuck to it ever since, despite the fact that for years it was difficult to get it upon a paying basis. It is a free-milling proposition and is worked most successfully every season now with a substantial profit. Mr. Chute, for the last three or four years has spent the winter at his home in England, returning early enough in the Spring to get everything in readiness for the season's work.

Anglican Church Notes

The new baptismal font which arrived from Vancouver this week for the St. Andrew's Anglican Church will be dedicated next Sunday afternoon at the close of the Sunday School service. It is the gift of the children of the diocese, Indian as well as white, as St. Andrew's is the cathedral church of the diocese.

The special preacher at the Good Friday service tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock will be Rev. W. F. Rushbrook, captain of the Northern Cross.

In order to give all communicants an opportunity of partaking of the Easter communion there will be three celebrations next Sunday—at 8 a.m., at midday and at the close of the evening service. Special Easter music will be rendered by the vested choir under the leadership of Mr. Mellior.

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