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FOR MEN OF WAR.
The Rochester, N.Y., Naval Reserves, numbering about 600, will be present at Kingston on Queen's Birthday.
The Barcelona police have discovered the existence of a Carlist plot in that city, and arrested five of the conspirators and seized a quantity of arms and ammunition.
PURELY PERSONAL.
The marriage of Richard Harding Davis and Miss Cecil Clark of Chicago will be solemnized in Marion, Mass., on Thursday, May 4.
The Paris correspondent of The New York Journal says: "Despite all reports to the contrary, M. Rostand, the author of 'Cyrano de Bergerac,' is insane, and has been placed in an asylum."
The Academy of Moral and Political Sciences has awarded the Audiffret Prize of 10,600 francs, given yearly for the greatest action of devotion, to Major Marchand for traversing Africa.
The Marquis of Salisbury reappeared in the House of Lords on Friday evening with his usually long hair close cropped, with the result, as one paper says, of "transforming him from a Cavalier into a Roundhead."
SUICIDES.
Col. Clarke, a well-known racing judge at Louisville, Ky., committed suicide on Saturday.
Love opposition and strychnine conspired to cause William Roland and Lottie Brunette, of Edmonton, N.W.T., to take their own lives at 10.20 on Friday night.
Jonas Lundin, a jeweller who has a wife and three children in Kingston, attempted to commit suicide on Saturday night by swallowing a quantity of poison. The city physician pumped him out. He was despondent because he could not find work.
James Groundwater, an old man living in Toronto, aged 70 years, deliberately committed suicide Saturday by swallowing the contents of a small bottle of strychnine. He died in great agony ten minutes after he swallowed the poison, although a physician used a stomach pump. Groundwater took the poison in a cup of tea while partaking of his mid-day meal in bed. He evidently put the poison in the tea and swallowed it.
RAILROAD RUMBLINGS.
It is stated in railway circles that the new standard of rules will be put into operation on the entire system of the Grand Trunk on May 1. The rules have been made as simple as possible and the officials claim that the employees will have no trouble whatever in mastering them.
New grain regulations will go into effect on the Grand Trunk and C.P.R. the first of next month at Montreal. The inland rate to either railway on oats will be 10 cents per 100 pounds or over; heavy grain, 2.60 cents; corn, 2.76 cents, and barley, 3.17 cents. These rates are free of the inspection fee, and include 20 days free storage.
Mr. William Wright of Bradford interviewed District Freight Agent Arthur White of the Grand Trunk on Friday in regard to the proposal to lower the level of Lake Superior, which he claims would greatly facilitate the freight business of the railway. Mr. Wright and a deputation of reeves of the various townships around the lake will wait on the Government at Ottawa next Tuesday and urge their claims.
CRIME AND CRIMINALS.
Several farmers in southwestern Manitoba have been fined heavily for having smuggled tobacco in their possession.
John K. Moore, who recently eloped from St. Thomas to Detroit with Mrs. Goodchild, has been arrested on a charge of neglecting to provide for his two children at St. Thomas. He will be tried Tuesday at St. Thomas.
The Minister of Justice on Friday liberated Dr. Mackay of Papeauville, who was doing a three years' sentence for indecent assault. He has served four months of his term. The assigned reason for pardon is ill-health.
The finding of the body of Miss Pearl Knott in Flint River, near Wolsey, Ga., has revealed a shocking crime. The coroner's jury returned a verdict that the deceased came to her death by a wound in the head from a pistol in the hands of George W. Korlin, a prominent and wealthy farmer of that place.
Mr. Justice Robertson on Saturday intimated to counsel that he would require the written consent of George W. Pare and W. H. Holden, the two men held for robbing the Napanee bank, before he would change the venue for their trial to Toronto, as he has done in the case of W. H. Ponton.
CASUALTIES.
A child of William Hanbury was run into by an electric car on Saturday at Winnipeg and killed. The cars there have no fenders.
William Henderson was fatally injured while cutting cordwood at Oliphant, by a falling tree fracturing his skull. He leaves a wife, but no children.
While crossing the Kaministiquia River, near Mission Bend, Fort William, yesterday, Harry La Riviere was carried away by the current and drowned.
Friday morning a carpenter named James Ridden fell off a Kingston scaffold across a pile of lumber. Two ribs were broken and he was internally hurt.
Four young people were run down by the Chicago & Northwestern last mail at Crawford's Crossing, about a mile from Baraboo, Wis., on Saturday, while returning from a dance. Three were killed and one badly injured.
The City of Paris brought word on Saturday to San Francisco that while at Corinto an open boat containing the emaciated remains of nine men drifted ashore there. Louis W. Maslen, son of the deputy naval officer at San Francisco, was identified as one of the dead.
Four cars of the eastbound freight, No. 143, in charge of Conductor Smith, ran off the Grand Trunk western switch near Cornwall at 9.40 on Friday night. Two men were killed and two of the cars completely wrecked. Two tanks containing oil were broken open also, and the contents lost. There were 15 tramps on the oil tank at the time of the accident, and all but two escaped.

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The Chinese Acting Ugly.
Hongkong, April 26.—The British authorities are not over-anguine of a peaceful occupation of the new British district of Kowloon, opposite Hongkong. The natives, though easily routed, do not scatter and are now re-occupying villages in the interior, from which they were driven. A force of 40,000 Chinese is now gathering back of Taipofo.
Strong Punched His Assailant.
Paris, April 26.—Mr. Strong, the Paris correspondent of The London Observer, was yesterday attacked on the street by an English journalist named Sherard. Mr. Strong broke his walking stick across his assailant's back and punched him severely about the head.
First University in Peking.
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Soldier's Painful Home-Coming.
Derby, Conn., April 26.—William Cruise, a wounded soldier, returned to his home in this city on Saturday and found his wife living with another man, under the belief that he had been killed in the fighting around Manila. He had kept her in ignorance of his return in order that he might give her a pleasant surprise. He found her surprised, but not glad to see him, and after upbraiding her he left town, saying he was going back to the Philippines forever.
Military Rifle League Matches.
Ottawa, April 26.—It is given out for general information that the following dates have been fixed for the Canadian Military Rifle League matches, season 1899: May 27, June 3, July 8, July 22. The series will be the same as last year.
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