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County of Victoria. ADJOURNED SALE OF LANDS FOR TAXES.

Whereas, at the sale of lands in the County of Victoria for arrears of taxes... Tuesday, March 7th, 1905...

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FOR SALE—Two thoroughbred Durham Bulls, one year old... FOR SALE—A four-roomed Durham Heifer...

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CORRESPONDENTS' LETTERS

WOODVILLE. (From Our Own Correspondent.) Mr. Russell McIntyre, who visited home for the past month, returned to the city Tuesday.

Miss Olive McQuade, Ontario, Miss Rebecca Wilson, Orange Line, Miss Lillian McCombs, Peterborough County, Misses Cecil Best, Mount Pleasant, Misses Hiram Gallagher, Bath, Misses Maudie Nutter, East Bay, The Evening Star was well enjoyed by the guests...

CLABO. (Special to The Post.) A social evening was spent this evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Currie, who has been attending the Central Business College since the new year returned home on Friday evening.

KIRKFIELD. (From Our Own Correspondent.) Miss Lyon, of Guelph, who has been the guest of Mrs. Fraser at the Mansions, will leave Tuesday for home. Her visit was a most enjoyable one...

ONELENE. (From Our Own Correspondent.) The sad news of the sudden and unexpected death of the late Wm. A. Sutherland, of Toronto, has cast a gloom over the village, as up to his five past ages he was a resident of Onenene and was born on his farm, West Ops, which has been rented by Bernard McGrath.

REWARD—A Reward of \$5 will be paid to any person giving information that will lead to the conviction of any person selling liquor in the County of Ontario otherwise than according to the law as laid down in the Liquor License Act...

Coming to Canada. London, Feb. 25.—Four hundred and fifty-four Ham families have applied to the Telegraph fund for emigration to Canada...

Revolutionary. Seattle, March 1.—The anniversary of the war in the United States will be celebrated in the city on Wednesday...

RUSSIAN AND JAPS

Are Fighting Desperately On a Large Scale Now.

JAPANESE TAKE DA PASS... Opens the Road to Fushan East of Mukden and Tie Pass—Kuropatkin May Have to Retreat From His Position on the Shaoke River — Kuroki Reports Victory.

Russian Headquarters, Huan Mountain, Manchuria, March 1.—The Japanese attack was renewed at dawn Monday along the whole eastern front, and Da Pass was taken after fighting of the most stubborn character. The capture of Da Pass opens the road to Fushan east of Mukden and Tie Pass...

It is semi-officially announced that in view of the appearance of Japanese troops in the rear of the Russian army west of the railway, Russia will address a circular to the powers, protesting against Japan's violation of Chinese neutrality.

Russian Casualties 2,000. Gen. Kuroki's Headquarters, Feb. 24. (Via Vancouver, March 1.) The Japanese yesterday achieved a signal victory over the force commanded by Lieut.-General Niennekamp. Gen. Kuroki's infantry again displayed remarkable qualities as hill fighters and proved their superiority to the famous cavalry of the Russians.

Fighting on a Large Scale. London, March 1.—Fighting on a large scale is in progress between the Russian and Japanese armies in Manchuria. Gen. Kurapatkin, after meeting the initiative of the Japanese in the eastern part of the Shaoke Valley, attacked the aggressive Japs with heavy artillery fire from Putloff Hill...

Japs Beaten Back. Mukden, March 1.—Fighting was in progress yesterday along the whole line of the Japanese attacking everywhere. All attacks in the morning were beaten back, and the Russians made counter-attacks in several places.

Victoria County Old Boys. (To the Editor of The Post.) Toronto, Feb. 27th, 1905. Dear Sir,—A grand meeting of the Victoria Co. Old Boys will be held on the evening of Thursday, March 2nd at 7 o'clock at the Victoria Co. Club hall, 177 Queen St. W.

Mr. Will Beardson, advance agent for the "Hearts of Oak" Company, which will be at the Academy of Music next Tuesday night, March 7th, was in town Wednesday. Mr. Beardson was in Lindsay some three years ago with the "Parish Priests' Co. Hearts of Oak" played in Montreal last week and are now taking in all the towns on their route, after which they play in Chicago on week, and then in Toledo. There are some eighteen members in the company.

KILLED WITH AN AXE

Fatal Martial Play By Boys in City of London.

CHARLIE BURRIDGE FELLEDED... Died After Nine Hours of Unconsciousness—George Fox Said "Come on!" When Axe Slipped From His Hand and Struck Down His Companion, Who Was Making Snowball.

London, March 1.—The neighborhood of Mr. Joseph T. Burridge's home, Riverside Avenue, South London, was the scene of a sad accident Monday evening, resulting in the death of Charles Burridge, a bright boy of 13 years, who received a fatal blow from an axe in the hands of his playmate, George Fox. Four boys—Charles Burridge, George Fox, Arthur Lewis and Robert Watt—all good friends, were playing together after school. They built a small snow fort on the bank near the river, and were pretending to have a fight, when George Fox, who was descending the fort, stepped up an old axe and about to throw it at the attacking party to "Come on!" Young Burridge was stepping down making a snowball, when the axe slipped from Fox's hand, striking Charles a terrible blow on the head, the boy sinking to the ground in an unconscious condition. The other boys gave the alarm, and Mrs. Burridge rushed to the scene. She carried her insensible son into the house and medical help was quickly secured, but of no avail. The lad lingered until about 9 o'clock yesterday morning.

Coroner Ferguson found that the fatal blow had been struck by the blunt end of the axe, just over the right ear. Death was due to concussion of the brain. He decided that death was caused by accident, and that no inquest was necessary. Mr. Burridge has seven children remaining. He is employed as a machinist in the stamping department of the H. K. & Co. Works, and has been in the business about 14 years of age, and his father is in business on York Street.

UNDER JURY'S VERDICT

Arrest of Felix Doyle After Coroner's Inquest—Defense Insanity.

Brantford, March 1.—A few minutes before the close of the inquest into the death of Mrs. Margaret Doyle at Brantford yesterday, the son, Felix Doyle, was arrested by Detective Greer, charged with the crime. The arrest did not come as a surprise. Few, if any, had any doubt about the son's guilt from the terrible affair, his story Monday night before the coroner's jury being a mass of contradictions and complete repudiation of his previous statements.

All yesterday he was an interested spectator of the proceedings, but he was not called upon to give evidence. He had considerable nervousness, and had frequent suggestions to make to his lawyer, Mr. Baird of Brantford. Felix said the humorous side of the case, and frequently smiled at things that appeared humorous to nobody else. He did not appear surprised when taken into custody, and made no pretensions.

The prisoner was taken before Squire Cox, who remanded him till next Tuesday. It is hardly likely anything will be done then, as the probability of a case will not be ready. It will be at least a week from Thursday before the preliminary hearing is in full swing.

Felix was brought to this city last night in charge of two county constables and lodged in the County Jail, which I believe the military authorities of my department thought would do very well, and as soon as the snow disappears several officers—General and others also—will go and look over this ground once more and make a selection, so I think I am right in saying that this year you may count upon having a suitable camp ground and a suitable range." Halifax and Equinam.

I must not forget to mention one of the most important observations that have occurred since the last meeting, namely, the offer on the part of the Government to take over the garrisoning of Halifax and Equinam. This is certainly of greater interest to the artillery of Canada than that fact. The British Government has graciously accepted our offer, and in doing so, they have shown a degree of confidence in Canada which we ought to thoroughly appreciate. We will not be able to immediately find all the engineers and all the artillery necessary to replace those technical corps at Halifax and Equinam, but we can take over the full responsibility of command, of control, of payment, over everything connected with those two garrisons on the first day of July." (Applause.)

ONTARIO SECESSIONISTS

Agitation in Lake Superior Districts For Annexation to Manitoba.

Winnipeg, March 1.—A correspondent of The Free Press, writing from Port Arthur, says that an agitation has begun there for the secession of the districts of Thunder Bay and Rainy River from the Province of Ontario, and their annexation to Manitoba. Some of the most influential Conservatives and Liberals, he goes on to say, are in favor of the scheme, and the latter especially since the defeat of their party in Ontario have come to see the advantages of such a course.

Toronto, March 1.—The disposition at the Parliament Buildings is to treat the story from Winnipeg regarding the alleged agitation for the secession of the Thunder Bay and Rainy River Districts of Ontario, and their annexation to Manitoba, in the nature of a joke. Premier Whitney had not read the despatch, and, therefore, expressed no opinion.

Hon. Mr. Matheson smilingly declared: "There is nothing in the story." The Hon. Mr. Hanna also treated the matter laughingly yesterday morning, addressing the 25th of January (the date of the Provincial election), he said, "but there is none now."

Mr. Southworth, Director of Colonization, said if there were any such agitation it originated in Manitoba. His large correspondence with people of the district had never contained any intimation of such a desire.

FOR THE ARTILLERY.

Minister of Militia Announces That New Sites Will Be Ready for Use This Year. Ottawa, March 1.—The Minister of Militia yesterday morning, addressing the Dominion Artillery Association, expressed the hope that he would be able in this year to provide a military camp and artillery range, and also alluded to the Government's determination to take over the fortifications at Halifax and Equinam. "We have in view two or three camp grounds," he said, "and will be ready to take over the military authorities of my department thought would do very well, and as soon as the snow disappears several officers—General and others also—will go and look over this ground once more and make a selection, so I think I am right in saying that this year you may count upon having a suitable camp ground and a suitable range."

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Two Fine New Guns. Sir Frederick described the constitution of the new Militia Council, and paid a high compliment to General Lake, Chief of Staff. The latter spoke of his recent observations on the modern guns, and said the progress in artillery of recent years had been something wonderful. The two things that had struck him most were the fact that they were so much lighter and more powerful, and the fact that they were so much lighter and more powerful, and the fact that they were so much lighter and more powerful.

Hit by a Train. Cumberland, Md., March 1.—A Baltimore and Ohio train last night struck four Wash employes near Edita's Creek, instantly killing three and slightly injuring the fourth.

Took Carboic Acid. Berlin, March 1.—After writing a note to his parents, saying he had made a fight against heavy odds in life, and had failed, Stanley Eby took carboic acid Monday night, and died shortly after. He was 21 years of age, highly esteemed, and a promising young man.