

MORE THAN 1,500 PERSONS DROWNED

(Continued from page 1.) Feb. 4th, 1910—Steamship Kentucky, bound for San Francisco, sank off Cape Hatteras. Wireless brought distress call. All aboard saved.

April 18th, 1910—Atlantic transport ship Minnehaha, grounded near Bishop's Rock, Sicily Island. Wireless brought aid. All aboard saved.

July 23rd, 1910—Southern Pacific liner Manas on fire off Florida coast. All aboard saved.

July 31st, 1910—Wireless mail steamer Capt. Crippen and Miss LeVeve.

April 15th, 1912—Titanic calls for help. Virginian and Olympic and other ships respond.

Terrible Scenes in London. London, Eng., April 16.—There were terrible scenes around the offices of the White Star line, near Trafalgar Square, today, when hundreds of relatives of persons on the passenger list of the sunken leviathan Titanic, stamped the officials for information as to the survivors from the terrible disaster.

When the general agent finally appeared at an upstairs window and read a list of those known to be saved, the great majority heard it with heart-rending disappointment for the names they wanted to hear were not among them.

There were cries of indignation against the company. "Why did you lie to us yesterday that the passengers were all saved?" said one. "They saved millionaires in the first cabin and let our poor folks go down like rats in a trap." These were some of the bitter remarks.

It availed nothing that agents explained that the women and children of all classes were saved first. Finally, extra police were requisitioned to look after the crowd, and arrests were threatened. It was an hysterical weeping, sometimes cursing crowd that haunted Trafalgar Square all day.

Hope Completely Vanishes. Montreal, April 16.—It is feared that the forlorn hope that the Allan liners Pacific and Virginian picked up survivors of the Titanic disaster has now completely vanished. They were both spoken to by wireless this morning at eleven o'clock, and neither reported having survivors aboard.

What Huddys Say. Belfast, April 16.—A representative of Huddys and Wain, the constructors of the Titanic, interviewed, said that if the Titanic had sunk the collision must have been of great force.

The plating of the vessel, he said, was of the highest calibre, and even if it were pierced anywhere other compartments could be flooded without imperiling the safety of the ship.

What Titanic Was Like. "The world's largest and finest steamer" has been the claim of the White Star line in reference to the triple screw steamer Titanic and her sister ship, the Olympic. In them are epitomized all the science and skill of steam navigation.

These figures tell of the construction of the Titanic, which is larger than the Olympic in tonnage by 1,300 tons. (tonnage, registered ..... 46,325 tonnage, displacement ..... 69,000 length over all ..... 892 feet 6 inches breadth over all ..... 92 feet 6 inches breadth over board ..... 94 feet 0 inches height from bottom of keel to boat deck 97 feet 4 inches height from bottom of keel to top of captain's house ..... 105 feet 7 inches height of funnels above casing ..... 72 feet 0 inches height of funnels above boat deck ..... 81 feet 6 inches distance from top of funnel to keel ..... 175 feet 0 inches Number of watertight bulkheads 15 Passengers carried ..... 2,500 Crew ..... 860

The largest plates employed in the hull are 36 feet long, weighing 84 tons each, and the largest steel beam used is 92 feet long, the weight of this double beam being 4 tons. Further, the colossal rudder, operated electrically, weighs 100 tons, the anchors 154 tons each, the centre (turbine) propeller 22 tons and each of the two "wing" propellers 38 tons each. The huge after "boss-arms" from which are suspended the three propeller shafts, up the stern, weigh 73 tons, and the forward "boss-arms" at 45 tons. Each link in the anchor-chains weighs 175 pounds. In each ship is an unusually large number of sidelights and windows—over 2,000.

Other Marine Disasters. The disaster to the Titanic is the fourth serious accident within four months, beginning with the stranding of the steamer Delhi, off Morocco, as a result of which the Duke of Fife contracted fatal illness; the collision and sinking in the English channel three weeks ago of a sister ship, the Oceanic, with a loss of eleven lives, and the burning and stranding of the steamer Ontario, off Long Island, last week. The collision of the Olympic last September was also a cause for sensation.

It is three years last January since became famous when "Jack" Biens, a laborer on the Republic, flashed word of the collision with the liner Florida, off Nantucket. The steamer Baltic, now speeding to the Titanic, was then the first to the rescue, and 3,000 persons were removed. Since then the wireless figures prominently in the wrecks of the Slavonia, in the Azores (June 10th, 1909); City of Racine, Lake Michigan, June 1909; Ohio, off Alaskan coast (August 17th, 1909); Kentucky, off Cape Hatteras, February 4th, 1910; Minnehaha, Sicily Islands (April 18th, 1910); Manas, off Florida coast (July 31st, 1910). Since that time it has been used in a number of minor marine accidents.

The stranding of the Princess Irene, off Fire Island, N.Y., last summer, was also a sensational occurrence. The terrible wreck of the French liner, Bourgoyne, in the Atlantic some ten years ago, when several hundred lives were lost, was the worst tragedy of the kind.

For Flood Sufferers. Washington, D.C., April 16.—President Taft went to Congress a special message urging the immediate appropriation of amounts aggregating yearly \$788,000 for use in controlling the floods of the Mississippi river and to aid flood sufferers.

A man rises in his own estimation when he settles down, and in the estimation of his creditors when he settles up.

THE WORLD'S EPISODES

GIVEN IN THE BRIEFEST POSSIBLE FORM. Matters That Interest Everybody—Notes From All Over—Little of Everything Easily Read and Remembered.

Bishop Farthing has accepted the post of chaplain of Victoria Rifles, Montreal, succeeding the late Canon Ellegood.

Sir Allen Aylsworth was compelled to go to the Toronto Western hospital, on Monday, where, the authorities say, he is suffering from erysipelas.

That the Rob'n government would give the Catholic minority of Manitoba complete justice was the opinion expressed by Armand Lavigne on his return to Montreal from Winnipeg.

With hundreds dying daily of typhoid throughout Eastern China, it becomes apparent that unless relief measures are taken the entire region will be swept as if by plague.

There will be no harvest to save the starving before June 1st. The government has no funds for relief.

News From Westport. Westport, April 15.—Van Campbell spent the holidays in Carleton Place, and Mrs. M. J. Coburn, of Delta, were calling on Westport friends last week.

Among those home for the Easter holidays are Misses Maizie Renand, Julia McCann, Mary McCann, Adelaide Dier, Mrs. McCann and Walter Whelan. Miss Rhena Brackeider, who was recently under treatment at St. Vincent de Paul hospital, Brockville, is recovering nicely.

W. C. W. Whiteher, of Ottawa, was among the visitors here during Easter week. Mrs. James Wright, of Newboro, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Forresters on Saturday. Miss Lizette Castle, who spent the past three months in Carleton Place and Perth, returned on Saturday.

Miss Gertrude Griffith is spending the holidays in Toronto. D. M. Downey, of Brockville, was in town yesterday. George Castle was a business visitor in Ottawa last week.

Shirking a Discussion. Report of the Legislature. In the legislative estimates was an item for special counsel's fees on constitutional questions, etc. Mr. Howland moved, that in view of the decision of the government to appoint counsel to represent the province in the argument before the supreme court and privy council on the Lancaster marriage bill, the government instructed counsel to support the view that the parliament of Canada has the power to declare the validity of all marriages celebrated throughout the dominion of Canada.

Sir James Whitney looked annoyed. He did not propose to discuss the matter, as the attorney-general had announced that he would do his duty in this regard. Mr. Howland called for the ayes and nays and his motion was voted down by sixty-five to nineteen.

New Welsh Leader. Sir David Blymber Jones, the newly elected leader of the Welsh parliamentary party, in succession to Ellis Griffith, is the eldest son of Rev. Thomas Jones, the preacher under whom Robert Browning used to "sit."

Sir David is a well-preserved man of sixty, with twenty years of parliamentary experience, a gift of persuasive speech, and a combination of tact, dignity, and sagacity. He is a lawyer, who relinquished a county court judgeship to take up a political career. He edited the volume of his father's sermons, to which Robert Browning contributed an introduction, and with Sir John Rhye wrote a standard book on "The Welsh People."

Sir David is a Congregationalist, an authority on the disestablishment question—he sat on the Welsh church commission—and a lifelong servant of the cause of education.

Had a Fine Time. Serley's Bay, April 15.—A very successful event took place last Thursday evening when a Leap Year dance was held in the Masonic hall. The hall was decorated with streamers of red, white and blue, extending from the centre, at one end of the hall card tables and easy sitting out places were arranged. At twelve o'clock refreshments were served by the committee. The dancing continued until 3 a.m., when it ended with "Home Sweet Home" waltz. Those on the committee were Misses Cilla McAvoy, Beatrice Murphy, Edna Berry, and Eva Randall. The patronesses were Mrs. (Dr.) Belfie, Mrs. G. Gardner, Mrs. R. Braeken, Mrs. J. McManley and Mrs. S. Gardner.

How Time Changes Words. "Owe" used to mean "to own, to possess."

Any boy was once a knave. Idiot once upon a time was applied to a private person who no longer was public life. It is a Greek word, and the Greeks believed that all such persons were foolish; so it has come to mean a foolish person.

Hussy now characterizes an impudent woman, while originally it was a short word, meaning housewife.

A villain was once a slave attached to a farm. Tyrant once applied to any prince or governor.

"Infant" was once synonymous with "speechless."—Kansas City Times.

Adventurous Girl's Exploit. Manitoba, Man., April 16.—Ruby Ayres, a sixteen-year-old girl from the Winnipeg Children's Home, stole a horse from one stable, and a saddle and bridle from another, Saturday night, and disappeared. She cut off her hair and disguised herself as a boy.

Died on Monday. The death occurred on Monday, at her home on Ellis street, of Miss Mary Ann Glenn, after a brief illness. The deceased was born at Brewer's Mills, and had been working in the city. The remains will be sent to her former home for burial.

The man who does not deserve plain bread may be the best to demand milk toast lavishly buttered.

DEATH AROUND NAPANEE.

The Late Cyrus Allison, of Adolphustown. Napanee, April 16.—Mrs. John Sherman, Bay Centre, died on Friday last, after several months' illness of pulmonary anemia. Deceased was forty-three years of age and leaves a family of six children, besides her sorrowing husband. The sons are Frank and Byron, Kingston; James, Ward and William, home, and Miss Elsie, of Kingston. The funeral took place on Sunday last. Services were held at the Presbyterian church, Sand Hill. The remains were placed in the Napanee vault.

Another of the old residents of Adolphustown has passed away, in the person of Cyrus Allison, aged about eighty years. Deceased was a brother of the late D. W. Allison, M.P., and was widely known and highly respected.

Mrs. Addie Fitchett, relict of the late Norris Fitchett, died at week at her home, Douglas street, after several months' illness. The funeral took place on Saturday morning last.

D. H. Preston left, yesterday, for Kerrobert, Sask., to look after his farming interests in that section. Mrs. (Dr.) Russell and little daughter, Jean, who have been spending a few weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Preston, left, yesterday, for her home at Balfour.

Mrs. Ira D. Clark, who has been visiting friends in Napanee and Toronto for the past four months, leaves, today, for her home in Saskatchewan.

Word was received, today, that Walter Coxall, Toronto, formerly of Napanee, was very ill in Toronto, of pneumonia, with no hopes of recovery.

ALWAYS ON WIFE HUNT. Death Only Stop to Bedouin's Search. From the time that a Bedouin is eighteen years of age until he dies of old age, he is more or less looking out for new wives. By-law Mohammedans are never allowed to have more than four at the same time, but they easily evade this regulation by divorcing one, which simply means sending her back to her parents. This is often done because she has borne him no sons. So it happens that the old sheikhs almost always have young wives.

It is considered effeminate for a man to show the least affection towards his wives, at least openly. One of the young sheikhs of the Adwans, a deeply religious brother of the young and only wife, acknowledged to be the prettiest girl in the tribe, shed tears at her grave. For this he was much laughed at by his companions, who said: "If a man's wife die he can easily procure himself another."

But if a man has a brother or even a mother, they think it does not show weakness to mourn, because from where could he get another? This seeming indifference to women has undoubtedly grown out of the false idea the men entertain that to express appreciation of them would be to show weakness. From personal observation I know that the Bedouins, in private, treat their wives with more consideration than is generally shown among Orientals, especially so if they have borne sons. Bedouin women can go about alone and no one dare molest them. The men are the Aedean, Algerian, Canadian, Hamiltonian and Indian, and the bulk freighters, Renovyle and A. E. McKensley. The Hamiltonian is being built at Port Arthur, and the Indian, a motor boat, on the Clyde, Scotland.

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ACTRESS LEAVES STAGE. And Will Devote Her Time to Religious Work in Future. Miss Evangeline Plasadale, a member of the "Beverly" company, which played in Kingston some time ago, has, according to a despatch sent out from London, Ont., where the show was put on the other night, left the stage to take up work in the Salvation Army. It is stated that while staying over in London she attended a Sunday evening meeting in the citadel there, and was converted.

It appears that she was first attracted to the army while at a play in a town in Quebec. While at dinner in a London hotel, she heard the army band playing outside the hotel, and went to the service. It is understood that she has cancelled all her engagements and will leave the stage just as soon as she reaches New York. It is her intention to engage in religious work of some kind.

In These Days. She was a prim miss of thirteen, who stood before the rector of a well-known Anglican church last week and looked him squarely in the eye. "Please repeat that fifth commandment again," he said, for he was catching her with regard to her knowledge of the scriptures apropos of the coming confirmations. "Honor thy mother and thy father, that thy days may be long in the land which the Lord thy God giveth thee," was the response. "Honor thy mother and thy father," mused the rector. "Who taught you that?" "Mother," was the response. "These are certainly the fragrant days upon which we have fallen," remarked the minister. "Father used to come first."

Snowdrops Tulips Flowers. In some parts of England snowdrops are supposed to be unlucky flowers. Superstitious folk in Shropshire will never allow them to be brought into a house. In Sussex, a bunch of snowdrops is not thought to bring bad luck, but a single flower plucked and worn forbodes the death within a year of some member of the household. Among Somersetshire folk it is common belief that if snowdrops grow in the house black widgeons will follow in rearing chickens.—London Chronicle.

John Tennant, aged twenty-seven, single, has been missing from his home near Ambo, since December. Sunday evening his body was found floating in Perry Sound harbor. It was wonderful what large catalogues of small garden seeds will grow.

TOWN OF GANANOQUE

THE RIVER ICE THERE WENT OUT ON MONDAY. A Gananoque Couple Wedded in Kingston—Walter Lasha and Miss Rena Slack Were the Happy Couple.

Gananoque, April 16.—A wedding of interest to many in this section took place in Kingston on Saturday afternoon, when Rena Slack, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Slack, King street, was united in marriage to Walter Lasha, eldest son of the late Walter Lasha, River street, both being well-known young residents of the town. Mr. and Mrs. Lasha returned to town on Sunday and will locate here permanently.

The local public and high schools opened yesterday morning after the Easter vacation, with a fast teaching staff, Miss E. Lake filling the vacancy in Victoria avenue school.

The local branch of the local W.C.T.U. met at the home of Mrs. Hureau Griffin, Garden street, last evening.

Started by a gentle breeze at an early hour yesterday morning the ice in front of the railway wharf worked itself loose and drifted away, down the channel, two days later than last year.

Quite a heavy electric storm passed over here at an early hour last evening, so far as being no serious damage was done in this neighborhood.

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CHILDREN WERE POISONED.

Died From Effects of Eating Decayed Herrings. (Charlottetown, P.E.I., April 16.—In two days Patrick and Mrs. Magee, who reside about six miles from Montagu, have been bereft of five of their six children. The death of the children is supposed to be due to poisoning by eating decayed herrings, of which Mr. and Mrs. Magee and the five children partook freely at dinner. The sixth child was not at home.

After dinner the children and mother became ill and as their condition became more serious, Dr. Fraser of Montagu, was sent for. He found all five children very sick, one of them dying an hour after his arrival. Two others died, Saturday, within fifteen minutes of each other, and this morning the other children passed away. The father and mother have recovered.

Alphonso's Legacy. King Alfonso has claimed a legacy of \$500,000 left him last October by Albert Sapene, a French landowner, who died in an asylum at Bragueville.

His majesty having instructed counsel in the matter, Maitre Cargue explained before the court of St. Gaudens the extraordinary circumstances of the legacy. Though the testator had been confined since 1908, the lawyer asserted that it was not true that he was insane when he drew up his will.

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