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WEATHER... N. W. winds, and clearing tomorrow.

JAS. ROBINSON CHOSEN FOR NORTHUMBERLAND.

Conservatives Give Him Unanimous Nomination... W. S. Loggie, the Liberal Choice... Ontario M. P. Leaves His Party to Run as Independent.

Chatham, N. B., Oct. 15.—(Special)—The conservative convention here, last night, was largely attended. It was held at the Hotel... James Robinson was chosen as the candidate for the election...

THEY WANT THE PREMIER. Ottawa, Oct. 15.—(Special)—The Liberals are pressing upon Sir Wilfrid Laurier to address a big liberal meeting to be held in the Russell Theatre on Wednesday or Thursday evening of next week.

WILL BE INDEPENDENT. St. Thomas, Oct. 15.—(Special)—J. H. Robinson, ex-M. P., for West Elgin held an independent meeting last night at Fernald at which he announced his intention of asking the suffrage of electors of West Elgin, independent of party lines. Party politics he declared were rotten.

LIBERAL COUNCIL LOGGIE. Newcastle, N. B., Oct. 15.—A largely attended convention of the liberals of Northumberland was held in the Temperance hall yesterday afternoon. President Watt presided. Reports of the parish association were received after which the members adjourned to the court house, thirty-four delegates were present.

THE R. L. BORDEN CLUB. The R. L. Borden Club last night held its first meeting and elected its officers. The meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Borden...

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NOT GREATLY ACQUITTED. Fredericton, Oct. 15.—(Special)—The political meeting at Kingsclear, last night, attracted an audience of three persons, including the janitor of the hall. This would indicate that the county folk are not yet much stirred up over election.

TO SPEAK FOR HAY. Fredericton, Oct. 15.—(Special)—Hon. H. R. Emmerson and Sir Frederick Borden will address a political meeting at Barton court house, on Thursday afternoon in the interests of Dr. Hay.

RAILWAY COMMISSIONERS TO REACH HERE TONIGHT. Came to Fredericton, from Woodstock by Special Train This Morning—Their Programme—Didn't Know it Was Loaded.

Fredericton, N. B., Oct. 15.—To be traversed by the transcontinental railway, Mr. Wade and Mr. Brunet, members of the transcontinental railway commission, and chief engineer, arrived here early this morning from Woodstock by special train. They went to the town this afternoon and will return to Fredericton on Monday morning.

ROBBED HIS SWEETHEART. Woodstock, Oct. 15.—(Special)—William Smith was sentenced yesterday to three years in the penitentiary at Kingston, for theft. The woman whom he was to have married here on September 15th, lent him \$40 to prepare for the wedding, but the night before this was to take place he was arrested in Windsor. It is alleged that Smith, who has lived in Woodstock only since the beginning of summer, already has a wife and family.

A Prince Coming. Tokyo, Oct. 14.—Lloyd C. Griscom, the American minister, gave a farewell dinner tonight in honor of Lieutenant Prince Fushimi and his suite. Marquis Ito, Field Marshal Yamagata, Chief of the general staff, Foreign Minister Komura and other Japanese leaders, as well as prominent members of the American colony were present. Prince Fushimi, the eldest son of the Emperor, is to be sent to Manchuria, Oct. 23.

RUSSIAN LOSS OVER 30,000

According to Advices Received at Tokio Today. Fighting is Still in Progress, But Russians Are Retreating—General Kuropatkin Had a Narrow Escape—St. Petersburg Talks of Sending 150,000 to 200,000 More Men to the Front.

Tokio, Oct. 15.—7 p. m.—Field Marshal Otsuma estimates the Russian casualties at 30,000. The fighting continues, but the Russians are retreating. General Kuropatkin evidently is crushingly defeated.

IN WESTMORLAND. Memramcook, N. B., Oct. 15.—Hon. H. R. Emmerson opened his campaign in Westmorland county here last night. The minister of railways, Hon. F. Sweeney, and C. M. Legor, M. P., were the speakers. Dr. Gaudet presided.

WILL START MONDAY. The conservative will open their city campaign on Monday night with two meetings. One will be held in Tabernacle Hall, Haymarket square, where Dr. Daniel, J. D. Hazen and Geo. V. McInerney will speak, and the other will take place in Temple of Honor hall, north end. A. A. Stockton, Dr. J. B. Ghehrst and L. P. D. Tilley.

OFFICERS ELECTED. Dufferin ward conservatives have chosen the following officers—President, Philip Gramann; vice-president, Francis Biddiscombe; secretary, R. A. C. Brown.

STILL FIGHTING. Tokyo, Oct. 15.—General Oku captured ten additional guns yesterday. Heavy fighting continues. The Russian retreat is more encouraging this day. There is no question that the Russians have fallen back twenty miles. According to private advices, the Japanese are being pushed back to the north bank of the river. The Japanese are advancing yesterday at the rate of 100 yards a day. The Japanese are advancing yesterday at the rate of 100 yards a day.

WILL SEND MORE MEN. New York, Oct. 15.—A London special to the Times says that the Russian military activity is everywhere noticeable in Southern Russia.

WILL REFUSE THE SCHEDULE. I. C. R. Management will not Adopt all the Claims Submitted by Machinists. Montreal, Oct. 15.—(Special)—Alex. Champlain, second vice-president of the international association of machinists of Toronto, arrived here this morning to interview the I. C. R. management in reference to the adoption of the schedule submitted by the international machinists some time ago. The railway department refuses to accept the clause providing for an investigation before the dismissal of employees. Mr. Champlain will meet Mr. Joughins today, or Monday, and discuss the details of the proposed settlement.

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IS WANTED IN QUEBEC. Sydney, Oct. 16.—(Special)—Angeles McIntosh who is wanted in Quebec on a charge of breaking into a vault and stealing a considerable amount of money and papers, was arrested at Glace Bay, last evening. Sheriff Gavreau of Rimouski arrived last night to convey the prisoner to Quebec.

HE LIKES THE FUN. London, Oct. 15.—According to the Tanager correspondent of the Times evidence has been discovered that the bandit Raisuli intends to attempt the capture of another European.

ANOTHER SCHOONER TOTALLY WRECKED.

Capt. L. W. Williams, of St. John, and Three Men Drowned—Three others were Saved—No More Bodies Recovered yet from the Lost Wentworth.

Highland, Light, Mass., Oct. 15.—In a furious northeast gale the schooner Elwood Burton, Captain Williams, struck on Peaked Hill near the tip end of Cape Cod last night, and the captain and three of the crew perished. The vessel was literally ground to pieces.

THE ELWOOD BURTON. The Elwood Burton, bound from St. John, N. B., to New York, with a cargo of laths, was caught in a squall and driven on the bars. It is considered probable that Captain Williams and the three of his crew drowned were killed during the wreck. When the life savers arrived the mate, whose name is Judson Stackhouse, and two sailors, were tossed in the breakers clinging to wreckage. They were dragged from the water and all were unconscious. Later two bodies were washed ashore. The schooner was a three masted schooner of 384 tons burden. She was built at Bath Me., in 1872.

CAPTAIN BELONGED HERE. The Elwood Burton was built in 1872, and was 224 tons register. She was constructed mainly of oak and hickory, and was a very sturdy vessel. The crew was composed of Captain L. W. Williams, of St. John, N. B., and four others. The crew was composed of the mate J. W. Stackhouse, of Everett, Mass., aged 22 years, Frank Holder, of Sweden, aged 24, M. Lear, of Holland, aged 20, J. Jorgensen, of Denmark, aged 28, and Al Janson, of Sweden, aged 25. The vessel was in command of Captain L. W. Williams, of St. John, N. B., and four others.

THE LOST WENTWORTH. Chatham, Mass., Oct. 15.—A patrol was maintained all night in view of the possibility of the wrecked schooner Wentworth, which foundered here during the night of the 12th inst. being recovered.

ONE KILLED, ONE INJURED, IN CAPE BRETON TRAIN WRECK. Trains met in Head-on Collision—A Similar Accident on Two United States Roads, also With Loss of Life, in one case Much More Serious.

Sydney, N. S. Oct. 15.—(Special)—Two special freight trains, one running west and the other east, collided head on this morning near McNeil's Harbor, on the Cape Breton division of the Intercolonial. The driver was seriously injured and killed. The exact details of the accident have not yet been ascertained. The matter will be investigated immediately.

OTHER ACCIDENTS. Albany, N. Y., Oct. 14.—The Empire State express on the New York Central line missed a serious accident in the Henssler yards tonight, largely because she was not yet under full speed in her journey to New York. As it was, a fireman, was killed, an engineer slightly injured and two locomotives were badly wrecked.

A KING DEAD; LIVE THE KING. Dresden, Oct. 13.—King George of Saxony died at Pillnitz at 2:25 this morning. His end was peaceful. His sons were present at the deathbed.

OWNERS AN ANCIENT TITLE; CHARGED AS COMMON THIEF. Toronto, Oct. 15.—(Special)—Although Hans Waldheim, is of princely family and in speaking terms with the 400 of the continent including the Swiss president, he faces numerous charges for burglary committed here during the past six weeks. It is alleged he has helped himself liberally, from different houses, at four o'clock in the morning, when the policemen are off their beat. Twelve victims already have identified their property found in his room. It appears that Waldheim is wanted in Hamilton, to answer similar charges. From correspondence found on his person he seems to be Baron De Valzeim, German aristocrat, and graduate of a German University although he seems to have been in his water even at home. Mr. T. C. Bennett, K. C., is communicating with the German Princes, a relative, regarding the whereabouts for his defence.