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BOLD ASSAULT.

King Street, East.

His Assailent was Evidently After Many Thousands of Workmen Are Idle Money but Did Not Get Any, as Mr. Doherty Beat Him Off.

While on his way to his home at the foot of King street east about 7.30 Saturday evening, James Doherty, the Charlotte street liquor merchant, met with an experience which few residents of this city have ever had. Mr. Doherty, who had on his person a large amount of money, was carrying a parcel containing a couple of pounds of butter for use in his house. He was within a very few steps of his home when he was assaulted in a in that particular section alimpossible to discern a person et away. Mr. Doherty was alfront of his home when a man, ger to the citizen, jumped out lleyway and struck him on the the head with a heavy club. force of the blow threw Mr. erty down on his knees and then assailant, a man who was evidenttent upon the picking of his well pockets, applied another violent with the instrument with which was armed.

thile this blow was evidently inded to strike the head of the kneelman, it only reached one of his oulders, which yesterday bore strong idence of the infliction. Mr. Doherty ing dropped the parcel of butter ght at the start, recovered sufficientto rise to his feet. ice with the heavy implement and unched him in the stomach. to return the blow, oherty feeling weak on account of the blow on the head called out for help. The dastardly as- them.

Doherty was so stunned by the when seen yesterday whether he could street bridge, where it gorged, wore a light colored cloth cap, end are under water. could not recall. Informa-

fright and fled.

such an act.

BLIGHTED AFFECTIONS.

York Girl Soothed by a Verdict | That He Offered a Subsidy to the of \$75,000.

NEW YORK, March 28 .- A sheriff's jury sessed James N. Abell \$75,000 for to marry Eleanor L. Anderson un-

COL. OTTER INJURED.

Mimbers of First Contingent will It is Said That He Has Been Offered Deeply Regret Accident.

TORONTO, March 28 .- Col. Otter, C. Toronto district, was thrown from his horse at 7 o'clock this rumor is current in political circles here evening in front of his own house. He was picked up unconscious and carried Mulock, postmaster general, whose into the house, and at midnight was health has not been as good as usual still unconscious. Doctors in attend- during the past few months, has been ance say Col. Otter sustained severe offered the chief justiceship in the new concussion of the brain. He command- division of the Ontario high court. ed the first Canadian contingent to Opinion is divided as to whether Mu-

James Doherty Clubbed on Causing Great Damage to Property.

> Hundreds Are Homeless, and One Life Has Been Lost. *

DETROIT, Mich., March 28 .- Encouraging reports from Lansing, Battle Creek, Flint, Kalamazoo and other towns where flood damages have been estimated up in the hundreds of thousands of dollars, show that tonight the danger and distress are largely centralized in the Saginaw valley and around Grand Rapids in the valley of the Grand River and at Grand Rapids, too, a marked improvement is noted tonight. At Saginaw, however, the feedenveloped in a thick mist, which | down torrents of water, the escape of which into the Saginaw Bay is blocked by ice gorges at and below Bay City. At Grand Rapids it is estimated that 14,000 people are in distress and at Saginaw a large portion of the business section of the city is flooded.

ust in the nick of time before their merged. Gilbert Bertram, a foreman for the

sugar company, lost his life trying to o'clock this morning another attempt save some of the property. He was in the water five hours and died from exposure. SAGINAW. Mich., March 28.- All

this cify are partially submerged and torpedo boats. 5.000 workmen are idle. At the south 1,300 people are living in upper stories vailant of a respectable citizen took lost.

conditions tonight are very grave. The ed out of the harbor. first blow and so excited with all that ice gorge started out this afternoon, curred, that he was not positive going as far north as the Belinda ers is unknown. Since the arrival of his suite, with the exception of General Identify his assailant, the would-be ously damaging the piers and threatas that it was a young man appar- ments along the river front are filling. one who did not shave his face. A score of blocks in the extreme south INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., March 28. - gram to the Emperor:

The city authorities today decided on

ROSS DENIES

TORONTO, March 28.—Premier Ross in the legislature tonight denied the report that he had made an agreement Anderson sued him for \$75,000 for with General Manager Hays for a subpromise of marriage. The young sidy for a branch line from the main woon failed to answer the complaint and a line of the Grand Trunk Pacific to was taken, upon which Presiding Port Arthur on Lake Superior on con-Justice VanBrunt of the appellate division dition that the Grand Trunk withdraw of the supreme court granted an order to its objection to the railway taxation Sheriff Erlanger to empanel a jury and assess | bill to be introduced by the Ontario

MULOCK'S REWARD.

TORONTO, March 28.-A persistent today to the effect that Sir William

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MICHIGAN FLOODS JAPS AGAIN FAIL TO BLOCK PORT ARTHUR.

Four Steamers, Escorted by Japanese Fleet, Sailed In, But the Fleet Was Driven Off and the Steamers Sunk.

attempt off Majatschnajæ Goroda.

"The entrance to the harbor remains

"A Hotchkiss one-inch calibre quick-

firer, was found aboard one of the

had been kept up on our torpedo boats.

"The enemy's torpedo boats reap-

peared at 5 o'clock this morning. They

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They were bound for Korea

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ST. PETERSBURG, March 27 .- A

PARIS, March 28.-The Matin's Har-

ST. PETERSBURG, March 27.-

of men killed and wounded on the tor-

ese squadron drew off in a southeaster-

"Shortly before 5.25 this morning the

emperor from Mukden says:

ST. PETERSBURG, March 27 .- The the entrance to the harbor. Two of] emperor has received the following them grounded on a reef under Golden from Vice-Admiral Makaroff, under masty way. The city was at the ers of the Saginaw River are bringing date Port Arthur, March 26: "I have the honor to report to your majesty that I left Port Arthur today with battleships, cruisers and torpedo boats in order to make a reconnaisance of some adjacent islands. ST. PETERSBURG, March 27 .- It is

stated on apparently reliable authority On the Shiawassee River today, near that Vice-Admiral Makaroff's report of Chesening, 25 families were rescued his reconnaisance of the Eliot islands sunken steamers, from which a fire from their homes on a sugar beet farm | yesterday contained the startling statement that he captured a junk filled houses were almost entirely sub- with Chinese regular troops which was being towed by a Japanese gunboat. CHE FOO, March 27, 7 p. m.-At 3 was made by the Japanese to block the

entrance to Port Arthur and bottle up the Russian fleet by sinking four stone laden steamers in the entrance to the the industrial plants near the river in harbor which were convoyed by eight As the Japanese fleet, consisting of Then he ran end of the city 100 houses are in from sixteen ships, neared Port Arthur they ward the rascal who had struck him | four to six feet of water. Saginaw | were soon discovered by Russian torriver is from five to fifteen miles wide pedo boats acting as scouts. When the the batteries re-opened on them. To-

The between Saginaw and Bay City. There four steamers approached the harbor wards 6 o'clock the enemy's squadron is much suffering in Zilwaukee, where they were sunk by the guns of the appeared on the horizon and ours forts and the Russian ships lying in steamed out to meet it. At 6.30 the destroyer Silni with the St. George's with many animals elevated with the outer harbor, which opened a ter- batteries opened fire. Out ships' bat-Only one life was reported rific fire. The Japanese fleet remained teries soon ceased, the Japanese drawoff Port Arthur till daylight, when the ing off to the southeast, evidently de- thur yesterday. BAY CITY, Mich., March 28 .- Flood Russian fleet weighed anchor and sail-The fate of the crews on the steam-

Admiral Makaroff the Russian fleet has been more active. ST. PETERSBURG, March 27, 4 p. m.-Vice-Admiral Makaroff, commending the Russian naval forces at Port

Arthur, has sent the following tele-"I beg most humbly to report that at has been given the police of the a bond issue of \$100,000 to begin re- 2 o'clock this morning the enemy made rence and it is to be hoped they pairs of flood damages to public util- a second attempt to block the entrance discover the cowardly perpetrator ities. The total loss is estimated at | to the inner roadstead. For this purpose they dispatched four large merchant steamers, convoyed by six tor-

> pedo boats, to the entrance. "The enemy's ships were promptly discovered by the searchlights and were bombarded by the batteries and by the guardships Bohr and Ovtjany. "Fearing the enemy's ships might break through, Lieut. Krinizki, commanding the guard tordepo boat Stiini. attacked the enemy and destroyed the bow of the foremost Japanese steamer with a torpedo. This steamer turned to the right and was followed by two trance. A fourth steamer went to the

others, with the result that the three were stranded to the right of the enright of the enemy's ships, and likewise sank to the side of the fairway. The Stilni then battled with the enemy's six torpedo boats. Engineer Artificer Swyereff and six seamen were killed and the commander and 12 seamen were wounded. "At daybreak the enemy's battleship

and cruiser squadrons appeared, and I proceeded with the fleet under my charge to meet the enemy. "The second attempt of the Japan-

se to block the entrance to Port Arthur has failed, thanks to the energetic defence by the sea and land forces who acted as they did during the first at-"The harbor remains perfectly

clear." "I respectfully report that, the enemy having withdrawn, I returned to the harbor with the fleet.

"The torpedo boat destroyer Silni, which stranded on a reef in consequence of damage caused to her engines by one of the enemy's shells, was floated during the course of the night, and entered the harbor, thanks to the energy of her crew. Her commander, Lieut. Krinizki, who was slightly anese fleet, which, the correspondent wounded in the arm, did not quit his says, these reinforcements will enable "On the fire ships were infernal ma-

chines, the wires connected with which bin correspondent says a report is bewere cut by Lieut. Kedroff and En- ing circulated there to the effect that sign Pilsousky of the regulars, whom I dispatched on this task. They board- it will not really begin before Septemed one of the steamers as soon as it ber, the rains making July and Augstopped, cut the electric wire and ex- ust unfavorable for military operainguished the fire, which would have tions. lit up the entrance of the harbor to the roadstead. "In the morning a floating mine was

found bearing an infernal machine, but the latter was successfully removed. "Inspection made showed that the Silni one of the latter's steam pipes staemers utilized as fire ships were not and her steering gear were damaged, old. They were each of about two in consequence of which she was thousand tons, and they were armed with light calibre guns." ST. PETERSBURG, March 27.-The following official despatch has been pedo boat has not yet been ascertained.

received from General Smyroff:

harbor. Four fireships were sent to- six o'clock the enemy's squadron apward the port, convoyed by a torpedo peared on the horizon. Thirty batteries Toward 2.15 a. m. the ap- on Tiger peninsula opened fire and our proach of the enemy's ships was per- fleet steamed out of the harbor, the ceived by the guardships and batteries Bayan and the Askold leading and also ser Boyarin was blown up by touching which simultaneously opened on them firing at the enemy. Our fire, however, torpedo boats and were followed at great distance of the enemy's squadconsiderable distance by larger ships, ron.
which opened fire on the forts, supporting the action of the fireships and lined up in the roadstead. The Japan-

tillery fire and the boldness of our tor- giving battle and towards ten o'clock it ships to approach Dalny, where there pade boats, the fireships did not reach disappeared below the harizon.

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LONDON, March 28 .- The Seoul correspondent of the Dail Mail says that Hill another sank behind the first on March 23 Japanese infantry had an engagement with Cossacks between turn of the channel, struck by a torpedo from one of our boats, and the Anju and Chong-Ku, in which the fourth sank, with its bow touching a Japanese were victorious after losing Japanese steamer sunk in the previous lifty killed.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 28.-Gen. Kuropatkin has left his train at Mukden and is proceeding to Liao Yang. whence it is now believed he will proceed to the front for an inspection of the troops, his visit to Port Arthur being temporarily postponed. Reports from the general staff says

"A boat left each of the sunken the Japanese skirmishers are more enships carrying their crews. One of terprising and that more outpost afthese is believed to have been picked fairs may henceforth be expected. BIZERTA, Tunis, March 28.-The Russian armored cruiser Dmitri Dontorpedo boats retired and the bom- skor and three torpedo boats left here karoff at once proceeded in a steam

bardment ceased. Vice Admiral Ma- today. Their destination is not known. NEW CHWANG, March 28.-Amerilaunch to inspect the enemy's sunken can and British flags were today removed by the Russian military from British nationality. ST. PETERSBURG. March 28.-The

were sighted south of Port Arthur and miral Makaroff an order decorating the officers and men of the torpedo boat cross for their valor in the repulse of the Japanese attempt to block Port Arclining an engagement. At 10 o'clock they disappeared below the horizon." tain Irkorff of the Manchurian com-

SEOUL, March 27.-Marquis Ito with enced to 25 years penal servitude for sciatica. Ijichi, the former Japanese military anese, will be sent to the quicksilver attache here, left for Tokio today after mines at Nerchinsky (eastern eria). having had a farewell audience with He has a wife, two sons in the cadet corps and a grown up daughter Marquis Ito dined with the emperor and the crown prince and was shown Leontieff of the Russian staff, arrested the most distinguished consideration

The visit of the marguis has resulted in fully reassuring the Koreans, allaying all doubts as to the intentions of captain. ST. PETERSBURG, March 28.-The

the Japanese government and paving Great Britain. Through the intermedi-The Koreans will send a return mis- ary of France the Novostic continues ALGIERS, March 27 .- The Russian gether, as the alliance would be of torpedo boat destroyer Buini, while enormous advantage to both. But the entering this port today, went aground Novoe Vremya declines to bury the and sustained extensive damages. The hatchet, still harping of perfidious Albion and saying that Great Britain CHEE FOO, March 27 .- The steamer has "been trying to fasten her interest-Active has arrived from Kobo, Japan. ed friendship upon all the European She reports that on the 25th inst. she mations in turn, but they all saw passed a fleet of Japanese transports through the game.'

The Bourse Gazette says sarcastically that while Russia is still strong Great TIEN TSIN, March 27.—It is official- Britain will not move, her attitude toannounced here that at noon today wards Russia becoming friendly in prothe Russians proclaimed Newchwang portion as she receives news of the strengthening of the Baltic ports and ST. PETERSBURG, March 27.-The the reinforcement of the Russian arms news of the repulse of Vice Admiral near the Indian frontier.

Togo's second attempt to block Port In the diplomatic circles the possi-Arthur created much rejoicing in the bility of such a new triple alliance, with its far-reaching consequences, atclosses, the gallantry of the Silni and traces considerable attention, the opinher commander is the subject of high ion being that it is not so fantastic as it first appeared. There is an intimamiral Makaroff's willingness to engage tion from a well informed quarter that the enemy, showing that he consider-King Edward, who is now practically ed himself strong enough to fight, prohis own prime minister, sincerely harstanding differences between Great report from Vladivostok says that a Britain and the empire of his nephew mine has been discovered under the and that while the time is not yet ripe fortress with wires leading to a for the satisfaction of this desire, the way is being paved for its consumma-PARIS, March 28.-The Matin's St. tion. A prominent diplomat said to Petersburg correspondent says it is the Associated Press: alleged that the Russian Vladivostok

"A thorough understanding between squadron is en route to Argentina, Russia and Great Britain would be the where it expects to overtake the wargreatest possible guarantee of the ships bought by Russia. The squadron world's peace, and there is no reason purposes to return with these vessels why the spheres of their ambitions to the far east, where a determined should not be delimited. The mistrust effort will be made against the Japof each other's purposes imposes upon both countries enormous and useless burdens. Great Britain has repeatedly tried to come to an agreement with Russia, but thus far something has always come in the way of such an agreement. Personally, I think that the war will last two years, and that there can be no Anglo-Russian entente for the present, but sooner or later it is bound to come. PARIS, March 28 .- The St. Peters-

burg correspondent of the Petit Parisien says it is reported that the Vladi-Viceroy Alexieff in a despatch to the vostok squadron under command of Capt. Reitzenstein, has returned to "During an attack by the enemy's port with several prizes, including a ships on March 27 on the torpedo boat Japanese warship PARIS, March 29.-The Echo De

Paris St. Petersburg correspondent beached near Golden Hill, but since says the war office general staff expects then has been refloated. The number that the first land engagements in the far east will take place week. It is estimated, he adds, that General Kuroki, commanding the first "PORT ARTHUR, March 27.- Last enemy's torpedo boats were sightly to Japanese army in the Ping Yang renight after moonrise the Japanese at- the south of Port Arthur and the bat- gion, has a total strength of 70,000 men, empted to block the entrance to the teries opened fire on them. Towards including a brigade of cavalry and 180 PARIS, March 29 .- "It is certain," says the St. Petersburg correspondent

of the Matin, "that the Russian cruia Russian torpedo eight days after the striking a mine at Port Arthur. It is "Owing to the heaviness of our ar- ly direction, evidently in order to avoid and hence it is impossible for Russian an hour.

BOYS' 2-PIECE SUITS, BOYS' SAILOR SUITS,

OTTAWA NEWS.

OTTAWA, March 27 .- A party of topographical surveyors will leave Ottawa in about a month's time to act jointly with American geodetic surveyors in marking the Canada-Alaska boundary. Commissioners King and Tittman will visit the Yukon later in the season.

The announcement that a cordial understanding has been reached between the governments of Great Britain and France over the long-standing French shore difficulty, leaves way for the resumption of negotiations looking to the admission of Newfoundland into the dominion. In official circles are held up from two to four and the London report is confirmed that the five days? government will make immediate ap- ed in New York early on Monday morproaches to the ancient colony with a ning, should not reach us as a regu-view to federation agreement. If lar occurrence until Wednesday noon this can be brought about, Newfound- is bad enough; but when, from three land will have four senators and ten or four to ten or twelve times a month, members in the commons.

small party of M. P.'s and newspaper make public complaint of a disgracerepresentatives at her hospitable home on Saturday night. A cold wave today, with the mer-

curv about zero, checked the threatthe property of citizens of American or ened flood in Rideau river, which was running of trains, one expects of Miss Domville, daughter of Senator emperor has telegraphed to Vice-Ad- Domville, entertained a number of view, however, of the uninterrupted young lady friends in the senate quarters yesterday. OTTAWA, March 27.-A letter from

Prof. Robertson, commissioner of agriculture and dairying, dated Jamaica, March 14, says he will be home early ST. PETERSBURG, March 28.-Cap- in April in capital health. Mr. Roddick, of the dairy branch, who is with missariat service, who has ben sent- Prof. Robertson, is still suffering from at this writing, still awaiting a New

biological station met here today in the office of Prof. Prince, commissioner of fisheries, chairman of the board. Among the directors present were The papers in the case of Captain Prof. Ramsey Wright, Prof. Maccallon of Toronto, Abbe Huard of Quebec, at Warsaw for a similar offense, are in | Prof. Knight of Kingston, Prof. Bailey the hands of the general staff. A court of Fredericton, and Prof. McBride of martial will be appointed to try the Montreal. The station in the maritime provinces at Richmond Bay, P. E. I.. will be a rallying point for observers papers are all discussing the possibility this summer, the life and habits of ing, on one of a series of memoranda the way for the extension of Japanese of better relations between Russia and oysters being one of the principal subjects for consideration. The board will also investigate into the dogfish to bring Great Britain and Russia to- pest with a view to its extermination.

TOGETHER IN DEATH.

ST. LOUIS. March 28.-After earning and

losing \$500,000 in New York city, Mr. and Mrs. John B. Altman, when about to lose your space, their home in St. Louis, decided to die together, and turned on the gas. Their bodies were found today. The pair left a note say ing that they had agreed to die after chloroforming a pet cat, which was all they had untrammelled by debts. The cat's body wa found in the cellar. Altman and his wife came to the United States fifteen years ago. They accumulated half a million dollars by speculation in New York city, lost nearly all of their fortune by signing notes for friends, and removing to St. Louis, purchased a home with the remnant of their fortune. This Oliver Jones, died this morning after home was mortgaged and the mortgage was an illness of about three months with about to be foreclosed.

AN IMPORTANT RESOLUTION,

Looking Towards Maintenace of Peace Between Britain and United States.

LONDON. March 28 .- At a meeting of the Anglo-American League at Stafford House today, James Bryce (liberal member of parliament and formerly president of the Board of Trade), presiding, a resolution was passed for the west. to the effect that "it was desirable that the British government endeavor to enter into chester, passed through here Saturday a treaty with the United States, with the on his way home. He says that the view of systematic reference to arbitration Grand Trunk contract will be fought of differences arising between the two powers which diplomacy might fail to settle." The meeting also resolved that the govern- ity at the next election, whoever may ments, before resorting to reprisals or hostilities, should agree to endeavor to settle their differences by reference to The Hague clear the track of the Elgin and Havecourt or by other peaceful means recommended by The Hague peace convention.

STRIKE AT SYDNEY.

Thirty of the Dominion Iron and Steel Co.'s Employes Quit Work.

SYDNEY, C. B., March 28.-Thirty employes of the Dominion Iron and as high as four feet, somewhat dam-Steel Co., operating the Vroom hoists aging the trestles and read bed. For which are used to convey iron ore from over a mile east of Bridgetown the heavily. The ships were preceded by ceased immediately in view of the the torpedo transport Yenesei was the bank to blast furnace bins, ceased track is under water two feet and blown up as the result of accidentally to work tonight on account of an in- more. East of Kentville the water crease in pay which they demanded has gutted out the track in many not known since the death of Captain some weeks ago being refused. These places to the depth of four and five Stepanoff, commander of the Yenesei, men have been paid \$2 a day of ten feet, but these are being filled in towhere the torpedoes have been placed, hours. Their demand was for 25 cents day, and as the bridges are helling

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DEFECTIVE POSTAL SERVICE. ST. JOSEPH, N. B., March 27.

To the Editor of the Sun : Sir-Do you know of any means. short of a parliamentary enquiry, of ascovering where or by whom American papers on their way to this P. O. That a daily paper, mailit does not arrive until Friday or Sat-Mrs. R. L. Borden entertained a urday noon, it is surely in order to

> fully incompetent service. During the Christmas season, or at periods when snow brockades or spring freshets interfere with the regular course, some delay and submits thereto, as philosophically as may be. In train service of the past fortnight, I fail to understand why New York dailies of the 18th and 19th inst. should reach here only on the 24th; or why a weekly like the Independent, dated the 17th, should arrive just one day before the arrival of the next succeeding Independent dated the 24th. I am,

> York daily of the 22nd inst. That the delay is not due to any incompleteners in the address printed of paper's wrapper is manifest from the fact that "St. Joseph Westmerhand Co., N. B.," is printed there in

Why not write, some reader may

ask, to the P. O. department, to the inspector, superintendent, or some other official? For two reasons: One is that the last time I adopted that course, I had the satisfaction of readoffered to my notice after the lapse of a fortnight, this comment by one high and mighty public servant to a sub-ordinate: "See about this. Someone is looking for trouble." One does not court the repetition of such impertinence. The second reason is that my experience goes to show that the ventilation of a well-grounded grievance in the press is the likeliest method of securing its speedy redress. As a last resource there is, to be sure the parliamentary inquiry. In the meantime, can the Sun explain the irregularity complained of?

> Very truly yours, DISGRUNTLED.

I am, Mr. Editor, with thanks for

MONCTON NEWS

MONCTON, March 27.-E. Tiffin, traffic manager of the Intercolonial, is mentioned as a candidate for the posiway commission, with good chances. Bessie J. Jones, daughter of the late goitre. Deceased was a member of the First Baptist church, in which she self to all by unostentatious charity and kindly assistance to all meritorious enterprises for the public good. She was 28 years of age, and is survived by her mother, two sisters, Mrs. J. S. Trites and Miss Lottie, and four brothers, Dr. L. F. Jones of California. and Andrew H. H., Gurney R. and M. B. Jones of Moncton. The funeral will take place on Tuesday. A train of fifteen flat cars, built by

Rhodes, Curry & Co. at Amherst for the Temiscaming and Northern railway, passed through here yesterday Hon. Mr. Gourley, member for Col-

inch by inch, and is confident that he will be returned by a splendid majoroppose him. Men commenced on Saturday to

lock railway, which has been closed, and it is expected that traffic will be resumed on Monday or Tuesday.

TROUBLE ON THE D. A. R. HALIFAX, N. S., March 27 .- The

warm rain which fell during Saturday throughout the valley has caused serious washouts along the line of the D. A. R., and especially between Bridgetown and Lawrencetown, and between Kentville and Port Williams. In places firm, it is expected that the road may