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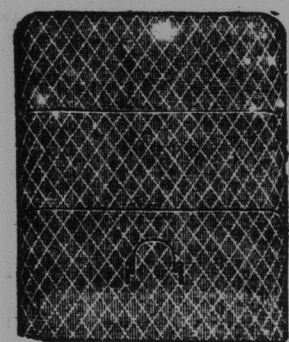
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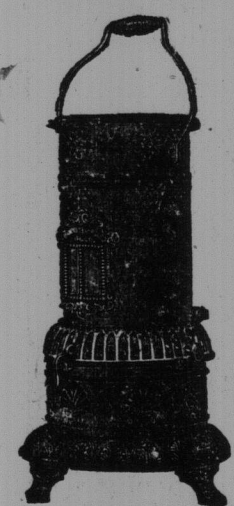


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FIRE BUG BURNS THREE TO DEATH

Many Others Nearly Die in Blazing Tenement.

Two Young Girls and Their Grandfather, a Helpless Paralytic, Were the Victims.

NEW YORK, Nov. 10.—Three persons were suffocated and burned to death, half a dozen others were overcome by smoke and saved only with the greatest difficulty by the firemen, and more than thirty others, after a thrilling experience on a narrow and crowded fire escape were taken to the street in their night clothes in a fire which practically destroyed a five story apartment house on the upper East Side early today.

Of the three victims two were young girls, Blanche and Lillian Euhlan, 15 and 18 years old, and the other was their grandfather, Frederick Weber, 69 years old. Weber was a helpless paralytic, yet in the fear of terrible fate threatening him, he arose from his bed and made his way to the hall where his body, burned to a crisp, was found. The fire is believed to have been started by an incendiary. It started in a mass of boxes, barrels and broken furniture, which lay piled underneath the stairway leading to the basement. This rubbish is said to be part of a quantity gathered by some of the boys in the house for an election bonfire, but taken away from them by their elders. Most of it was kerosene soaked. Starting in the basement the flames swept upward through the elevator shaft and before the tenants had been aroused, the building was ablaze. The loss on the building was about \$5,000.

KINGS BIRTHDAY PROPHECIES

Banquets to the King, Inspire Predictions of Anglo-American Union and Imperial Federation.

NEW YORK, Nov. 10.—The British schools and universities club of New York celebrated King Edward's birthday at its annual dinner at Delmonico's last night. Both President Roosevelt and King Edward were toasted and in every speech there was reference to a future Anglo-American union and to the present era of good feeling between the two nations. The President of the club, Judge, of Canada, presided. Among those who spoke were Sir Percy Sanderson, British general, Baron Kaneto Kaneto, minister of justice in Japan, and a member of the Japanese house of peers, the Rt. Rev. Bishop Potter, president of the Empire of America, and John H. Finley, of the University of the City of New York.

CHICAGO, Nov. 10.—A banquet in honor of King Edward's birthday has been given by British and Canadian-Americans of Chicago at the Auditorium. A telegram of thanks from King Edward was received in reply to one sent congratulating His Majesty on his birthday. Richard Armstrong declared that in ten years the world would see an imperial federation of the British empire, with a Canadian as prime minister, an Australian at the head of the war office and a South African in charge of the admiralty.

GRAND DIVISION TODAY.

Delegates Elected to National Division—Next Session at Newcastle.

The Grand Division of the Sons of Temperance met shortly after ten o'clock this morning. The most worthy patriarch of the order in America, W. B. Burgoyne, of St. Catharines, was present, having arrived in the city this morning.

The most worthy patriarch made an address, which was replied to in a welcoming spirit by H. C. Tilley, G. W. F., and E. A. Everett, past M. W. P.

The business of the meeting was then taken up, the first order being the report of the grand superintendent of young people's work. The report was referred to the audit committee.

The following were elected representatives of the National Division: Most Worthy Patriarchs E. A. Everett, J. R. Robertson, Robt. Bell, Edw. McCarthy, C. N. Vroom, J. R. Woodburn, Rev. W. J. Kirby, Rev. G. W. Fisher, Robt. Maxwell, H. A. McKewen, Rev. James Crisp, Rev. J. D. Murray, Rev. Geo. Steele, L. P. D. Tilley, Rev. C. W. Hamilton.

Grand Worthy Patriarch, H. C. Tilley.

Past Grand Worthy Patriarch—John Rankin, Sedge Webber, H. Trueman, J. Kierstead, John Gowanland, J. C. Thomas, E. S. Hennigar, S. McCavour, Mrs. G. H. Forbes, W. C. Whitaker, J. D. Phinney, H. J. Evans, J. W. Fowler, W. H. Patterson and W. F. Hatheway, G. W. A.

Past Grand Scribe—A. J. Armstrong.

Representation at large—Thos. A. Clarke and Rev. C. F. Fienington.

It was decided to hold the semi-annual session at Newcastle.

The annual session next year is to be held on the third Wednesday in October at Moncton.

Reports of the committee on the state of the order and of the finance and audit committees were presented and discussed.

The Grand Division is meeting this afternoon. This evening will probably be spent in a social way.

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION.

WANTED—Experienced stitichers, ladies' work. Hand sewers also. Apply J. ROSEN, 156 Mill street.

WANTED—Girl wanted for general housework. MRS. G. B. HEGAN, 51 Hazen street.

WHITE FLAG DISPLAYED ON PORT ARTHUR'S WALLS

General Stoessel Asks For An Armistice--Negotiations For Surrender Are Probably Now Going On--Danger of Massacre

TOKIO, Nov. 10, 10.45 a. m.—It is reported that General Stoessel, commanding at Port Arthur, has asked the Japanese for an armistice, the purpose of which is not stated. A confirmation of the reports is unobtainable. It is hoped here that General Stoessel will capitulate before the city proper is taken. The Japanese soldiers are angry and inflamed on account of the alleged abuse of their wounded by the Russians. They believe they will be murdered if captured. Under these conditions it will be possible to avoid a massacre when the troops meet in the final combat.

ASSAULT ON MT. ETBE.

CHU FOO, Nov. 10, noon.—Eise Mountain, according to Chinese, 120 of whom arrived here today from Port Arthur, is proving a costly obstacle to the Japanese. On the morning of Nov. 5 and 6 fierce assaults on the position were made by the Japanese who were repulsed. During the second assault a Japanese soldier was killed. The Japanese were holding the trenches on the boundary of the mined section. Six or seven hundred were killed. The Japanese not having reached the place, were unhurt. Else mountain owes the best part of its strength to the peculiar topography of the surrounding country which prevents a direct artillery fire and does not enable the Japanese to advance trenches with the success evident elsewhere. The Japanese advanced on it in both instances from behind distant hills with the fullest force of the ground would allow, but in the long distance which they were compelled to traverse, in the face of machine gun fire, their ranks were melted. Both times

"FIRE AWAY" SAID BRITISH.

In Answer to Russian Admiral's Threat Which He Dare Not Make Good.

LONDON, Nov. 9.—The Tanager correspondent of the Daily Mail quotes a naval officer as saying that Admiral Rojevstevsky was annoyed by British warships following him from Vigo. He signalled to them: "If you do not keep off we will fire." The British promptly answered: "Fire away!" The Russian commander did not carry out his threat. Four British warships were following the fleet, nominally going to Anconson and St. Helena. Islands. Great Britain has arranged for a chain of ships to keep in touch by means of wireless telegraphy with the Russians so that statements made by the officers who were left behind as being responsible for the North Sea incident can always be submitted to Admiral Rojevstevsky for his verification or otherwise.

NO DISMISSALS YET

And Certain Wild Rumors Are Without Any Foundation.

There are numerous reports going the rounds that several government officials are to lose their jobs because they are suspected of sympathizing with the Conservatives in the recent election. The Star learns on good authority that there is not the least foundation for the reports. The men who were mentioned did not take any part in the contest and are themselves satisfied that the reports are but idle rumors. One man said, "Why, that charge against me was made over 20 years ago, it must be a joke."

There is a story going the rounds that the Giff workers after the election approached one of the defeated candidates and asked when the head of a certain public department was to be dismissed. The man with the patronage asked in surprise why he was asked that question and the man replied: "Why? I was to get that job."

He was laughed at.

JOHN MORLEY TAKES LESSONS.

CINCINNATI, Nov. 10.—Late last night John Morley, the English statesman left this city for Washington, carrying with him a large bundle of election matter, including sample ballots and copies of instructions to voters. "I will never be satisfied," he said, "until we in England are able to hold our elections all in one day as is done in the United States. I am in hopes of bringing about the needed reform, but I expect trouble in doing so."

In Washington he will be the guest of President Roosevelt for several days.

IF YOU HAVE ANY ASSET THAT, BECAUSE IT IS NO LONGER NEEDED, HAS BECOME A LIABILITY—A HORSE, A MOTOR, A DESK, A SAFE, A COAT-RESISTER, A WRITING MACHINE, A STORE-FIXTURE, A BOND—YOU CAN FIND A BUYER FOR IT.

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RUSSIAN RESERVISTS DESERT.

NEW YORK, Nov. 10.—A London despatch to the Times quotes the London Times Russian correspondents as saying that the distinction to join the colors for Manchuria recently noticeable in South Russia is becoming general throughout the country. Competent opinion puts the number of reservists who so far have escaped at least twenty thousand. It has been shrewdly suspected that in spite of Russia's overwhelming strength on paper, she has already been sadly put to it to equip even 100,000 trained soldiers from her European countries for service in Manchuria. Even military men admit that two more European corps will exhaust the Russian stock of effectively trained and properly equipped men.

LOTS OF GRAIN IN RUSSIA.

NEW YORK, Nov. 10.—A London despatch to the Times says the Russian correspondent of the London Times report extraordinary accumulations of grain in Russia. The block is estimated at 1,118,000 tons and trucks containing about a million tons of grain. The grain blocks are bound to assume even greater proportions during the next few weeks and it is exceedingly doubtful whether the Russian stock will be cleared without the assistance of warships at the opening of navigation next year. The losses which have to be borne by the moujiks or peasants are most serious.

ARSON IN FREDERICTON

A Barn Burned—Valuable Horses Fatally Injured and Another Will Probably Be Shot.

(Special to Star.)
FREDERICTON, N. B., Nov. 10.—Firemen were called out at 2.30 this morning for a fire in a barn of Archibald Jewett, Regent street. In the building were three valuable stallions, property of A. H. C. Jewett. They were got out with difficulty, but all were found to be more or less injured. One, a large black German coach horse, had to be shot a few hours after its rescue, and one of the others, a French coach horse, is feared will have to meet a similar fate. The three animals were insured for \$2,000, but Mr. Jewett says that he valued any one of them at more than that amount. The barn was insured for \$100. The fire has every appearance of being of incendiary origin.

Mr. Jewett was the last to visit the barn last evening between nine and ten and at that time there was no appearance of fire.

GANONG'S MAJORITY 274.

ST. ANDREW'S N. B., Nov. 10.—This was declaration day. Sheriff Stuart declared the votes cast were for Ganong, 2,674; Gilmour, 2,330; majority for Ganong 344. Mr. Stuart was in good form and thanked all who voted for him, also the poll clerks and returning officer. He moved a vote of thanks to the sheriff, which was seconded by T. A. Hart, acting for Ganong, who was unable, through illness, to attend. A number of Mr. Gilmour's stout George friends were present also Geo. F. Hill and N. Marks Mills, of St. Stephen.

SUPREME COURT.

(Special to the Star.)
FREDERICTON, N. B., Nov. 10.—In the supreme court this morning argument in the case of the Royal Bank of Canada vs. Hale was concluded, Court considers.

McKinnon vs. The McLaughlin Carriage Co. Mr. Teed argued in support of the defendant to the declaration, Mr. Curry contra. Judgment for the defendant; the plaintiff to have leave to amend upon payment of costs within twenty days after taxation.

Rose vs. City of Saint John. C. M. Skinner argued in support of the plaintiff. The point is that the plaintiff should have proceeded by arbitration, the common law right of having been taken away. A. W. Macrae and W. B. Wallace contra. This case is now before the court.

NAVIGATION ALMOST CLOSED.

(Special to the Star.)
FREDERICTON, Nov. 10.—The river here this morning was quite frozen over and is now full of running ice. It looks as if another night would close navigation.

THE WEATHER.

Forecasts—Moderate northwest to north winds, fair and cold today and on Friday.
Synopsis—Fair, cold weather continues everywhere. Winds to Banks and American ports moderate northwest to north.

FALK'S BIG MAJORITY.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Nov. 10.—Unofficial returns from 31 out of 114 counties in Missouri give Roosevelt a plurality of 10,485 over Parker, and Folk (Democratic) for governor, of 24,813 over Wallace (Republican).

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