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JAPANESE STEELING RUSSIA'S NORTH PORT FLEET NOT IN HARBOR

Czar's Ships at Mouth of Tumen River Covering Movements of Troops.

ALEXIEFF REPORTS NO DAMAGE.

Yinkow, March 7.—An official despatch received here says the Japanese are again bombarding Vladivostok.

JAPS HOVERING ABOUT.

London, March 7.—A despatch to the Central News from St. Petersburg says telegrams received from Vladivostok say that seven Japanese ships approached that port at 10 o'clock this morning.

FLEET IN THE TUMEN.

Tokio, March 7.—It is believed that the Vladivostok squadron is now in the vicinity of the mouth of the Tumen River, engaged in covering the movements of Russian troops from Possett Bay to the Valley of the Tumen.

Russian scouts are reliably reported to have penetrated south as far as Klungung.

It is thought that the Russians may occupy and fortify some strong position on the Tumen river.

ALEXIEFF AGAIN VAGUE.

St. Petersburg, March 7.—Victory Alexieff has telegraphed the czar from Mukden, under today's date, as follows:

"Supplementary to my telegram of March 6, I most humbly report of the enemy's ships off seven forts Suvaroff and Linnich, on the Tumen river, on the roadstead and along the valley of the River Obyskenensky."

The firing lasted until 2.15 p.m., at which hour the Japanese squadron began to steam to the southward.

YANKES FOR PIRATES.

St. Petersburg, March 7.—The Associated Press learns that the Russian authorities have been approached indirectly by American shipping firms desiring authority to fit out privateers to prey on Japanese commerce.

WAR NOTES.

Vladivostok, March 7.—The Russians are hunting for Japanese. Any person concealing them will be punished.

Drive on Sunday.

Hamilton, March 7.—Rev. T. Albert Moore, traveling secretary of the Lord's Army, preached here yesterday morning on Sabbath observance.

To Use Dynamite on Don.

W. H. Muckle, General Manager of the Ontario & Quebec Railway, has been instructed to watch the river at that point and supplied with dynamite.

WHITTS DECISION OF COURT PERTH FULL OF FIGHT YET

If Judgment Goes Against Town Deputation Will Ask Legislature to Reconsider.

Perth, March 7.—(Special.)—Renewed interest is manifested in Perth over the municipal ownership contest.

Has Better Water Power.

Chairman Foy of the light committee of the council has pointed out that while the Canadian Electric Light and Power Company does not possess sufficient water to generate the power that is required for every-day service.

Chief Anti-Russian Could Marshal 2000 Men.

Head of the Chunchus Bandits Ready to Make Common Cause with Japs.

Tientsin, March 7.—The report that Russia has occupied the Siumintun Railway and taken possession of the telegraph lines is incorrect.

JAPAN WAITS HER CHANCE.

Tokio, March 7.—Notwithstanding the fact that it is understood here that Russia is pressing China to make the territory west of the Liao neutral.

TO BLOCK LIAO RIVER.

Yinkow, March 7.—The Russo-Chinese Bank sent its books to Tientsin today.

IN DANGER OF GREAT FLOOD.

Harrisburg, Pa., March 7.—According to Weather Observer Deakin, this section is in danger of a great flood.

SCOTCH CLERKS WRITE BOOK.

(Canadian Associated Press Cable.) London, March 7.—Rev. John Kay, captain of the Scotch clergies who visited Canada in 1903, has published an account of the tour.

BALEFOL ON PAMPHLETS.

London, March 7.—Premier Balfour in the house of commons today referring to the pamphlets, declared one was printed with a view of publication.

Gen. O. Messon, Chartered Accountant, Auditor, 27 East Wellington Street, Toronto, Ont.

Yours office business is safer.

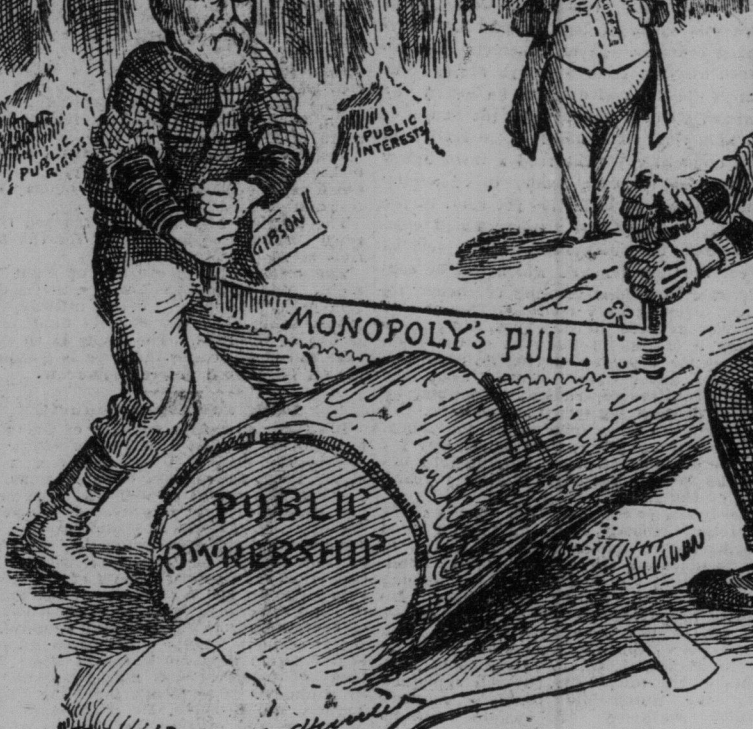
Joe Royal Infants Cigars 5c. Alvo Ballard.

Father O'Neil Very Ill.

To-day in Toronto.

MONOPOLY'S WILLING WORKERS.

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ROSS GIVE OPTION OF CLOSING THE BARS WITH SHOP LICENSES

Two Questions To Be Submitted to All Municipalities as Units Next January.

More Restriction Promised.

This morning Premier Ross will gather together his followers and submit his proposed temperance bill for their consideration.

SEE THE MUGS TO-DAY.

They'll Be on View at Ryrie's. Record Nov. 70.

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BANK CLERK SHOT HIMSELF WAS TO EXPLAIN SHORTAGE

Louis Appleton of Local Branch Molsons Bank Sues in Montreal Office.

Montreal, March 7.—(Special.)—Lucas B. Appleton, a clerk in the Toronto branch of the Molsons Bank, who had been summoned here by General Manager Elliott to explain an alleged shortage, committed suicide this afternoon outside the door of the head office.

Appleton called upon Mr. Elliott this morning, but was told by the general manager to come back in the afternoon, which he did, and while walking up and down the hallway outside the manager's office drew a revolver and discharged it.

Appleton, who has a wife and family, died instantly. The remains were taken to the morgue.

Appleton was one of the tellers in the Molsons Bank at King and Bay streets, and was well known. He left for Montreal on Saturday, leaving word at his home that he would be home on Tuesday.

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CHILDREN AT MASSEY HALL COULD SING, BUT NOT LISTEN

Speakers Were Discomfited by Uproar at Afternoon Service of Bible Society Centenary.

The Pled Piper of Hamelin with his magical notes had nothing like such a crowd to follow him into the mountain side as thronged the streets about Massey Hall yesterday afternoon.

At 3.30, when the mayor took the chair and opened the centenary meeting of the British and Foreign Bible Society, the hall was full from basement to casement.

People who do not know children might have thought it disorderly, but the youthful exuberance of Bible Society infants was really marvellously restrained.

Mrs. H. M. Blight was organist, but it is doubtful whether she heard anything but the pedal effects.

Rev. T. B. Hyde wanted it a little quieter before he began, but the organist to have it so.

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