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FIVE MEN HURT

a Lot of Broken Bones.

THE WHEAT CROP SAFE

Almost Completed.

Winnipeg, Nov. 3.—The C. P. R. weekly crop report indicates that thrashing is practically over, and that another week of favorable weather will clear the slate

Canadian Pacific Railway Com-

per acre. iductor Goldstone, of the street rail-

Carmen and Rev. Dr. Sutherland.

steamer Beta, which arrived here

crew of the British barkentine Sunny

GO TO COUNTRY

at an Early Date.

ham to the Provincial Secretaryship.

HEADS ON PIKES

Shah of Persia Punishes Murderers

of Missionaries.

Labaree, who was killed by six Kurd

assassins near Urumia, Persia, last

Minister Richmond Pearson, who has just returned to Teheran, reported to the

state department that an expedition sen

out to punish Dr. Labaree's murderers. had executed six of the fanatics, and brought the heads of two of them to

UP GOES SOFT COAL

Price Up 35 Cents.

of engineers in Illinois, which has prac-

tically closed all the mines in that

The rates now quoted for Pittsburg

district coal are as follows: Run-of-

Teheran on pikes.

provincial election.

PRICE TWO CENTS.

### PT. ARTHUR'S DOOM AT HAND; JAPS DOMINATE EAST FORTS

The Mikado's Men Are New Closing In On the Last Line of Defense.

#### SUPREME EFFORT TO CARRY STRONGHOLD TODAY over and the occupants were spilled into

that the Japanese have captured Rih- place the east side of the town at their lung Mountain and Sungshu Mountain, mercy. The last assault has gained which lies between the railroad and for them positions which insure their they had demolished the rig. They Rihlung Mountain. They also report ability to enter the main east forts that the Japanese have captured East whenever they are ready. It is calcu-Keekwan Mountain. Conservative Japanese, realizing the sians do not surrender, the latter will intense desire of the Japanese for be capable of prolonging their final Threshing in Manitoba and Northwest good news on the Emperor's birthday, stand at Llaoti Mountain and on the received the above reports with re- Tiger's Tail for a much longer time

serve. Regarding the capture of Rih- with the mere hope of prolonging the lung and Sungshu Mountains, the struggle, Long before the second Pareport is not considered improbable, cific squadron arrives the Japanese P but Japanese say that it is not intend- flag will wave over the wrecked cit- for this year at least. About half the ed to occupy East Keekwan Mountain. adel. This will end Viceroy Alexieff's points on their lines are finished. and the balance are well over the 75 per cent In August the Japanese succeeded in dream of an unconquerable city. The entering East Keekwan fort, as was Japanese have not occupied the main entering East Keekwan fort, as was Japanese have not occupied the main pany's land sales in October aggregate related in these dispatches at that forts and highest points of the east 23.892.84 acres, for which the sum of \$104. time, but under the concentrated fire hills, but they occupy in overwhelm- 843 47 was realized, an average of nearly of the other forts, they were compelled ing numbers positions which will ento retire. Japanese officers here say able them to drive the Russians back that it is impossible to hold East Keek- whenever they desire. When the Japthat it is impossible to hold East Keek- whenever they desire. When the Jap- wan, and that, therefore, an attempt anese occupy the East Port Ridge, dist Conference is in session here. Rev on that position is presumably only a they will completely dominate the other Russian forts with their artil-

When the Japanese occupied the lery. Russian trenches on Rihlung Mountain it is said that the Russian turned The Mikado's Birthday. a current of water into the trenches, but the Japanese held fast. Previous to occasion of his birthday at luncheon South, from Pensacola for West Africa this Japanese shells exploded two land today, the Emperor briefly addressed with lumber, which was burned at sea.

## BEGINNING OF THE END

ed). - The Japanese are now in a position to commence the beginning of ter, down of the diplomatic corps, rethe end of operations. For the capture of East Port Ridge and the siege of the continuance of the war. Port Arthur proper they have completed placing eleven-inch Howitzers. On the night of Oct. 29 all the reserves advanced through a network of emotion the ravages already caused in trenches in front of East Port Ridge suffering families and the thousands from South Keekwan to West Rihlung of noble victims on each side in the Mountain, called by the Japanese Sie-shedding their blood with a bravery

The bombardment began at dawn on Oct. 30. The infantry attacks were planned at noon against the two Rih- Terrific Explosions. lung mountains, an entrenched hill between East Banjusan and East surrender of Port Arthur in time for destroyed property. the Emperor's birthday celebration on

### PORT ARTHUR DOOMED

Wrecked Capital.

A VILE FRAUD

### ceived information, the reliability of everything was on a small scale.

Conservative Plot to Entrap the Father of Bobrikoff's Assassin Telis Hon. Mr. Brodeur.

Montreal, Nov. 3. - Frank Picotte, of Montreal, was arrested yesterday at mer Senator Schaumann (father of Eu-Marieville, county of Rouville, where gene Waldemar Schaumann, the as-Hon. L. P. Brodeur, Minister of Inland sassin of Governor-General Bobrikoff), Revenue, is the Liberal candidate. The | who has been on trial at Abo for some charge is fraud. It is alleged that he time past, charged with having had went into the county and distributed knowledge of his son's crime, in his various sums of \$2 and \$5 to electors, plea admits that he wrote the memorsaying the money was from Mr. Broight regarding the necessity for the ordeur. The minister heard of what had ganization of the Finns, but he claims creased demand for coal and the strike been going on and at once saw that a that it was without treasonable intent. scheme was afoot to entrap him on a Schaurenn explains that he wrote it charge of corruption. Picotte, when ar- one evening when he had nothing else rested, was in a hotel in company with to do, slipped it into a book in his lib- state. The price of run-of-mine coal the chief Conservative organizer of the rary and had forgotten its existence. was recently advanced from \$1 05 district. In his pocket was an electoral The contents do not betray treasonable a ten to \$1 15, f. o. b., at the mines.

# PRESBYTERIAN MISSIONARIES

Their Posts Because of Threats.

Toronto, Nov. 3. - It was reported missionaries in Honan were in danger of their lives through an uprising, Honan correspondent of the Presbyterian, writing from Hwaiching Sept.

1. says that very disquieting news had come to him from various quarters. The missionaries at Changetefu had again had to call the Tartars and deshowing signs of fresh activity. The missionaries of Taimingfu had to fiee from that city owing to their lives in formation contained in the list."

The result of these examinations the gaper says has not been divulged, but members living in the district, and a yellow flag bearing the device I have mentioned before as the one that Box-sthem in 1900. The more than Tartars and desting the device I have mentioned before as the one that Box-sthem in 1900. The more than Tartars and desting the device I have mentioned before as the one that Box-sthem in the region had on their flags in 1900. The move the Tartars and desting the device I have mentioned before as the one that Box-sthem in 1900. The move the Tartars and desting the device I have mentioned before as the one that Box-sthem in 1900. The move the Tartars and desting the tendency toward higher temperatures.

LOCAL TEMPERATURES.

The staff here.

The fall for Mexico storm is moving towards the Atlantic coast, and from to affect the great lakes. The weather continues fair throughout Canada, with ferent committees in his count this again had to call the attention of the showing signs of fresh activity. The missionaries of Taimingfu had to flee from that city owing to their lives information contained in the list."

The Sado Maru is docked at Moji of Mexico storm is moving towards the Atlantic coast, and from to affect the admiration to affect the great lakes. The weather to affect the great lakes. The weather to affect the great lakes. The recard with the fight the strength of the store that the first report of King the locks somewhat fatigued, has a supplied of the store that the first report of King the Atlantic coast, and from the strength of the stren

Were Obliged to Flee From having been threatened by this same "At Hwaiching," continues the correspondent, "there is considerable excitement owing to the magistrate having issued proclamations giving the details of the arrest of a leader of this same society by Rev. M. Gerrard, a Roman Catholic missionary in Weihui Reynold's Newspaper says that it is some time ago that the Presbyterian City. This leader, who is a native of Shanai, had the assurance to call on Mr. Gerrard to have a debate on religion. After leaving he was followed Wales is afflicted with consumption. which had been threatened by the secret societies in that province for some
siding in semi-official style

The prince, the paper states, has frequently been examined by physicians
Toronto
Toronto time. Some time after that report a siding in semi-official style. They and it is known that the subject of Ottawa arrested him and handed him over to the Sinhsianghsien magistrate their examination was the condition of Montreal danger from any such uprising. The Amongst his personal effects were his lungs. Honan correspondent of the Presby- found a seal for signing documents The result of these examinations the

ese arriving from Dalny today report Japanese now occupy positions which Walters had two legs broken, Charles Che Foo, Nov. 3. - Noon. - Japan-1 which is beyond question. that the lated by the Japanese that if the Rus-

Tokio, Nov. 3, 1 p.m. - Upon the his guests, extending welcome to the foreign diplomatic corps and ministers of state. During the course of his remarks he said: "We regret that the The Japs Have Captured the time has not come to see peace re-Headquarters of the Third Japanese
Army in front of Port Arthur, Nov. 2, via Che Foo, Nov. 3, 2 p.m.—(Censor-ed). — The Japanese are now in a not the Japane stored in the Far East in realization Baron D'Anethan, the Belgian minis

> sponded, congratulating the Empero when we contemplate with profound

#### that rises to the height of a sublime and indomitable heroism."

Che Foo, Nov. 3. — A censored dis- are the advent of Hon. W. A. Charlpatch from the Associated Press correspondent with the Japanese army Keekwan Mountain and the three does not give any particulars of a gen-Keekwan forts. Tremendous excite-ment prevailed among the troops, who ment prevailed among the troops, who and that some forts were captured. Ter-stood, given the Premier their consent were convinced that success meant the rific explosions heard here indicate that capture of East Port Ridge and the the Russians have exploded mines and

### War Shadows Gaiety.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 3. - 12:59 p.m.-There was little attempt today to celebrate, except in a perfunctory way the tenth anniversary of the accession Mikado's Flag Will Soon Wave Over family attended a "Te Deum" at the Kazan Cathedral, and there were ser vices in all the churches. Later the troops were paraded, the theaters gave free exhibitions to the school children Che Foo, Nov. 3. 4:30 p.m. - Port and there was music and other holi-Arthur is doomed. The correspondent doy displays in the parks. But, on acof the Associated Press here has re- garding the situation at Port Arthur,

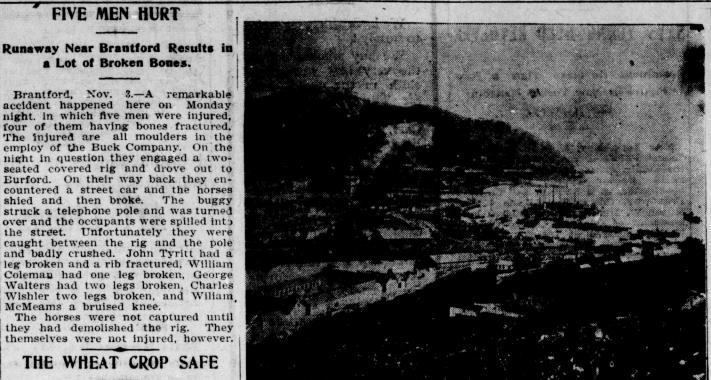
### NOTHING ELSE TO DO

Why He Wrote Memorial.

Helsingfors, Finland, Nov. 3. - For-

### mine, \$1 50 a ton; three-quarter-inch screen coal, \$1 60; one-and-one-quarter inch screen coal, \$1 70, and slack, 85 MENACED BY BOXER SOCIETY

common gossip in the vicinity of Sand- day and Friday ringham Castle that the Prince of



Port Arthur, the Russian Gibraltar in the Far East,"

WEATHER FINE;

**VOTING IS HEAV** 

### STUDENTS AND POLICE FOUGHT

This Rush of College Youths Looks Like a Record Poll slip of paper, on which was typewrit- a letter containing money to any voter in All Sections. Was Disastrous.

#### TWENTY-FIVE BADLY INJURED A HOT CONTEST. IN TORONTO

150 Boston Policemen in a Wild Much Challenging at the Capital Hamilton, Bermuda, Nov. 3. - The Scrimmage With Six Hundred landed the captain, his wife and the Wild College Boys.

-The Situation at Montreal, Winnipeg and Halifax. Boston, Nov. 3. - At least twenty- Montreal, Que., Nov. 3. - Shortly be-

clash between students of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, and Wm. A. Donahue, F. C. Rich,

Legislature preparatory to a general for their homes without giving their

for announcement as soon as that is the students had gathered, following the joint parade last night of the Renot known. So far, according to republican clubs of Harvard University port, the only changes that have been arranged with a degree of definiteness and the Institute of Technology. police had determined to keep the stu-dents from the steps of the building, ton to the portfolio of Commissioner of Crown Lands and of Mr. G. P. Graup the steps they were met by the officers with drawn clubs and a free fight ensued. The officers used their to enter the cabinet. If dissolution n the face and head. takes place as early as predicted, the elections will be over before Christ-

the police were masters of the situa-

President Henry J. Pritchett, of the Institute of Technology, was on the scene soon after the fight started, and assisted in caring for the injured. Washington, Nov. 3.-The Shah of Per- While withholding judgment in the sia has wreaked remarkable vengeance case President Pritchett expressed his that the police had acted for the murder of the Rev. Benjamin W. opinion newhat hastily.

### THE GOMEL TRIALS

Overthrow Jewish Indictment.

Gomel, Russia, Nov. 3. - During the last ten days only one-tenth of the witnesses in the case of the prosecution of those held to be responsible for the rioting in September, 1903, have been heard. Counsel for the Jews is Trouble in Western Mines Sends endeavoring to overthrow the indict-ment of the Jewish defendants, M. Shamakoff, a celebrated lawyer of Pittsburg, Pa., Nov. 2. - Prices of all grades of soft coal have been advanced without fee. The court today took a recess until

### WEATHER BULLETIN.

Tomorrow-Fair and Warmer. London, Thursday, Nov. 3.

London, Thursday, Nov. 3.
Sun rises. .6:56 a.m. Moon rises. .1:49 a.m.
Sun sets. .5:07 p.m. Moon sets. .3:04 p.m.
Toronto, Nov. 2-8 p.m.
The weather continues fair throughout the Dominion. with unseasonably high temperatures in Manitoba and the Territories, and more moderate temperatures from Ontario to the Maritime Provinces.
The storm which appeared over the Gulf of Mexico this morning is moving towards the Middle Atlantic States. London Paper Says His Royal Highness Has Consumption.

London. Nov. 3.—In an article evidently calculated to create a sensetion.

of Mexico this morning is moving towards the Middle Atlantic States.

Minimum and maximum temperatures:
Dawson, 14—22; Victoria, 48—54; Calgary, 30—58; Edmonton, 28—54; Prince Albert, 28—54; Qu'Appelle, 36—66; Winnipeg, 32—64; Port Arthur, 36—46; Parry Sound, 34—56; Toronto, 34—48; Ottawa, 26—42; Montreal, 26—42; Quebec, 18—36; St. John, 28—46; Halifax, 24—42.

Thursday, Nov. 3-8 a.m. winds; fair and warmer to-

TEMPERATURES Father Point .. WEATHER NOTES.

five persons were injured during a fore the opening of the polls today rain commenced to fall, and the outpolice reserves, shortly after midnight. look for a decent day for getting in a Most of the injuries consisted of scalp big vote seemed poor. In a little over wounds and body bruises. Four students and four officers were so ser-Spear, Frede ick Backman, Victor Gebnor, H. S. Higgins; Policemen B. fights of the campaign is being waged.

cabinet will be completed and ready buildings on Boylston street, where Both parties admit an exceedingly close contest between MacDonell, Conclubs freely and soon many of the col- ther being exceptionally fine and mild. about four hundred yards northwest

Ottawa, Ont., Nov. 3.-With weather Hundreds of students hurried to the balmy and summerlike, following a Don Cossacks Routed. in turn summoned assistance with the result that soon 150 officers were en
a record vote. Both parties are working in doubt.

Gen. Okus Headquarters, Nov. 2. — There is little change in the positions of the parties are working the parties are working the parties are working the parties are working that the positions of the parties are working the parties are servatives, however, claim Champagne the river. by 200 majority.

Counsel for Jews Endeavoring to able interest in the election is mani- Russian or a Japanese exposes his

complete for fetching out the vote. Nearly all the available rigs in the city are being pressed into service to-day. The weather all over the West is over the military situation. Little Moscow, is defending the Christians ideal, bright and warm, and a heavy without fee.

When the west is news has been received from Mukden, and a heavy without fee.

The court today took a recess until the court today to the court today today to the court today to the court today to the court today to the cou

> friends of the several candidates, and electors are quickly casting their ballots. The weather is ideal, genuine Indian summer. It'is expected a big vote will be cast. Up to this hour no untoward episodes have occurred.

### SHIPPING RETURNS

Montreal's Total Tonnage Will Reach Two Million Mark.

Montreal, Nov. 3.-The total tonnage of the port of Montreal this season will reach the two-million mark, which will be a record. Up to the 1st November the number of sea-going vessels entering the port was 742, as compared with 734 up to the same date last year. The tonnage up to the 1st of November was slightly above 1,-700,000 tons, while the tonnage of the entire season of 1903 was 1,890,000. The increased tonnage besides being due to the increased number of vessels can also be attributed to the larger type of vessels being used on the St. Lawrence route this year. Before the season Cloudy will reach two millions.

## THE DESPERATE TACTICS OF THE CONSERVATIVE MACHINE

Discovery of a Wholesale Attempt to Deprive London Liberals of Their Votes.

#### SHINPLASTERS SENT WITH NOTE TO VOTE FOR HYMAN

One of the most dastardly attempts tained in a very few minutes that the servative machine today. While shouting corruption against their opponents | The scheme is intended to work as ned, and put the plan into execution, to pears in the polling booth, his vote is so compromise respectable voters as to challenged by the Conservative scrutmake it impossible, as they thought, for ineers, and he is sworn. Though the

these voters to take the oath. street, and who is the highly-respected and thus a vote may be lost to Mr. commander of the Salvation Army in Hyman.

this city, received a letter containing a As a matter of fact, the sending of ten the words: "Vote for your friend, does not compromise his vote, but Mr. Charles Hyman." In the envelope was Hyman's opponents hoped to be able also a 25-cent Canadian "shinplaster." to disfranchise some citizens of Lenprovoking that Brigadier Hargrave It is possible that the

voter may be ever so innocent of any This morning Brigadier Robert Har- wrongdoing, yet the "bluff" is relied grave, who resides at 33 Cartwright upon to prevent his taking the oath,

walked straight to the Liberal commit. scrutineers are not privy to the scheme, tee rooms, and handed the letter and as they are instructed to swear cerits contents to those in charge. They tain men, and may not know the parat once instituted inquiries, and ascer- ticular reason.

#### DON COSSACKS HOLD-UP MEN ROUTED BY JAPS

Toomto, Nov. 3. — There is a rumor

C. B. Kelly.

Other students who required medical attendance well-Blakman, Frank Stelly.

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Other students who required medical in Toronto is being conducted with attendance well-Blakman, Frank Stelly. ceeded in repulsing the enemy. Our servative, and Dewart, Liberal, in detachment sustained only a slight South Toronto, with the odds in favor loss. Fifty of the Russians lost their of the Liberal, while this condition is horses. The Russian cavalry retreatreversed in Center Toronto, where his ed in all directions, and in disorder, great popularity and strength with workingmen, are expected to turn the leaving thirteen dead. The left colscale in Clark's favor. The vote in the morning has been very large, the wea- Oct. 30, seized and burned a village, Believed To Be Responsible for the

of Chenglienpao."

gaged with four times as many students. It was half an hour before dents. It was half an hour before A steady stream of voters went to the day last, detachments composed of ago the place was dug up and buttons A steady stream of voters went to the polls all morning, and considerable day last, detachments composed of polls all morning, and considerable Russian infantry and Don Cossacks and bodies of American soldiers, killed swearing of voters is being done, F. X swearing of voters is being done, F. X st. Jacques, the hotelman, was chal-extreme left along the Hun River, but lenged by the Conservatives, and could were driven back, leaving twenty dead new developments have occurred dur not vote. He lived at Hotel Victoria, Aylmer, Que., all summer. Both parther first time that the Cossacks of the ties claim victory. Speaker Belcourt Don have taken part in the opera-will get many Conservative votes, and tions. The Japanese line now follows his defeat would surprise many of an the bank of the Shakhe River, except independent turn of mind. The Con- on the extreme left, where it crosses

> Gen. Kuroki's Headquarters in the Halifax, N. S., Nov. 3. -- Consider- Field, via Fusan, Oct. 22.-Whenever a fest in the city of Halifax. Very little head he draws the fire of an opponbusiness being done. The weather is ent. A constant exchange of shots befine and warm, with indications for tween the outposts continues daily. St. Petersburg, Nov. 3. - 2:40 a.m.-

1 merely indicating that matters were a deadlock around Shakhe. The Kingston, Ont., Nov. 3.—The polling sub-divisions are well manned by the sub-divisions are well manned by the checked, but there are no signs yet of a general advance by their army. Foreign reports from Port Arthur are decidedly gloomy. While the authorities continue to profess confidence Gen. Stoessel's ability to hold is in the city. He is writing up Car out, the popular feeling is that the dian agriculture, and intends to try heroic garrison, which has already induce his own countrymen to commade a gallant defense, must be near here rather than go to the Congo, which

# AT STRATFORD

"We again express our wishes for that before the end of the week Pre- vens, Richard, Marsh, K. W. Richards, great vigor by both parties. Hon, Geo. Nov. 1, says: "On the afternoon on the street between 10 and 11 o'clock peace, and do so with more fervor mier Ross will seek the consent of the Charles E. Allen, F. M. Barkman, John mier Ross will seek the consent of the Charles E. Ahen, F. M. Barkman, John Lieutenant-Governor to dissolve the M. McMillin. Many others whose E. Foster's workers claim that the canwounds were dressed on the spot left vass shows a majority of 500 for the tachment of the left army, a force of sum of money and a watch. A later ex-minister of finance in North Toron- the enemy, consisting of a regiment attempt to rob Gastreel's store was The trouble occurred on the steps of to, while Mayor Urquhart's reports, it to be described by the manufacture of inflance in North Toront of artillery, advanced from Litewen unsuccessful. Some time during the whether the reconstruction of the Roger's hall, one of the technology and ready building on Royleton street where the reconstruction of the Royleton street where the ried off bodily. The culprits are sup-

### CURIO-SEEKERS

Terento Tunnel-Digglag.

Gen. Oku's Headquarters, Nov. 1- today are inclined to attribute the dig

## GERMANY NOT IN IT

Has No Agreement With Spain as to Santo Domingo.

Russian or a Japanese exposes his head he draws the fire of an opponent. A constant exchange of shots between the outposts continues daily. The Russian casualties from sniping are large. The Chinese are busy carting grain along between the lines of Winnipeg, Man., Nov. 2. — The three ing grain along between the lines of political parties in Winnipeg are thorpolitical parties in Winnipeg are t thing regarding the action taken by Spanish consul at Santo Domingo in

Writing Up Canada.

Nicolai, representing Belgian pape

### Traitorous Jap Leader Was Flogged to Death

livered Two Transports to the Enemy.

that the loss of the Hitachi Maru and of Port Arthur.

the damage done to the Sado Maru by The Hitachi Maru was loaded w closes, it is almost certain, the figures the Vladivestock squadron was owing the largest and best siege guns in the enemy by a Japanese admiral on trains and railway pla

the staff here.

beaten to death by his comrades. The admiral received a check for the information which caused s a blow to Japanese arms and is The Sado Maru is docked at Moji ;