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REV. DR. FRASER'S RESIGNATION. Considered at a Meeting of the Presbytery Today. In Compliance With His Request the Church Made No Effort to Retain His Services.

ST. PETERSBURG APPROVES OF GENERAL STOESSEL'S ACTION--Two Cruisers Badly Damaged Reach Vladivostok--Died a Hero's Death.

SITUATION AT PORT ARTHUR. LONDON, Aug. 18--According to the correspondent of the Daily Telegraph at Chefoo, refugees arriving there bring news of the serious condition of affairs at Port Arthur. They say that Japanese shells have ignited lighters in the docks which contained supplies of coal, resulting in a terrific conflagration. Many of the buildings have been demolished and the hospitals are crowded.

ST. JOHN GIRLS ARRESTED. At Fredericton Last Night Allowed Their Freedom--Successfully. Conesaled Their Identity. (Special to the Star.)

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 18--4:05 p. m.--A later official despatch from Vladivostok shows that the Russian cruisers Gromobol and Roseta were either killed or wounded. Rear Admiral Jensen narrowly escaped the fate of Admiral Witthof. He was standing on the bridge of the Roseta when it was wrecked by a shot from the Japanese.

INJURED SATURDAY, DIED TODAY. Wm. Somerville died at 4 o'clock this morning from the injuries he received on Saturday while working in Baker & Randolph's mills.

MRS. MANNING ELECTED PRESIDENT. HALIFAX, Aug. 18--Mrs. Manning was this morning elected president of the Women's Baptist Missionary Union by acclamation. Her condition has greatly improved since yesterday.

RUSSIAN FORTRESS STILL HOLDS OUT. St. Petersburg Approves of General Stoessel's Action--Two Cruisers Badly Damaged Reach Vladivostok--Died a Hero's Death.

SEVERAL VILLAGES BURNED. VIENNA, Aug. 17--Disastrous conflagrations are occurring in Hungary in consequence of the prolonged drought. Hundreds of houses have been destroyed in various villages during the past week, in which from 15 to 20 persons have been burned to death.

INTERESTING CITY COURT CASE. Of the great of civil cases which were before Judge Ritchie this morning there was one of some interest, that of Hevener vs. Greany. This was an action brought by Gideon Hevener, coproprietor of Smythe street, against Ed. F. Greany, for the recovery of the price of repairs made to a certain boiler.

FINLAND'S NEW GOVERNOR. HELSINGFORS, Finland, Aug. 18--Prince Obolensky today assumed his functions as governor-general of Finland, succeeding Gen. Bobrikoff, who was assassinated June 16. Upon his arrival here he was driven to the Victoria Cathedral, where he attended divine service.

TOURIST PARTIES. A tourist party from Brooklyn, N. Y., will arrive here from Nova Scotia on Saturday and will stop at the Victoria. The party is under the guidance of T. H. Hendrickson.

A RISKY PERFORMANCE. (Special to the Star.) MONTRAL, Aug. 18--The str. Beaumaris when a mile above the Lachine Rapids yesterday broke her rudder. It was found impossible to repair it temporarily, so Capt. Durocher ran the rapids with the steamer guided only by the manipulation of the engines.

DEATHS. SUMMERVILLE--At his residence, Milford, on the 18th inst., after a short illness, William Summerville, aged 72 years and 8 months, leaving two daughters and three sons to mourn their loss.

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION. WANTED--Three girls wanted at the PARK HOTEL, King Square. WANTED--An office girl. Apply between two and three o'clock p. m. to DR. EMERY, King Square.

GIVE SAME PRIVILEGES. On Intercolonial to Other Express Companies. As Are Enjoyed by the Canadian Express Co. Say Maritime Board of Trade.

MONCTON, Aug. 18--At last evening's session of the Maritime Board of Trade the dumping clause recently added to the tariff regulations by the Dominion government was discussed.

MR. HUTCHINSON EXPLAINS. A peculiar pointing of the weather vanes on Trinity and St. John's Presbyterian churches was noticed last evening about 8 o'clock.

SLIGHT FIRE AT ST. ANDREWS. ST. ANDREWS, N. B., Aug. 18--A meeting of the liberal electors of St. Andrews has been called for Monday, August 23rd, when arrangements will be made for the approaching federal campaign.

Smoked Shoulders 9 1/2c per lb. Best Cheese, 10c. per pound. A Regular 40c. Tea for 25c. pound. Bananas, 10c. per doz. And hundreds of other bargains.

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THE WEATHER. Forecasts--Moderate to fresh southwest to west winds; mostly fair and warm. Friday, Fresh northwesterly winds; mostly fair and a little cooler.

TOMORROW'S CRICKET MATCH. The cricket match on Friday against the Halifax Wanderers will start at half-past ten on the Victoria grounds.

Outing Hats and Caps. WHITE FELT and DUCK HATS. WHITE DUCK CAPS. NEW STYLES in AUTO and GOLF CAPS.

ANDERSON'S 17 Charlotte Street. UMBRELLAS RE-COVERED. DUVAL'S UMBRELLA SHOP.

DUVAL'S 17 Duval Street. WATCHES. Now is the time to select a good Watch. We have received a new stock and can give you a good Swiss or American Watch.

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FURNITURE! At Residence by Auction. I will sell, at No. 17 Simonds St., North End, on TUESDAY Morning, Aug. 23rd, at 10 o'clock, contents of flat, consisting of Parlor, Dining, Kitchen and Bedroom Furniture.

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