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ACTIVE WAR IN LIBERAL RANKS

Date of the Ward Meetings Changed.

On Account of the Pugsley Banquet—Emmerson Faction Confident—
O'Brien and Tucker.

War began today. The two chief factions of the great Liberal party in this constituency which have been glaring at each other for the past couple of weeks have clinched this morning. And the fur is flying and is going to fly even more copiously from now on.

The immediate cause of the quarrel was the date for the ward meeting. It so happens that those who have leanings toward Mr. Emmerson's side have practical control of the machine and now, and they, without any hidden motives, of course, fixed the date of the ward meetings for Thursday night. The date was announced in prominent advertisements in the morning's papers.

BUZY POLICE COURT.

Seven Drunks and One Question-Character Fined—Liquor Sold Saturday Night.

The police court docket this morning was unusually large.

Harry McDonald, aged twenty-two, given in charge by Clerk Dunham, of the market for drunkenness and disorderly conduct in the market on Saturday night, was fined eight dollars.

Patrick Whalen, aged thirty-seven, was arrested by Officer Scott on Saturday night and carried to the central jail. On his person was found a dangerous looking razor. This morning he was fined \$8 or two months in jail and in addition was debited with twenty-five cents for cartage.

Carl O. Nelson, aged twenty-four, hailing from Denmark, was arrested by Officers Campbell and Scott on Saturday for discharging a revolver on the South wharf. When arrested he had two loaded cartridges in his pockets. He deposited \$15, which he forfeited.

Walter Chamberlain, aged twenty-six, forfeited \$8 for drunkenness.

Others who forfeited deposits were Michael Sullivan, Wm. Elliott, Edward Ready, Jas. Scott and Jeremiah Denison.

Reed Thurber, a young man who works as steward on the steamer St. Croix, was in court to answer the charge of loitering and lurking in the vicinity of the Bank of New Brunswick and failing to give a satisfactory account of himself.

A very deplorable case this morning was that of Isaac James Logan, a young man, nineteen years of age, who was arrested for drunkenness. He was allowed to go on the supposition of his mother, Young Logan, when questioned by the magistrate, and that it was after seven o'clock when he left the place. The magistrate remarked that this was a very serious matter and should be investigated.

Magistrate Ritchie in court this morning alluded to an incident which came to his attention yesterday.

A young lady returning from Trinity church last evening was approached and insulted by an unknown man. He asked the police to have a sharp look out for such persons to whom he would mete out severe punishment.

JAIL CHAPLAIN WANTED.

Evangelical Alliance Recommend a Permanent Appointment.

The regular monthly meeting of the Evangelical Alliance was held this morning. Those present were: Revs. Dr. Forthright, C. W. Hamilton, D. Long, C. Burnett, W. T. K. Thompson, M. Trafton, J. F. Floyd, John A. Clark, Charles Cornish, H. D. Harr, G. O. Gates, J. Chas. B. Appel.

First vice president, Rev. G. O. Gates, was in the chair.

The secretary reporting having called a meeting of the city clergy and as a result a mass meeting in the interests of universal peace had been held in the York Theatre.

Attention was called to the fact that the services in the jail had been discontinued. It was felt that these services did not meet the needs and that a permanent chaplain should have this work. It is desirable that the discharged prisoners have some one to look after them to assist them in making a new and better start.

Rev. Christopher Burnett read a very interesting paper, "The Four Square Minister." He received the thanks of the alliance.

JAPS LOST 20,000 MEN IN FOUR DAYS FIGHTING.

Awful Carnage in Prolonged Attack on Port Arthur—Russian Steamer Sunk—
Japs May Attack Vladivostok.

CHE FOO, Oct. 2, 2 p. m.—An official report from General Stoessel, dated Sept. 23rd, reached Che Foo to-day, confirming a previous report of the capture of the Japanese attack on Port Arthur. It began Sept. 19 and ended Sept. 22. The fighting was of an extremely severe character. The Japanese having retired General Stoessel issued the following proclamation:

"Glory! Thanks to God! Glory to our heroic warriors! Glory to Ilman, Sychoff and Pogorsky—Heroes all! Thanks to our valiant volunteers who routed the enemy from the trenches, destroying them. God has permitted us to repulse the enemy. Praise to God!"

The volunteers referred to by General Stoessel were made up of regulars called upon to take a high hill which had been captured by the Japanese.

From semi-official sources it is learned that the attack began on the 19th along the whole line and lasted four days various positions changing hands many times.

The high hill mentioned was a very important position to the Russians. The Japanese attacked repeatedly day and night, finally occupying the position on the night of Sept. 22, after suffering very severe losses. The attempt to re-take this hill being extremely hazardous, General Stoessel refused to issue the order, but called for volunteers. Everybody called upon responded, whereupon a requisite number of men were selected. Lieut. Pogorsky and Captain Sychoff leading them. Soldiers and officers alike carried grenades (exploding shells weighing from two to six pounds, which are thrown by hand) and with these they attacked the Japanese temporary fortifications, and drove the latter from all their positions. Several mines were exploded during general battle, causing severe losses. The Russians calculated that the total Japanese losses for the four days fighting reach 20,000 men.

CRUISER BAYAN IN TROUBLE.

SHANGHAI, Oct. 3.—A Russian warship, supposed to be the armored cruiser

RUSSIAN STEAMER SUNK.

TOKIO, Oct. 3, 11 a. m.—The navy department reports the destruction of another Russian steamer used in clearing mines at the entrance of Port Arthur harbor. The steamer struck a mine on Sept. 20 and sank.

Naval officers say the Russians are suffering from a shortage of small steamers useful in clearing mines. The reported loss of a Japanese gunboat south of Liao Tung Peninsula by striking a mine had not been officially verified.

WOUNDED SENT HOME.

GENERAL OKUKI'S HEADQUARTERS in the field, Oct. 2, 11 a. m., via Fusan, Oct. 3.—The first southbound train over the re-constructed railway left here carrying 48 wounded Japanese, 100 sick and 200 wounded rounded Russians. These are the last of the Japanese wounded at the battle of Liao Yang. The hospitals are now devoted to those suffering from beri beri and other diseases. The positions of the Japanese armies remain unchanged. Skirmishes are of daily occurrence. Thousands of fresh Japanese soldiers are arriving here.

MAY ATTACK VLADIVOSTOK.

NEW YORK, Oct. 3.—A French correspondent stationed at St. Petersburg telegraphs according to a Paris dispatch to the Times, that he hears from Vladivostok it is expected the Japanese will attack that port. The correspondent's informant says he personally inspected the coast defenses and found the town surrounded by an unbroken line of fortifications.

"You may telegraph Paris," says the major, "that the Japanese may come if they like. They will find us superbly defended. Vladivostok is another Port Arthur."

MAY BUY PHEBON W.

The Shamrock Athletic Association Dickering for the Breaker of the Maritime Record.

If W. J. Furbush, the prominent American horseman, closes a dicker with the Shamrock Association of this city, horse lovers of the maritime provinces will have hundreds of chances to become the owner of the fastest record of equine flesh that ever tripped a hoof over a lower Canadian track, namely, the speedy horse Phebon W. (2:08).

The Shamrock Association is endeavoring to secure this speedy horse for disposal in the same way as they disposed of Baby Boy and Alit J., the last couple of years. If they are successful they will have the distinction of owning for the time being the holder of the maritime provincial record.

The price asked for Phebon W. is, principally, it is a small sized fortune, but the Shamrock people have had experience in the move they are about to make, and it may be said they will not take any wild plunge. Evidently they feel the horse would be a great asset, a fact in which all knowing ones will agree.

The proceeds of the sale of the fast West Newton animal will go toward the resuscitation of professional baseball next summer, for that now appears to be a sure thing. If the horse is purchased, track sport as well as baseball will receive a great boost.

MARCONI STATION MOVED.

(Special to the Star).

MONTREAL, Que., Oct. 3.—John D. Oppé, vice president and general manager of the Marconi Co. in an interview today, says that Marconi will go to Glace Bay in a fortnight. In view of the immense strategic importance of uninterrupted communication between Canada and Great Britain, the station will be moved some distance inland to a less exposed position. Improvements will be incorporated in the new station, which will be in operation in three months. All the expenses of moving are being borne by the company.

PEACE CONFERENCE.

BOSTON, Oct. 3.—Peace advocates assembled in Boston from many quarters of the globe today to take part in the proceedings of the thirteenth international peace congress, which opened today. There are prominent delegates here from abroad. Mass meetings will be held in the evening of the day when the congress opens for a free and extended expression of opinion will be given to all.

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply in the evening to MRS. J. M. ROBINSON, Jr., 61 Pitt street.

TO LET—A small flat. Apply at 73 HILLYARD ST., N. B.

CITY WILL OWN MISPEC MILL.

Its Tender was the Only One Received.

City Bid \$115,000—Its Acceptance Will Probably Save \$200,000 in Damage Suits.

J. A. Likely and E. B. Ketchum, liquidators for the Mispec pulp mill property, when seen this morning refused to give out any information concerning the tenders. They said the matter has not yet been settled and would likely remain in this condition a few days.

However, the Star learns that the city's offer was the only one received by the St. John Sulphite Company and would perform be accepted. The council's tender was \$115,000. This, in the mayor's opinion, means the saving to the city of over \$200,000 in possible law suits; besides by this transaction they gain a property worth at least \$200,000. The plant may be utilized in the future in a scheme for municipal lighting, and in any case is a valuable asset.

Had the city not bought this property, the extension of its water system to Loch Lomond would have caused damage suits from this company, not only equal in value to the money represented in this property, but also for the prospective profits for years to come.

The mayor was the originator of this scheme to head off law suits, and was strongly supported by the aldermen and F. A. Barbour.

ARLINGTON CO. WOUND UP

Well Known Mining and Milling Company's Came to an End This Morning

In the supreme court chambers this morning, Judge McLeod, on the application of E. R. Chapman, made an order to wind up the business of the Arlington Mining and Milling Company, whose property is situated in Halifax county, Nova Scotia. Charles T. Bailey, secretary of the company, was appointed provisional liquidator.

This company was incorporated by St. John men, who now are by far the most heavily interested owners. The company since its incorporation has carried on extensive development work, with no financial return. Lack of capital for the continuing of the business of the company compels the winding up of its affairs. The capitalized stock of the company was \$250,000. Its liabilities are about \$150,000.

In the case of Geo. E. Mercer, plaintiff, and Alfred Harquail, defendant, L. A. Curry, K. C., on behalf of the defendant, obtained an order for review. The action was brought to recover money in the hands of the defendant, which the plaintiff alleges was for his use. The verdict in the court below was given for the plaintiff.

In the case of Francis D. Kelly, plaintiff, and Hugh Monahan, defendant, L. A. Curry, K. C., on behalf of the defendant, obtained leave to plead and demur. J. B. M. Baxter appeared for the defendant.

PEACE CONFERENCE

BEGINS IN BOSTON.

NEW YORK, Oct. 3.—Angry because of his attempts to force his undesired affections upon her and determined to repulse him at any cost she declares, Mrs. Rosa Barbad, 22 years old to-day shot and killed Michael Rago, in an East Side tenement house. The first shot was fired in Mrs. Barbad's apartment into which she says Rago had forced entrance and the second in the doorway of the house in full view of hundreds of persons. Both bullets struck Rago in the head. Mrs. Barbad made no attempt to resist arrest. She was taken to a police station carrying her two year old baby, which she held in her arms when she fired the fatal shots.

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THE WEATHER.

Forecast—Moderate to fresh westerly winds, fair; Tuesday, fresh northwesterly, fair and cool, frosts at night.

Synopsis—The storm is dispersing north of the Gulf of St. Lawrence and winds are now moderate westerly along the Atlantic coast. To Banks and American ports, moderate to fresh westerly and northwesterly winds.

Highest temperature during past 24 hours, 56.

Lowest temperature during past 24 hours, 42.

Temperature at noon today, 52.

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