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ST. JOHN, N. B., WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 8, 1904.

P. E. I. MURDERER?

Was Formerly Gook on Cheap Plant Line All Hope of Peace Has Been Cast to the to Charlottetown.

Soused a Chinaman to Death in a Deep Tub of Has Mobilized the Manchurian Reserves and Is Water---There Was a Woman in the Gase---Why ?

handling the case against Cyrus L. chinese laundryman, at Hanover Four Thursday afternoon. The police claim John express. o have strong evidence against Ryan. They say he had been out of work a short time and needed money in order to fulfil an engagement to marry Miss Catherine Murray at Charlotteown next Thursday. The day of the murder Ryan arranged to leave Hanover with the Murray girl, Mrs. Frederick Pierce, Ryan's sister-in-law, and her sister, for Prince Edward Island. It was while the women were waiting for Ryan at the station, it is claimed, that the harmless laundryman was murdered. Someone entered his little him by the throat and pushed his head pound box of soap on his head. The Celestial was drowned, and the murd other articles.

missed the Celestial from the shop he secured employment at Hanover. window, and on entering the place He left his place a week ago because discovered the murder. As Ryan had his wages were attached for debt.

house of commons for this constituency.

SACKVILLE AND MT. ALLISON.

SACKVILLE, N. B., Feb. 1.-Am-

asa Dixon, a well known and much re-

thirty years has conducted a drug bus-

iness at Crane's Corner. is seriously ill.

Sunday afternoon while putting wood

in the furnace he was seized with a se-

since been in a very critical condition.

there being but a slender hope of his

recovery. Much sympathy is felt for

his family, particularly for Mrs. Dix-

on, who has been a semi-invalid since

Harvey Copp of H. Copp & Co., has

been confined to the house for a few

days. About this time last year Mr.

Mr. and Mrs. Allison spent Sunday

William Martin spent Sunday in

town, the guest of his sister-in-law.

Mrs. Alfred Oulton of Dorchester, is

n Sackville today, the guest of her

sister, Miss Minnie Estabrooks.

Copp had a very severe illness.

last summer.

in Dorchester.

Mrs. John Martin.

ings, few being present except those directly concerned.

BOSTON, Jan. 30 .- Detective Hodges | been seen loitering in the vicinity durof the Massachusetts state police is ing the day, the authorities were notified to hold him. It was found that he Ryan of Charlottetown, P. E. I., for- the afternoon. The state police were had left on a train for Boston during mer assistant cook of the Plant line notified, and Ryan was arrested on steamer Olivette, who will be given a suspician when the train reached the hearing at Abington next Friday on a South Terminal station in this city. narge of murdering Quong Sing, a The Murray girl and the other women were with Ryan, who, it is thought, Corners, 20 miles from this city, on | had intended to take the 7.40 p. m. St.

A revolver declared to be that of Quong Sing was found on Ryan's person, as was also considerable money. The police learned that Quong's watch was missing, but did not find it on Ryan. They obtained a watch from the Murray girl, however, which the prisoner gave her. It has not been proved conclusively that the watch was the property of the Chinaman. Ryan admits having been in laundry on the day of the murder. He says he went to get his shirt, but was unable to do so as he had no check. place of business and evidently seized | He denies that he killed the Chinaman and in court yesterday pleaded not into a tub of water, placing a fifty- guilty. He was held without bail for be appointed minister to Japan, a post Russia gives the very reasonable assurerer hastily went through the shop, Plymouth pail. He is about 26 years ed here within six weeks. and apparently carried away the Chi- of age and is a good appearing young aman's savings, his watch, revolver man. He says his home is in Charlottetown, and that he was third cook Two business men living nearby on the Olivette up to last July, when

the track cleared on Friday and made

Charles King of the New England

Adamant Co. of Boston was here yes-

HOPEWELL HILL.

HOPEWELL HILL, Jan. 31.-The

its regular trip yesterday.

OTTAWA.

Ganada Has Been Created.

Cartwright Still Finding Jobs for His Sons at the Public Crib—Boer Guns for Canada as

Trophies.

terday inspecting the plaster quarry spected citizen of Sackville, who for the company is operating. The quarry OTTAWA, Feb. 1 .- The department has been doing good work this winof trade and commerce has decided ter, the output at times reaching a to issue weekly reports hereafter. hundred tons a day. There are about These will contain reports of cem-2.000 tons on the wharf. A landmercial agents throughout the empire slide yesterday will retard the work and in foreign countries. vere hemorrhage of the bowels and has somewhat, as several hundred tons of On the recommendation of the min

earth will have to be removed. Mr. ister of marine, a lighthouse board for King is well satisfied with the progress | Canada has been created. Its funcmade and with the future prospects of tions will be principally to decide where new lighthouses will be erected. School Inspector Steeves of Sussex In the past the chief engineer decided came to Harvey yesterday to see his where lighthouses were to be built. sister, Mrs. J. M. Stevens, who has The new board is constituted somewhat similar to the British board. Hon. been ill for a long time. Rev. A. W. Mr. Prefontaine will be ex-officio a Smithers returned on Friday from St. John, where he delivered the sermon member of the board. The other memat the service on the Kingston Deanbers will be Gourdeau, deputy minister: Anderson, chief engineer; Capt. The six months old child of Irving Spain, Capt. Salmon and a representative of shipping interests. Woodworth of Albert Mines died on

The Canadian customs revenue in January totalled \$2,974,743, an increase been received for the position of black rod of the senate. The office is a sinecure and in the opinion of some ministers. absolutely needless. If it were not the necessity of giving the job to some faithful henchman, the duties of

black rod would be incorporated with those of the sergeant at arms. The first summer course of the Candian School of Musketry will open at Rockliffe rifle range, Ottawa, July 6th, and the second course on Monday, September 5th. Applications for permission to take the course should be forwarded to headquarters not later han May 1st.

It is a fine thing these days to be a son of a cabinet minister. Cartwright has many relatives in the public service, including one who is instructor of musketry. Today another son, A. D. Cartwright, a Toronto barrister, was appointed to a \$4,000 job as secretary of the railway commission, stepping over the head of J. W. Pugsley, who for years has been secretary of the railway committee of the privy coun-

The department of militia has received a despatch from the war office stating that a special committee apby the commander-in-chief. has had under consideration the allotment of guns captured from the Boers Of the total number which fell into the hands of the British troops, 20 have been allotted to the colonies, so that Canada's proportion will only be five or six. This will be a great disappointment, as it was quite expected that the dominion would receive more. One of the guns which comes to Canada was captured by the Royal Dragoons under Col. Lessard.

RUSSIA FOR WAR.

Winds by the Bear's Attitude.

Strengthening Her Entire Army and Navy---A Japanese Diplomat.

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 1.—In spite; Chinese coal exclusively has been of the expressed hope of the British purchased for the Russian fleet. authorities that the present crisis will be passed and that a pacific solution of the Russo-Japanese negotiations will the efforts the Czar is making to avoid be reached, it is no longer concealed war. that Russia is practically prepared for eventualities. Today the mobilization will be submitted to the Czar tomorof the Manchurian reserves was anrow. The Associated Press is assured of the Manchurian reserves was announced.

It has been well known for months to a settlement. that Russia has been steadily strengthening her army and navy in the far east to meet the preparations which been intimately acquainted with every Japan was openly making. The available warships were dispatched to the negotiations, made the following statefar east, and the last division, which ment to the Associated Press tonight: left the Mediterranean a month ago, is now nearing its destination. It is sending Russia's reply is not for the understood that six or seven military purpose of enabling the Russian govtrains daily have been going east over ernment to make further preparations the Siberian railway and the charters for war, but that Count Lamsdorff is of some ship's cargoes for the Pacific honestly trying to bring the matter in have been cancelled because the water route was considered too slow.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.-At the lieve, the peace party will triumph. Korean legation the statement is made | The crux of the whole matter is Rus- in the afternoon. by one of the secretaries that Minhui sia's assurance regarding Chinese sov-Cho, the minister who has recently ereignty over Manchuria. Japan is been recalled by his government, will a hearing in the district court at Ab- of considerable importance at this time. ance asked for there will be no war. ington next Friday. Ryan is now in His successor, Yu Kin Shan, is expect- Otherwise peace cannot be maintain-

TOBIN INQUEST.

Inquiry into the Gircumstances Re the Death

Of the Late John Tobin Was Continued Last Monday Before Coroner Berryman—Adjourned Till This Evening.

late John Tobin was continued last Monday, Coroner Berryman presiding. After the examination of a number of The authorities now feel that the situation is secure should Japan reject | witnesses the inquiry was further adjourned until 7.30 o'clock tonight.

The first witness examined last night The draft of Russia's reply probably was Percy Ross, employed with the City Fuel Company. He worked dithat it will be pacific and should "lead" rectly opposite the General Public Hospital. One day while at work he LONDON, Feb. 1.—One of the highest heard a moaning sound coming from Japanese officials in London, who has the epidemic hospital, and saw a man with his head out of the window. Witness thought that he kept his head out three or four minutes. At the same time he saw a lady running to-"I am convinced that the delay in wards the epidemic hospital, followed by a man who had a white jacket on. After they arrived at the epidemic hospital the head was drawn in. The window was not raised, but the head dispute to an amicable settlement. I was sticking out of a broken pane of glass. This was on Saturday, Jan. hope, and I think I may add that I be-9th last, between four and five o'clock

To C. N. Skinner, K. C., witness said he stopped work when he saw the man sincerely anxious for peace, and if with his head out of the window. He would not swear what time he had his head out, but thought it was three or four minutes. He did not know who it was that ran between the two buildings. He thought it was somebody running for assistance.

Wm. Beers, the second witness called, remembered Saturday, the 9th of January. He was working that day for the City Fuel Co. opposite the epidemic hospital. His evidence was about the same as that given by Ross, with the running from the one building to the

Judson White, a colored employe of the City Fuel Co., was at work on the on the west side of the epidemic hospital. His attention was drawn, between 4.30 and 5 o'clock that afternoon, by the moaning of a man. He looked up and saw someone with his head and shoulders out of a window. The person was in that position for three or four minutes. He did not see anyone take the person away from there. Witness saw a lady and gentleman with a white facket on running from the general building to the epidemic building. The person was taken in about a minute afterwards.

To Mr. Skinner, K. C., witness said

that he saw the west side of the build-

ing at an angle. When told that the with him said that they saw the west side in a straight line, witness said he were. When he once took an oath and made a statement he would stick to it. Mabel Cross, after receiving infornation of the death of John Tobin, vis-Ald. Laporte was elected mayor by | ited the hospital to see his body. Witness viewed the body with Dr. Lun-Witness inquired what deceased of pneumonia. Witness asked how the scratches came to be on the face of the expected that with aldermanic elec- deceased, and was informed that he tions lacking in the English wards of was probably in a delirium and received the marks on his face by coming in contact with the bed. Witness said that Dr. Lunney said he himself consequently Dandurand would stand regretted that the deceased's parents a fair chance of election. The surpris- and Rev. Canon Richardson did not ing feature was that Laporte's vote in arrive to see him before he died. Witness said to the doctor that she heard he died of measles, but the doctor said good as in the English. Dandurand that he developed pneumonia. He at that the deceased was so near his end. Deceased was a strong fellow, and he of the city's population. In thus as- thought he would last eight or ten

days anyhow. To Mr. Skinner, K. C., witness said that she was in the room when the body of the deceased was at the epidemic hospital about twenty minutes The scratches were only on one side of the face. Witness did not think the scratches were made with finger nails Mrs. W. H. Bell, a resident at 35 Paddock street, said that a young man by the name of Tobin was taken from the house in which she lived on the seventh of January. She understood that he was taken to the hospital. On the following Sunday she took a message from the hospital for Mrs. Tobin to come to with measles would be in the epithe hospital at three o'clock that after-Miss Kellier, recalled, said that dur

ing the three days and three hours she was in charge of the case she had no regular sleep. She got sleep a few minutes at a time now and then. The temperature of the room at no time was below 70 while she was nursing the case. Between 4 and 5 o'clock Saturday afternoon the deceased was at the window, not more than six or seven minutes. There was no heat in the room where he broke the window pane. neapolis flour mills, 21 in number, are between the room that he was lying in and the one he ran into when he jumped out of bed was closed. He had no socks on his feet. The deceased broke days. Shortage in the supply of two panes of glass. After he was put in hed he jumped out again and broke another pane of glass. Witness fastened him in bed with sheets after he jumped out and broke the panes of glass. She removed these sheets Sun-DUBLIN, Feb. 1.—At a meeting here day morning. The deceased asked to see his parents and Canon Richardson, and witness reported the same to the superintendent of nurses. The de- days and three hours was not too

St. John, N. B., Feb. YOUR SPRING SUIT Made to Measure.

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N. S. NEWS.

Bridgetown Shocked by Mrs. Bancroft's Sad and Peculiar Death.

Labor Troubles in Cape Breton--- A Farewell Sermon.

ing to learn of the sad death of Mrs. Samuel E. Bancroft of Round Hill, about seven miles west of here. Mrs. Bancroft had been in poor health all winter, and before Christmas had had several fainting spells, but nothing alarming was then anticipated. Four weeks ago yesterday afternoon her husto his store a few rods distant, and a sofa unconscious and exhibiting out do not belong to the P. W. A. symptoms of poisoning. Dr. Armstrong was called and discovered traces of carbolic acid poisoning. There was a bottle of the acid in the house, beside call to a Toronto Presbyterian church, a bottle of peppermint extract, and it preached his farewell sermon in supposed that she had mistaken Paul's church tonight. one for the other. Medical treatment was crowded to the doors. Mr. McDonappears to have counteracted the effect ald is a brother of E. M. McDonald, M. of poisoning, but the patient continued P. P., liberal candidate in the federal in a very weak state and was unable election.

City road, Saturday, Jan Wit- to leave her bed. Last night her hus-ness had a fair view of the windows band, who slept in the sick room, missband, who slept in the sick room, miss-papering burt of the Con snow on the ground. The deceased superintendent.

BRIDGETOWN, Jan. 31.—The com- was a most exemplary Christian munity was deeply shocked this morn- woman and a member of the Method. ist church, and her life has been one long day filled with deeds of love and kindness to those about her.

HALIFAX, Jan. 31.—The strike situation at Glace Bay remains unchanged. The boys are organizing in the other collieries. Tomorrew afternoon an interview with the management will take place, and upon the result of this conband left her alone in the house to go ference depends whether the strike will be settled or become general as far as shortly after his son Percy returned the drivers are concerned. Seven hunfrom Boston and upon entering the dred men besides the boys are idle now house found his stepmother lying upon as a result of the strike. The drivers

HALIFAX, Jan. 31.-Rev. P. M. Mc-

HALIFAX, Jan. 81.-S. S. Dickenso ed his wife's presence from her bed Cable Co. at Hazel Hill, has been proand after making a hasty search he moted to the general superintendency found that the unfortunate woman of the company, with headquarters at had left the house in her night gar- New York, a new office. Mr. Dickenments and had wandered out into the son is an Englishman, beginning his orchard, where she was found frozen telegraph work as messenger boy. He to death. The night was clear light was succeeded at Canso by E. B. Gerand frosty, the mercury dropping to ard, who was assistant superintendent, ten below zero, and there is a foot of and F. J. Burstall becomes assistant

during the night. The patient did not at intervals. make any attempt to get out of bed until he became delirious.

To Mr. Skinner, K. C., witness said of the Massachusetts general hospital. that about noon on Thursday, January Miss Kellier did not intimate to the two other witnesses who were working 7th, she received information that she was to take charge of the case in the epidemic hospital. She was instructed thought he was as near right as they that the patient was very sick, and that she was to take every precaution possible in taking care of him. The deceased conversed considerably during the fire day about himself, his parents and Mr. Richardson. Witness did all that she possibly could for him. The caretaker was very attentive to the deceased. The deceased spoke particular- tients while ill in epidemic wards. ly of how kind the caretaker was to Witness had no knowledge of carelesshim. She had gone out for only a few ness on the part of anybody entrustminutes when she heard the caretaker ed to the care of the deceased Tobin. speak in the room into which the patient ran after he jumped out of bed. Witness came right in, got a blanket and threw it around the patient and tried to persuade him to go back to bed. He seemed to have a good deal of M. McIntosh is holding a series of restrength, due to the delirium. Witness vival meetings at Seal Cove and is communicated with a nurse overhead, being assisted by E. C. Morgan. who went to the general building and brought back one of the help. This tertained their lady friends and person and the caretaker carried the members of Alexandra Assembly, Pyg deceased back to his bed. It was not thian Sisterhood, on the 25th inst. true that the deceased had his head out Mr. and Mrs. Frank N. Gillis of Luof the window until the nurse returned bec, Me., were present by special infrom the building. It was the witness vitation of the lodge. A very enjoywho had her shoulders out of the win- able evening was spent. dow. The deceased did not have his The Free Baptists of Seal Cove are head out of the window. He simply talking of moving their church buildbumped his head with the window and ing or erecting a new one. broke out a pane of glass. The patient Horace Bagley's house at Seal Cove took a sudden change about two was burned to ground on the 16th inst. o'clock Sunday afternoon, his pulse be- with all its contents, nothing of any coming very weak. It looked as if his value being saved. heart gave out at the last moment.

the general public hospital, said that having gone out of the pond. forenoon of Jan. 7th that a patient ill galls, her master. demic hospital that morning. She pre- from North Head, the boats doing pared clothes, and gave special in- well when they get out. There are structions to Miss Kellier, whom witness sent to take charge of the case. bait, but there are no large catches The regular hours for a nurse to be on made. ordinary for a nurse to take charge of disease on the 27th inst. a case for three days and nights in succession. Very often in private nursing, nurses took full charge of cases for three or four weeks and remained on duty day and night all that he asked.

Witness said that she did not know that messages were received from the ondition. It was not customary for er to know about such messages She submitted all her reports to Dr. Lunney. The sheets and clothing were kept warm all the time. Witness said day, isn't it? Yes. I shall have to be that the nurse in charge was competent to look after the case. Considering that she had only one patient to look after, the space of three ceased did not have a chill. The long a period for the nurse to

caretaker was in easy reach if needed duty continually, where she got res To the foreman of the jury witness said that she was a graduate nurse

> witness that she was overtaxed with work. To Mr. Skinner K C witness said that two emergency cases came in the morning the deceased Tobin was admitted. One was a man with a foot badly cut, and the other with crushed clothes put on the bed of the deceas-

ed were cold. It was the rule at hospitals not to allow visitors to see pa-It is intended to complete the inquiry tonight.

GRAND MANAN. GRAND MANAN, Jan. 30.-Rev. A. Southern Cross Lodge, K. of P., en-

Capt. J. L. Guptill has discharged Miss Hewitt, lady superintendent of his crew at Dark Harbor, the herring the course for nurses was now three Sch. Freddie A. Higgins made the years. Formerly the course was two trip to New York in five days, a reyears. She was informed during the cord breaker for Capt. Coleman In-Fairly good line fishing is reported

herrings enough caught in the nets for

duty were 13, but every nurse was li- Patrick Doeley, who had figured in able to be on duty much longer, at several Scott Act prosecutions on this times. She did not consider it extra- island, died very suddenly of heart

THE JOYS OF WOMANHOOD.

(N. Y. Herald.)

"What did you do yesterday, dear?"

dressmaker," she replied.
"What are you going to do today?" 'I shall have to go to my dress-

maker's teday." 'Oh! Have you anything on hand "Let me see. Tomorrow is Thurs

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Mrs. A. J. Webster of Shediac, is vis-Salisbury and Harvey train, which had iting Mrs. Charles Pickard. been snowbound for several days, got

No Opposition Presented to Hon. H. R. Emmerson in

DORCHESTER, N. B., Jan. 30.-There being no other nomination papers

As no opposition was expected, little interest was taken in the proceed-

The minister of railways addressed his constituents at a public meeting

the work.

ery Choral Union.

hed, the sheriff has declared Hon. H. R. Emmerson re-elected a member of

Supplies.

Belting, Red Strip Rubber. Goodhues' Leather, Milo Canvas, Packing, Emery Wheels.

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Capt. Lester, who has just returned from England, where he took a course in signalling at Aldershot, leaves for

possible detail of the Russo-Japanese

in City's Municipal History.

Ald. Laporte Elected by Over 12,500 Majority, Dandurand and Cochrane Thereby Losing Their Deposits.

MONTREAL, Feb. 1.-The most sensational municipal campaign in the history of Montreal wound up tonight with a result even more satisfactory than the most optimistic dared hope

a majority of over 12,500, the other two Mayor Cochrane losing their deposits. The result was surprising, for it was the city that but little interest would be manifested in these wards, and that the French speaking wards was as Already a dozen applications have had a programme utterly impossible of fulfilment, but admirably calculated to appeal to the unthinking classes suming the ability of people to vote for the right thing, this section of popu-

lation were slandered. Dandurand receive a majority of the votes cast, a fact which illustrates the sweeping character of Laporte's vic-Ex-Mayor Cochrane did not take an active part in the fight, being at

the present time in Virginia for the benefit of his health. Four aldermen went down in election. These included Ald. Giroux, chairman of the police committe, and Ald. Martineau, chairman of the roads committee, both leaders in the last city council. Ald LeBeaf was also

But the victory most pleasing to the English-speaking section was the defeat of Ald. Ouimet, who has been noted all along for his hostility to the English officials of the city, replacing them as often as possible by French

FLOUR MILLS SHUT DOWN.

MINNEAPOLIS, Feb. 1 .- All Minshut down today, but millers say they expect to resume operations in three

REDMOND REELECTED.

today of the Irish parliamentary party John Redmond was re-elected chair-

A Lighthouse Board for Most Sensational Election