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THE JAPS' ADVANTAGE. The following shockingly vivid bit of description of a Japanese night attack on a Russian trench—from an article in Blackwood's Magazine—illustrates in a way to frighten us too highly civilized moderns to whom this life grows more precious as the next one grows more vague, how these devotees of the Mikado can fight.

Now, can the Russians or any other people whom civilization has taught the value of living and the uncertainty of what shall come when they die, fight with men like that? The pick of the Russian soldiers would probably have charged up to that trench with courage as unflinching, would have handed themselves in as readily and man for man, while there was a chance of winning, perhaps even more effectively. But how many men in the Russian army, would have laid down their arms and quietly, naturally, without a thought of protest, have handed themselves, unresisting, to certain and painful death because one man told them, in order that that man behind could walk over their bodies and win the glory?

HOW ARE THE MIGHTY FALLEN. Under this head the Toronto world gives a bird's eye view of the situation in the following words: "Whenever was there such a march of events, such a change in the fortunes of men in politics, as has come the way of liberal leaders in this country since New Year's day? All were seen clinking glasses over Sir Wilfrid's sweep on November 3rd, a sweep with a majority of over sixty votes in a house of commons of 214 members and carrying with it control of nearly all the provinces. But Mr. Ross was swept away in a hurricane two weeks later, Premier Parent of Quebec saw the political chateau that he erected on the old castle of St. Louis at Quebec, fall down like a house of cards; then Clifford Sifton, who came out of the west with an almost solid sweep of 29 seats in a single day from the Laurier cabinet and after the manner of Tarté and Blair; and last and greatest of all, Sir Wilfrid Laurier found himself in the same day, buffeted, as no politician was ever so buffeted before, by all the winds, foul and blustery, that Boreas could let loose. His followers from the west ready to leave him; Fielding and his baker's dozen from Nova Scotia similarly minded; every one resenting the autocratic ways and methods of the Canadian czar.

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WHENCE THE INSPIRATION. In whose interests is the Globe contending when it argues, as it did Saturday, that the city has no right to ask for an exclusive franchise for the lighting of Carleton? Whom would such a franchise injure? Not the civic corporation, certainly; not the citizens individually for there is no danger that they would use the monopoly to raise the rates on themselves; not the company at present providing light over there for it will be bought out by the city before the exclusive franchise comes into effect.

AN OMISSION. The Woodstock Sentinel, organ of the local government, had had seven fifteen editorial articles and paragraphs on the nomination scandal. Not one of them mentions the most important proceeding in its bearing on the election of the solicitor general. Mr. Jones could not have been declared elected by acclamation if one of his active associates had not concealed the court house Bible. That splendid achievement, ingeniously conceived and well carried out in the interest of the solicitor general, has been passed over in silence by the government organ. What member of the government machine hid the Bible?—Sun.

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been standing at Breeze's corner, now started on its journey and it got under way, so did the horse—the sled slowed down against the fender of the car and struck—the horse made a bolt across the track and the sled coming in contact with a telephone pole, the harness gave way and the horse hustled down the sidewalk in the direction of Union street. As the horse left, the sled and attachments swung round and the shaft went through a window (fortunately a small one). It was at a busy time and why some of the large number of people that made for door-ways, etc. were not either killed or mangled is a mystery. Having been an eye witness of the whole affair, I wish to state that the motorman of the car is in no way to blame and the fact that the car did not smash the sled into the window, but gave way positively that the motorman did all in his power and did it well. This accident will be forgotten in a day or two and another will occur and may be attended by death or serious deformity and all the while the police will continue to act the part of ornaments.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL ASSOCIATION. The annual meeting of the St. John Sunday School Union will be held in the Portland Methodist church Thursday evening next commencing at eight o'clock, when the business of the year will be reviewed. Reports are to be submitted and other statements made. Rev. H. G. Colpitts and Rev. G. M. Young are to be the speakers. All Sunday school workers usually attend these annuals.

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LOCAL NEWS. WITH ADVERTISERS. A very large purchase of corsets made by F. A. Dykeman & Co., of the largest corset manufacturer in Canada, enables them to place in the hands of the ladies of St. John about six hundred pairs of corsets at factory prices. A perusal of their advertisement will repay every reader of this paper.

ALLEGATION DENIED. BELGRADE, March 5.—The allegation made by M. Balongides, former private secretary to King Peter, that the Serbian government intended to present King Peter with \$500,000 is denied authoritatively. By order of the Common Council of the City of Saint John: PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that a bill will be presented to the Legislature of the Province of New Brunswick at its next ensuing session for enactment to remove any doubts that may exist as to the Courtenay Bay on the eastern side of the City of Saint John being a part of the harbor of the City of Saint John and to make it clear that said Courtenay Bay is a part of said harbor and to vest all of said bay south of a line running northeastward from the southern line of the lands of Cornwall and York Cotton Mills Company, Limited, to the east side of said bay and south of said lands that is not now vested in said city if not at present so vested. Dated 25th day of February, A. D. 1905.

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