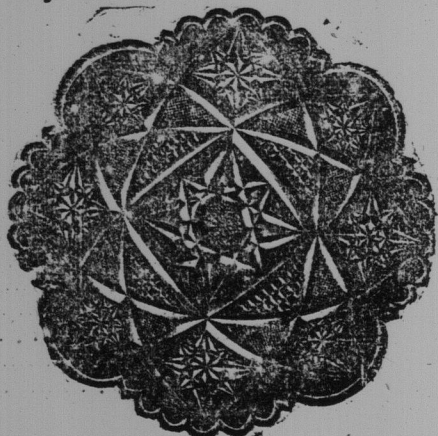


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We show the largest assortment of these goods in the city and our prices are right.

F. S. THOMAS, 555 Main Street, North End.

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For Men and Boys.

Men's Sizes, 5 to 10, \$1.75, \$2.50, \$3.50

Boys' Sizes, 1 to 5, 1.50, 1.75, 3.00

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Specially Good Values in Overcoats and Suits

To Measure.

If you are particular about the fit and style of your clothing and cannot be suited in Ready-to-wear Garments, come in and see the fine stock of coats we're making into Suits and Overcoats at specially low prices now. We guarantee the fit and workmanship.

Overcoats and Suits, To Measure, \$12.00 to \$25.00

Pants, to Measure, 3.00 to 6.50

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109 and 201 Union St.

BALLOT BOX FAKERS SKIP.

Lott and Shibley Have Both Disappeared

Shibley, Liberal Candidate for Frontenac is in Boston—Lott's Bail Has Been Cancelled.

(Special to the Star.)

KINGSTON, Nov. 28.—It is learned that W. K. Shibley, the Liberal candidate for Frontenac, who is involved in the bogus ballot box scandal, and who disappeared, crossed the St. Lawrence from Gananoque, Ont., N. Y., last Monday night. In the afternoon at Harrowsmith, Shibley said he was compelled to leave on business trip. It is said up to Monday he intended to appear at the hearing of the conspiracy cases in Belleville, but when P. J. Kelly returned from Ottawa to give his version of the affair, Shibley left. He is at present supposed to be in Boston.

At the continuation of the trial in Belleville Saturday afternoon C. Taylor and William Sproule, two workers in Frontenac for Shibley, testified after much pressing that they had engaged a private room in a hotel at Clarendon, and that Hawkey, a professional wrestler, and deputy returning officer, had gone to that room after the poll had closed with the ballot box and had been there alone for some time. The usual majority of 40 in this poll was pulled down to 7.

Patrick Cotter, a young man from Watertown, employed by Root, the tinsmith, who made the boxes, identified one of them, and also identified Kelly as the man who ordered them.

Several witnesses failed to answer to their names and search warrants have been issued.

B. O. Lott has disappeared. His bail has been cancelled and crown officials are looking for him.

RUSSIAN BRUTALITIES.

Wives and Children of Deserting Reservists in Poland Treated With Horrible Cruelty.

(Special to the Star.)

BERLIN, Nov. 28.—A despatch to the Lokai Anzeiger from Mukden, under yesterday's date says: It is believed about headquarters that the Japanese will make extraordinary efforts to win a land victory before the arrival of the Russian second Pacific squadron. The movements of the fleet are reported in each issue of the Army Gazette, the one hundred number of which was printed Sunday. The paper is circulated throughout the army and is the only medium of news from the outer world. As soon as the Japanese troops gather in groups, while one group can do so, reads the whole paper, the soldiers listening. The soldiers are convinced that the arrival of the second Pacific squadron will end the war as they believe the Japanese will be beaten on the sea and seek peace. Several measures have been taken against the Japanese general assault upon the defenses at Port Arthur a Tokyo despatch to the Times says that according to unofficial advices from the beleaguered city the Japanese scaled the parapets of the forts and transported mountain and field guns which they employed against the enemy. The attack was directed against Sunghshan, Erh Lung Shan, and the north fort of East Kikwanshan.

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Of the nature of this body, no correspondent has been permitted to speak as it was evidently intended to surprise the Russians. Probably the troops belong to the Samurai class and are descendants of the men whose skill in wielding the sword has never been surpassed.

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HALIFAX, N. S., Nov. 28.—The injuries received by John Spruce at the intercolonial depot this morning, proved fatal. Spruce died at the hospital shortly after noon.

REFORM IN RUSSIA.

More Freedom for Jews—Political Exiles Return—Russian Mayors Will Hold a Convention

(Special to the Star.)

ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 28.—The announcement was made today that the zone in which the Jews can buy real estate will be extended. Eighty political exiles at Archangel have already been brought back by Interior Minister Sviatopolk-Mirsky. About fifty still remain there.

MOSCOW, Nov. 28.—Prince Galatin, the mayor of Moscow, proposes to call a meeting of the mayors of Russia to discuss questions relating to municipal government. The movement was started as a result of the recent meeting at St. Petersburg.

ASSISTING IMMIGRATION OF RUSSIAN JEWS.

COPENHAGEN, Denmark, Nov. 28.—Here Gustafstad, a well known banker, and other prominent Jews have formed an organization to assist the Russian Jews in emigrating to America through Danish ports. Funds are being collected to facilitate their passage and give the emigrants a start in life on their arrival at their destination. It is estimated that fully ten thousand of these emigrants left Denmark during the present year. The traffic is becoming so large at Scandinavian ports that the Hamburg-American Steamship Company is arranging a new service to Copenhagen, Gothenburg, Christiania and western coast of Norway, supplementary to its regular service to America.

WELL KNOWN HALIFAX NEWSPAPER MAN DEAD.

(Special to the Star.)

HALIFAX, N. S., Nov. 28.—J. Watson Fraser, of the Evening Mail staff, died this morning after an illness of a few weeks. He was one of the best known newspaper men in the province. His death is sincerely regretted by a host of friends and acquaintances in this city. He did all his work as a reporter for the Evening Mail, having been a member of the staff continuously for over fifteen years. He was 42 years of age.

[Mr. Fraser has been for some time a valued correspondent of the Star.]

The want ads. will do more for you in a day than luck will do in a year.

SAMURAI SWORDSMEN STORM PORT ARTHUR.

Japs Hope to Carry Fortress With Steel in the Old Style—Fighting in Manchuria.

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BOTH LEGS CUT OFF.

John Spruce An Old I. C. R. Employee Killed by an Engine in Halifax.

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MACEDONIAN WAR IN 1906

General Rising a Year From Next Spring—People Discontented and Suffering Hardships.

(Special to the Star.)

LONDON, Nov. 28.—A letter from Boris Safarov, the Macedonian leader, to a friend in London, says it is the intention of the revolutionary committee to defer the next general rising until the spring of 1906. The Macedonians are waiting for the expiration of the two year term of the Austro-Russian reforms. Safarov adds that the reforms are utter failures and that the condition of the peasants is worse than before the late revolution. Their homes have not been rebuilt and the people are on the verge of starvation, some of them freezing to death. The insurgents under Damiel Gruet are maintaining the revolutionary organization with seventy bands of ten to fifty men each and are collecting funds in Macedonia for the next rising. Safarov is in Bulgaria for the same purpose.

In Macedonia circles in London the mobilization of the Albanian regiments and Turkish reserves and the appointment of Nazir Pasha as special envoy with instructions to take all the measures necessary to suppress the Bulgarian movement by the quickest possible methods, create uneasiness in the Balkans is regarded as being the most relentless Turkish commander in suppressing the rising. He conducted the repressive operations of last year and participated in the suppression of the Armenian disturbance.

MORE I. C. R. THEFTS

Lot of Whisky Stolen From Transfer Shed at Moncton—Police Have No Clue

(Special to the Star.)

MONCTON, N. B., Nov. 28.—Notwithstanding the example made of Leaman, goods continue to be missed from the I. C. R. transfer shed here. On Sunday a case of whisky disappeared mysteriously and another case consigned to a Moncton hotel from the St. John firm was found opened and fifteen flasks extracted.

Evidently Leaman was right when he said he was not the only guilty party. The railway police are working diligently on the case, but have no clue.

PLAINTIFF COOKE PAYS COSTS.

(Special to the Star.)

MONTEREAL, Que., Nov. 28.—In motion for costs in the libel case of Cooke vs. Blackley, Justice Hall today gave judgment in favor of Blackley, condemning Cooke to pay the entire costs from the entry of the suit. These will be approximately five thousand dollars.

WOMAN'S LOAN BREAKS BANK.

Grass Widow Managed to Borrow \$267,800

Told a Queer Story About Millions of Securities She Had—Now Creditors Sue.

(Special to the Star.)

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—A sensation has been caused here by the bringing of suits by Herbert D. Newton, of Brookline, Mass., against Mrs. Cassie Chadwick, of Cleveland, Ohio, for \$190,800 for money loaned. Mrs. Chadwick is the wife of a Cleveland physician. In addition to Mr. Newton's suit, several banks have taken legal action to recover various amounts which bring the total sum to \$267,800. Mr. Newton alleges that Mrs. Chadwick told him she had \$500,000 in bonds and securities held in trust by Ira Reynolds, secretary and treasurer of the Wade Park Banking Co. of Cleveland, and that she had a note for \$250,000, which she could negotiate at any time for the purpose of paying Newton. He loaned her \$190,800.

In regard to the value of the securities held in trust by Mr. Reynolds, Mr. Carver declined to make any statement. Besides Mr. Newton, the plaintiffs in the suits against Mrs. Chadwick are the Euclid Ave. Savings and Trust Company, of Cleveland, for \$33,221, the Savings Deposit Bank and Trust Company of Elyria, Ohio, for \$10,000, and the American Exchange National Bank for \$28,800. The magnitude of the suits and sensational stories growing out of the case attracted much attention here. Mrs. Chadwick came here last Thursday and went to a hotel. At this hotel it was said today that she had remained only one day, but it was believed that she was still in this city. Her husband is believed to be in Europe.

OBERLIN, Ohio, Nov. 28.—The Citizens' National Bank of this place was closed this morning. The action was taken as a result of the meeting of the board of directors held yesterday. A notice posted on the bank door today stated the bank was in charge of the national bank examiner for examination and investigation. A financial statement issued by the bank in September last showed the capital stock to be \$50,000; surplus, \$25,000; deposits, \$75,000; loans and discounts, \$17,000; bonds and real estate, \$13,000; due from banks, \$12,000; cash on hand, \$1,000. C. G. Beckwith is president of the institution. The bank was founded in 1883. It is generally understood that the bank carried notes of Mrs. Cassie Chadwick, of Cleveland to a large amount.

A COLD SNAP.

The present cold snap is quite prevalent being felt in the New England States and other provinces of Canada. The lowest thermometer reading in St. John during the last twenty-four hours was 20 above zero. In Boston and New York the weather conditions are somewhat similar and at both places the lowest temperature registered with the last twenty-four hours was 29 above zero, the same as St. John. The lowest readings were at Chatham, N. B., and Charlottetown, P. E. I., where the thermometer dropped to 4 above.

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION.

ROOMS with board in comfortable house. MRS. SHANKS, 156 King street, near Carmichael street.

WANTED—Two waiters at the Grand Union Hotel. Apply at once.

FOUND—On Union street, a ring. Owner can have it by applying to G. L. Wilson, 25 Union street and paying for this advertisement.

50 tubs of choice butter to be sold at 15c. to 17c. a pound by the tub. Kent Mills flour, \$5.95 per barrel. Pure lard, 10c. per lb. \$1.75 per pair. Apples from \$1.00 per bbl. up. Good cheese, 10c. per lb. by the whole cheese 9c. per lb. Best granulated sugar, \$5.10 per cwt. Wampole's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil, 95c. per bottle.

THE 2 BARKERS, LTD

100 PRINCESS STREET.

Ladies' Flannelette Waists

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REDUCED PRICES.

We have placed on sale today the balance of our stock of Flannelette Waists at greatly reduced prices.

These waists are all of this Fall's importation Good Heavy Waists and up-to-date patterns

Waists that were \$1.80—now \$1.00

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Waists that were 1.10—now .75

Waists that were .90—now .50

Waists that were .75—now .50

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335 Main St., North End.

THE WEATHER.

Forecast—Moderate to fresh north-west to north winds; fair and quite cold today and on Tuesday; a few local snow falls or frosts.

Synopsis—Cold wintry conditions prevail generally attended by local snow falls. Winds to Banks and American ports, moderate to fresh northwest to north. Highest temperature during the past 24 hours, 22; lowest temperature during the past 24 hours, 20; temperature at noon, 23.

Men's Winter Caps.

Our stock of Caps for Men and Boys is now complete, and contains all the new shapes and patterns.

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A good assortment of working and dress gloves

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41 King St.

A Cheap Light.

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