

SIR HENRI JOLY DIES AT QUEBEC

MERITORIOUS CAREER IN POLITICS OF CANADA

Well Known Here During Term as Lieutenant-Governor of B. C.

(Special to the Times).
Quebec, Nov. 16.—Sir Henri Joly de Lotbiniere died here this morning.

His Career.
Sir Henri Joly de Lotbiniere, K. C. M. G., K. C., D. C. L., LL. D., was the son of the late Gaspard Pierre Gustave Joly, a Huguenot native of France. He was born in France on December 5th, 1828, and was thus 79 years old at his demise. Receiving his education in France he came to Canada about the middle of last century, and in 1855 was called to the Quebec bar, and in 1878 he became a Q. C. In 1861 he was elected to the Canadian assembly, representing Lotbiniere. He first really came largely into public attention by the prominent part which he took in the debates on Confederation, his views coinciding with those of Dorion, Holton, Huntington and other Liberal leaders.

In the first election to the House of Commons in 1867 he was returned by acclamation for Lotbiniere, and he also represented the same place in the Quebec assembly. He remained a member of both these bodies until 1874, at which time, when the dual representation was abolished, he remained in the local legislature. Here he led the opposition until March, 1878, when Lieutenant-Governor Letellier dismissed his ministers and called on Mr. Joly to form

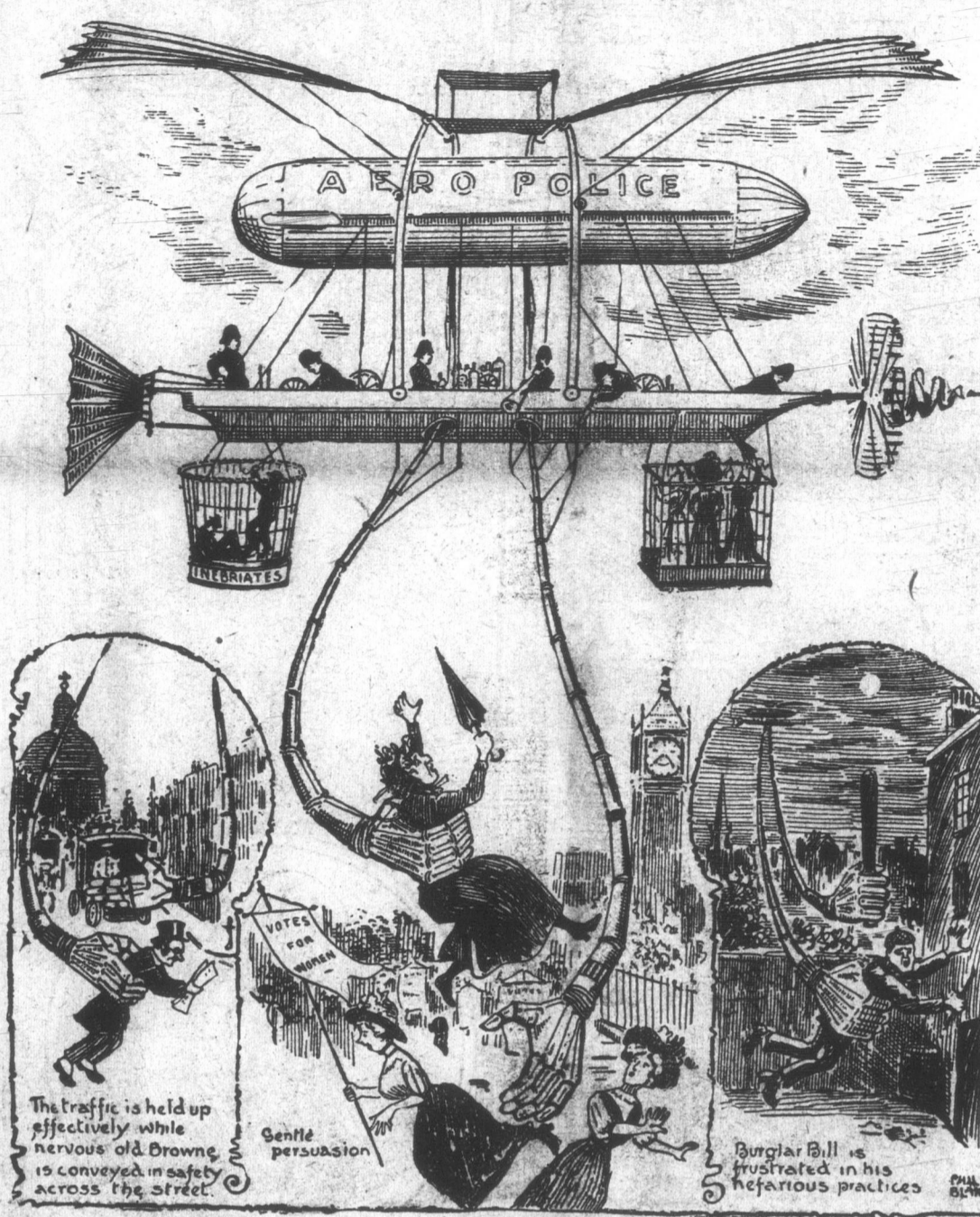
GERMANY GAVE AID TO DESERTERS

TROUBLE WHICH MIGHT HAVE LED TO WAR

Casa Blanca Incident Ex- plained in Report of French Police Commissioner.

Paris, Nov. 16.—The report of M. Dorde, the French police commissioner at Casa Blanca on the difficulty between France and German local authorities over the desertion from the foreign legion of the French army of a number of alleged German subjects, has been published. This incident has been referred to The Hague tribunal for settlement, but before it was thus disposed of it threatened to cause serious complications between France and Germany.

The report of M. Dorde is said to have induced Germany to withdraw from the position she adopted in the beginning of the controversy. It consists of two parts: The first proves the establishment in February of 1908 of a regular desertion agency at Casa Blanca by a German named Sevans. The second part sets forth that six deserters from the foreign legion, who had taken refuge in a German house in Casa Blanca, were given disguises and passports by M. Luderitz, the German consul, and were conducted to the shore of the bay by M. Just, the chancellor of the German consul, and the consular dragoman. As they were embarking in a small boat some French sailors recognized the men as deserters and started to make trouble. M. Just flew into a rage and struck a French ensign, the report continues. He finally cooled down, however, when the officer drew a revolver.



THE AERIAL POLICE FORCE.

TWO MEMBERS OF DYNASTY DEAD

PASSING OF KWANG-SU AND DOWAGER EMPRESS

Three-year-old Pu Wei is Placed on Throne of Celestial Empire.

Peking, Nov. 16.—Kwang-Su, Emperor, and Tse Hai An, Dowager Empress, are both dead. It is believed they died several hours before the time mentioned in the official announcement at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Mourning has been ordered for a hundred days.

According to the imperial edict on Friday, Pu Wei, the three-year-old son of Prince Chun has been placed on the throne and the latter is declared regent.

Prompt measures have been taken by the distribution of troops in the strategic points of the city to prevent riots, and all is quiet. Except in the troublous south, no anti-foreign riots are apprehended, although the legations are surrounded by special guards as a precautionary measure.

It is believed the choice of Prince Chun as regent is a fortunate one. He is progressive and of modern ideas, and it is believed he will be able to reconstruct most of the antagonistic elements of the Empire.

The New Emperor.
Peking, Nov. 16.—Following the publication yesterday of the late Emperor, Kwang-Su's "Valedictory," recommending the reference of important affairs to the Empress Dowager, who is now dead, another edict was issued at 1 o'clock this morning giving the Dowager's "Valedictory" commending the new dowager Yehonala to the confidence of the young Emperor's regent. The new Emperor's installation on the throne and the naming of the Era will take place, it is expected, on the Chinese New Year, (January 21st).

At 8 o'clock this afternoon a conference of diplomats was held to discuss the proper steps for the recognition of the new government.

Passing of Kwang-Su.
London, Nov. 16.—The Times Peking correspondent says:
"There are countless rumors concerning the nature of the Emperor's illness and the manner of his death. No scientific opinion could be obtained, but the general description of the symptoms indicated a severe nervous affection in which complications arose that caused death."
The palace officials, according to the correspondent, state that the Emperor declined to allow himself to be removed to the 'Pavilion of Peaceful Longevity,' thus violating precedent, and he eventually expired without donning the robes proper to the occasion in the same quarter of the palace in which he was confined after the coup d'etat of 1898. His relations with the Dowager Empress remained strained to the last."
"As the Dowager's decree, issued late on Saturday night, appointing the new emperor, indicates no impairment of her vitality, her unexpected death excites suspicion of foul play. There are rumors of disorder in the palace and its precincts. All accounts agree that the new Dowager Empress is a complete nonentity, but the new regent's mother-in-law is a woman of strong character, and is certain to exercise an important influence in the new regime."

CANDIDATES ARE APPEARING

PROBABLE OPPONENTS OF PRESENT MAYOR

J. L. Beckwith's Name Comes Up—Aldermanic Possibilities at Election.

(From Monday's Daily).
While there yet remains some time before the municipal elections will be upon the citizens, names are being freely used as probable candidates. Mayor Hall some time ago announced that he would be a candidate for next year, hoping to have a second term in which to wind up business originated the year previous.

Ex-Mayor Morley has generally been regarded as a likely candidate again, but so far has made no announcement. He says his mind is made up as to the course he will take, but he is not prepared yet to say what his course will be. In the fullness of time, therefore, an announcement may be looked for from Mr. Morley.

Another name mentioned in the roll of probable candidates for the mayoralty is J. L. Beckwith. He likewise is not prepared to make an announcement. He says many have asked him to run, but it is too early yet to say what he will do.

In the matter of aldermen it is fully expected several now in the council will again run. Ald. Pauline and Ald. Cameron, who only ran last year after strong pressure, will not likely be candidates again. They are opposed strongly to running. Ald. Hall is also disinclined to again enter the contest. Already new names are being offered, and among them are the names of George W. Dean in No. 2 ward and W. Oliphant in No. 5. These men are being pressed to stand, and it is said by their friends that they are strongly hopeful of inducing them to run.

MORRIS HAAS' CAREER OF CRIME IS ENDED

Man Who Tried to Assassinate F. J. Heney Commits Suicide.

San Francisco, Nov. 16.—Morris Haas, who shot Francis J. Heney on Friday, committed suicide at the county jail by shooting himself through the head on Saturday evening. One report says that the pistol with which he shot himself was concealed in a shoe, where he hid it before shooting Mr. Heney. Another report says the pistol was secretly passed to him by a friend since his incarceration.

The five surgeons attending Francis J. Heney, after consultation, stated that Mr. Heney was resting easily, and that his pulse, temperature and respiration were practically normal.

The bullet was located in the muscles of the lower maxillary. The bone was not shattered, and the doctors say they will perform an operation to remove the piece of lead to-morrow.

A monster mass meeting was held here on Saturday night, in which a great multitude participated. The meeting was presided over by Mayor Taylor and speeches were made by a number of leading citizens counselling moderation and the observance of legal methods, and asked that full support be given the prosecution in its conduct of the graft cases.

BRAZIL HAS NOT HOSTILE INTENTIONS

The Argentine, Under False Impression, Votes for Heavy Armaments.

London, Nov. 16.—A special dispatch received here from Rio de Janeiro says that the Brazilian government has presented to the Argentine government proof that the telegram from its Foreign Minister to the Brazilian Minister to Chile, which influenced parliament to pass a vote for heavy armaments was misinterpreted. This telegram fell into the hands of the Foreign Minister of the Argentine, who gave it to a certain individual to decipher. This person interpreted the telegram as containing instructions hostile to the Argentine. The communication was presented to parliament at a secret session.

As a matter of fact, a true version of the message was published in the official Journal and it expresses sentiments friendly to Argentine. The version of this telegram presented to parliament instructed the Minister to dissuade Bolivia and Peru from siding with the Argentine and to induce the press to oppose the Argentine's increase of armament.

CANDIDATE OFFERED BRIBE

(Special to the Times).
Gilbert Plains, Man, Nov. 16.—Archibald Cumming, the Liberal candidate in the local by-election to be held here to-morrow, made an affidavit on Sunday that Glen Campbell, M. P.-elect, and W. J. Rawson, proprietor of the Queens hotel, had offered him a thousand dollars to abandon the fight.

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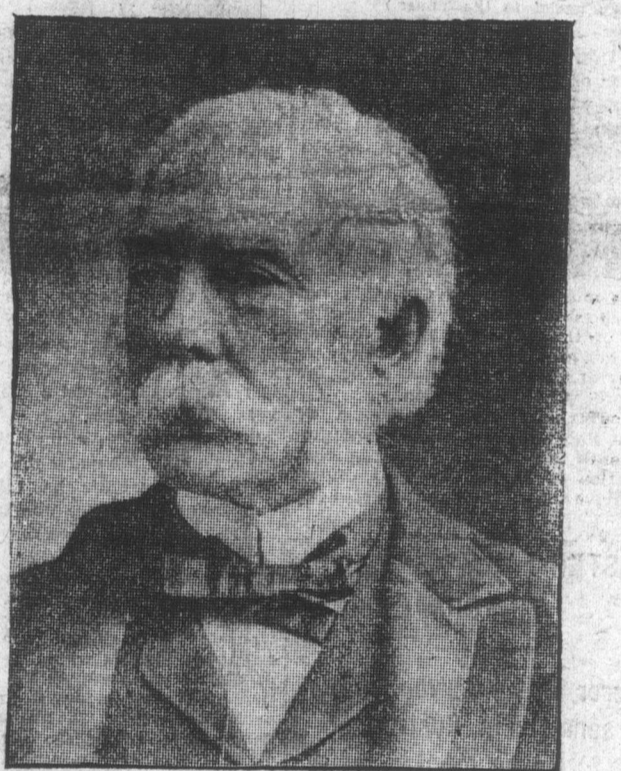
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THE LATE SIR HENRI JOLY DE LOTBINIERE.

KITCHENER TO STUDY U. S. MILITARY METHODS

Famous English General to Travel Homeward via San Francisco.

London, Nov. 16.—The United States will next year receive a visit from Gen. Lord Kitchener when he leaves India to make a tour around the world. The famous warrior is very anxious to become acquainted with American military methods, and will travel very slowly through the country, visiting as many posts as possible, and will wind up with a visit to the military academy at West Point.

On his way from India to San Francisco Lord Kitchener will visit Japan, where he will spend some time studying the customs and particularly the military system.

VESSELS POUNDING TO PIECES ON LAKE ERIE

Stranded Steamer and Barge Are Out of Reach of Assistance.

Detroit, Mich., Nov. 16.—A lumber steamer and barge, believed to be the F. A. Buell and Stewart of Tonawanda were reported to be pounding on the rocks early to-day at Southeast Shoal, Lake Erie. Both vessels were flying signals of distress. It is believed here that the crews will have no difficulty reaching the shore if the vessels are broken up.

A heavy sea is running in the lake, and passing vessels have been unable to send assistance to the stranded boats.

BRITAIN SATISFIED WITH SETTLEMENT

London, Nov. 16.—Hon. R. Lemieux has had a long interview regarding the Japanese question with Sir Edward Grey, the British foreign secretary, who expressed the satisfaction of the imperial authorities at the way in which Canada had handled the matter.

BERLIN MAY BE MEETING PLACE

EMPEROR EXPECTED TO ARRIVE AT POTSDAM

Portion of German Press Ad- opts Prematurely Opti- mistic Tone.

Berlin, Nov. 16.—Emperor William is due to arrive at Potsdam to-morrow morning at 8 o'clock. He will have an audience with Chancellor Von Buelow during the day, but the hour of this meeting has not yet been fixed. Neither is it known whether the meeting will occur at Potsdam or in Berlin. These points will be decided by His Majesty after his arrival.

It is pointed out to-day in well-informed quarters that some of the newspapers of Germany have adopted a prematurely optimistic tone regarding the outcome of this meeting. However, officials are hopeful that the situation will be cleared up.

FRUIT COMPANY TO DO BUSINESS IN B. C.

(Special to the Times).
London, Nov. 16.—The Belgo-Canadian Fruit Lands Company has been formed at Antwerp with a capital of 1,500,000 francs to do business in British Columbia.

TURCO-PERSIAN UNION IS FEARED

ABDUL HAMID MAKING FORMAL OVERTURES

Sublime Porte Envoys Wel- comed by Nationalists— Shah's Authority Ignored.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 16.—The Novoe Vremya publishes a special dispatch from Tabriz, Persia, saying that Turkey has opened formal negotiations with the Persian Nationalist organization in Azerbaijan province. A commission of Turkish envoys, duly accredited, has arrived at Tabriz and have been given an imposing welcome. Abdul Hamid, through the Turkish consul at Tabriz, has presented Satar Khan with a Turkish order.

Fears are expressed here, the correspondent says, that the Nationalists will accept and declare a union with Turkey.

JAPAN HOLDING GREAT NAVAL REVIEW

Thirty Battleships and Many Torpedo Boats Salute Mikado at Kobe.

Kobe, Nov. 16.—Preliminary to the great naval review, 30 battleships and many torpedo boats are in position off this port. The assembled fleet simultaneously saluted the Emperor's train when it arrived yesterday from Tokyo. Hundreds of people awaited the train, but it did not stop at Kobe, owing to the reported presence of the plague. The Emperor went on to Maiko, causing much disappointment here.

SASKATCHEWAN BY-ELECTIONS.

(Special to the Times).
Regina, Sask., Nov. 16.—The by-elections in Humboldt and Salt Coats take place on December 7th. Hon. J. A. Calder will run in the latter, and Hon. W. K. Motherwell in the former.

TROUBLE BREWING IN NEAR EAST

SERVIA'S ACTIONS AROUSE ANGER IN AUSTRIA

Dual Monarchy May Take De- cisive Steps if Provo- cations Continue.

Belgrade, Servia, Nov. 16.—Hostility to Austria-Hungary is spreading among the population of Bosnia and Herzegovina and in several districts the outbreak of guerrilla warfare is threatened. By order of the Austrian authorities a number of prominent servants are being confined to their homes. The garrison at Trebinje has been re-inforced by 10,000 men and preparations for its defence are being made on the frontier. Incursions of Montenegrin troops into Bosnia and Herzegovina are expected. The Austrians are reported to have mined all the passes as well as the water springs that men coming from Montenegro are likely to traverse.

Austria May Act.
Vienna, Nov. 16.—The possibility of trouble between Austria-Hungary and Servia has not yet been eliminated. A semi-official statement issued here to-day says that the Austro-Hungarian government will be compelled to take decisive steps if the Servian provocations do not cease. The dignity of the Dual Monarchy forbids it to tolerate Servia's actions.

A final decision as to the course of the government will be reached in a few days.

DISGRACE TO TORONTO.

Girls Subjected to Indignities While Collecting Money on Streets.
(Special to the Times).
Toronto, Ont., Nov. 16.—Tag Day in aid of the Y. W. C. Guild on Saturday realized only \$4,750.50, far less than was expected. The girls are dreadfully disappointed at the results of the work. Many were subjected to indignities and declare they never again will take part in such a campaign.

THREE KILLED BY TRAIN.

Man, Wife and Daughter Are Victims While Driving Home From Church.
(Special to the Times).
London, Ont., Nov. 16.—Dayid Loughed, his wife and daughter were killed yesterday afternoon by a Grand Trunk train at King's Court, while driving home from church.