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CANADIAN CRUISER MAKES BIG SEIZURE

The Curlew Caught Ten American Fishing Craft, Two of Them Steamers, at Illegal Work Near St. George --Three Charges Laid, and Fines of \$3,000 Were Imposed.

Eastport, Me., Nov. 29.—Ten American fishing craft including eight sailing vessels and two steamboats, have been seized by the Canadian fisheries protective cruiser Curlew, and fined for illegal fishing in the Canadian waters of a tributary of Passamaquoddy Bay near St. George.

COSTLY EXPERIMENT IN MINE CLEARING

Two Men Dead and Two Launches Sunk as Result of Sweeping Operations at Portsmouth, Eng., Harbor.

Portsmouth, Eng., Nov. 28.—A singular accident resulting in the death of one man and injuries to a number of others occurred in Portsmouth harbor today.

EARL GREY WILL STOP AT HALIFAX

New Governor General Accepts Invitation of Lieut. Governor Jones to Stay a Day or Two.

London, Nov. 28.—(Special)—Earl Grey, who sails Thursday, has accepted Lieut. Governor Jones' invitation to spend a day or two in Halifax en route to Ottawa.

CONSERVATIVES WILL FIGHT IN CUMBERLAND

Mayor James W. Day of Parrisboro Nominated to Run in Local Bye-Election.

Amherst, N. S., Nov. 28.—(Special)—At a convention of the Conservative party held here this afternoon Mayor Jas. W. Day of Parrisboro was unanimously chosen to contest this county in the bye-election to be held on Dec. 15 to fill the vacancy caused by the elevation of the Hon. Thomas R. Black to the senate.

NOVA SCOTIA WOMAN FOUND DEAD

Digby, N. S., Nov. 28.—(Special)—Mrs. Anna Cosset, who resided at Smith's Cove, about six miles from Digby, was found dead at her home this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Washington Hasn't Heard of Seizures.

Washington, Nov. 28.—State department officials are not expecting the seizure of an issue between the governments of Canada and the United States. So far nothing has been heard about the matter except the unofficial information contained in the Associated Press despatch, which indicates an amicable disposition of the matter.

ILLEGAL BALLOT BOX USED IN CAPE BRETON

Discovery Leads Conservatives to Call a Meeting of County Executive -- Big Shipment of Coal to South Africa.

Sydney, N. S., Nov. 28.—(Special)—It has just been discovered that the ballot box used as a polling booth at Grand Narrows, a district in the north riding of Cape Breton, where D. D. MacKenzie, Liberal, and John MacCormack, Conservative, were candidates, was an illegal one.

MacKenzie carried this district by a majority of 91. The illegally used box was found in a place in which to deposit the ballots as required by law. To overcome the difficulty the lid which swung on small hinges had to be kept open, the returning officer slipping the ballots in through the opening.

BAD ACCIDENT AT SUSSEX MONDAY

Miss Gallagher of Campbell Settlement Thrown from Carriage, Her Horse Being Scared by Train—Ten Sheep Killed by Special.

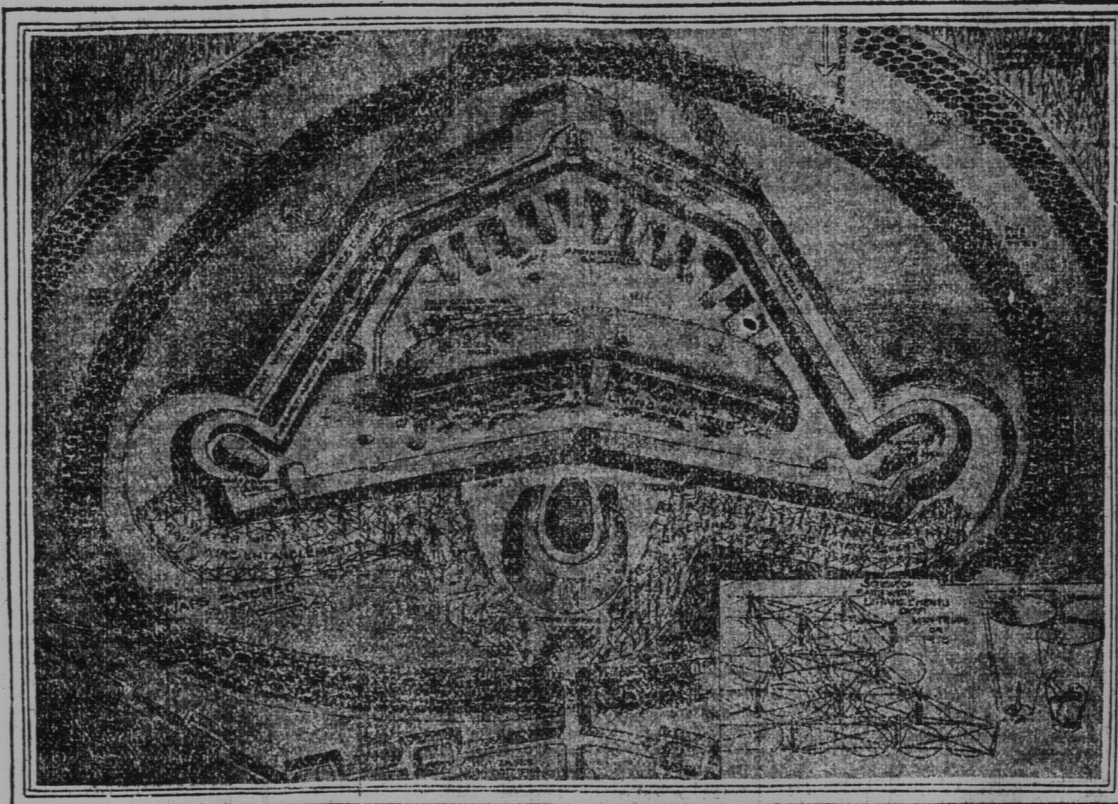
Sussex, Nov. 28.—(Special)—A serious accident occurred here today at noon. Miss Gallagher, of Campbell Settlement, was driving along Main street, near the railway crossing, when a west bound special train came along and frightened the horse which ran away, throwing Miss Gallagher out on the frozen ground.

LIBERALS CARRIED NOVA SCOTIA BY 5,705

Had That Majority Over All Parties in Late Election, and 8,184 More Than Conservatives.

Ottawa, Nov. 28.—(Special)—The federal election returns for Nova Scotia, which have just been received here, show a vote of 8,873 for the Liberals, 46,889 for the Conservatives and 2,479 for the Independents, giving the Liberals a majority of 8,184 over the Conservatives and 4,395 over the Conservatives and Independents combined. This is the only province which is completed.

THIS FORT COST THE JAPS 3,000 MEN



This Russian fort cost the Japanese 3,000 men. A semi-permanent redoubt on the level plain one mile south of Liao Yang, it was one of eleven similar earthworks forming the inner line of defence. General Stakelberg's rear guard held it until 11:30 o'clock in the evening of Saturday, Sept. 3. This is the spot where many companies of Oku's third division were nearly annihilated.

FOSTER CROSSES SWORDS WITH FOSS, RECIPROCITY CHAMPION

Toronto M. P., at Boston Banquet, Says Canada Doesn't Want Trade Treaty With Uncle Sam

Tells of the Fruitless Efforts of Canadians Years Ago at Washington, But Feeling is Dead Now, and We Are Looking to Britain--A Glowing Picture of the Dominion's Future.

JAPS FEELING RUSSIANS OUT

Active Skirmishing Thought to Presage General Battle

Kuropatkin Reports a Repulse for the Enemy, But They Succeeded in Placing Some Heavy Guns in Good Positions.

London, Nov. 29.—General Kuropatkin and Sakharoff are sending daily long detailed accounts of apparently rather unimportant fighting, which may, however, possibly turn out to be the beginning of another great battle deciding the fate of Manchuria.

THREE DAYS FIGHT

With the Russian Forces at Shantung, Nov. 28.—The attack by the Japanese upon General Rensselaer's position on Nov. 24, resulted in three days fighting at Tsinkichien, near Da Pass. Though the Japanese have been repulsed the fighting still continues.

Great Future for Canada.

The speaker then asked what would be the wheat production when 130,000,000 acres of land are under cultivation. Continuing he stated that within ten years four great parallel Canadian transcontinental railway lines will connect the north of Mexico, and, therefore, will offer the most direct route for trade.

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PREMIER WILL STAY THREE WEEKS IN CALIFORNIA

Montreal, Nov. 28.—(Special)—A despatch received here this evening announces the arrival of Sir Wilfrid Laurier and party at San Francisco. The premier will reach Monterey tomorrow and will rest three weeks at Hotel Delmonico.

GREAT BRITAIN ORDERS HER WARSHIPS HOME

Admiralty Abolishes Plan of Keeping Cruisers in Canadian Waters--Flying Squadron to Be Sent to Various Ports from Time to Time--Present Plan Considered Useless for Defence.

Montreal, Nov. 28.—(Special)—The Star's London correspondent cables:— "The admiralty has decided on important changes which at first sight seem preparatory to the withdrawal of British naval protection from Canada, as Gladstone withdrew military protection forty years ago.

"In reply to those who suggest that these withdrawals leave Canada powerless against sea attack, Sir John Fisher, the new head of the admiralty, would probably say that Canada pays nothing, refusing even such small help as every other self-governing part of the empire has given.

STRATHCONA HASN'T HEARD OF HIS RETIREMENT

Rumor Current That He is to Be Succeeded by Sir Wm. Mulock Finds Little Credence.

Montreal, Nov. 28.—(Special)—The London correspondent of the Canadian Associated Press says: "I have absolutely nothing to say regarding the rumored retirement more than I have to previous ones," said Lord Strathcona when shown this Chronicle's despatch announcing Lord Strathcona's retirement in the near future and his successor to be Sir William Mulock. "That despatch is the first I heard of the matter."

LOTT WILL RETURN AND STAND TRIAL

Bellevue, Ont., Nov. 28.—(Special)—The police magistrate this afternoon received a telegram from B. O. Lott, dated Syracuse (N. Y.), saying that he would return to Bellevue, and stand his trial.

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