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WEATHER: ... N. W. winds, fair and decidedly cold to-morrow.

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MILLIONS INVOLVED IN THE CHADWICK CASE. This Canadian Woman's Affairs Have Furnished a Series of Sensations Almost Unparalleled—She Has a Private Car Engaged For Her Journey.

New York, Dec. 2.—While it has been officially announced that the claim of one of her largest creditors, the one whose suit brought about all the publicity over her affairs, would be settled, there is no diminution of interest to-day in the case of Mrs. Chadwick...

That all the just debts will be met they still maintain, and at the same time make the announcement that Mrs. Chadwick is still in the suite rooms at the Holland House, but she has notified the management that she will give up her rooms in a day or two...

A DAY AND NIGHT BANK. New York Financiers Engage in New Project For Convenience Sake.

New York, Dec. 2.—Impressed by the need of an institution where money may be obtained at all hours, prominent New York financiers and commercial men have, it is announced by the Herald, organized the First Night and Day Bank and Safe Deposit Company...

NEWS FROM ANNAPOLIS. The Scott Act Regarded as a Failure—A New Industry—Personals.

Annapolis, Dec. 1.—Last Sunday was "Temperance Sunday," in the chief and the traffic in intoxicants was strongly denounced. It may lead to practical efforts to carry out the law, as they claim it to be done is a problem not easily solved...

RUSSIA TRIES TO REGAIN IT. Czar's Troops Make Desperate Attack Upon 203 Metre Hill, Now in Possession of the Japs, But Are Repulsed With Heavy Losses—Many Sailors Among the Dead.

Tokio, Dec. 2. 8 p. m.—It is reported here that the Russians have attempted to retake 203 metre hill. They assembled a strong force and assaulted the position, but were repulsed with heavy loss. The Japanese finding sailors among the Russian dead, believed that if the men from the fleet are employed in making sorties, the complement of the force must be falling short...

Jap Casualties. Tokio, Dec. 2.—11 a. m.—Imperial headquarters makes the announcement that 17 officers have been killed and 64 wounded in the field.

The Russian Fleet. Tangier, Dec. 2.—The Russian auxiliary cruiser, the Smolenski, and two torpedo boats, have arrived here and are coaling.

Drove Japs Out. St. Petersburg, Dec. 2.—Despatches received from Mukden today say that General Hosenkamps' forces Nov. 30 drove the Japanese out of a new position southward of Takshetchen (near Da Pass). The fighting was short and sharp. The Japanese burnt their supply depots in three villages and retreated pursued by Cossacks so far as the Taisho river. The Japanese losses were about 50 killed and 100 wounded.

MADRID IS SNOWBOUND.

Madrid, Dec. 1.—The heaviest snow storm experienced in Spain in many years lasting nearly thirty hours, has compelled a partial cessation of business. In Madrid street traffic has been stopped, the stores are closed, the markets are without supplies and 20,000 workmen are out of employment.

WINTER PORT NOTES.

Donaldson line steamer Concordia, Captain Martin, arrived in port last night, from Glasgow, with a large cargo, including 3938 bags of hard coal which is being discharged today at the new city (McLeod) wharf.

PARTNERSHIP DISSOLVED. Legal Firm of Phinney & Crockett, Fredericton, is no More.

Fredericton, Dec. 2.—(Special)—The engagement is announced of Richard B. Hanson the talented young barrister, of this city and Joan Neill, youngest daughter of James S. Neill, well-known hardware merchant.

WILL TALK THINGS OVER. Conservatives to Consult With R. L. Borden in Re Party's Future.

Montreal, Dec. 2.—(Special)—Several of the conservative members of parliament for Ontario constituencies, including Toronto, will leave Toronto to-night, or to-morrow, for Montreal, to consult in this city with R. L. Borden, on the future of the party.

TORONTO MAN IS PRESIDENT. Appointed Chief of International Brotherhood of Bookbinders.

Chicago, Dec. 2.—Edward W. Tatam, for the last five years president of the International Brotherhood of Bookbinders, has resigned from that office and will hereafter devote his entire time to two local unions of bookbinders in this city with R. L. Borden, on the future of the party.

A STRIKE IN BUENOS AYRES. SHOT IN THE LEG

Buenos Ayres, Dec. 1.—The first day of the general strike developed no serious features. All the leading retail stores were closed and labor on the docks was suspended. Troops and policemen were stationed at all the important centres.

THE TIMES AIMS TO BECOME THE BEST AFTERNOON NEWS-PAPER EAST OF MONTREAL.

Dorchester, Dec. 2.—(Special)—What might have been a fatal accident, occurred last evening, in this town. William McAllister, eldest son of J. H. McAllister, while handling a loaded revolver, in a moment of carelessness, accidentally discharged the weapon, the ball entering the fleshy part of the leg above the knee.

NATIONAL U. C. T. U. ELECTS OFFICERS.

Philadelphia, Dec. 2.—The National Women's Christian Temperance Union today re-elected the general officers for another year. The officers are: Mrs. Lillian N. Stevens, Portland, Me., president; Miss Anna A. Gordon, Evanston, Ill., vice-president; Mrs. Clara C. Hoffmann, St. Louis, recording secretary; Mrs. Frances E. Beauchamp, Lexington, Ky., assistant recording secretary; Mrs. Helen Morton Barker, Evanston, treasurer.

FATAL GAS EXPLOSION.

Rumford Falls, Me., Dec. 2.—Mathias Hansen, an aged resident of Mexico, a small town a few miles north of here, and his wife were burned to death early today, in a fire which destroyed their home and other buildings. The fire was caused by an explosion of illuminating gas.

COMMITTED SUICIDE.

New York, Dec. 2.—Jas. Sulkava, a steamer passenger from Finland on November 24, jumped overboard from the steamer Chemnitz which arrived here today from Bremen. Points were not traced to search for the man, but no trace of him was found. The cause of his act is not known.

WORLD'S FAIR FIGURES ARE VERY INTERESTING.

St. Louis, Dec. 1.—While it will be impossible to obtain the actual receipts and expenditures of the Louisiana purchase company before the middle of December, Secretary Walter B. Stevens of the World's Fair Association has made the following statement to the Associated Press...

THE WEATHER.

Toronto, Dec. 2.—Maritime—Fresh to strong northwesterly winds, fair and colder with local snow flurries. Saturday northwesterly winds, fair and colder with local snow flurries. Sunday, fair and colder with local snow flurries.

SHOT THE MARSHAL.

Monroe, La., Dec. 2.—Deputy U. S. Marshal, J. E. Pope, was shot and killed yesterday, near his home at Trenton, by an unknown man who hid behind a tree. Several months ago, Pope, it is said, was warned to leave the parish under a penalty of death for alleged activity in prosecuting peonage cases.

HE GOES TO SAN ANTONIO.

Woodstock, Ont., Dec. 2.—(Special)—Hon. James Sutherland, accompanied by his niece, Miss Little and Miss MacKenzie, left yesterday for San Antonio, Texas. Mr. Sutherland's recent trip to Ottawa overtaxed his strength, and a change to a milder climate was ordered by physicians.

THE HILLSBORO BRIDGE.

Ottawa, Dec. 2.—(Special)—M. J. Hannay, contractor for the Hillsboro bridge, P. E. I., is here on his way to Toronto. He says that the bridge will be completed and trains will be running between Charlottetown and Murray Bay in June next.

DRAW SIR RICHARD'S SEAT.

Ottawa, Dec. 2.—(Special)—Hon. S. Fielding, will take Sir Richard Cartwright's seat in the commons. Sir Richard, of course, goes to the senate.

CABINET RESIGNED.

Belgrade, Serbia, Dec. 2.—The cabinet has resigned. The resignation of the Serbian cabinet is due to a disagreement between the ministers over building new railroads. The ministry was constituted in February 1903 under Premier Druegh.

HE GOT \$25,000.

Wapello, I. A., Dec. 2.—(I. A. Colton, cashier of the Wapello state bank, has been arrested charged with embezzling \$25,000. Colton was released on bond. The amount of the alleged loss was made up by the stockholders of the bank.

THE DEATH ROLL.

Vienna, Dec. 2.—The Russian ambassador, Count Peter Kapnist, suffered an apoplectic stroke and died at one o'clock this afternoon.

SUPPORT TEMPERANCE NOT PARTY CANDIDATE.

This is the Exhortation Contained in Manifesto Committee on Temperance and Moral Reform—Political Corruption Condemned.

Toronto, Dec. 2.—(Special)—The Methodist committee on temperance and moral reform, yesterday, issued a manifesto on temperance and political corruption. "The temperance party convention have afforded friends of temperance but little ground for encouragement," says the manifesto and then continues: "The executive committee would appeal to the electors of our church to see to it, in their respective constituencies, that men, faithful and true to the temperance cause, of whatever political party, and only such, shall be elected as their representatives in the legislature. When this cannot be done in the party to which the voter happens to belong, we trust that, unfettered by narrow party considerations, he will support the candidate most acceptable in view of the great temperance reform."

Conceding political corruption the manifesto expresses the trust of the committee that "Our people will everywhere, by vote and influence, manifest unmistakably their displeasure or indignation, at the disgraceful political corruption they see to have laid hold of many agencies in our public life, and even many constituencies in our fair provinces. It is plainly our duty to God and to our country no matter who suffers by our action, to put an end to this abomination and public disgrace."

SAYS 'TIS NOT TRUE. Mr. Crockett Denies Government Was Criticized at St. Andrew's Dinner.

O. S. Crockett, M. P., for York, is in the city. A Times reporter called on Mr. Crockett today in reference to the reports published as regards alleged statements by Rev. Mr. Montgomery at the St. Andrew's supper held at Fredericton. Mr. Crockett said: "The reports published are a gross misrepresentation of facts. Never in the history of St. Andrew's Society has there been a more harmonious or enjoyable gathering at Fredericton. Three quarters of the guests remained until 5 o'clock in the morning and the pleasure and enjoyment was unabated from start to finish."

THE CANADA AT HALIFAX. First Dominion Liner of the Season Arrived There this Morning.

Halifax, Dec. 2.—(Special)—The Canada, the first Dominion liner to call here this season, arrived in port this morning, from Liverpool, and landed 150 passengers, 19 second cabin and 459 steerage passengers after which she proceeded for Portland, Me. The majority of the steerage passengers are Russians. All were booked for Halifax, but they intend going through to Montreal and Western points. A number of them have been detained because of trachoma. A special train will leave at 3 p. m. for Montreal, with the passenger. There was a joyous party on the Canada, honours for Montreal, all French domestics who are assisted to Canada, by Hon. Mrs. Joyce. There was also a party of 50 men, women and children, assisted by the seafair Society of London.

ANGESEY JEWELS SOLD. High Prices Paid at 4th Day's Sale in London.

New York, Dec. 2.—A London dispatch to the Herald dated Thursday, says: Chief interest at the second day's sale of the Anglesey jewels at Christie's today, centred round a pair of matchless brooch sapphires of unusual size, about half an inch across, each mounted as sleeve links with large brilliant diamonds, which were reported to have cost the Marquis the sum of £20,000 (\$100,000). The price obtained, however, was far below what was expected. Bidding lay between two dealers only, the figure offered by the highest being £1,880. Nearly as high a sum, namely £1,320 pounds was given for four large Bouthon pearls mounted as a pair of sleeve links. A pair of fine drop shaped pearls mounted as a scarf pin, with a diamond centre, was sold for £880, and four of the same mounted as sleeve links for £240 pounds. Two fine Bouthon pearls mounted as a scarf pin for £420.

WILL DINE EARL GREY.

Ottawa, Dec. 2.—(Special)—The Canadian Club of Ottawa, is arranging to give a banquet to Earl Grey, Canada's new Governor-General. It is most likely that the banquet will take place the evening before parliament meets. Earl Grey, should be accepted, as no doubt he will address the club. W. Mackenzie King, president of the club, is attending to the matter.

COMMITTED FOR TRIAL IN BALLOT BOX SCANDAL.

Bellefleur, Dec. 2.—(Special)—Hon. G. P. Graham went on the stand in the ballot box case this morning. He testified to knowing Sibley slightly and Lott fairly well. He denied that he was the organizer of the liberal party. He had read Kelly's evidence about him and it was about right. Lott and Kelly had called on him together on October 2nd. On being questioned he admitted that perhaps he had a conversation with Lott first. He did not remember Kelly's name. He had never thought Frontenac or West Hastings could be connected with the liberals, but was suspicious in the statements of Lott and Kelly, that they would go liberal. The entire conversation regarding corruption was of a general character. He condemned corrupt methods and employment of outsiders.

BATTLE LINE.

Steamer Pandosia, Captain J. L. Crosby, arrived at Rio Janeiro yesterday, from Cardiff, with a cargo of coal. The ship was chartered by the British Columbia Steamship Co. and is actually in danger of being sunk.

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