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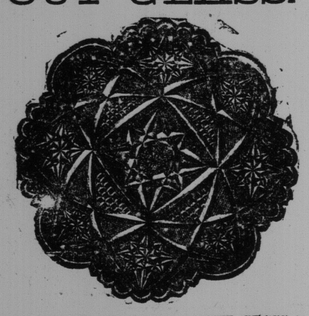

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MRS. BAILEY'S DEFENCE.

Flatly Denies the Evidence of F. A. Dykeman Accusing Her of Theft —Jurors Fined.

The trial of Mrs. Jacob Bailey, of Cedar street, North End, charged with stealing a piece of silk in the store of F. A. Dykeman, Charlotte street, on May 21st, was taken up this morning in the circuit court. Owing to the absence of some of the jurors the trial did not begin till after eleven o'clock. Judge McLeod instructed the sheriff to summon talesmen, six of whom responded, and the trial proceeded. The absent jurors are to be fined.

Hon. H. A. McKeown is prosecuting and the accused is defended by Scott E. Morrell.

F. A. Dykeman was the first witness. He said that about 9.30 o'clock on the evening of the 21st of May, the accused entered his store and approached witness, who was standing at the front counter on the left, not far from the entrance. Accused asked to see some black silk, which was shown to her. She purchased a piece of the silk, valued at 35 cents. Witness returned her some change and in the parcel which he handed her he rolled up the bill, a practice followed at his store. He then returned to the shelf the roll of black silk. As he was turning round he noticed that the accused had moved some six feet along the counter to where there was a pile of silks, and that she appeared to be agitated. He saw that she was putting something into her bag and incidentally noticed that a piece of silk was missing. Going outside the counter he took her bag and withdrew from it the piece of missing silk. Accused offered to pay for it, but he said he thought he would have to call the police. She said: "Oh, don't do that, Mr. Dykeman, it will disgrace me. I'll pay for the silk." In the meantime, the police arrived. She gave her name as Daley, at an address which witness could not remember. To the officers she at first gave the same name, but when pressed changed it to Bailey, on Cedar street.

Mr. Dykeman was subjected to a severe cross-examination. He, however, stuck closely to his story.

Officer Lee swore that the accused first gave her name to him as Daley.

Sergt. Caples' evidence was about the same.

The first witness for the defence was Jacob H. Bailey, husband of the accused. He told of buying just this morning at F. A. Dykeman's store a piece of factory cotton and of receiving the bill not rolled up in the parcel but separate.

Mrs. Caroline McLeod swore also to making a purchase at the Dykeman store and of receiving the bill separate from the parcel.

The last witness was the accused, Mrs. Bailey. She flatly contradicted Mr. Dykeman's story in all its essential particulars. The first she knew that anything was wrong was when Mr. Dykeman sharply questioned: "What have you got in that bag?" Upon replying that she had her own goods, he said: "You are a liar." He then took the bag from her. She gave her name as Bailey both to Mr. Dykeman and the police officers. Mr. Dykeman treated her rather roughly and before leaving the store she said to him: "Remember, sir, when you're done with me, I'm going to deal with you."

The cross-examination of the accused is going on this afternoon, and in all probability the case will go to the jury before adjournment.

A CHOICE.

There were once a very homely and a very beautiful woman, who lived together in a cottage by the wayside.

And for a long time nothing disturbed their serenity.

One day a man passed by.

As he was the only man they had ever seen, both women were excessively curious. They craned their necks out of the window. Instinctively they felt like following him.

When the man had got by the house, he laid down his burden, which consisted of a bag of shining gold, and turned half around, resting, for he was quite tired. As he did so, he saw the blinds open and the two women look out at him.

Now, he was a man of some experience. He realized that he could not move on. His nature wouldn't permit. And so he said to himself at once that he would make the best of it.

He hastened back, therefore, to the two women, and addressed himself to the homely one.

"Madam," he said, "I perceive there is no escape. Will you marry me?"

"You are a man, I presume," said the homely women. "I have heard of such creatures. Certainly I will marry you." And she gazed at the beautiful woman with a look of triumph.

The lady naturally felt vexed, and showed it plainly.

"Sir," she said, addressing herself to the man, "I am much more beautiful than my companion here. Why, then, do you select her in preference to myself?"

"Madam," he said, "don't be prematurely cast down. It is true that I am going to marry her to keep house for me. But I shall spend my money on you."—Town Topics.

SALOON KEEPER IN TROUBLE.

Liquor License Inspector Jones has laid information against six or seven prominent liquor dealers for selling liquor during prohibited hours. The cases will come up tomorrow afternoon at two o'clock and there is considerable interest being taken. It seems now that almost any of the dealers may expect to get a notification.

NO BISHOP CHOSEN.

(Special to the Star.)

HALIFAX, N. S., June 26.—The Anglican Synod this morning adjourned till August 1st, without receiving further nominations for bishop. Archdeacon Kaulback is to name a committee consisting of ten laymen and ten clergymen to inquire into the names of candidates and report at the synod meeting in August.

KUROPATKIN TAKES THE OFFENSIVE AT LAST

Is Attacking General Oku's Forces—Admiral Togo's Graphic Description of the Recent Victory at Port Arthur.

ON THE VERGE OF BATTLE.

ST. PETERSBURG, June 27, 11 a. m.:—Despatches received here from Ta Tiche Cho indicate that both the Russian and Japanese armies are moving into contact for a great battle, which even now may be in progress. General Kuropatkin yesterday assumed the offensive against General Oku, while General Kuroki from a position fourteen miles to the eastward was moving against the Russian flank at Hai Chen.

THE BATTLE AT PORT ARHUR.

OKIO, June 26.—(Delayed in transmission)—Admiral Togo's detailed repotr of his attack on Port Arthur of his effective attack on Port Arthur last Thursday night reached Tokio today. The report confirms the reported destruction of a Russian battleship of the Peresviet type, the disabling of a battleship of the Sevastopol class and a protected cruiser resembling the Diana, and the injury of a torpedo destroyer, but throws no light on the Russian plan. The entire Russian fleet steamed out to sea in line of battle, suddenly when within fourteen thousand metres from the Japanese fleet, the Russian fleet refused to give battel and steamed back to an anchorage, outside the harbor, where during the night, the Japanese destroyers and torpedo boats made eight desperate attacks upon it. The Russian vessels re-entered the harbor on Friday, since which time it has failed to reappear. In his report Admiral Togo says: The exit of the Russian fleet from Port Arthur harbor began Thursday. The battleships Peresviet, Poltva and Sevastopol, the armoured cruiser Bayan, the protected criusers, Palada, Diana, Askold and Novik came first. A warning flashed by wireless telegraphy by the Japanese patrol brought up Admiral Togo's fleet at full speed to a series of prearranged stations. Three flotillas of Japanese destroyers and torpedo boats steamed close to the harbr entrance and watched the Russian vessels. At 11 o'clock the Russian battleships Czarevitch, Retvizan and Pobieda joined the other Russian ships outside the harbor. Several steamers and boats were engaged in clearing and exploding mines in order to make a passage seaward. Captain Asai, commanding the Japanese torpedo flotilla attacked the vessels engaged in clearing out the mines and hampered the work.

At three o'clock several Russian destroyers appeared and the Japanese vigorously attacked them. One of the Russian destroyers, which was hit and set on fire retreated to the harbor burning. The Novik attacked the Japanese flotilla which scurried away. The boats engaged in clearing the harbor finally made a passage and the Nvik led the Russian fleet seaward.

TOGO'S STRATEGY.

In the meantime, Admiral Togo concealed the position of his ship and at four o'clock sent the third squadron out into the vision of the Russians with the object of withdrawing them seaward. The Russian fleet stood southeastward and then southward. During this time Admiral Togo concealed his first squadron south of Gugan Rock. As the Russians approached Admiral Togo assembled his fleet and prepared to attack. At 6.15 p. m. the Russians were in plain sight eight miles northwest of Gugan rock. The Czarevitch led and the nine others followed in a single line. The Novik and seven destroyers were placed at the right of the line.

Admiral Togo waited with battleflags flying from all the tops. The Japanese fleet formation represented the first letter of the Japanese alphabet inverted. At 7.10 p. m. th Russians headed for the Japanese and Admiral Togo veered slightly to the right, in order to bring pressure against the head of the Russian formation.

RUSSIANS RAN AWAY.

At 8 p. m. the Russians changed their course and headed northward. Admiral Togo followed in a long single line, ordering the destroyers and torpedo boats to prepare for an attack after sundown. At 8.22 p. m. the small flotillas swung around the rear of the Japanese fleet and proceeded towards the Russians at full speed. At 9.30 the fourteenth flotilla delivered the first attack on the Russian fleet, now in the rear of a point five miles outside the entrance to Port Arthur. Immediately afterwards the fifth flotilla delivered a second attack. The Russian fleet was confused and it was impossible for it to retreat quickly into the harbor on account of the narrowness of the channel and possibly the low tide.

At 10.30 p. m., the Russian fleet anchored in a single line, extending from the foot of Wantsuing fort to the base of Chentorhan. During the night the torpedo flotillas kept up a constant attack on the Russian fleet, going in eight times. The most effective attack was of the sixteenth flotilla, which, at 11.30 p. m., caught the Russians rounding Shenshen. The first class torpedo boat Shirrataka, commanded by Captain Wakabashi, sent two torpedoes at a battleship of the Peresviet class. She was seen to sink in a volume of smoke. Other effects of the attack were not observed on account of the heavy firing which cast volumes of water over the flotilla.

GETTING ALONG.

TIEN TSIN, June 26.—It is reported that 40,000 Russian troops are at Ta Tshe Kiao, 15 miles north of Kaiping, where entrenchments are being erected, and where it is expected a stand will be made against th Japanese.

Thirty officers of the Red Cross Society went into Newchwang yesterday and purchased medicines and comforts for the sick.

EVERYBODY WORKING.

TA CHE KAO (between Kai Chou and Hang Cheng), June 24.—The Japanese forces are 12 miles from Port Arthur, the whole male population of which, from the age of 15 upwards, is under arms. The women are assisting in the work of completing the defences. Civilian cyclists occasionally establish communication with the outside world.

BATTLES ARE INDECISIVE.

LIAO YANG, June 26.—Reports of fighting between the advance guard regiments are continually coming in. The battles are indecisive, but they show that Japanese are moving forward regularly on each front. This is corroborated by official despatches.

Members of the Red Cross, together with non-combatants who are desirous of witnessing the fighting, are leaving southward daily.

GENERAL OKU RETIRING.

LIAO YANG, June 26.—The Second Japanese army, under General Oku, is withdrawing all along the line, having apparently abandoned the intention of effecting a juncture with General Kuroki's army.

PREDICTS A BIG ONE.

ST. PETERSBURG, June 25, 12.35 p. m.—An unnamed Russian general is quoted in the Viedomosti today as declaring that this is the eve of a great battle, adding that General Kuropatkin is moving to meet General Kuroki, whom he will dispose of before General Oku arrives.

STILL EXPECTED.

NEWCHWANG, June 25, 10 p. m.—An Associated Press courier who had been out three days returned tonight and reports that Japanese scouts were seen ten miles southwest of Kaichou this morning.

Information from private Russian sources indicate that the Russians have only a few pieces of field artillery between Liao Yang and Kaichou.

A Chinaman who is known to the Associated Press correspondent as a Japanese agent, says that the Japanese plan is to enter Kaichou unopposed not later than Monday and expect a battle near Ta Tshe Kiao. If victorious they will place troops in Newchwang immediately.

LEFT SIXTY DEAD.

LONDON, June 25, 4.15 p. m.— The Japanese legation this afternoon received a despatch from Tokio announcing that a detachment of the Taku Shan army surprised and routed a squadron of Russian cavalry, ten miles northwest of San Tao Kow, on the Ta Tche Kiao road, at dawn June 23, and also occupied the heights north thereof, expelling the Russians, who left sixty dead on the field.

WOMEN ILL-TREATED.

SEOUL, June 26 (night).—A telegram received here from Gensan, Korea, reports that Russian troops have burned numerous dwelling houses in the town of Kaiju and Hamheung, and that at the latter place women were subjected to ill-treatment.

One thousand Russian troops are commandeering live stock, foods and carts from a wide area in northeastern Korea. These men are on their way to Vladivostok and will cross the Tumen river by means of recently constructed bridges.

There are three cases of cholera here. The men affected are natives, and the disease has not appeared among the Japanese troops.

JAPANESE LOSSES.

TOKIO, June 26, 8 p. m.—The Japanese casualties in the battle of Telissu (Vafangow), June 15, were 7 officers and 210 men killed and 903 men wounded.

ANOTHER VERSION OF THE SAME.

WASHINGTON, June 26.—This cablegram was received at the Japanese legation today from Tokio:

"General Oku reports that our casualties at Telissu were 247 killed, including seven officers, and 946 wounded, including 45 officers."

HE WAS CHASED.

MUKDEN, June 26.—Major General Mistchenko and several companies of Cossacks on the night of June 25, while reconnoitering west of the Yalu river, were pursued by a considerable force of Japanese. The Cossacks turned and charged, breaking the lines of the Japanese, whom they pursued for twelve hours, inflicting heavy losses.

The heat is abating and the troops are in excellent health.

James H. Hyde, of New York, treasures a letter that was recently received by the insurance company with which he is connected. This letter runs as follows:

"Gentlemen: I am sorry to inform you that I have lost my insurance policy. Will you be kind enough to send me a duplicate policy at once? You will find a stamp enclosed.

"P. S.—Since writing the above, I have found my policy. The puplicate, therefore, need not be sent. Pray do not trouble to return the stamp."

DEADLY KEROSENE LAMP.

An Explosion Burns One Little Girl to Death and Dangerously Injures Another.

ST. CATHERINES, Ont., June 27.—By the explosion of a lamp at the home of Mrs. Lafferty at Merriton last night her two daughters, Florence, aged 15, and Ethel, aged nine, were burned. Florence died at the hospital here this morning, and Ethel will probably recover.

LOOMIS STILL MISSING.

PARIS, June 26.—Not a word was received today regarding the whereabouts of Kent J. Loomis, brother of Francis B. Loomis, American assistant secretary of state, who disappeared shortly before or after the arrival of the North German Lloyd steamer Kaiser Wilhelm II, at Plymouth, June 20.

Although satisfied that Loomis was not lost from the Kaiser Wilhelm III, the officials foresee the possibility that some harm may have befallen him after he landed at Plymouth. However, they consider this possibility rather remote. Nevertheless, the complete absence of the clues after a week's efforts to find Mr. Loomis, increases the mystery.

YOUNG WOMAN DROWNED.

BRISTOL, R. I., June 26.—A squall capsized and sunk two Providence cat-boats lying at anchor with sails down in Hunter's Cove, Prudence Island, today, and of the eight people who were thrown struggling into the water, Miss Ellen May Adams of East Providence was drowned. The others were rescued by men from an oyster steamer. The body of the unfortunate woman was recovered.

Miss Adams was one of a sailing party of six on board the cat-boat Thistle, and was the guest of Samuel F. McIntosh. She has a brother in one of the Providence schools and was 24 years old.

NINETY FOUR IN THE SHADE.

NEW YORK, June 26.—One death and eleven cases of prostration have been reported as the result of the excessive heat here today. Agnes Emmett, a widow, was taken to the hospital this evening with three self-inflicted bullet wounds in her head. The woman said she was crazed by the heat.

Albert Runski, 21 years, a sailor on the U. S. S. New York, was picked up on the street overcome by the heat and carried to the hospital in a serious condition.

The temperature for the past 24 hours averaged 11 degrees higher than the average temperature for the corresponding date during the last 25 years. At noon the thermometer regis-

FOR A FULL PARDON.

WASHINGTON, June 24—Samuel V. Hayden, a lawyer of this city, has gone to England to assist the friends of Mrs. Florence Maybrick in their efforts to have a full pardon substituted for the parole which has been granted her.

Mrs. Maybrick will be released from the home of the Sisters of the Epiphany some time next month. It is said the friends of Mrs. Maybrick stand an excellent chance of success.

One of the powerful arguments presented by the friends of Mrs. Maybrick to obtain her leave of absence was the need of her presence in the United States to testify in suits over valuable lands, involving about $2,500,000. Immediately after her release she will come to Washington, and from here will direct the legal proceedings to clear the title to the property.

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THE WEATHER.

Forecast—Moderate, variable winds, fair; Tuesday, moderate northwest winds, fine and moderately warm.

Synopsis—The weather of the past two days has evidently been warm everywhere. Rain was fairly general Saturday night and occurred more locally last night. Winds are moderate all along the coast. To Banks and also American ports moderat west and northwest winds.

Poached Egg Nest—Butter the inside of a cup and pour in the stiffly beaten white of an egg. Make a little nest in the centre and carefully drop in the yolk. Squeeze a drop or two of lemon juice on top and set the cup in a basin of boiling water. In cooking, the froth will rise to the top of the cup. As soon as the white is set, invert a plate over the cup and turn the egg out. Sprinkle with the tiniest bit of minced parsley and serve quickly.

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GREY FRIEZE SKIRTS—Tucked flounce, ... Each $3.00

GREY FRIEZE SKIRTS—Tucked flounce, trimmed with tabs..... Each $3.25

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BLACK MELTON SKIRTS—Tucked gores and ripple flounce ..... Each $3.25

BLACK MELTON SKIRTS—Ripple flounce and tabs piped with satin and trimmed with buttons..... Each $3.50

BLACK MELTON SKIRTS—Pleated front gores and flounce..... Each, $3.75

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