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HON. A. S. WHITE THE FAVORITE.

Will Probably be Nominated at Hampton Today.

One Hundred of the Six Score Delegates Present are Solid for Him.

HAMPTON, N. B., Sept. 29.—Liberal delegates from nearly all the parishes of Albert and Kings counties have gathered at the shiretown today to nominate their candidate for the coming dominion election.

RUSSIAN MINISTERIAL CHANGES.

Von Plehve's Successor Will Clean Out the Department and Begin Many Reforms.

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 29, 140 p. m.—Prince Peter Suiatopok-Mirsky, former governor general of Vilna, and present minister of the interior, assumes active direction of the ministry of the interior today.

PORT OF ST. JOHN.

Arrived. Sir Bengore 1,819, Campbell, from Louisa, CB.

CONDUCTOR DROWNED IN LOCOMOTIVE TANK.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Sept. 29.—Wm. Goff, 61 years of age, a freight conductor on the N. Y. Central, left East Syracuse with his caboose and engine bound west.

KILLED BY AUTOMOBILE.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Sept. 29.—Arthur D. Wyman, an instructor in the chemical laboratory of Harvard, the son of Chas. F. Wyman, the Russian consul at Boston, was struck and fatally injured by an automobile just before midnight last night and died three hours later.

VENGEFUL YOUTH KILLS POLICEMAN.

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Sept. 29.—H. C. Cash, town marshal of Oliver Springs, Tenn., was shot and killed last night at that place by Wm. West, the son of a druggist.

LADY CURZON IMPROVING.

WALMER CASTLE, Kent, Sept. 29.—The physician's bulletin issued at 10.45 o'clock this morning, regarding the condition of Lady Curzon, says: 'Lady Curzon passed a fair night and yesterday's improvement is maintained.'

GERMANY AND ITALY MAY SOON INTERFERE.

Reports That They Are Planning Mediation—Japs Increasing Their Forces to Meet New Russian Army.

TOKIO, Sept. 29, 10 a. m.—The emergency ordinance amendment to the conscription law was gazetted today.

RAND TRUNK PROSPECT BRIGHT.

Sir Charles Rivers-Wilson Encourages the Shareholders at the General Meeting Today

INTERNATIONAL LAW A FAKE.

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 29.—The Novosti, the bitterly sarcastic editorials refer to the conference of the Institute of International Law, which closed at Edinburgh yesterday.

JAPS HAVE OVER A MILLION MEN

The Russ makes an intricate calculation of Japanese fighting strength, and it concludes that the Japanese have a reserve of one million one hundred thousand men upon which to draw to fill up their battalions.

JAPS ARE CONFIDENT.

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—The Japanese press is uncertain whether or not to regard the second Russian army as a second Baltic squadron, says the Times correspondent at Tokio.

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ROME, Sept. 29.—Although a portion of the Italian press insists that the meeting of Premier Giolitti and Count von Buelow, the German chancellor at Hamburg, was connected with the subject of mediation between Russia and Japan, the Avant asserts that the presence of Prince Charles of Hohenzollern at Tokio has a connection with alleged plans of mediation.

AUTOMOBILES SEIZED.

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—Four French automobiles, brought here from Paris to compete in the Vanderbilt cup race, on Oct. 8 are held at the customs house pending the payment of duties amounting to \$18,000.

NEGRO MURDERERS HANGED.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 29.—James Oscar Webb and Samuel Archer, negroes, were hanged here today. Webb was executed for the murder of his wife and her mother in June, 1902, and Archer for killing Policeman John Donovan, who was attempting to arrest him.

OVER THREE-PENNY BITS.

Once when the Dean was playing whist for three-penny points, he appeared to be very well provided with three-penny bits.

SOUTH AFRICA'S POPULATION.

CAPE TOWN, Sept. 29.—The census of British South Africa, including Cape Colony, the Transvaal, Natal, Rhodesia, Orange, Basutoland and Bechuanaland, gives the white population at 1,185,986, and the colored at 5,188,178.

FIRE RATES RAISED AGAIN.

Underwriters Make Good Their Ultimatum.

Fifteen Per Cent Increase in Fredericton—Citizens Angry at Injustice.

FREDERICTON, Sept. 29.—The city clerk has received a letter from Peter Clinch, secretary of the New Brunswick Board of Fire Underwriters, informing him that after the 1st of October an addition will be made of fifteen cents per hundred dollars to the present rates on all risks in the city of Fredericton.

CIVIC GRAFFTERS INDICTED.

Five Aldermen and Four Ex-Aldermen Charged by Grand Jury With Boozing.

WILL USE PHONOGRAPHS TO SOOTHE DRUNKARDS.

Police in Cleveland Add Music to Their Resources. CLEVELAND, Ohio, Sept. 27.—The difficulty found by the police in keeping drunken prisoners quiet while locked up in Central police station, has resulted in the adoption of an entirely new scheme for the entertainment of 'drunks.'

U. S. BATTLESHIP LAUNCHED.

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—The United States battleship Connecticut was launched at 1.11 p. m. Owing to the rumors of the last few days of an attempt to wreck the new ship at the launching, there was an intense feeling of suspense among the inspectors and officers and employees of the Navy Yard.

DEATHS.

COCHRAN.—In this city on the 29th inst., Samuel Cochran, in the 89th year of his age.

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