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ST. JOHN, N. B., TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 22, 1904.

WEATHER - Frost, S. to S. winds, mostly calm and a local shower.

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THREE FELL TO DEATH.

Cornice Gave Way and They Fell Three Stories AT BROOKLYN FIRE.

Dangers of Life in Huge Tenements - Mother Clashed Infant to Her Bosom and Its Life Was Saved.

New York, Nov. 22.-Three women were probably fatally hurt and five men were injured severely in a blaze that destroyed two buildings in Brooklyn early today.

CAUGHT BY NEAT RUSE.

Escaped Convict Hid Until He Thought Coast Clear - Then He Was Nabbed.

Sing Sing, N. Y., Nov. 21.-Chas. W. Johnson, the prisoner who was missing in Sing Sing prison last evening, was caught late tonight by a ruse.

LYNCHERS BACK DOWN.

Lexington, Ky., Nov. 21.-A mob is again forming to lynch Jim Garfield, John Taylor and Ed. Taylor, negroes, under arrest for the murder of William Moore, a white man.

WHALER GIVEN UP.

St. Johns, N. F., Nov. 21.-The whaling steamer Harbor Grace, with a crew of 12 men, from Norway for St. Johns, and now nearly a month overdue, is given up for lost.

ONTARIO CABINET WILL HAVE THREE NEW MEN.

Toronto, Ont. Nov. 22.-[Special].-The Mail and Empire says today that Premier Ross has completed the work of re-organizing his cabinet.

FORTIFYING RUADIVOSTOK.

Russia Paying Much Attention to That Stronghold at Present - Still Skirmishing at Mukden - Japanese Patriotism Shown in a Business Way.

Mukden, Nov. 21.-via Tien Tsin, Nov. 22.-Since the Japanese attack on Portuloff Hill on the night of Nov. 18, no activity has been apparent. The character of the attack on Portuloff Hill is not fully understood beyond the fact that three or four battalions participated. It probably was only a reconnaissance in force.

Pentuloff Hill, which is now the centre of interest of the entire line, could be seen flashing signals of attack from her fortress as the Japanese infantry advanced on account of repeated reports that the Japanese intended to attack on Nov. 19.

PAID \$50,000 FOR SHIPPING SITE.

C. B. Coal, Iron and Railway Co., Will Erect a Pier in Sydney - St. Lawrence Coal Trade Season Over.

Sydney, Nov. 21.-The Cape Breton Coal, Iron and Railway Company has practically completed the purchase of two large and valuable waterfront properties in this city on which they intend to erect a shipping pier.

HE SLEPT IN JAIL.

No Bail Yet for Man Charged with Ballot Box Frauds.

Belleville, Ont., Nov. 22.-[Special].-Byron O. Lottis, the liberal candidate in West Hastings at the Federal election, who was arrested last night in connection with the ballot box charges, spent the night in the county jail.

THE BALLOT SCANDAL.

Hon. J. W. Gibson says It Must Be Investigated.

NEW YORK OPERA M.A.D.

Purchasers Wait For Hours to Buy Grand Opera Seats - Record Breaking Sale.

New York, Nov. 22.-Record-breaking sales characterized the opening sale of seats for the first week of grand opera at the Metropolitan Opera House.

WILL ABOLISH COMMISSION.

Minister of Marine Wants his Department to Control Harbors.

Ottawa, Nov. 22.-[Special].-Hon. Raymond Prefontaine, will introduce legislation next session, to abolish the harbor commissions, at Montreal and Three Rivers, and bring the Administration of the harbor more directly under the control of the department.

AFTER A SUBSIDY?

English Packet Line May Give St. John West Indies Service.

Ottawa, Nov. 22.-[Special].-Mr. Baker of the Royal Mail Steam Packet Co., of England, is here on business with the department of trade and commerce.

WILL CREATE NAVAL MILITIA.

Ottawa, Nov. 22.-[Special].-The minister of marine will bring in a bill, next session, to create a naval militia.

QUEEN'S RINK IN NEW HANDS.

F. G. Spenser Has Leased It From A. J. Tufts For the Season.

Yearly the Queen's Rink, on Charlotte St., has become more popular as a winter resort.

D. R. PLANS.

A. McGregor, marine superintendent of the D. A. R., is at the Royal.

PROBATE COURT.

There were five prisoners in the police court this morning.

POLICE REPORTS.

Officer Marshall was called into the branch office of the Bank of British North America, on Sydney street.

LEGERS-BENNINGTON.

Edmond Legere of Randolph, and Miss B. Bennington of Shelburne, were married in St. Rose's church, Fairville, this morning, at 7.30 o'clock.

BOLD ASSAULT AND ROBBERY.

Frank Priest Sandbagged and Robbed by Thugs on Acadia Street Last Night - Robbers Got Clean Away With \$300 - No Clue Obtained Yet.

Frank Priest, treasurer of the Ship Laborers' union, was sandbagged and robbed of \$300, in an alley off Acadia street, north end, last night.

HIS TARIFF POLICY.

President Roosevelt's Advance on McKinley's Scheme For Extending Trade.

The time has now come when the Republican party, as the party in power, must decide definitely whether it intends to proceed in the path pointed out by McKinley and destroyed by Roosevelt.

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New York, Nov. 22.-Search for a missing witness who for months has eluded the detectives from the district attorney's office, and the possibility that one of the central figures in the case, the dead man's wife, would appear before the jury.

This morning, the Deputy Chief of Police called at all the houses near the place where the robbery is said to have taken place.

HIS HOUSE WRECKED.

By a Bomb Placed on the Front Porch IN OMAHA.

A Lawyer who Had Been Active Against Law-Breaking Saloon Keepers and Diamond Robbers.

Omaha, Neb., Nov. 22.-The home of Elmer E. Thomas, a prominent lawyer of this city, and attorney for the civic federation, was wrecked by a bomb placed on the front porch early today.

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