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TELEPHONE'S INVENTOR HERE

Prof. Alexander Graham Bell in St. John. He Makes Strong Complaint Against All Sydney Hotel Men Except James Slater

Professor A. Graham Bell, the inventor of the telephone and a man of million, arrived in the city this morning in his private car attached to the Halifax special.

At the annual meeting of the Smithsonian Institution of Washington, to take place next week, Prof. Bell will take a very interesting part as the guest of honor.

Another matter which will occupy Prof. Bell's attention as soon as he reaches Washington will be the treatment which his valet, Charles W. Thompson, received at the hands of the Sydney hotel keepers.

Prof. Bell intends to lay the matter before the state department at Washington with a view of securing better treatment in Canada for American consular employees.

FIREBUG DESTROYS ROME AND JAPAN.

Also Set Fire to the Hereafter - Heavy Loss on the Pike at St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 3.-An investigation by the police and the Jefferson Guards strengthened their belief that the fire on the Pike, which totally destroyed the streets of Rome and Quo Vadis and partly destroyed Fair Japan, on the Bowery and old St. Louis, was of incendiary origin.

QUEER REASON FOR THIS MAN'S SUICIDE. NEW YORK, Dec. 3.-Because a woman with whom he lived at a Lexington avenue hotel for several weeks repeatedly refused his request that a marriage ceremony be performed, Edward L. Gray, a civil engineer, shot himself early today and died instantly.

THROUGH SOLID ROCK FOR WATER. Thomas Kent has lately sunk a well for R. W. Dean, "Seaview Cottage," Pisarico, from which excellent results are expected.

DEPAULTING CASHIER PUNISHED. DES MONTELS, Ia., Dec. 3.-W. H. Colton, the defaulting cashier of the Wapello State Savings Bank has pleaded guilty to the larceny of \$2,500 from the funds under his charge.

PORT ARTHUR FLEET MAY MAKE DESPERATE SORTIE

Would Die Fighting Rather Than In a Trap--Armistice Granted For Burial of Dead--Fighting At Shakhe.

TOKIO, Dec. 3.-The first armistice between the combatants at Port Arthur was declared on Dec. 3 for the purpose of burying the dead.

MUKDEN, Dec. 3, via Pekin, Dec. 3.-The Russian siege artillery began a bombardment at noon in the region of the railway below Schalin, a station near Shakhe.

MORE SHIPS FOR ROJESTVENSKY. ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 3.-The press again this morning returns to the sending of a small squadron to reinforce Admiral Rojestvensky.

FIREMEN WANT ENQUIRY. One Man Refuses to Sign at Chief's Request and Says He Will Tell All.

There was great rejoicing on Sheffield street yesterday as the bells of the locality had returned after an enforced absence of over two years.

BOTH LEGS BROKEN. HALIFAX, N. S., Dec. 3.-Harry Colton, the defaulting cashier of the Dartmouth Machine and Forge Company's Works this morning, his clothing became caught in the belting and the unfortunate youth was taken up, whirled around and thrown to the floor.

MILITARY COATS STOLEN. During the past week carpenters have been at work making some repairs to the drill hall at Fort Howe, with the result that it has been more or less open to prowlers.

COAL FOR BATTLE. COLOMBO, Island of Ceylon, Dec. 3.-In pursuance of instructions from the home government at London regarding coal supply for the fleet, either directly or indirectly, a notice has been issued that no vessels shall be supplied with coal without the permission of the local government.

FREIGHTS ARE HIGH THERE. ANTWERP, Dec. 3.-Russia is reported to be again seeking steamers for the dispatch of provisions and ammunition to Vladivostok.

THE FUNERAL OF ADA COLEMAN. The funeral of Ada Coleman, the five-year-old daughter of H. R. Coleman, whose death resulted from a burning accident, was held this afternoon from her father's residence, City Road.

IF YOU SELECT YOUR SERVANTS FROM THE CLASS WHO READ AND ENVAUNT WANT ADVICE, you will at least have intelligent help and you know from experience that nine out of ten of the poor servants are ignorant ones.

CHADWICK CASE; MORE MYSTERY

Many Wealthy Men Endorse Her Notes. Her Affairs Placed in Hands of a Receiver Who Will Solve Mystery.

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.-Complications continue to multiply in the strange case of Mrs. Cassie Chadwick, the Cleveland, O., woman, whose tangled financial affairs have brought her into notoriety during the last week.

RUSSIANS IN A TRAP. ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 3.-A special despatch received here from Mukden says that a force of 40,000, consisting of Chinese bandits and a reserve of 8,000 Japanese has started to turn Renshenkang's flank.

GOOD FEELING IN FINLAND. Recent Reforms Make the People Much Better Disposed Toward the Government

HELSINKI, Finland, Dec. 3.-An order has been issued by Emperor Nicholas that as the statutes of the Finnish diet require members to participate in its deliberations, all elected persons who have been elected deputies or who are heads of hereditary noble houses shall be permitted to return and attend the diet, until the session closes.

SHEFFIELD ST. CELEBRATED. Amelia Francis Welcomed Home from Dorchester - Street Has Dedicated, She Says.

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