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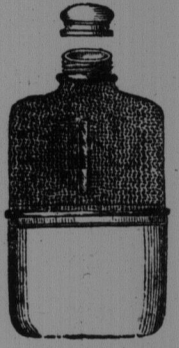
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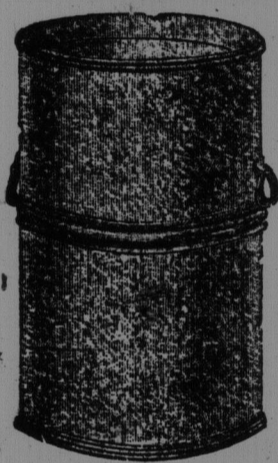


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GRONJE RETURNS TO TRANSVAAL.

Reconciled to the New Condition of Affairs.

Boers Prefer South Africa Under British Rule to Life in America—His Opinion of Kitchener.

(Special to the Star.) LONDON, Nov. 18.—General Cronje who surrendered to Lord Roberts at Paardeberg, and was afterwards confined at St. Helena has just sailed from Southampton for South Africa, accompanied by his wife and two sons. The general has been in America where he conducted a military expedition. The expedition represented the scene at Paardeberg, and included the surrender of Cronje and his force to Lord Roberts. He intends to return to Potchefstroom and settle down on his farm to spend the remainder of his days quietly and peacefully. One of Cronje's sons said that they had met many Boer treacherables in the United States who would prefer to return to South Africa under British rule rather than to remain in America. Letters received from Boers in the Transvaal, General Cronje says have informed him that affairs there are in a state of chaos, but eventually his correspondents thought, matters would be settled. It was interesting to hear that Gen. Cronje had a high opinion of General Buller as a soldier, and also spoke highly of Lord Roberts, but he had not the same regard for Lord Kitchener.

CENTRAL RAILWAY WORK PROGRESSING WELL.

Gillmore Brown, C. E., left this morning for Chipman where he is one of the firm engaged in the repairs to the Central Railway. Mr. Brown said this morning that the work progressed favorably all through October. The superstructure of the bridge yet been placed on the Norton bridge. The steam shovel is still at work and probably he used until Christmas. Mr. Brown says that between fifty and seventy-five men will be kept on all winter. During the winter the central draw span on the Washbrook bridge which is 150 feet in length will be put in when the work will not be a hindrance to navigation.

CAPT. DICKSON ISSUES WRIT FOR AID. HOLDER.

The case of Captain Dickson, who was arrested by Alderman Holder for three months' rent in which Ald. Holder alleged that he had given receipts in full to Mrs. Dickson when the full rent was not paid, promises some new and interesting developments. Acting under instruction from Captain Dickson, Tilley and Smith yesterday issued a Supreme Court writ against Ald. Holder for the false arrest of Captain Dickson. The paper is now in the hands of the sheriff. Ald. Holder said this morning that the paper had not yet been served on him. He refused to say what steps he would take when the papers are served on him. It is understood that Dr. Curry will act for the alderman. The case was tried in the city court, not the police court, as stated.

J. W. ADDISON DEAD.

The death took place at three o'clock this morning of John W. Addison, the well known hardware merchant of Germain street, at the early age of thirty years. Mr. Addison resided with his stepfather at 59 Pitt street and was unmarried. He leaves one sister, Miss Alice Addison, who also resided at home. Mr. Addison has been ill for some years, suffering from heart trouble, and has not been able to be at his store since last December. Mr. Addison was formerly engaged with W. H. Thorne & Co., but five years ago started out for himself on Germain street, and was doing a good business.

TWO RAILWAY MEN KILLED IN COLLISION.

(Special to the Star.) ANGLEVILLE, Ont., Nov. 18.—Two men were killed this morning in an accident between two yard engines here. They were standing on the pilot of one of the engines shunting on a side track when another engine obscured by steam crashed into it. The dead men were: David Wrennick, 29 years, single, William Dick, married, who leaves a widow and three children, one of whom is a child.

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION.

WANTED—Boy for office and store work. Apply between 9 and 10 a. m. to J. HUNTER WHITE, North Wharf.

WANTED—Young man to learn baking business. Apply to 194 Metcalfe street.

NORHRUP COMMITTED, BUT RELEASED ON \$5,000 BAIL.

The Magistrate Strongly Blames Chief of Police—Others as Guilty as Northrup, He Says.

The preliminary hearing into the case was resumed at the police court last night. Very little new evidence was given by the witnesses, Kenneth Macrae, Daniel Littlejohn, Fred E. Driscoll and L. S. Gow. The case was adjourned until 10 o'clock this morning when Deputy Chief Jenkins was the first witness. He explained that the first witness, he instructed the men to break clean in the clinches. There was considerable clinching in the bout, he said, and he was given in the clinches by Northrup. There was more hitting in the fourth round and it was at the end of the fourth round that he first noticed O'Regan weak, but he came up in the fifth round. It was in the sixth round he saw Northrup hit O'Regan on the mouth or chin and knock his head back. It was also in the sixth round that when Northrup had thrown his whole weight on O'Regan who was in a groggy condition. In the sixth round he saw Northrup hit O'Regan on the head with his fist. O'Regan was near the centre of the ring when he noticed him stagger. Then Northrup rushed at him and made a motion to strangle him but could not say he landed. O'Regan staggered into a clinch and then staggered back to the ropes. Some persons in the crowd pushed him in as if to keep him from going out. The referee then motioned Northrup to go to his corner. O'Regan was carried to his corner. In answer to Mr. Macrae he said he presumed the gloves were handed to the police to see that they were all right for boxing. The magistrate here said that gloves have been given to the police that were so arranged that the padding was off the part where the knuckles come. These gloves were passed by the police and used in the contest. Continuing, witness said he did not see a knockout blow in the O'Regan contest. There were ten members of the police force who were in the ring at the preliminary examination he would just rest the case at this point. Mr. Macrae thought that the chief of police should be held responsible for what Mr. Macrae could call him if he wished. Fred Northrup was called forward and pleaded not guilty to manslaughter, and Messrs. O'Keefe, Hicks, Coyne, Sullivan, Cregan and Seery, charged with accessory, said they had nothing to say. The magistrate said that the case for the prosecution was then closed. Chief Clark was called for the defence, and said he would rather have been called by the court. Magistrate Ritchie told the chief he was there to give evidence and not to make a speech. He did not see anything unusual in the combat and did not see any cause for police interference on either side during the contest. He did not think much of the bout as a sparring match, as there was considerable clinching. O'Keefe was a capable referee, and he thought the affair well conducted. Mr. Macrae made application that Northrup should be discharged. The magistrate said that all who had to do with the affair might be charged with manslaughter. Supposing, said the magistrate to Mr. Macrae, if your brother or my son went to that rink to spar and was killed what would you say? Is there not a law to call on those persons to answer for his death? The contestant and referee are liable to be charged with manslaughter and the question arises if everyone who was there should not be charged with manslaughter and he would not be surprised if the judge did not charge the grand jury in that way. Mr. Macrae said that Northrup was there in a friendly bout, the police were there and he thought he was protected. Dr. Daniel stated that immediately on receiving an effusion of blood on the brain the man would stagger. There is no evidence to show that the blow was struck on the head in the sixth round. He thought Northrup should be discharged. E. S. Ritchie should be dismissed. The magistrate in summing up the evidence of the case made a lengthy address in which he said: "The evidence in this lamentable case discloses the kind of exhibition which was permitted to be held on the 20th of October last in this city and which is indeed a tragedy. The passing away there of a young life in the presence of hundreds of witnesses, including some whose duties require them to take the steps necessary to prevent any breach of the peace, lest the property or lives of citizens may be placed in jeopardy. It is not necessary for this court to characterize the nature of the exhibition in question, this being a preliminary hearing. What may be necessary in the future with regard to those who were present may depend upon the result of the trial in the

ANTOCRATIC PLOT AGAINST WITTE.

Pobledonostseff Said to be its Leader.

But Public Opinion is Swinging Witte's Way and Both Autocrats and Revolutionists Will Be Defeated.

RUSSIA, Nov. 18.—Supporters of the new government are disquieted by the report that Petrovich Pobledonostseff, former procurator of the Holy Synod and the recognized leader of the reactionary forces is the head of a widespread plot to restore the old order of things. The czar yielded to Witte and signed the manifesto against Pobledonostseff's strong urging. When defeated the astute autocrat at once resigned and has since, so it is believed, been devoting his great ability to the overthrow of the Witte regime. Upon him are blamed most of the recent riots. The difficult situation in which the government is placed by the renewed strike affords him peculiar advantage for his machinations at this time. ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 18.—P. m.—The sudden awakening of the conservative and liberal elements to the imperative necessity of opposing to the utmost the attempt of the Radicals and Socialists who are conducting the present strike to obtain the upper hand has galvanized the leaders into action and has started a healthy movement in favor of entirely cutting loss from the radical wing. Dmitri Shiloff and Gubokoff and other leaders of various groups, including the constitutional Democrats, have gone to Moscow to urge the Zemstvo congress assembly there to unite all the forces which desire to prevent anarchy, in condemning the political strike and to join in supporting the government in its efforts to restore tranquility and introduce the new regime. A note was issued at the same time prohibiting government employes from participating in organizations actively opposing the government.

ROW IN PROSPECT IN SHIPPING CIRCLES.

Longshoremen Demand 35 Cents an Hour.

Steamship People Will Probably Refuse—A Conference is Being Held This Afternoon.

The Longshoremen's Association met last night and after discussing the situation decided that the winter rate should be thirty-five cents per hour. This is five cents less than the summer rate and five cents more than the rate charged last winter, but is considered an equitable rate by the men. Just how the steamship people will consider the matter is not known, but that question will be thrashed out this afternoon. The general opinion is that the steamship companies will not agree to pay the increased rate and a lively row is anticipated. Nothing definite, however, is known, so it is hard to say just what will actually take place. Capt. Walsh of the C. P. R. and Thomas Nairn of the Dominion line were called upon last evening by President James Moore, Secretary W. J. Gillespie and John Killen of the Longshoremen's Association, and the whole matter talked over. Messrs. Walsh and Nairn had authority to speak for several of the companies, and they advanced many arguments why they should not grant any increase in rates. Chief among these are the top wharfage, side wharfage, pilotage, harbor master dues, etc., which they declared amounted to \$200 a boat, and which will be materially increased this season. They pointed out that in St. John the cost each boat on an average of \$150 for water, while the whole thing in New York, Boston and Portland did not exceed \$100. The representative of the Allan line arrived today and a further conference will be held this afternoon. At a meeting of the Longshoremen's Association last evening it was pointed out that the cost of living had so increased in St. John the last three years, that it was impossible to live on the same wage. It was finally concluded to draw up a schedule to be submitted to the steamship companies as follows: 25 cents per hour night and day, and double pay on Sunday, with no extra for trimming grain and no half time allowance for waits.

POLICE COURT.

Boys Arrested for Assaulting an Old Man—New Developments in the Assyrian Assault Case.

In the police court this morning Geo. Worton and Thos. McCann, two boys, were charged with throwing paving stones at Mrs. Sullivan on Brook street and cutting his head. A number of witnesses told of seeing the boys throwing the iron. As it was time for the Northrup case to come on the boys were remanded to a cell in the central station. Four boys charged with destroying property at York Point were told to come to court at two o'clock. There is trouble again in the Assyrian colony. Mrs. John Sullivan was in court this morning and swore out a warrant against her husband for assault. Mrs. Sullivan is the woman who was brought back from Portland, Maine, a couple of weeks ago by her husband. Charles Thomas, who accompanied Sullivan for his wife had Sullivan placed in jail for not paying expenses. Geo. Moses got Sullivan out of jail and as a result there was a fight in which five men and three women got mixed up. The case came up at noon again today. The magistrate said he would look into the evidence and if he found Thomas and Moses guilty of a breach of peace he would retain the \$20 deposit they left, and if not guilty would return the money back. Sgt. Baxter and Policeman Totten arrested Sullivan on a warrant about noon and it is said Mrs. Sullivan charges her husband with striking and choking her and burning her clothes. The case against Wm. Coleman for having a lunch wagon on the North side of the square without a license and not having a horse attached, was to have been heard this morning but has been set for Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The case against Beth McLeod, charged with using bad language to Wm. McQuade, of the Grand Union Hotel, is set for two o'clock this afternoon. McLeod was allowed out on bail last night.

GOTTON MILLS NEARLY BURNED.

(Special to the Star.) MONTREAL, Nov. 18.—In the burning of the tug Charlemagne today in Dominion Cotton Mills were in danger for an hour, and the firemen had a hard fight to save them. The damage to the mills was \$10,000, and the mills were saved.

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