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ST. JOHN, N. B., THURSDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1904.

ONE CENT.

AGITATION CONTINUES.

Anti-Government Demonstrations in Streets of Warsaw Daily.

New York, Dec. 15.—A Berlin despatch to the Times says; Telegrams received are to the effect that the agitation in Warsaw continues and that anti-government street demonstrations occur daily.

The movement extends to the highest military circles and many officers participants in the revolutionary propaganda were recently arrested and imprisoned in a fortress. The troops generally are disaffected because many of them whose term of service is at the end will be compelled to serve until next Easter or later owing to the mobilization. The socialists are taking full advantage of the situation to push their campaign.

LEAPED FROM FERRY BOAT.

Woman Thirty Years Old Went to Her Death in Boston.

Boston, Dec. 15.—Mrs. John W. Parker of 20 Blanche St. Dorchester, ended her life, by jumping from an East Boston ferryboat last evening as the boat was leaving its slip on the Boston side. She was alive when taken from the water, by the crew of a tugboat, but died before medical aid could reach her.

In her pocket was found a key to a state room on the Portland steamer Bay State and upon investigation it was learned that earlier in the evening she had engaged the room and purchased a ticket to Portland, by that boat.

She left a handbag, paper, pencil and an envelope addressed to her husband in the state room, then locked the door and left the boat, her absence not exciting comment until the officers of the boat were questioned as to the key found in the woman's pocket.

It is supposed that the woman went directly to the ferryboat after leaving the Bay State. She walked to the forward end of the boat and passing the Bay State. She walked to a deckhand to throw herself into the water.

Mrs. Parker was 30 years old and had considerable sickness within the past three months, although she appeared to be in good health when she left home this afternoon.

CROOKED WORK IS SUSPECTED.

Judge Anglin Orders Examination of Ballots in Frontenac Riding.

Ottawa, Dec. 15.—(Special.)—Upon the application of Mr. Shepley, K. C. representing the government in Chambers here, to-day, Judge Anglin, in the matter of the King v. Reilly, gave the following order:

"I do order that the said Arthur Percy Sherwood being the commissioner of police for Canada, together with counsel representing the attorney general for Canada, be allowed to inspect all ballots papers returned from polling subdivision, No. 2, Clarendon and Miller, after the election held on the 3rd of November last in the electoral riding of Frontenac for the House of Commons for Canada and now in the custody of the clerk of the crown in chancery.

And I do further order that the production and inspection of the said ballot papers shall take place in the presence of the said clerk of the crown in chancery aforesaid and the said applicant.

And I do further order that no notice need be given to either of the said inspection but they may and shall be permitted to appear and be present thereat by counsel if they desire.

(Sgd.) FRANK A. ANGLIN.

The ballot papers will be examined to-morrow before the clerk of the crown in chancery. The order to make the examination was made on an affidavit from Col. Sherwood, Dominion police commissioner.

DR. PARKHURST STILL ON TOP.

Boston, Dec. 15.—By official action of the Boston Wesleyan Association, which owns and controls Zion's Hospital, the organ of the Methodist Episcopal church in New England, the contest which has been waged against the continuance of Rev. Charles Parkhurst in position of editor ended with a victory for Mr. Parkhurst yesterday by a unanimous vote. The association, at its annual meeting, refused to consider his resignation and confirmed the editor in his post. The opposition to Dr. Parkhurst came as a result of the verdict of \$24,000 entered against him and the Wesleyan Association jointly last February in a suit for libel brought by Dr. Edwin A. Schell, a western clergyman.

TRAIN ROBBERS CAUGHT.

San Bernardino, Calif., Dec. 15.—Sidney Jarvis and Arthur Swindell have been arrested near San Francisco and brought here charged with robbing the express car of the Santa Fe westbound train on the night of Dec. 4 and killing express messenger Evan O. Roberts. Jarvis and Swindell were in the employ of F. J. Mackay, an English millionaire horseman and came west with a car of horses.

FOUND LIFE IN LIBERTY.

Russian Soldiers, Cheered By News of Proposed Reforms, Have Revived Energy --- Japanese Advancing --- At Mukden.

New York, Dec. 15.—A St. Petersburg despatch to the Herald today says: "It is significant that soldiers at the front are displaying the liveliest interest in the proposed reforms in Russia. M. Kirilloff, in a special despatch to the Russ., says the soldiers talk of little else, appearing thoroughly to understand the meaning of such reforms and attributing the same to a desire to reward them for the hardships they are now enduring. The idea has thrown new life into them, together with a desire to finish off the Japanese quickly in order to get home to live as men with liberties."

More Deserters.

Vienna Dec. 14.—The Novo Reforma of Lemberg says a steady stream of Russian deserters continue to arrive there, of whom the majority are going to America.

Appeal to the States.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 14.—The American Embassy has received a letter signed by 68 Japanese officers who are prisoners at the Village of Medviki province of Novgorod, asking the Embassy to send a representative there. No reason for the request is assigned. One of the attaches of the Embassy will be despatched to Medviki immediately.

Ready For War.

Honolulu, Dec. 14.—The Japanese of Kauai Island, are drilling preparatory to returning to Japan for the purpose of participating in the war. Governor Carter has ordered an investigation. Japanese consul Mikisako has issued a proclamation urging his countrymen to take special care not to violate the laws of neutrality and to avoid the possibility of embarrassing America.

Russian Squadron Sails.

Jubilt, Dec. 15.—The vessels of the Russian second Pacific squadron which had been coaling here sailed last night.

Bozobrazoff Chosen.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 15.—Vice Admiral Bozobrazoff has been appointed chief of the naval staff during the absence of Vice Admiral Rojestvensky. A newspaper this morning again prints a long leader in favor of sending

GOVERNMENT TO REMOVE RESTRICTIONS.

Suit Against Bank of Montreal Up at Ottawa Today.

Ottawa, Dec. 15.—(Special.)—The Government's suit against the Bank of Montreal to recover \$75,000, the amount of the defalcations of S. A. Martineau, a former clerk of the militia Department, is being heard to-day, before Judge Anglin. There was a large array of legal talent, bank managers and bank clerks in the court room. Hon. A. B. Aylesworth appeared for the Government.

PROBATE COURT.

The last will of Margaret Finley, widow of the late William Finley, was admitted to probate today, and letters testamentary were granted to John D. and Ada M. Finley, son and daughter of deceased, \$150 personal and \$2550 real estate. Edward T. C. Knowles, proctor.

The management of the tug of war tournament to take place at the city hall, west end, next Tuesday night, wishes each team taking part in the tug to wear their colors, or their clothing alike, so that the audience can distinguish them.

A special meeting of the R. L. Borden club will be held Monday evening at the rooms at Breeze's corner.

OLD BRIDGE GAVE WAY; MANY LIVES WERE LOST.

Charleston, W. Va., Dec. 15.—The Suspension bridge connecting east and west Charleston, fell today, precipitating six teams and a number of school children, estimated variously from a dozen to 30, into the ice covered waters some fifty feet below. The dead body of Mamie Higginbotham, aged 8, was recovered. Great green horses, but one escaped. Great crowds have congregated on both banks. Many persons living on the west side are employed in Charleston. But one strand of the cable remains. The bridge turned turtle as it went down, and the floor is lying amid the ice a little below the place of crossing. Men in boats are fishing in twenty feet of water for bodies. The

ing out the Black Sea Fleet to the Far East. The article lays stress on Russians alleged right to use the Dardanelles purely and simply as a passage way, since there is no other exit from the Black Sea.

Streets Are Deserted.

Headquarters of the Third Japanese Army via Fusan, Dec. 14.—Every part of the city and harbor of Port Arthur is visible from 203 Metre Hill. The streets of the city are deserted and but few soldiers are doing patrol duty. Many buildings have been burned and others shattered.

The harbour presents a strange appearance, with the turrets, masts and funnels of warships just showing above the water. There is not a vessel afloat in the harbor. The docks and buildings on the water front are torn and burned. The Japanese shells reach every part of the city and harbor.

She Still Floats.

Tokio, Dec. 15.—The turret ship Sevastopol is still afloat but is apparently damaged.

Has Reached Harbin.

Harbin, Dec. 15.—General Kaubiers commander of the Third Army, met with a hearty reception on his arrival here today. There are twenty two hospitals, each with 180 beds here. There are many cases of typhoid fever.

Japanese Advancing.

Mukden, Dec. 15.—The Japanese column on Gen. Oyama's right which General Renenkampf recently drove back to the Taitsie river is again reported to be moving northeast and strongly holding the Siadogad Sanchan region. They also occupy Siadogad on the south bank of the Taitsie river and are guarding the bridge which is no longer of any importance owing to the freezing of the river. The extreme cold keeps things quiet along the front. The distribution of warm clothing to the troops is practically finished.

Jap Lines Slow.

New York, Dec. 15.—Notice was given today that cable messages to and from Japan are subject to delay owing to the fact that the Japanese land lines are working slowly.

BROTHERS MET. DEATH TOGETHER.

Valleyfield, P. Q., Dec. 15.—(Special.)—Pierre and Alexander Lamotte, aged 19 and 20 years were drowned in the rapids just below the Canada Atlantic bridge, this morning. The two brothers were transporting wood from Isle Aux Pommets in a scow as they had often done before. This time the load proved too heavy and before they could reach shore the scow was drawn into the rapids and all efforts at rescue were unsuccessful. The men drowned, united, in an embrace.

NEW DOG BREEDS.

New York, Dec. 15.—Five new breeds of dogs were admitted to the list of recognized breeds at the quarterly meeting of the American kennel club held in this city yesterday, says the Tribune. They were German sheep dogs, Mexican hairless, Pekinese spaniels, under the title of Chinese crested lap dogs and Otchters, the new sheep dogs brought from Prussia this fall. Hereafter records will be kept of classes and wards at the offices of the club.

FOR CLEAN CITIES.

Havana, Dec. 14.—The House of Representatives today passed the bill appropriating \$190,000 for the sanitation of the streets of Santiago Cienfuegos, Cardenas and Matanzas, the work to be done in accordance with the request of the United States and the recommendations of President Palma, under the auspices of the general Government.

BANK FAILURE.

Cedar Rapids, I. A. Dec. 14.—The Bank of Olin, owned by T. T. Snyder, made an assignment today. The liabilities are \$155,000 and the assets \$171,000. The assets include \$163,000 in loans. A number of poor loans is given as the cause of the assignment.

URECK ON C. B. AND Q.

Chicago, Dec. 15.—Fast mail train No. 15, east bound, on the Chicago Burlington and Quincy railroad, was wrecked today, two miles west of Bristol, Ills. Oscar Johnson, fireman was killed, and engineer, John Cowdrey, was probably fatally injured. The train was composed of mail coaches only and carried no passengers. The mail clerks escaped injury.

EMULATING CARNEGIE.

Moscow, Dec. 15.—Count Tolstol has opened book stores, here and at St. Petersburg and is offering to provide village libraries with books at cheap prices.

ANOTHER IMMIGRANT

Will tell His English Friends of Canada's Advantages.

IS GOING HOME.

When He Returns Another English Family Will Be Added to the Citizenship of the West.

Geo. F. Dunford, of Estevan, Assiniboia, is at the Grand Union. He is another Englishman who has taken up his home in the northwest, on the branch line from Brandon.

Mr. Dunford, in conversation with a Times reporter this morning said: "I am going home to spend Christmas. I left my native home at Blackburn, Lancashire, over two years ago, and settled near Glenewen a short distance from Estevan. I took up a homestead of 160 acres and I have cultivated it to my own satisfaction. Since I took up the land I have worked hard and the returns have been most satisfactory."

The Canadian northwest is the country for young men. The land is of a most arable character and a comfortable life is ensured for any man who is willing to work.

"I like the people whom I have met and they used me well. On my return I will not be alone, for I will be accompanied by Mrs. Hollowell and family of Blackburn. Mr. Hollowell owns a farm adjacent to mine and as I was going home he requested me to see his family and accompany them to Canada."

"Land at the present time can be bought for \$13 an acre, and the soil is of a most fertile character. I expect to remain at my old home until April when I will return to Estevan."

"I will certainly tell my fellow countrymen of the grand resources of Canada."

Mr. Dunford, leaves for Liverpool on the Parisian, which sails on Saturday.

A SEAT FOR AYLESWORTH.

Ottawa, Dec. 15.—(Special.)—A. B. Aylesworth, K. C., is here attending the supreme court. It is said that there is no doubt he will be in the commons shortly after parliament meets. Just what constituency he will run for has not yet been decided upon. It cannot very well be on Ontario constituency as there are no vacancies and therefore it will likely be Gaspe or Wright in Quebec.

WAS BLOWN OFF

No Anxiety Felt in Halifax for Overdue Steamer.

Halifax, Dec. 15.—(Special.)—The Furness liner Sicily, reported several days ago as overdue at St. John's, Nfld, left here Thursday last. At the office of line here it is believed she has been blown off and will arrive at St. John's today or tomorrow. The agents have no fear for her safety. Capt. Keys, her commander, is an experienced and careful navigator.

WILL OPPOSE GAMEY

Little Current, Dec. 15.—(Special.)—The liberal convention for Mantoulin was held here yesterday and resulted in the nomination of W. J. Tucker, of Mantoulin, to oppose R. R. Gamey, at the provincial elections.

A MARINE FATALITY.

Philadelphia, Pa., Dec. 15.—The schooner John R. Halliday from New York for Norfolk, went ashore on the point of Cape Henlopen early today, and is still aground. A wrecking tug went to her assistance and in an attempt to launch a surf boat the craft capsized in the heavy sea and one of the crew was drowned.

DR. CHADWICK SAYS HE WILL NOT BE INCLUDED.

Paris, Dec. 15.—Mrs. Cassie L. Chadwick's belief that her husband, Dr. Leroy S. Chadwick, has sailed for New York from Liverpool, is erroneous. Dr. Chadwick is still here. The correspondent of the Associated Press has seen him daily. During a conversation last night Dr. Chadwick was asked if Iri Reynolds' charges against him might lead to prolonging his stay in Europe.

HE FOLLOWED

MRS. CHADWICK Swindler, Now Believed to be in Canada, played Duck and Drake With American Banks---More Worthless Securities.

New York, Dec. 15.—On board the train which took Mrs. Chadwick to Cleveland, says the World, was a New York detective on his way to Canada to search for a man who, under many aliases, had swindled two big New York and Boston bond dealing business houses out of securities running into thousands of dollars. These firms are N. W. Harris & Co., and E. H. Gay & Co. Both firms have Boston offices. A year ago last September this man opened an office for the sale of real estate at Lynn, Mass. He carried on an insurance business and appeared to be prosperous. He called at Gay & Co.'s Boston office and purchased a number of railroad bonds. In payment for the bonds he gave a certified check for \$15,043, the market price of the securities. It was drawn on the first National Bank of Lynn and was signed with his firm's name. Three days later the check was discovered to be valueless. The certification had been forged and nothing could be found of the firm for their Lynn office closed about the time of the purchase of the bonds. It was then discovered that Harris & Co., has suffered through a man answering the general description of the man who was at Lynn. The man entered the Boston office of the firm, bought bonds and gave his check on the Shawmut National Bank of Boston, but the certification was found to be a forgery. The swindling of two banking houses was so remarkable that the police in the larger cities of the country were notified. A month rolled by and then the suspect was heard of in Birmingham, Ala. He obtained about \$9,000 on some of the stolen bonds from a Birmingham bank and then was heard of in New York city. He went to the Guardian Trust company some time ago, rented an office and pretended to be a real estate and insurance man and a dealer in bonds. He tried to sell the stolen bonds from his New York office almost within a stone throw of the firms he had robbed. He narrowly escaped arrest and fled just before the police came. A few days ago word was received that the man wanted was in Toronto, Ont., and a detective was sent to

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ARTFUL JUDGE FALCONBRIDGE

Pays a Compliment to the Methods of the Courts of New York.

New York, Dec. 15.—The Herald this morning says: "W. J. Falconbridge, chief justice of the King's Bench of the province of Ontario, was an interested visitor yesterday in the United States courts, and sat for a time on the bench with Judge Adams in the district court and listened attentively to the trial of the case involving the question of automobiles going on and off ferry boats under their own power. The chief justice was introduced to the justice and commissioner Shields."

"I am very much impressed with the manner in which justice is dispensed in these courts," said Chief Justice Falconbridge, "and like the very expeditious way the judges have as much ceremony in the courts here as we have. We wear gowns, but do not wear the wigs that are still used on the bench in England and in British Columbia."

NEVER WILL BE MISSED.

Four Germans Who Didn't Find Gold in the Streets.

Four men hailing from Hamburg are in the city on their return home from Winnipeg, where they have been working on the C. P. R. One of the party is Masque Pinniper and they are certainly dissatisfied with this country. Mr. Pinniper has not the most perfect mastery of the English language, but in his most lucid style tries to express his opinion of Canada. He says that he was led to believe when he came to Canada that wages were high for laboring men. He and his three friends, went to work on the C. P. R. as laborers, and scarcely received enough to live on. They are returning to their old home at Hamburg, and he says they will not return.

ANOTHER WAR LOAN.

Lima, Peru, Dec. 15.—The senate in session yesterday sanctioned the government project for a loan for the purchase of war vessels armement. The majority of the nationalists opposed the proposition on the ground of "being waste of money as Peru is not expecting war. The senate today is continuing the discussion of the clauses of the project."

ROBBED A BANK.

Hibbing Minn., Dec. 14.—A lone highwayman held up the bank of Chishelm today and secured \$2200. He forced Cashier Greiser into the vault at the muzzle of a revolver and locked the door. The robber escaped.

LATE PERSONALS.

Rev. Professor D. J. Fraser, of Montreal Presbyterian College, in a response to an invitation from his old congregation, will occupy the pulpit of St. Stephen's, Church on Christmas day.

Mrs. D. W. Newcomb of Woodstock and her little daughter Margaret are in the city today.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Short of Bangor, Maine are registered at the Lansdowne.

NOTED JOURNALIST DEAD.

London, Dec. 15.—Norman McColl, former editor of the Algemeen is dead of heart disease. He was born in 1843.

THE WEATHER.

Forecasts—Moderate winds, fair and cold, Friday, strong northeast and north winds, continued cold and snow along Nova Scotia coast.

Synopsis—A disturbance is moving up the Atlantic coast, and while it will probably pass to the southwest of Nova Scotia, northeast gales will prevail off the coast on Friday. American ports and to banks, variable winds today; strong northeast with snow on Friday.

Local Weather Report at Noon, December 15th

Highest temperature during past 24 hours	26
Lowest temperature during past 24 hours	16
Temperature at noon	16
Humidity at noon	69
Barometer readings at noon	30.36
Sea level and 32 deg fah	30.36 ins.
Wind at noon, Direction N.	Velocity 4 miles per hour.
Clear.	

D. L. Hutchinson, Director.

THE TRAGEDY OF TWO LIVES.

Bride of Two Months, a Montreal Lady, Is Dead.

New York, Dec. 15.—According to the Herald, two months after the marriage of Marie Drolet and Louis Bustanoby, at which he had been present, the Rev. John C. York was again asked to read the prayer—not of rejoicing but of mourning.

After their marriage the young couple spent six weeks in travelling over Europe, at the end of which time Mr. Bustanoby was suddenly recalled to New York on important business. His bride, in company with a sister, remained in Ginneken, North Brabant, in the Netherlands.

Hardly had he left his wife when the husband received news of her sudden death from pneumonia, after an illness of but two days.

Mr. Bustanoby first met Miss Drolet in Montreal. She was the daughter of a prominent banker and was studying music in Montreal at the College of the Sacred Heart.

The body of the young bride has been brought to New York and the funeral, will take place to-day at Huntington, L. I., in the Roman Catholic church.

FOUND ANOTHER.

J. B. Jones Locates Another Baby Farm in South End---Death at the King House.

J. B. Jones, registrar of births, and S. M. Wetmore, secretary of the S. P. C. A., visited the home of Mrs. King, Erin street, yesterday.

Their visit was in connection with an application made to Geo. A. Knodell, chairman of the alms house commission, by a citizen who wanted a permit for the burial of an infant that had died in the home early in the week.

The matter was called to the attention of Mr. Wetmore, who in turn asked Mr. Jones if any record had been made of the dead infant's birth. Mr. Jones said that the birth was not on record.

Both officials then decided to call upon Mrs. King, where it was learned that the child had become ill last Monday night and had died early the following morning. Mrs. King was of the opinion that death was the result of water on the brain.

The child had suffered greatly from the first, Mrs. King said she did not believe that medical aid would avail and no physician was summoned. She was not in the position to obtain the services of a doctor anyway.

It is here that a hitch occurs. Under the board regulations an application for burial must be accompanied by a medical certificate of death from the physician last in attendance. The cause of death must also be shown. Without such, no permits for burial can be issued.

Under the circumstances it will be necessary for the coroner to investigate. It is said that the mother of the dead infant is a domestic in a city family. The person employing her has undertaken to do what he can in the matter and is ready to bear all burial expenses.

Early yesterday afternoon Mr. Jones visited a house in the southern end of the city and found a woman conducting an establishment similar to that of Mrs. King's. She has been living for four years here and came from Nova Scotia. During the summer she has had the care of five children, and it is said most were illegitimate. Four died from cholera infantum, and at the present time she has but one child under her care. Its mother is a domestic employed in the family of a local professional man. She makes regular calls, weekly. The baby is in delicate health. Its board costs \$1.25 weekly but medicine and special foods must be provided by the mother.

It is said there are other houses of this kind in the city, and it is intended that these will be investigated.