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WAR IN THE EAST!

Russia and Japan Begin Hostilities.

The Japs deal a Deadly Blow to the Russian Fleet.

ANOTHER GREAT NAVAL BATTLE HOURLY EXPECTED.

A Thousand Russian Soldiers Captured.

Russia and Japan have gone to war. The scene of action for the present is near Port Arthur. Already great damage has been done to a Russian Fleet. Eleven Russian ships, including several first-class vessels, have been either sunk or disabled by the Japanese navy, which has met with slight mishap so far. A transport carrying 1000 Russian troops has been captured. Thousands of men are being poured into Korea from Japan. A great naval battle in the Yellow Sea is being anxiously awaited. Before many days a land engagement will likely result. The Japs are full of hope, and greatly pleased with the victory over the Russian fleet.

The Russian forces at Port Arthur are completely demoralized. Many commercial steamers have been taken by the Japs, some of which were

laden with very valuable cargoes. A most remarkable feature is the loss of a dozen Russian warships in the first day of the war. These include the battleships Retvizan, Ceasarovitch and Poltova, three of the strongest fighting machines afloat. Reinforcements from European waters are on the way, and Japan has also bought a couple of war vessels of modern type from South American powers. The Japanese loss so far is very slight. Many Russians have been slain, and several thousands taken prisoners. England will remain strictly neutral, unless some other nation comes to the assistance of Russia, when the British would be bound by treaty to fight for Japan. The Russian government is making strenuous effort to float a loan of \$200,000,000.

Victoria Co. Councillors.

The SENTINEL devotes a good part of its space this week, for the information of its Victoria County readers, to the proceedings of the Victoria County council.

The following gentlemen compose the board:—

John Barker, whose address is Riley Brook, Lorne, was first elected as a colleague of John Jenkins, the father of the present councillor, James Jenkins, about 20 years ago; with few intermissions he has represented the parish since. He is a widower, a farmer by occupation, and an independent in politics; he is in favor of the purchase of the N. B. lands for settlement.

James Jenkins, whose address is Burnt Land Brook, Lorne, has represented the parish for 16 years; he and Tweeddale and Brymer have never suffered defeat in an election to the board. His father, John Jenkins, was a member of the council at the incorporation of the county, when the sessions were held at Grand Falls. He is interested in the purchase by the province of the lands now owned by the N. B. Railway Co. He is married, a farmer by occupation, and an Independent Liberal in politics.

Albert Brymer, whose address is Brymer, Perth, was born in York county, and acted as clerk in a Fredericton store; his father removed to Jacksonville, where he kept a store and Albert acted as clerk for several years before removing to Perth, which he has represented at the board continuously for 20 years. He is a justice of the peace, commissioner of Perth civil court, and postmaster. He is in favor of the purchase of N. B. Railway lands. Last week, owing to the protest against his election, he resigned his seat. He is happily married to a cousin of Lebaron Moores of Simonds. He is an Independent Conservative in politics, but will vote for John Costigan in the coming general election.

Charles R. Inman, whose address is Kiburn, Perth, has been six years a councillor and is very popular with his constituents. He is in favor of the purchase of the railway lands. His wife was Miss Tompkins, cousin of John R. Tompkins, Peel. He is a farmer by occupation and a strong liberal in politics.

E. T. Campbell, whose address is Arthurette, Gordon, sits at the board for the first time; he is a farmer and lumberman, in favor of the land purchase, a conservative in politics, and is happily married.

John Ryan, Three Brooks, formerly of Arthurette, Gordon, has represented the parish for 24 years. He is interested in farming, but has retired from active work. He thinks the dominion government should purchase the railway lands by legislation and present them to the local government for settlement purposes. Mr. Ryan is married, and a liberal in politics.

Joseph LeClair has been a member of the board continuously for 12 years, representing Grand Falls. He is in favor of the land purchase. A married man, a carpenter by trade, and in politics one of the old liberal guard.

Charles Mulherin has represented Grand Falls for 10 years. He is in favor of the land purchase. A married man, a farmer by occupation and an independent in politics.

Denis Mulherin, whose address is Grand Falls, takes his seat for Drummond as a new member, and will make a worthy representative for his parish; he is in favor of the land purchase. He is unmarried, a farmer by occupation and a liberal in politics.

Anders J. Jensen, whose address is Salmon Hurst, New Denmark, has represented Drummond for four years. He was born in Denmark and emigrated to the Danish colony in Victoria County. He is a school teacher, farmer, justice of peace and stipendiary magistrate for Drummond. A married man and in favor of the land purchase. If the Grand Trunk Pacific is built through his settlement he is a liberal, if not he is a conservative.

Warden Howlett, whose address is Bairdsville, has been a representative for Andover for six years, and makes a competent presiding officer. He is married, a farmer and lumber scaler by occupation. He is in favor of opening up certain portions of the railway land, but not all of it, for if that were done it would affect the climatic conditions; he is not in favor of buying all the land, for the cost would be too much. He is a protectionist in politics.

James E. Baxter has represented Andover for four years and is the proprietor of a poultry fattening station at Andover.

E. H. Mayo used to Andover in

1881 from St. John, and has been the auditor of the council for 15 years. He is the postmaster at Andover.

James Tibbits, Andover, has been Sec. Treas. of the county for 16 years, and sheriff of Victoria for 21 years; in the dual position he has proved to be a popular and efficient officer.

Woodstock Wins at Hockey.

Downed U. N. B. 6 to 2.

The hockey team from the University of New Brunswick, accompanied by about a dozen rooters, journeyed to this "little village" on Thursday, intend upon wiping out the memories of an encounter that occurred about two years ago. Their team was a big improvement on the one that struck these parts many moons ago, but the locals have picked up some pointers in that time, and were fully able to match all the latest and most approved stunts practised by the collegians. A very large crowd was in attendance, and quite generously applauded good work by either side. The teams lined up as follows:

Woodstock — McKendrick, goal; Don Connell, point; J. Dibblee, cover; H. Drysdale, right wing; F. Drysdale, left wing; G. Connell, rever; Wilnot Lister, centre.

U. N. B. — Pugsley, goal; F. Smith, point; A. Nalder, cover; W. Trites, right wing; H. Lunney, left wing; R. Malloy, rover; R. Winslow, centre.

The college boys started out well, and soon put the rubber in the Woodstock net. Shortly after, the tables were turned, a hot shot sailed by Pugsley and tied the score. Before half time another goal was chalked up to the credit of Woodstock. The second half witnessed some brilliant work. The locals had better staying qualities, and ran up a total of six goals. The U. N. B. were fortunate in scoring their only tally on what should have been an easy stop. At the end of the struggle the statistics read Woodstock 6; U. N. B. 2. A feature of the game was a goal shot from point by D. Connell. G. Connell and W. Lister put up great work. All the locals played faithfully. For the visitors Dick Malloy and Bobby Winslow did some splendid work. E. Estabrooks refereed in a satisfactory manner. The play was so gentle that not a single man was called upon to ornament the sides. The college boys are a splendid lot of fellows. It is hoped that they may come again next year. No more welcome organization has ever been here than the gentlemanly players from the University. Considerable money changed hands on the game.

The Craddock Industry.

Wm. Craddock, the Ontario gentleman who a year or so ago started a plant in operation at Upper Woodstock for the manufacture of wooden handles, has now a larger scheme in hand, which may play an important part in the industrial life of our town. Certain English capitalists have been interested in the project, and there is a good chance for something definite in the near future. J. W. Singleton, of London, Eng., one of the number, arrived here last week and has been looking over the proposed site of the factory, and getting information regarding the supply of raw material. Mr. Singleton is a typical English gentleman of the higher class, and expresses himself as being favorably impressed with Woodstock and its advantages as a site for a plant such as the company would erect. It is altogether probable that at least \$10,000 would be put into the industry at once, providing the town grants certain inducements such as have been given other concerns. Mr. Singleton is a man of ample means, a member of the diplomatic corps, and very much enthused along the line of wood-working industries.

Surprise Party.

About forty friends of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Eagles quite unexpectedly assembled at their residence on Tuesday evening, and tendered them a genuine surprise party. Dancing, ping pong, whist and pit were the main amusements. Early in the small hours the happy gathering dispersed, all feeling more than pleased with the manner in which they had been entertained.

Some Spells.

We have had a long and tedious cold spell, and now an equally embarrassing "dry" spell, though not in temperature alone, is upon us. In this connection a well known military man remarked a few days ago, "Agriculturally speaking, the town has gone farrow." So much for the gloomy prospect ahead.

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