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RUSSIANS HAVE A NOTION,

That Britain Wants to See Lenevitch Thoroughly Whipped Before Peace is Concluded.

SO THAT CZAR'S ARMY WILL NOT HARASS INDIA.

Japanese Peace Delegates Will Come to Washington Via Canada.

St. Petersburg.—Novoe Vremya today printed a despatch from London in which its correspondent declared he is in possession of information to the effect that the British government are advising Japan against the conclusion of an armistice.

"Russia," the despatch added, "is not considered to be sufficiently weakened, and Great Britain hopes that Field Marshall Oyama will succeed in destroying General Lenevitch's army, and thus relieve her of the nightmare that the army may be shifted to the borders for operations again in India.

The Radical Nashashism asserts that "The phantom of financial exhaustion hanging over Russia" is really the greatest friend of peace, and draws a harrowing picture of ninety per cent. of the empire's population leaving as their forefathers did in the sixteenth century, groaning under the debts constantly being piled up by militarism and crimes which clever book keeping no longer continues.

"Russia," this paper says, "is reaching the end of her ability to borrow for prosecution of the war, and here is the real secret of the hope for peace. Russia's poverty will decide the issue when the delegates meet.

Tokio, June 20.—Discussion of the meeting of the peace delegates continues through Washington, with indications of an early completion of the details.

There has been a series of conferences between the elder statesmen, and cabinet, the consideration being to discuss and select delegates.

It is thought to be possible to complete details, appoint delegates and organize a staff of assistants in time to sail by the steamer Empress of India, June 30th, from Yokohama to Vancouver, B. C., a voyage of two weeks.

It is expected that the party will number about ten.

In the meantime military activities continue and important developments in various directions are expected speedily.

THE METHODIST CONFERENCE.

Hearty Sympathy Expressed for Cause of Church Union—Dr. Inch Among the Speakers.

BUSINESS OF THIS MORNING'S SESSION.

Charlottetown, June 20.—(Special)—The Methodist Conference made the following changes today in the final draft of the station sheet:

McLeod for Cape Wolfe; C. W. Squires for Andover, W. J. Clements for Souris.

Dr. Paisley was appointed chairman and A. D. McCully, secretary of the Board of Examiners.

The missionary committee recommended holding the annual missionary meetings on one circuit in the fall and it was decided to hold a summer school mission at St. John this year, each circuit to send a delegate.

At Monday afternoon's session Rev. Messrs. Fullerton, Sedgewick and James, fraternal delegates from the Presbytery of P. E. I., were received by the conference bearing greetings from the Presbyterian church. These gentlemen spoke strongly of the spirit of brotherhood which is coming to

exist between the churches.

Rev. Geo. Steel and J. R. Inch, LL.D., replied very cordially, extending a welcome to the delegates.

Dr. Inch said a church in itself is nothing, it is a means to an end. It is what it seeks to accomplish that is the chief thing. We can afford to sacrifice a very great deal to bring about union between these branches of Christ's churches.

Dr. Sprague expressed hearty sympathy with the movement toward union.

Rev. Mr. Dobson said the need is of a great spirit in both churches to interpret one to the other. The greatest barrier is the philosophy of the churches.

These sentiments found a very hearty endorsement in the conference.

The ordination service was held in the evening, conducted by the president, Rev. W. W. Lodge, assisted by a number of the ministers of the conference. The candidates ordained were J. A. Sellar, B. A., W. R. Pepper, B. A., and E. C. Hennigar, B. A., B. D.

ARRESTED FOR MURDER.

Mrs. Hope Young and Kingsley Melanson Held by Digby Authorities

TO ANSWER FOR THE DEATH OF THE WARD CHILD—WOMAN BREAKS DOWN.

Digby, N. S., June 20.—The coroner's jury in the Plympton tragedy, near Digby, concluded the taking of evidence in the enquiry into the cause and manner of death of May Ward, or, as she is called, May

Young, at six o'clock last evening, and by six thirty the following verdict had been reached: "That the said May Ward came to her death by suffering at the hands of May Hope Young, and while the

TO EXTEND THE CITY.

Many New and Improved Streets to be Laid Out at Once.

DECISION REACHED BY THE ROAD COMMITTEE LAST EVENING.

Mayor McNally was in the chair last evening, and every member of the board was present at the city hall to attend the meeting of the road committee, which was called for last evening at eight o'clock.

The board sat for two hours and a half, carefully discussing all the questions at issue. The decisions reached were unanimous.

The first matter laid before the council was that of laying out several new streets.

During the last few years the City of Fredericton has grown at a very rapid rate at the upper part and fair to the ratepayers in these districts that they should have all the advantages which other citizens possess. Especially is this true as regards the upper end of the city, near Wilnot Park. Several new houses have been built there during the last couple of years, and many more are going up this year, but with one condition, viz., that the city authorities extend the streets to the localities where they contemplate building.

This is only fair, and it is what the committee last night decided to do. The owners of the land concerned have given what is needed off of it to the city, and thus there is nothing to prevent the extending of the streets.

Now, with the exception of the main Springhill road, and one of the back streets leading to the trotting park, none of the streets running parallel with the river extend as far as Wilnot Park. The upper back part of the city has thus the appearance of one large block. It was decided at last evening's meeting to go ahead at once with the extension of these streets, so as to meet the cross street along the lower side of the park. This will greatly facilitate matters for the residents in this part of the city.

The next matter discussed at the meeting was the leaving of power in the hands of the police magistrate to appoint a commission of three members to appraise the value of certain extensions which the board contemplates making to some of the city streets.

These extensions are: One from Carleton across Needham to connect with Aberdeen below York; another to extend Needham from York to Regent; another to extend Union from I. C. R. track to Sunbury; another to widen a piece of road near Morrison's Mills.

These extensions are the very ones which have been needed for years past. In some of these cases small houses stand in the way, but it is thought that these can be moved with no great difficulty.

The matter of widening Church street to the proper width at the back part of the city, near Queen's Square was also discussed. If this is done it will necessitate the cutting off of a small strip of land from Wil-

not Field, which is owned by the U. N. B.

Another very important matter discussed was that of the dump behind the city hall. This place is an eye sore to every resident of the city, and looks especially uninviting from the river. At last night's meeting the wharf committee was authorized to purchase sufficient lumber to wharf up the slip, thus enclosing the dump.

The whole will then be built up and levelled and will have a much better appearance.

This is a much needed step, and the council are to be congratulated on taking it.

The wharf committee consists of Aids, Mitchell (chairman), Randolph, Chastnut, McGinn and Hanlon.

A week from today, Tuesday, June 27th, a large quantity of unmarked logs will be sold by the Fredericton Boom Company. Last year these went at a low figure and it is the intention of the committee to try and purchase the lumber cheaply in this manner.

Some other routine business as to improvement of roads was transacted, after which the meeting adjourned.

Another matter that was fully discussed was that concerning some of the city trees.

Several complaints have been received lately by members of the board to the effect that on some of the streets, Charlotte, York and St. John, especially, the trees are too thick, overhanging residences and keeping the streets wet.

The chairman of the committee, with two aldermen from each ward as a committee, were authorized to remove or trim away any trees that in their judgment required it.

The chairman of the market committee, Ald. Maxwell reported that as yet he had only received one tender for the new hay scale building, which is to be erected on Phoenix Square. This tender was from Reid Blair for \$575. This was rejected as being too high and the chairman was authorized to have the plans and specifications completed and to call for new tenders.

Government Lane, from the turn up as far as Tennant's, is to be macadamized, beginning next week.

With regard to the asphalt of the streets, the aldermen of each ward were authorized to appoint a sub-committee to give to the chairman a list of all places in their wards which need repairs.

Several of the aldermen warmly congratulated the road master on the excellent condition of the streets in the city.

Queen Street will be completed in a few days, and soon after that is done the roads all over the city will be in first class condition.

After some more business of routine nature had been transacted, the meeting adjourned.

WORLD RENOWNED JAPAN.

At the present juncture of affairs, interest in everything which concerns the victorious island empire of the far east is at the highest point. The life, manners, customs, education, religion and probable future of this wondrous kingdom are of the greatest concern.

The account which may be given of these things by one who has lived and labored in their midst for several years past, will be listened to with profound attention by all.

The Rev. G. Egerton Ryerson, of Naetsu, Japan, a Canadian clergyman, sent out by the Church of England of Canada, and who is now home on furlough, will address a meeting in the Church Hall on Friday next on his missionary work in Japan.

Mr. Ryerson is a good speaker and full of enthusiasm, and is now on a tour through the maritime provinces, endeavoring to arouse the interest, and solicit the co-operation of the church in the Christianizing of the Japanese.

Canon Roberts will preside, the meeting opening at 8 o'clock. A collection will be taken for the foreign mission fund. All are cordially invited.

FARMER DROPPED DEAD.

Charlottetown, June 20, (Special).—Edward Coffin, a highly respected and successful farmer of Greenwich, Kings County, dropped dead last evening.

He had been in his usual good health, and was engaged in farm work.

His wife heard him fall, and on going out to the kitchen found her husband dead on the floor.

evidence in the enquiry into the Melanson, as being a party to the death of the said May Young, yet we do not feel justified in rendering a verdict that the said May Young came to her death at the hands of Kingsley Melanson.

We do, therefore, recommend that a thorough investigation be made by the proper authorities in that behalf, to ascertain if the said Kingsley Melanson assisted in any way in causing the death of the said May Young.

After the rendering of the verdict, Samuel J. Milberry, a member of the coroner's jury, laid an information against both May Hope Young and Kingsley Melanson, charging them with the murder of the child, and a warrant was issued by Clarence Jameson, stipendiary magistrate, under which High Sheriff Smith took the parties in charge and conveyed them to the jail in Digby.

The autopsy showed no signs of food in the stomach of the dead child. This goes far to disprove the evidence of Mrs. Young, who claimed to have left the children at 5 o'clock on Friday evening, each with a piece of bread and cornflake, the latter of which she claimed to have been eaten the bread being found with a small piece bitten out.

A brother of Mrs. Young, Joseph Young of Musquash, N. B., visited the Digby jail last night, and as he entered, the unhappy woman broke down.

A fact that bears strongly against Melanson in local estimation is his apparent unconcern and alleged callousness as to the fate of the children.

Seemingly neither Melanson nor the woman made any search in the woods along the road, but walked so rapidly that the persons accompanying them had great difficulty in keeping them in sight. After that he made no further search until the afternoon, and when the children were found, did not seem greatly concerned.