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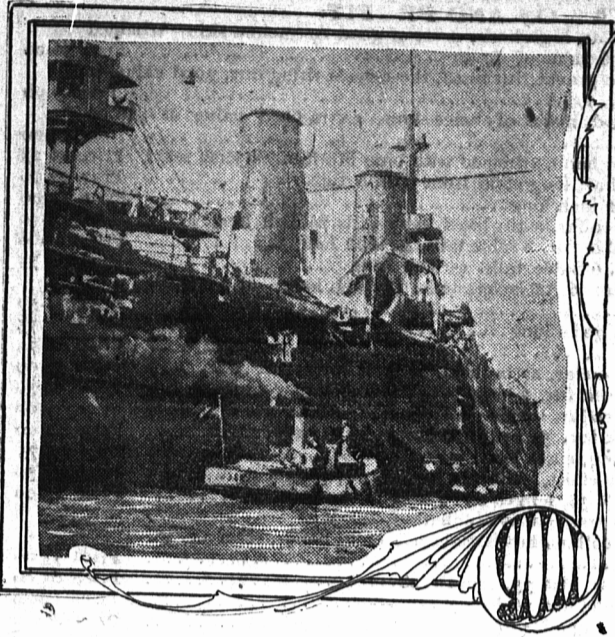
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RUSSIAN BATTLESHIP CZAREVITCH AT KIAUCHAU.

The Czarevitch, which was badly crippled by the Japs, now lies in the Chinese-German concession port of Kiauchau. She has been dismantled, but is being repaired. She cannot again enter the present war.

JAMES JEFFREY ROCHE CONSUL AT GENOA

The Island Poet, Editor of Boston Pilot and Biographer of John Boyle O'Reilly Receives a Good Place at Hands of His Friend, the President.

The Boston Herald in speaking of the appointment of James Jeffrey Roche, Boston and formerly of this city to the consulship at Genoa, Italy as announced in The Guardian yesterday says:

Mr. Roche said last evening at his home in Brookline that the appointment was not a surprise to him. The President knew that Mr. Roche desired a life abroad in a milder climate for rest and recreation. Mr. Roche had his choice of several consular offices on the Mediterranean. Genoa is regarded as an important consular station, there being a large amount of business for the official representative of this country. Mr. Roche only last week returned from Washington, having then and many times previously dined with the head of the nation.

The friendship between the biographer of John Boyle O'Reilly and President Roosevelt began in 1891. In the recent campaign Mr. Roche was a staunch supporter of the President. Up to a month ago he had received no intimation that he was to be selected for the consular service.

Mr. Roche will probably take his departure for the Mediterranean early in January. He will in the meantime dispose of his interest in The Pilot, of which he owns the controlling interest. Mr. Roche said last evening that he had no idea who his successor would be, nor what

the policy of the paper would be editorially after he had severed his connection with it.

Mr. Roche does not speak the Italian language with the fluency he does French and Latin but he reads Italian. It is a coincidence that the present consul at Genoa is a novelist. Mr. Roche intends to devote much of his spare time to literary work while abroad. He will close his Brookline house and take his family with him.

James Jeffrey Roche has been editor in chief of the Boston Pilot since 1890, and for seven years previously was assistant editor of the same paper under the late John Boyle O'Reilly. He was a member of the metropolitan park commission before that. He is a poet of considerable power, having written "Songs and Satires," "The Story of the Tibubsters," "Balads of Blue Water," "Her Majesty the King," "Byways of war" and many fugitive pieces. He was the biographer of John Boyle O'Reilly.

Mr. Roche was born May 31, 1847, in Mountmellick, Queen's county, Ireland but was brought at an early age to Prince Edward Island, where he was graduated from St. Dunstan's College, Charlottetown, and has since received the degree of L. L. D. from Notre Dame University, Indiana. He came to Boston in 1866, and was for many years in commercial pursuits before his connection with The Pilot.

PERMANENT CURE FOR BRONCHITIS.

"My second daughter was troubled with bronchitis from the age of three weeks. Oftentimes I thought she would choke to death. Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine brought relief, and further treatment made a thorough cure. This trouble used to come back from time to time, but the cure is now permanent."
—Mrs. Richmond Withrow, Shubencadic, Hants Co., N. S.

1200 SOULS IN THREE MONTHS

Big Endeavors of Salvation Army—Aiming at Greater Financial and General Results, Too

The Salvation Army is planning great things for the winter—three months of special revival services, with a target of 1,200 souls saved, an addition of 400 active soldiers and an increase of thirty five per cent in congregational attendance, and thirty per cent in financial contributions. Such is the mark set, and they feel they will make it by their enthusiastic work. Colonel Sharp, the local commander, will leave on today's C. P. R. for Londonderry, Sheldiac and Truro, on Monday and Tuesday he will be in Halifax, where he will perform a wedding ceremony. On Thursday he will be in Westville, where he will again perform a wedding ceremony, and for the week end he will be in New Glasgow.

Major Phillips will accompany him as far as Truro, from which place he will go to Port Hood, Louisbourg and Glace Bay, inspecting army property and conducting special services.—St. John Telegraph.

MONTHLY MEETING OF CITY COUNCIL

Held last night—There was little Business—Women's Council were given Council Chamber.

The regular monthly meeting of City Council was held last night the Mayor and all the Board, except Coun. Alley being present.

After routine business consisting of reading minutes, passing bills etc. communications were read from the Local Council of Women asking for a room for one morning a month for meeting in the new Market House; from P. S. Brown resigning from the Council Board; from the Union of Canadian Municipalities re the recent decision of the Privy Council holding that the Federal law relative to the Bell Telephone Co. overruled all civic statutes and asking that the board cooperate on having the Federal House pass a new law.

In this latter matter the Mayor stated that both he and Coun. Paton as President and Vice-President for P. E. Island had wired their endorsement of the proposal.

It was agreed, on suggestion of the Mayor, that the Council Chamber be placed at the disposal of the Women's Council.

It was decided to withhold the report of the city electric light plant until it had been submitted to the citizens through the press.

Coun. Hooper gave notice that at next meeting the annual sum of \$25 be granted John McCourt, an aged employee of the city.

The council then adjourned.

A FIRM THAT DEALS IN SPARE TIME.

The women of America owe a debt of gratitude to a large Indianapolis Publishing House that has at last solved the question of how to purchase women's spare time.

They point out hundreds of thousands of hours that are wasted every day by women, who are unable to turn them to profitable account and though it be said

THE DEFENCE OF EX-CHIEF LEGAULT

Montreal Ex-Chief of Police Denies Certain of the Charges Made Against Him in Court.

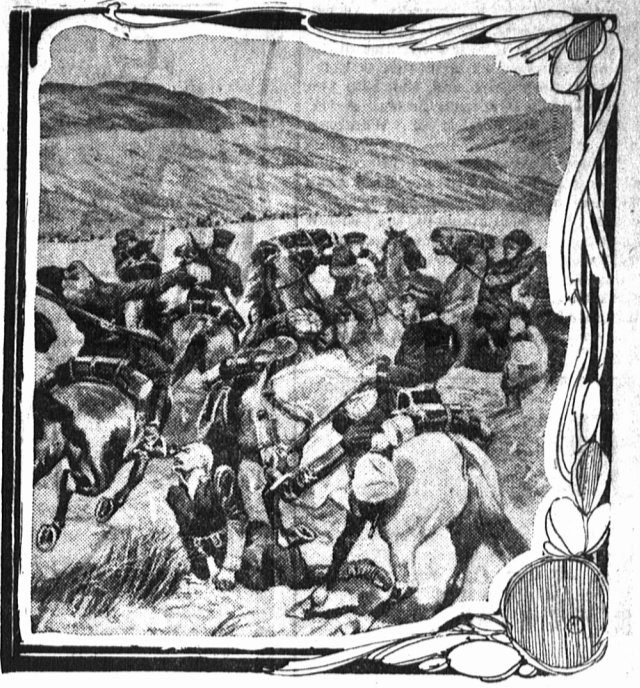
MONTREAL, Dec. 10.—Ex Chief of Police Legault submitted his defence yesterday to the charges of having collected money from the keepers of disorderly houses for police protection. Legault's defence consisted of a straight denial of all the stories told by the women, did not deny that they had visited his office he had sent police officers to summon them to his office, but explained that when they did come they came to make complaints against the policemen.

Legault attempted to justify his policy concerning disorderly houses, by saying that Ald Ames and LeBlanc had told him that it was impossible to dump them all out, but that he should content himself with suppressing the most objectionable and having the others fined once or so every year as a form of taxation. Legault also claimed that the Roman Catholic authorities of Montreal approved of this.

The alderman of St. Denis, the chairman of the police committee, testified that he would not demand the resignation of Chief Legault because of charges made against him by women, but because the police force under his control had become inefficient.

"That time is money" they are the first to step forward and give money in exchange for the time wasted unwillingly by the women. Every three hours of a woman's time is worth \$5.00 to them and they have devised a plan whereby they can pay a woman for her spare time at this rate.

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COSSACKS CHARGING JAP INFANTRY OUTPOST.

The brilliant bravery of the Cossacks has so far availed little against the marksmanship of the cool-headed Jap infantry. This time the Japs have taken shelter under the brow of the hill in the rear ground and are rapidly demoralizing the charging Russian horsemen.

ENGLAND DOWNED BY HER ALLIES

Austrian Novelist Draws On a Prolific Imagination—For European Theater The Great Battles In Which England Shall Fall To European Prowess.

Vienna, Dec. 12.—The collapse of the British Empire is an ever-popular theme with a certain class of Continental novelists. Every few months a book is issued usually in Germany—which deals in some form with the invasion of England and the humiliation of her people.

The latest Anglophobe novelist is Lieut. Von. Mushzynski, an Austrian army officer, whose visions of British ruin fill a volume of some 200 pages.

The book, which is entitled "England's Downfall; or, the Anglo-Franco-Russian War of the future," opens with the conventional raid of Afghan bands, instigated by England. This overture to a European war is played on "July 19, 1910."

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assassinated at Cairo, and the Khedive, as well as the Sultan joins forces against England.

The allied Franco-Russian fleet promptly takes Malta and Admiral Fournier inflicts a crushing defeat on Admiral Sir. John Fisher. British troops land at various points on the French coast, but at the battle of Foligny-Granville they are conveniently annihilated.

LORD ROBERTS KILLED.

Meantime the Russians are merrily marching on India. Lord Roberts is sent to Kandahar and arrives in time to be killed by the victorious Russians, who at the same time smash the British forces.

Naturally the vivisection of the British Empire is mere child's play after these events. The crushing blow is dealt at the battle of Brighton, where the British army is decimated and the victorious French enter London; under Marshal Janout. By a remarkable play of destiny, the first Frenchman to set foot on English soil is Colonel Marchand.

"The fleet of England is no more," continued this Austrian prophet. "Defeated and crushed, proud Albion lies at the feet of her conquerors, who in the treaty of London dictate their terms of peace."

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