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TELEGRAPH AND STATION SITE

These Matters Further Discussed by the Council of Board of Trade—Committee to Confer with Mr. James—Reluctance to Accept the Station Site Selected by the Railway Officials.

THE TELEGRAPH SERVICE. At the resumed meeting of the Council of the Board of Trade yesterday afternoon T. C. James was present by request and a long conversational discussion ensued in which a number of strong opinions were expressed as to the unsatisfactory state of the service at present.

Mr. James was reticent on most points; he did not think we need expect any reduction in night rates compared with the day rate and he pressed not to know whether any reduction in rates would follow the reduction in prices.

Coming next to the matter of the station site the discussion again covered a wide range. The majority showed but little disposition to accept the Hillsboro street site as proposed in the railway plans.

cost of procuring such a report. It was pointed out by several speakers that the assessed value of the land proposed to be acquired east of Hillsboro Street was as great as that of the properties between George and Prince Street.

Hon. George E. Hughes pointed out that the engineer's report had objected to the rise of grade coming up to George Street. The city would be willing to cut down Water Street and thus lower there need be no difficulty about the grade compared with what had been overcome in other cities.

It was finally decided to await the coming conference of a committee of the Board with Engineer Mackenzie before taking further action on the railway proposal.

GERMANY AND THE HEREROS

The Natives Defeated in German S. W. Africa

Dowager Empress of China Calls for Strict Economy—Royal Expenses Greatly Cut Down.

THE LITTLE GERMAN WAR. BERLIN, Aug. 16.—(Special.)—German troops attacked the Hereros near Hamakari in German South West Africa August 12.

THE NATIVES BADLY DEFEATED. The natives were defeated with heavy loss. Five German officers and 52 men were wounded. Thousands of cattle were captured.

DOWAGER EMPRESS WANTS ECONOMY. WASHINGTON, Aug. 16.—(Special.)—Mini-ster Conger reports from Shanghai that the Dowager Empress has issued a remarkable document calling on the people to exercise the strictest economy as the country's finances are in a precarious condition.

CUTTING DOWN EXPENSES. The expenses of the royal household will be reduced, all sinecures discharged and all the Yamen and Princes directed to do likewise.

AN "IMPERIAL" DAY.

Oh! What's so rare as a day in August! beautiful full-leaved, summer crowned August, when a cycling rain has refreshed all nature and lidd the dust!

MINISTERS ARE COMING OUR WAY

Fielding, Borden and Emmerson Start on Friday

Lady Joly Dead—Three Drowned at Picnic—Burglar Shot and Killed while Escaping.

MINISTERS COMING EAST. OTTAWA, August 16.—(Special.)—Hon. Messrs. Borden, Fielding and Emmerson, leave on Friday for the Maritime Provinces.

LADY JOLY DEAD. VICTORIA, August 16.—(Special.)—Lady Joly died on Monday night and will be buried at Quebec, her native place. Her maiden name was Cowan.

FATALITIES AT A PICNIC. BRUNSWICK, ME., Aug. 16.—(Special.)—While a picnic party was boating on Lobst Creek the craft turned over and Henry Arthur, Lena Garrett and Belle Dorosche were drowned.

BURGLAR SHOT AND KILLED. CHICAGO, Aug. 16.—(Special.)—In attempting to evade policemen and detectives Chester Severson, a burglar, was shot and killed. Three alleged thieves were arrested.

ANOTHER SORTIE OF RUSSIAN SHIPS

Cruiser Pallada Sunk August 10—Stakelberg to be Recalled for Losing Battles—Great Battle at Liao Yang and Fall of Port Arthur Daily Expected—Dark Outlook for Russia.

RECALL OF STAKELBERG. LONDON, Aug. 16.—(Special.)—Emperor Nicholas has decided to recall General Stakelberg who was defeated by the Japanese at Vafango and Teli-su, June 14th and 16th.

ANOTHER NAVAL SORTIE. CHEEFOO, August 16.—(Special.)—The Russian fleet made a sortie from Port Arthur today and returned without seeing the Japanese fleet.

THE PALLADA WAS SUNK. The Russian protected cruiser Pallada was sunk during the fight of August 10th. WHAT THE RUSSIAN SAY. The Russians declare that a Japanese battleship was sunk in this engagement, but this is officially denied from Tokio.

further evidence that the Japanese guns dominate the harbor and the fall of the fortress is soon expected.

INTEREST CENTRES IN LIAO YANG. Viceroy Alex'eff has gone to Vladivostok. A Japanese attack at Liao Yang is now expected daily.

[The Russian ships are evidently finding Port Arthur uncomfortable, but the last venture cost the virtual loss of the battle-hip Czarevich and the sinking of the cruisers Rurik, Novik and Pallada, with at least one destroyer. And matters are evidently very critical at both Port Arthur and Liao Yang. Stirring news from both points may be looked for at any hour.]

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TWENTY DROWNED.

LONDON, Aug. 14.—The British bark Inverkip (Capt. Jones, Jr.) from Melbourne for Queenstown was sunk and twenty persons were drowned as a result of a collision off Fastnet Rock, Ireland, last night, with the British ship Locher from Dublin.

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MRS. MAYBRICK COMING.

LONDON, Aug. 14.—Mrs. Florence Maybrick is on board the Red Star Line steamer Vaderland, which sailed from Antwerp yesterday morning, under the name of Miss Rose Ingram. She is accompanied by her attorney, Mr. Hayde, who arranged the details of her departure.

LARGE NUMBERS ATTENDED THE

Liberal Picnic at Georgetown Yesterday

Addresses by Prominent Liberals Delivered on the Grounds—Election of Officers.

The Liberal picnic at Georgetown yesterday was very largely attended, it being estimated that more than 2,000 were present.

In the morning the annual meeting of the Liberal Association was held in the hall, President Currie in the chair.

On a motion Mr. Hughes' nomination was unanimously confirmed by a standing vote and the general enthusiasm.

Mr. Hughes responded appropriately and after cheers for the Liberals the meeting adjourned. Dinner was then catered on the grounds by the Calzed Club. Eloquent and able addresses were delivered on the grounds, J. J. Hughes making the opening speech.

Senator Borden followed dealing chiefly with the Trans-Continental Railway. Hon. Mr. Roger, President Queen's County Liberal Association, conveyed the greetings of the Liberals of this County.

BORN.

At Elliott's Mills, on July 27th, to Robert and M. S. Keating, a son.

MARRIED.

On the 9th inst., at the Methodist Parsonage, Murray Harbor South, by Rev. J. Parkins, William Freeman Brethaus, of White Sands, to Margaret H., eldest daughter of Mortimer Jordan, Guernsey Cove, P. E. I.

DIED.

At the P. E. Island Hospital on the evening of Aug. 15th, Annie Fisher of this city, aged 27 years.

At Blofield, Aug. 13th, Fannie McMillan aged 18 years. "Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord."

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