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CZAR RECEIVED OFFICERS OF NEW FAR EASTERN ARMY.

The mobilization of another Russian army to succor Kuropatkin in the Far East looked like a long war. The czar received the chief officers of the six army corps which will compose this new army. The strict etiquette of the Russian court was relaxed entirely, and aside from the presence of thousands of secret police agents, the reception was apparently quite democratic. The czar made a formal speech of farewell, in which he foretold great glory and success for the officers about him. His Majesty was cheered with enthusiasm by his soldiers of every grade.

SAVED FROM A WATERY GRAVE.

St. JOHN'S, Nfld., Feb. 24.—Crosby's newly purchased schooner Kandahar, Capt. Kennedy, has arrived after a record run from Halifax. On Wednesday she ran out of Halifax taking a southern cut around Sable Island. That night the wind came up with terrible force, and for two days she had to lie to, sea after sea dashing over her.

On Thursday, while reaching under a small sail Capt. Kennedy noticed James Phillips of P. E. Island, at the rail. When the sea struck the ship and she lurched over, his eye caught the sailor's boots as he fell headlong into the boiling sea. Calling the hands the captain ran to the side of the vessel but could see nothing. Then he ran to the stern as Phillips rose to the surface.

It was impossible to launch the boat as the sea ran in big heaps and all feared that the man's hours were numbered. But the captain had his log out and was grasping the line to shoot it over Phillips' head, calling to him to catch hold of it.

The young seaman had full control of his senses and grasped the line taking a turn around his wrist. Then came the difficult task of getting him on board. The crew drew him through the water, watching every sea so that no extra strain would injure him. Finally he was brought under the stern, and he hid himself under the stern, and he hid himself under the stern, and he hid himself under the stern.

It was a terrible half-hour's experience, and the poor fellow lay perfectly exhausted on deck. Willing hands conveyed him below, hot drinks were given him and he was rolled in blankets. He is now about again.

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THE EDITOR'S MAIL.

THE SOURIS-CAPE GEORGE ROUTE.

Sir: We have read with interest the letter of Father Burke in your issue of the 7th (which by the way only reached us on the 11th). All are agreed that a tunnel would certainly solve this problem of winter communication, if we could get it.

The last few weeks have clearly demonstrated that the Georgetown-Pictou route falls to meet our requirements almost as much as the trials of the Summerside-Tormentia route have failed in the past three years and it seems to us we have now to face the problem of finding a more satisfactory winter service. Every Islander then must be interested in the meeting to be held for that purpose in Charlottetown in the near future and we hope the parties who have called the meeting will take particular pains to make it a representative one from the different sections of the island. One thing is quite evident to our minds, viz: while we cannot agree among ourselves which is the better plan to adopt we can never expect to have much influence with the authorities at Ottawa when we ask for a better service. Therefore, if we are in earnest in the matter, and who is not at this particular time, we shall make every endeavour to decide among ourselves as to the best plan or plans to adopt and then we believe we shall have gone a long way in solving the problem. 'Unity is strength.'

For years we have felt that the Souris-Cape George route was the only one which could guarantee a daily communication with the mainland at this season. We have however, made no effort to convince outsiders of this fact as we felt it was a rather round about way and also some of both parties, were in mortal dread of making political enemies in other sections. We believe there has not been a day this winter that ice would have prevented the steamer from running between Souris and Cape George. The reason is simple. There is no harbor on either side running inland 10 to 15 miles and therefore ice could not jam at the entrance as in the case with Georgetown and Pictou. In fact when the steamers meet with heavy ice on that route they are nearly always obliged to run east for some distance to find a "lead" why? Because in this direction the straits widens giving more room for floating ice and hence more probability of getting "leads". This we claim is the great advantage of the Souris-Cape George route.

They may talk about the tunnel and the building of piers but we think we could have far more prospect of solving this problem if we could settle upon a route which would guarantee a daily service at a cost of only a few thousands. The Souris-Cape George route is the only one that fulfills these conditions. It simply means the comparatively small expense of dredging Souris harbor (in fact the steamers could run today to the end of the breakwater without any dredging) and the building of a branch railway from Antigonish to a place in the vicinity of Cape George. We understand that a rising would be quite suitable.

We have yet to read or hear any reasonable objection to this route except that of the extra distance travelled in having to go around by Antigonish instead of stopping at Pictou, a distance of about 60 miles, and surely with the experience of the past three weeks we could patiently wait a few hours longer for our mails and freight instead of running the risk of these conditions being repeated winter after winter.

EASTERN KINGS,
Souris Feb. 18th 1905.

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Yours truly,
J. B. LIVESQUE
St. Joseph P. O., 18th Aug., 1903.

RAILROAD ACCIDENT.

PATHE-SOX, N. J., February 20.—An eastbound train on the Erie railroad jumped the track three miles east of here today. One girl was killed and many persons were injured. A special train, with physicians and nurses started for the scene of the accident. It is reported that 70 persons were injured.

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BIG FIRE IN DETROIT.

DETROIT, Mich., February 20.—Fire yesterday almost entirely destroyed the plant of the Detroit Steel Casting company, causing a loss of between \$80,000 and \$100,000. Two hundred and twenty-five men were thrown out of work and many of them suffered quite heavy losses in addition.

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NEW INDICTMENTS.

CHICAGO, February 20.—State's Attorney Healy definitely announced to-day that he will go before the February grand jury in an attempt to re-open prosecutions for the Iroquois theatre disaster. New indictments, if any are returned, will be modelled after the indictments in the Slocum disaster.

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