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CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I., MARCH 16, 1904.

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HALIFAX MAYOR TO BE INDICTED

For Unlawfully Releasing a Prisoner Months Ago

Two Victims of a Dynamite Explosion—Three Killed in a Head-on Railway Collision at Sherbrooke.

MAYOR OF HALIFAX INDICTED.

HALIFAX, March 15.—(Special)—Judge Ritchie today ordered an indictment handed to the Grand Jury against the Mayor, who in September last released without bail a man named Umlah arrested on a serious assault charge.

MAYOR HAD NO RIGHT.

The Judge said Mayors had no right to interfere with the courses of Justice.

TWO VICTIMS OF DYNAMITE.

By a dynamite explosion on the South Shore Railway, Angus McEachern, a foreman, belonging to Dennistown, C. B. and Joseph Byers, laborer of Halifax were killed.

FATAL RAILWAY COLLISION.

SHERBROOKE, March 15.—(Special)—By a head-on collision on the Maine Central and C. P. R. freight's three rail road men were killed and one other seriously injured.

ONE IN FOUR PERSONS

One person in every four suffers more or less from itching piles. Some do not know the nature of their ailment, and others have not heard of Dr. Chase's Ointment as the only absolute and guaranteed cure for this distressing disease.

A WONDERFUL BUSINESS.

Is the Lord & Thomas Advertising Agency the Head of Which Has Retired.

Possibly there is no line of industry in the United States that has grown in such proportion in recent years as that of general advertising, which includes publicity in newspapers and magazines and outdoor display advertising, and through its tremendous force the entire basis of modern merchandising has been revolutionized.

The Chicago papers devote much time and space to the wonderful growth of the advertising business as a whole, and that of Lord & Thomas in particular, owing to the retirement of D. M. Lord, the senior member of the firm, who leaves active business life with a rich competence.

The business of Lord & Thomas has been one of the most aggressive and progressive of its kind in the country, having in recent years been under the active management of A. L. Thomas, whose judgment on advertising matters is considered as authoritative by the vast body of publicity users. Mr. Thomas has succeeded Mr. Lord to the presidency and will continue at the head of the firm.

C. R. Erwin, the new Vice-President has been connected with the company for 20 years and is therefore a veteran in the field; associated with him and Mr. Thomas is A. D. Lusk, the Secretary and Treasurer.

To give some idea to the public of the growth of advertising as a whole, it might be stated that in two years the business of Lord & Thomas alone has increased one million dollars in the billing, and in the one month of January in 1904 this house has booked \$753,000.00 in advertising contracts.

The main offices of Lord & Thomas are in the Trade Building, Chicago and its Eastern Branch is in the American Tract Society Building, New York.

The Ladies of St. Vincent de Paul Sewing Circle will have delicious home-made candy on sale at the Opera House on St. Patrick's night, this privilege having been kindly granted by the B. I. S. Proceeds in aid of the poor. 1611 H.

SPRING!

Marbles for the BOYS. Spring Fashion Books

and magazines for the LADIES. Expected any day per winter boots. A big stock

RUBBER BALLS Haszard & Moore.

FORMER CH'TOWN MAN HAS A CALL

Rev. G. L. Miner, Late Pastor of the Baptist Church in this City Receives a Unanimous Invitation.

The Rev. Johnson L. Miner, the former pastor of the Charlottetown Baptist church has received a call to the Baptist Church in Flemington, New Jersey and will probably accept. This is one of the largest churches in the Central Association of New Jersey, and is considered to afford an excellent opportunity for aggressive work.

The following is taken from the Democratic paper of Flemington: "The Flemington Baptist church, at a meeting called to select a pastor, decided

to extend a unanimous call to the Rev. Johnson L. Miner, of Brooklyn, New York. Mr. Miner had occupied the pulpit of the Baptist Church for the previous three weeks and each Sunday he was like a better and better as a preacher, while those who met him outside of the church in the town were very greatly impressed with his agreeable personality, and it is hoped not only by the church but by the whole town that he will decide to accept the call extended him.



REV. J. L. MINER.

Rev. Miner is a native of New Brunswick, Canada and was born in Mt. Wrentham near Amherst. He has a charming wife who is in strong sympathy with his work. He graduated at Acadia University in the class of '95 and received his theological education at both the Rochester and Newton theological institutions.

While at Newton as a student he supplied the pulpit of the First Baptist Church, Plymouth, Mass., for several months and accepted a call to become their pastor on June 1st, '98. After a very successful pastorate of about four years he received an unsolicited call to the Baptist Church in the city of Charlottetown, P. E. I. At Charlottetown the climate was so severe that his wife was unable to stand its rigors and his pastorate there was short, he removing to Brooklyn where he has been supplying a number of churches."

Rev. Mr. Miner's many friends in Charlottetown will be pleased to hear of his call to one of the principal churches in New Jersey and will also be glad to learn of the improved health of his estimable wife.

The following is the complete list of prize winners:— 2 bus Wheat, White Fife: 1, W C Webster, Fort Augustus; 2, Edward R Webster, de; 3, Isaac M Doughart, Long River.

2 bus Wheat Red Fife: 1, Geo Jones, Pownal; 2, Locke Jones, de; 3, Edward Wood, do.

2 bus Wheat, Russian: 1, Edward R Webster, Fort Augustus; 2, W C Webster, Fort Augustus; 3, Edward Wood, Pownal.

2 bus Wheat, any other Variety: 1, Isaac M Doughart, Long River; 2, Maxwell Henry, Southport; 3, Robert Shaw, Brackley Beach.

2 bus Oats, White Banner: 1, P M Pyper, North River; 2, Geo Jones, Pownal; 3, M B Alderston, Southport.

2 bus Oats, Black Norway: 1, Edward R Webster; 2, Brazil DesRoches, Misouche; 3, Geo Burnett, Marshfield.

2 bus Black Oats, any other variety: 1, Edward Wood; 2, Edward R Webster; 3, Brazil DesRoches.

2 bus barley, two rowed—1 Geo. Jones, 2 Peter Brodie, 3 Thos Waugh. 2 bus barley, 6 rowed: 1, Peter Brodie 2, Jos Murphy, New Haven, 3, W. G. Frowse, Brackley Pt. Road.

ALL IS NOW QUIET AT PORT ARTHUR

The Harbor not Blocked—Believed at Tokio that Russian Fleet has Sailed for Vladivostock—Land Forces are only Reconnoitering—Japs Strengthening Positions in Korea—Russian Troops in Good Spirits.

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whose official position makes him in some sense the representative of the people, the mischief of such actions is greatly increased. A strong and self-confident nation should be peculiarly careful not only of the rights but of the susceptibilities of its neighbors, and nowadays all of the nations of the world are neighbors one to the other.

"Courtesy, moderation and self-restraint should mark international no less than private intercourse. All the officials of the government, civil, military and naval are expected to carry themselves both in act and in deed as to give no cause of just offense to the people of any foreign and friendly power and with all mankind we are now in friendship."

ADMIRAL TOGO'S REPORT.

TOKIO, March 13.—Vice Admiral Togo's report of the fourth attack on Port Arthur by the Japanese fleet on March 10 reached Tokio late Saturday afternoon. It is as follows:

"Our squadron, as pre-arranged, attacked the enemy at Port Arthur on March 10. Our two torpedo flotillas reached the mouth of the harbor at Port Arthur at 1 o'clock on the morning of the 10th. Finding no enemy, waited until dawn, one flotilla engaged in sinking special mines in the harbor entrance. Notwithstanding the enemy's fire our flotilla succeeded in sinking the mine. The other flotilla met the enemy's torpedo flotilla, consisting of six boats, in the Lao-Thie-Shan channel, south of Port Arthur at 4:30 o'clock. A hot engagement occurred at close range for thirty minutes. The enemy then took flight. Our fire greatly damaged the Russian ships one of which was badly crippled by a shot through the boilers and another was observed to be on fire. So close were the two flotillas to each other that our destroyers, the Asashio, Kasumi and Akatsuki, nearly touched the enemy's ships, and our crews could even hear the cries of agony of the injured men on them. We sustained some damage and loss. The Akatsuki had a steampipe broken and four stokers were killed thereby. Our loss was seven killed and eight wounded. Among the latter is the chief engineer of the Kasumi. Our other flotilla while leaving the harbor entrance observed two Russian torpedo boats from seaward, and immediately engaged them, the battle lasting one hour. After causing them severe damage, one of them effected its escape, but our destroyer, the Sasanami, captured the other boat which proved to be the Stereguschchi. Notwithstanding the land batteries were pouring a heavy fire on our flotilla, the captured vessel was taken in tow. Owing to the high sea the towline soon parted, and the Sasanami found it necessary to take the crew from the Russian boat and abandoned the Stereguschchi, which sank at 8 o'clock. The enemy's cruisers, the Novik and the Bayan, steamed out of the entrance of the harbor toward us, but observing the approach of our cruiser squadron, retired to the harbor. Our flotilla suffered some damage, but not heavy. The Sasanami and the Akatsuki had two sailors killed and a sub-lieutenant of the Akatsuki and three sailors were wounded.

"Our main and cruiser squadrons arrived off Port Arthur at 8 o'clock and the cruisers immediately advanced toward the harbor entrance near Lao-Thie-Shan, and opened an indirect cannonade against the inner harbor from ten o'clock to one-forty. According to the observations made by one of our cruisers facing the entrance, the bombardment was remarkably effective. During our cannonade the enemy's land batteries fired, but none of our ships suffered any damage. Another cruiser squadron went to Ta Lien Wan and bombarded the enemy's fortress on Samshanto damaging the buildings thereon. "The cruisers Takasago and Shiaya reconnoitered the west coast of Port Arthur peninsula, but did not find the enemy. The Russian torpedo boat destroyer damaged in the third attack on Port Arthur was found to be the Wnushiterinyi, which has been completely sunk, the mast only being visible above the water. "Our squadron stopped fighting at 2 o'clock and returned to the rendezvous. The admiral is permanently lumbered among the heroes of the empire. The latest reports place the Japanese loss at 9 killed, 5 seriously wounded and 17 slightly hurt. The Japanese fleet was not damaged in the fighting.

BALFOUR MEETS A HOSTILE VOTE

But His Government will not Resign for it

A Snap Division Engineered by Redmond—Young Harcourt Elected Unopposed—Veteran of Two Wars Dead.

BRITISH GOVERNMENT DEFEATED.

LONDON, March 15.—(Special)—The Government was defeated in the Commons today by 121 to 130 votes on the motion of Redmond, the Irish leader for a reduction of the Irish educational estimates.

GOVERNMENT WILL NOT RESIGN.

It was merely a snap division, engineered by the Nationalists, so the Government will not resign.

ANOTHER LIBERAL ELECTED.

Lewis Vernon Harcourt, has been elected unopposed to represent Rosendale Division of Lancashire in the Commons.

VETERAN OF TWO WARS DEAD.

NEW LONDON, CONN., March 15.—(Special) William E. Miller, a veteran of the Light Brigade, died here to-day.

He held the Victoria Cross and had also served through the American Civil War.

A SURPRISING DISCOVERY.

You will be surprised in trying Catarrh-zone to find how quickly it cures colds in the head. The agreeable, penetrating vapor traverses every air cell and passage of the nose, throat and lungs. In one breath it carries instant death to the millions of germs infesting the respiratory organs and breaks up a cold in ten minutes.

A trial will convince you that Catarrh-zone is the most potent, satisfactory and pleasant cure for Colds, Catarrh, Deafness, Bronchitis, Asthma and Lung Trouble. Complete outfit, \$1.00; small size 25c. Druggists or N. C. Polson Co., Kingston Ont.

HAMILTON'S MANDRAKE PILLS CURE BILIOUSNESS.

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IF TORMENTED WITH CORNS.

go to the nearest druggist, and buy a bottle of Putnam's Painless Corn and Wart Extract. It is guaranteed to cure, and is quickly refuse a substitute.

THE ANNUAL SEED FAIR HELD YESTERDAY

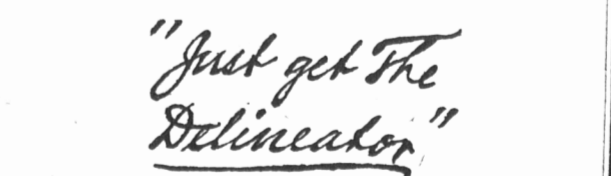
The annual provincial seed show yesterday in the Lyceum Building was a grand success. Hon. Benj Rogers, Commissioner of Agriculture presided and there was present a large number of farmers and others while the exhibits much exceeded last year.

The judging was done by Messrs Clarke and Anderson of Ontario. The meeting in the evening was fairly well attended. Hon. Mr. Rogers presided and excellent addresses instructive in seeds, etc. were given by the visitors and others.

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