

CHARLOTTETOWN, PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND, CANADA, WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 21, 1904.

THE TERMINUS ON THE PACIFIC

VANCOUVER, Dec. 18.—(Special)—Plans filed in Ottawa for the location of the Grand Trunk Pacific terminus show that Kaiaen Island and Port Simpson are being considered with preference in favor of the former.

The company has staked out the greater part of the Kaiaen Island shore front and is endeavoring to secure the whole island.

To build the road to Port Simpson would necessitate the building of 14 miles more of road through a most solid rock at a cost of \$100,000 per mile, but a difficulty arises regarding Kaiaen Island.

Several South African veterans who were given government scrip for a hundred and sixty acres land applied for titles to portions of this land. The government refused them on the grounds that the island is included in an Indian reserve but the boundary seems in doubt.

The men however staked off the lands and have engaged Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper to fight for them. Sir Hibbert Tupper has applied for a mandamus compelling the Government to honor its scrip and deed this land to the ex-soldiers.

The outcome is awaited with much interest.

Kaiaen Island is a barren place, almost treeless, but situated on a splendid harbor where wharves could be built ten miles from the ocean and from which there is a clear passage to the sea.

HALIFAX Dec. 18.—(Special)—The local provincial election took place in five counties today and the seats which formerly were all Liberal recorded no change, except in Pictou, where McDonald's majority of 400 is cut down to 100, those being the figures representing McGregor's

lead over Bell, and in Richmond where Bissett, Independent Liberal was running against Boyd, straight Liberal, defeated him by 350.

In Cape Breton Dr. Kendall defeated Boyd, (Labor) by a majority of nearly 2,000, the vote standing Kendall 3041, Boyd 1902.

The labor campaign is said to have been wretchedly managed, many of the booths having no representatives from the party with Sydney having none at all.

In Cumberland Paul has about 500 majority over Day, and in Colchester Lawrence comes out of the contest 150 ahead of Suckling.

In Lunenburg and Guysboro Maders and Ellis were elected by acclamation.



A. C. BELL Defeated by about 100 votes

BOTH ARMIES ARE IN WINTER QUARTERS

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 18.—(Special)—General Stoessel's despatches received Friday night were given out to-day. He reports up till Dec. 5 and gives details of several Japs' assaults on Nov. 20 to 23rd.

The Japs hurled themselves against the north-eastern front, returning to the assault again and again but were thrown back by bayonets after having occupied portions of the trenches.

Stoessel estimates the Japs killed during these three days numbered two thousand.

Related despatches indicate that this assault continued for 12 days, or until Dec. 2, as Nov. 26 and 27 which included the attacks on Metro Hill being the fiercest fighting since the beginning of the siege.

The Japs hurled themselves in such masses against bayonets and cannon that they were slain in heaps and Stoessel learns from the Chinese and prisoners that the Japanese losses in 12 days were fully 20,000.

Several officers are repeatedly mentioned for wonderful bravery. A despatch reports the death of Gen. Tserpinsky from wounds.

MUKDEN, Dec. 19.—(Special)—The cold is severe here and all is quiet along the front.

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elled along the entire Russian front reports that the efforts of both armies are directed chiefly towards preventing the molestation of their winter quarters.

Reuenkampff's camp is considered to be inaccessible to the Japs and there is no fear of a general engagement before spring.

Japanese infantry men have been found with feet frozen and clothing inadequate to the necessities for winter service, but it is said that Kuroki is fast replacing his infantry with mounted men who are well clothed.

TOKIO, Dec. 20.—(Special)—Gen. Nogi today telegraphed the capture of the Keekwan Fort.

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"Owing to the stubborn resistance of the enemy with machine guns our operations were temporarily suspended but subsequently during the same evening Gen. Samsamian commanding the supports advanced into the casemate and after encouraging his men threw his supports into the fighting line in one last brave charge.

"At midnight we completely occupied the fort and immediately commenced the construction of defensive works."

POPE RECEIVES CANADA BISHOPS

ROME, Dec. 20.—(Special)—The Pope today received in private audience Right Rev. James C. McDonald Bishop of Charlottetown, Right Rev. Timothy Casey Bishop of St. John and Right Rev. Paul Larocque, Bishop of Sherbrooke, Que.

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CANADA WILL BUY GUNBOATS

OTTAWA, Dec. 20.—(Special)—A statement published yesterday that three cruisers for Canada's navy are to be built in the Dominion is incorrect.

Minister Prefontaine will after next session go to England and endeavor to obtain from the Naval Department three gunboats and after that time all the Hydraulic Survey, part of which is now done by the Home Government, will be done by Canada.

THE VERDICT OF PUBLIC OPINION

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SIR CAMPBELL BANNERMAN

Sharply Criticises Chamberlain Denying that the Latter Has Any Right to Speak for the Colonies—He Urges Government Works.

LONDON, Dec. 20.—(Special)—Speaking before a large audience in the East End to-night Sir Henry Campbell Bannerman added more remarks to the sharp discussion between himself and Chamberlain.

Replying to Chamberlain, the speaker challenged Chamberlain's right to speak for the Colonies and asserted that Chamberlain spoke only for himself and his tariff commission, but the self-governing Colonies had not authorized him to speak for them. "It is not those who are forever mouthing the word Empire and using that word to cover their own shady acts and their own policies who are best friends of the Empire," he said.

FIVE HANGINGS NEXT JANUARY

OTTAWA, Dec. 19.—(Special)—Unless the Government decides to make a Christmas gift of life to five occupants of the cells in Canadian prisons, Radcliffe, the hangman, will have a busy January.

John Kay of New Westminster, fifteen year old boy, sentenced to be executed Jan. 13. John Bell of Greenwood, B. C., to be executed Jan. 1. Antonio Jacomi of Montreal, to be hanged Jan. 20. And Fauquette of Sherbrooke, to be executed January 25.

SAD DROWNING AT LCKPORT

HALIFAX, Dec. 18.—(Special)—Sadie Locke of Lockport was drowned on Saturday while sliding on the ice on the harbor back of the school house.

Another girl who also went through was seen and rescued but her preserver did not know the Locke girl was in the water and when told it was too late to save her.

A GOVERNMENT DEFEAT IN YUKON

DAWSON CITY, Dec. 18.—(Special)—Dr. Thompson, Conservative candidate, was elected to the Dominion Parliament Saturday by five hundred and fifty majority, defeating Congdon, Liberal.

The vote stood, Thompson 1634, Congdon 1076.

Yukon residents have for years been dissatisfied with the administration and there was a very strong feeling against the Government.

Congdon was induced to resign the Governorship to contest the seat, but the feeling was too strong to be overcome. Dr. Thompson is a Nova Scotian.

NAN PATTERSON GIVES EVIDENCE

NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—(Special)—The evidence in the trial of Nan Patterson for the murder of Caesar Young ended to-day.

The prisoner was under cross-examination for nearly three hours but remained cool throughout and in detail gave the story of her connection with Young until his tragic death.

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NEWPORT R. I. IS BURIED IN SNOW.

NEWPORT, R.I., Dec. 18.—(Special)—As the result of one of the worst blizzards that has visited this coast in years traffic here is entirely suspended, the streets are impassable on account of snowdrifts and the Fire Department is unable to move its apparatus.

All the railroads and carlines are blocked. On the coast below Wakefield three barges are ashore but the crews have been taken off.

The storm was general along the New England coast but here the snow appeared deepest, over two feet having fallen.

SAVED BY LIFE SAVING CREW.

ATLANTIC CITY, Dec. 18.—(Special)—A schooner reported to be the Lizzie Bryant, Baltimore for Providence with soft coal, is ashore off Bay Head.

The life savers rescued crew, bringing two ashore in the breeches buoy. The schooner will be badly damaged.

Coughs, colds, hoarseness, and other throat ailments are quickly relieved by Vapo-Cresolene tablets, ten cents per box. All druggists.

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SMELTS and eels.—Having secured cold storage on the mainland to prevent total loss in case of soft weather, we are prepared to handle any quantity of smelts and eels for which we will pay the highest cash price. Jno. Wheatley, Great Geo. St. 14 w 31 pd

BAD OUTBREAK OF DIPHTHERIA

ST. JOHN, Dec. 18.—(Special)—A fire Saturday night did \$14,000 damage to the four story brick building corner of Dock St. and Market Square occupied as clothing houses by Wilcox Bros. and Joseph Corkery.

The latter's loss is only five hundred but uninsured. Wilcox's loss is seven thousand, insured and the damage to the building, nearly seven thousand, is insured.

An epidemic of diphtheria has broken out in St. Vincent Catholic Orphanage where two hundred young girls reside.

The disease first developed Friday night and now there are 25 victims.

One died this evening and six or eight others are dangerously ill, two hundred

more girls attend the day school and these having been exposed to the contagion further spread of the disease is feared.

Diphtheria has been prevalent here for the past few months. James P. Carr latterly a commercial traveller died on Saturday.

He held the Royal Humane Society medal for saving Archie Frith from drowning in Restigouche River and had previously saved five other lives.

While rescuing Frith the latter caught him by the throat and inflicted injuries which ultimately resulted in his death.

Colonel Wm. Cunard, an old St. John man, formerly a lumber surveyor and at one time keeper of military stores, died in Fredericton last night aged 72.

A WONDERFUL DEATH ESCAPE

BORROW, Dec. 14.—(Special)—The crew of the New York barkentine Enita who arrived today by the Clyde line steamer tell a story of hardship and miraculous escape from death.

The barkentine with a load of hard pine from Fernandina struck on Diamond Shoal off Cape Hatteras on Saturday. Great waves swept her deck and the deckload was swept from its moorings and carried overboard.

Soon another wave wrenched off the stern up to the after hatch and finally the bow of the vessel was torn from the hull and only a section of main deck remained, the masts having all gone over.

The deck gradually went to pieces but those on board, including Capt. Renzie, his wife and seven men managed to retain a position on the forward deck house.

The wreckage drifted into the path of the ocean steamers and the crew were rescued. Thus, though the ship actually went to pieces beneath their feet, not a life was lost.

HALIFAX, Dec. 19.—(Special)—The schooner Warrior went ashore west of Trout Cove, Bay of Fundy, yesterday and is a total loss.

Capt. Pynn and the crew were saved with great difficulty.

The schooner was loaded with coal from Sydney and was owned by Jas McKinnon ed.

SACKVILLE, Dec. 19.—(Special)—The schooner Walter Miller, owned by N. C. Scott, St. John, loaded with laths got caught in the ice near Wood Point on Saturday afternoon and is a total loss.

The crew were all saved.

WOODS HOLE, Me., Dec. 19.—(Special)—Yesterday's storm which blew with hurricane force off New England left three vessels totally wrecked, fifteen damaged and five with loss of anchors.

Those totally wrecked are Richard Leaming of New Jersey with supposed loss of the entire crew on Long Shoal, Nantucket Sound, George Ferguson of Nantucket Island and the barge Albertus on Fisher's Island ashore and damaged;

Loduskia Franconia Faraway and Rothsay at Vineyard Haven; John Perry, D. J. Melanson, Eva May, Rhoda Holmes Hortense, Lugano Heaton, Frank and Ira, Edna, Ella Mitchell, all damaged at Vineyard Haven, Otis Miller, Mary Lee, Newton Kolon and Frank Barnett with lost anchors on Nantucket shoals.

Half a dozen of these belong to St. John. The Muskeget life savers went to the wreck of the Richard Leaming and found the vessel deserted.

It is feared that crew attempted to reach the shore in small boat and perished.

A STRONG PROTEST AGAINST THE SITE

Chosen for the Railway Station—The Board of Trade Call for Report and Plans on the Great George Street Location.

A meeting of the Board of Trade was held Saturday afternoon.

Correspondence was read from the Ministers of Trade and Commerce, of Finance, of Marine and Fisheries acknowledging receipt of letters, telegrams and resolutions and assuring their consideration.

The President stated that he had a communication from Mr. Gourdeau stating that the minister approved of the steamers Minto and Stanley getting part of their supplies in Pictou.

The President also stated that Postmaster Wear had a communication from the President of the N. B. and P. E. I. R. stating that a special would be placed on the road to connect with the Stanley each day.

The full loading of the Minto was considered and members stated that the boat was only partly loaded, perhaps taking not more than ten or twelve cars, but her capacity is about thirty cars. While this condition was prevailing freight was congesting at Pictou.

Speaking of the rates for freight to St. John, shippers stated that the rate via Tormentine was 33 cents per 100 lbs while via Pictou was 34 cents per 100 lbs.

Mr. Tidmarsh suggested that a committee wait upon Mr. Lord re fully loading the Minto. The committee was composed of Mr. Auld, Mr. Tidmarsh, Mr. Hughes.

ing via Pictou. There was also a question of the hay which could not be taken over while freight was congested.

G. E. Full suggested that the Department be asked to allow the Stanley to come here for a few days, only till the congestion of freight is relieved.

Mr. Horns emphasized what Mr. Hughes had said. No passengers or freight were going via Tormentine as the route could not be depended on.

Messrs. Warburton and Prowse stated that they had already wired Ottawa re the congestion of freight.

It was urged by members that the winter boats be placed in commission each year at Dec. 1st regardless of weather conditions.

Re extension of Rails Mr. Warburton said Mr. Sullivan had sent the report to Ottawa on the 8th. He felt satisfied that instructions had been given to go ahead and the delay, he was sure, was right.

Hon. Mr. Hughes said the delay was because the Steam Navigation Co. wanted a guarantee that the rails would not go further.

Mr. Warburton suggested that a committee meet Hon. Mr. Emmerson in Moncton on the 27th with himself and Mr. Prowse re the rails and other matters pertaining to his department.

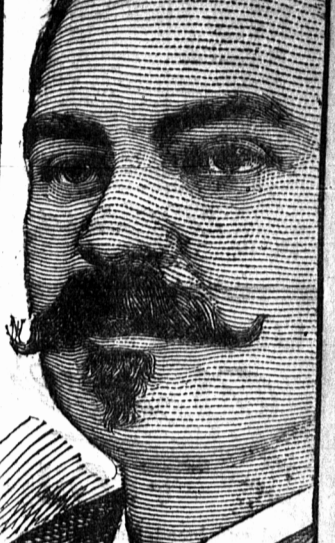
A committee composed of Mr. Hughes, Mr. Full and Mr. Hyndman, was appointed for that purpose.

The following resolution was moved by Hon. Mr. Hughes, seconded by Mr. Riley and unanimously carried:

The City papers having made public the statement

E-RU-NA NECESSARY TO THE HOME.

A Letter From Congressman White, of North Carolina.



HON. GEORGE H. WHITE.

Congressman George Henry White, of Tarboro, N. C., writes the following letter to Dr. Hartman concerning Peruna House of Representatives, Washington, Feb. 4, 1890.

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that the Railway authorities have decided on the new railway station site placing it on the east side of Hillsboro St. between Water and King Streets, this Council of the Board of Trade desires to place on record its disapproval of said site as not being the location chosen by the people nor the most suitable situation—and this Council now requests that the Department furnish a report and plan on the Gt. George St. and Queen St. sites before any definite action is taken.

Mr. Full suggested by plan the sufficiency of the area at Gt. George St. site and Hon. Mr. Hughes said Hon. Mr. Fielding had assured him if there was enough room at Great George St. the cost was not in question.

Meeting then adjourned.

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