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## THE LIBERAL CONVENTION

At Toronto Adopts Ross' Liquor Regulation Scheme—Halifax Deluged by Rain—E. B. Winslow of Fredericton Dead—Bad Business Failure in Glace Bay A Contractor Disappears.

### ONTARIO LIBERAL CONVENTION

TORONTO, Nov. 24.—(Special)—The Liberal Convention today after a hot discussion passed resolutions favoring the temperance policy outlined by Premier Ross in favor of Government control and management of the liquor traffic.

HALIFAX DELUGED BY RAIN.  
HALIFAX, Nov. 24.—(Special)—The city was deluged by rain today, over two inches falling during a few hours.

E. B. WINSLOW DEAD.  
FREDERICTON, N. B., Nov. 24.—(Special)—E. Byron Winslow, one of Fredericton's most esteemed Conservatives and most prominent lawyers died today aged 62.

### FOR YEARS HE WAS AN ACTIVE CONSERVATIVE

though never seeking office. He was well known all over Provinces.

### BAD BUSINESS FAILURE.

SYDNEY, Nov. 24.—Armstrong & Sutherland, contractors, of Glace Bay, have failed; liabilities fifteen thousand; assets merely nominal.

### A DEBTOR DISAPPEARS.

Sutherland has disappeared. The Bank of Montreal is said to be the heaviest creditor.

It is alleged that some paper was discovered by the firm the names on which were purely mythical.

## TWO JAPANESE ATTACKS ON POUTILOFF HILL REPULSED

After Severe Fighting—The Attacking Party Lose Heavily—Attempt to Penetrate the Russian Flank also Falls—Chinese Bandits Led by Japanese Officers Suffer Defeat—The Russian Ships at Port Said in Fear of Torpedo Attacks, Take Great Precautions.

### RUSSIAN SHIPS AT PORT SAID.

PORT SAID, Nov. 24.—(Special)—A detachment of the Russian Baltic squadron arrived here today.

### AFRAID OF TORPEDOES.

Every precaution is being taken to prevent any untoward incident during the passage of the fleet through the Suez Canal.

### JAP ATTACK REPULSED.

MUKDEN, Nov. 24.—(Special)—The Japs made another attack on Poutiloff Hill during the night of November 22.

Their advancing ranks were dropped by the Russian shell fire. Some Japs secured a lodgment on the slopes of the hill but were driven out at the point of the bayonet when the whole Japanese contingent fled.

### SECOND ATTACK DEFEATED.

A similar attempt was made the same night south of Erlagen which was also repulsed by a bayonet charge.

The Japs lost heavily while the Russian loss was but thirty.

### BANDITS WERE WHIPPED.

A band of fifteen hundred Chinese bandits under Japanese officers encountered Russian scouts near Kaiwan early yesterday.

The scouts charged and the bandits after a feeble resistance fled leaving two hundred dead.

### STILL ANOTHER REPULSE.

A Japanese column attempted to penetrate a portion of the eastern Russian flank yesterday but were met by the Russian cavalry and driven off with severe loss.

otherwise, which he declared would be invaluable. The boxes were made in Watertown and the makers were supplied with a Dominion ballot box for a pattern. It is expected this box will be in the hands of the authorities before tomorrow morning.

The charge upon which Byron Lott has been arrested is as follows: "That Byron O. Lott, between Oct. 1st, 1904, and Nov. 3, 1904, within the County of Hastings and in the County of Frontenac and elsewhere, did unlawfully conspire with one F. J. Reilly, T. E. Whalen, W. J. Shibley and Phil A. Lott and other persons unknown, or with one or more of them, by deceit or other fraudulent means to wit, the use of forged, fraudulent, or counterfeit ballots and fraudulent ballot-boxes, with secret compartments, sides and devices therein deceitfully contrived to use as substitutes for the ballot-boxes or some of them intended to be used at an election for the House of Commons in West Hastings, on Nov. 3rd, 1904 to defraud certain unascertained persons, being voters entitled to vote at said election, by substituting for ballots cast by such persons such fraudulent, forged or counterfeited ballots, by means of such fraudulent boxes with their secret compartments, slides and devices."

## ONTARIO FRAUDS IN BALLOT BOXES

No Further Arrests But it is Thought Liberal Candidate Shibley Will Surrender.

KINGSTON, November 23.—Though the government secret service men, R. G. Chamberlain and William Greer, are still here no further arrests in connection with the ballot box conspiracy are expected, Francis J. Reilly, the Regiopolis college professor, who is under surveillance at the Hotel Dieu will not be well enough to be taken to Belleville, it is thought before Friday. The hospital attendants say he is badly scared. Reilly is expected to make a clean breast of it and name the men who had knowledge of the conspiracy. One of the bogus ballot boxes has been sent to Artoch for Councillor Tapping's identification. Mr. Tapping believes that a fake box was in use at this poll. The prosecution have given up hope of effecting the arrest of the liberal candidate Shibley, though some liberals here believe Shibley will go to Belleville on Friday and give himself up. He is thought to be in Syracuse.

BELLEVILLE, November 23 Phil Lott returned from Watertown, N. Y., today, and stated he had been successful in securing evidence, documentary and

## FAMOUS HORSES SOLD AT AUCTION

Major Delmar Brings \$15,000 and Sallie Mac \$15,000—Billings Buyer.

### MAYOR DELMAR SOLD.

NEW YORK, Nov. 24.—(Special)—Major Delmar, the world's champion trotting gelding was sold at auction today for fifteen thousand dollars to C. K. Billings, owner of Lou Dillon.

### TO BREAK WORLD RECORD.

Billings will race the two in an attempt to break the world's record.

### SALLIE MAC ALSO SOLD.

Sallie Mac well-known in provincial circles, was also sold for fifteen thousand five hundred dollars to Miss Willas of Galt Ontario.

## A SUIT AGAINST THOS W LAWSON

NEW YORK, [November 23.—But little information could be obtained today as to the ground upon which Paul Fuller, a New York lawyer, brought suit against Thomas W. Lawson, of Boston, to-day for \$300,000. On behalf of Mr. Fuller it was denied that the action had any connection with Mr. Lawson's recent magazine articles. It was declared that Mr. Fuller alone was the plaintiff in the suit which was one of a purely private nature. It was added that any information on the subject should come from Mr. Fuller's attorneys in Boston. Mr. Fuller is a member of the firm of Coudert Brothers. In connection with this suit, Mr. Lawson issued a statement in Boston late today.

Boston, November 22.—E. W. Burdett the local attorney for Paul Fuller of New York, said to-day that the suit against Mr. Lawson was brought in consequence of an assignment of subscription, by Mr. Lawson, \$300,000 worth of stock in the Kern Incandescent Gas Light Company, of New York city. Mr. Burdett claims that while Mr. Lawson subscribed for such a large amount, he paid over only \$25,000 and that Mr. Fuller and Frederick Coudert, of New York city, have brought suit to recover the balance. Mr. Burdett stated that the papers were served on Mr. Lawson yesterday.

## STEAMER STORD SAFE IN PORT

She Reached St. John's, N. F., Yesterday—Was Delayed by Storm—A Massive Military Dungeon Unearthed at Louisburg, a Relic of the Days of French Occupation.

### STORD ARRIVES SAFELY.

ST. JOHN'S, N. F., Nov. 24.—(Special)—The steamer Stord which was thought to have been lost reached St. John's today.

### CARRIED OUT OF COURSE.

She was carried some distance out of her course during the big storm and also delayed by the temporarily disabling of her engine.

Several seamen were injured on the passage.

### A LOUISBURG DUNGEON.

SYDNEY, Nov. 24.—(Special)—Laborers excavating today for the foundation of the monument to be erected at the old ruins at Louisburg discovered a large dungeon the existence of which was hitherto unsuspected.

### BELONGED TO FRENCH PERIOD.

The walls are massively built of stone and cement and doubtless the dungeon was used for prisoners during time of the French possession.

## PROMOTIONS FOR THE MILITIA

Sir Frederick Borden will Abolish Drill Books by Lord Dundonald.

OTTAWA, Nov. 24.—(Special)—The following promotions in the headquarters staff of the militia have been gazetted:

- Lord Aylmer to be Inspector General with rank of Brigadier General.
  - Brigadier General Lake to be chief of staff.
  - Col. Vidal to be Adjutant General.
  - Col. McDonald to be Quartermaster General.
  - Col. Cotton Master of Ordnance.
- The Minister of Militia has decided to abolish all the drill books written by Lord Dundonald.



The Cannibal Chief—Suffering soup-bones; the meat famine in America must be terrible. I haven't had a missionary for six months.

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CHICAGO MARKETS.  
CHICAGO, Nov. 23.—(Special)—  
Nov. Corn 49 1/2 " Corn  
" Wheat 108 1/2 " May Wheat 109 1/2  
" Pork 12 1/2 " " Pork 12 1/2



## STEAMER WITH 1400 PASSENGERS

Run Into by Another Steamer and those on Board Thrown Into Panic.

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—Fourteen hundred Italian stowage passengers returning to Italy on the Lavello line steamship Nord America, were thrown into excitement to-day when the ship was rammed by the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad float No. 7, in the harbor of Liberty Island. The float struck the steamship about forty feet from the stern and two feet above the waterline, tearing a hole twenty feet long and six feet high in her plates and making it impossible for the vessel to continue her voyage without extensive repairs.

At the moment of collision many of the stowage passengers were on the side of the ship toward the approaching float. When the crash came and the Nord America heeled over alarmingly, many of the passengers were greatly frightened and the crew had much difficulty in reassuring them.

After the Nord America regained an even keel and the passengers were quieted, she returned to her pier. The float, which had apparently suffered but little in the collision, continued on its course.

### THE MIDNIGHT PROBS

Strong winds and gales north to north-west cloudy, turning colder.

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### CONFESSED TO STEALING

LOUISVILLE, Nov. 21.—S. Baird, an employe of a local transfer Co. was arrested last night and confessed to breaking open the trunk of Mrs. Holley, wife of Dr. Samuel H. Holley, of Lexington, and robbing it of \$20,000 worth of jewelry while taking it to the depot.

### ICE WAS TOO THIN.

NEWTON, Mass., November 20.—Two eleven-year-old boys, Abraham Pearl-nutter and Abraham Fried, were drowned in Silver Lake yesterday. The boys were playing about the lake during the afternoon, and just about dark they began to slide upon the ice, which was too thin to bear their weight. Both lads broke through and were drowned.

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