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A COOK AND HOUSEMAID. APPLY Mrs. Van Straubenzee, Portmouth.

TWO UNFURNISHED ROOMS (OR ONE large). Address, stating terms, etc. Box "G.," Whig office.

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YOUNG WOMAN TO ASSIST IN CARE of Invalid Lady, one willing to make herself generally useful. Apply, at Johnston Street.

A SMALL OR MEDIUM SIZED HOUSE by May 1st or sooner, in good locality for a small family. Apply box X, Whig office.

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GENTLEMEN, TO GET THEIR Singing Suits made up at Galloway's, 131 Brock street, next to Bibby's, style, fit and price guaranteed to please, pressing and repairing done promptly.

ALL INTELLIGENT, RELIABLE PEOPLE who are seeking an advantageous change, or those, who wish to start work will accomplish their wish by writing Marshall, Wells and Co., one of the most important and best importers, London, Ont. Outfit furnished.

PUPILS AT MME. ELDER'S DRESS-making Parlors, 251 Princess Street. Evening costumes a specialty. Instructions in dressmaking given every day and evening until March 1st. Cutting by measure, designing, etc. Cutting system, \$10.

FOR SALE.

GOOD BUILDING LOT, SOUTH SIDE Queen street, between Montreal and Bagot. Apply 49 Colborne street.

BUSINESS CHANCE, SUITABLE FOR lady or gentleman, annual profit \$4,500. Apply at McCann's, 51 Brock street.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED for the following property to February 20th, 1905: Nos. 204, 206 William street and Nos. 109, 111 Wellington street, heated by hot water; and Nos. 220, 222, 224 Sydney street, and 183 Clergy street, heated by hot air. All these properties have all modern improvements, can be bought singly or otherwise, on easy terms. Also hot north-west corner of Mack and Albert streets, opposite Victoria Park, and half lot on Ordnance street, opposite Frontenac Park. Address Box 41, Whig office.

LOST.

FIVE \$5 BILLS, ON MONDAY, 6TH inst., Finder will be liberally rewarded by taking them to the Whig office.

A BROWN LEATHER WHIST BAG, containing money and other papers, Saturday evening, on Princess Street, between Sutherland's Shoe Store and the Y.M.C.A. Finder please return to Whig office.

Cigarette Habit Of Toronto Girls. Toronto, Feb. 7.—Rev. Dr. Spier told the Municipal Reform Association at a meeting that a large dealer in cigarettes had informed him that the habit was taking hold not only of the young boys, but also of the girls.

DAILY MEMORANDA.

Portsmouth council, 7.30 p.m. Dr. Drummond, Grand Opera House, 8 p.m. Annual Meeting K. & P. Railway Company, Wednesday noon. The sun rises Wednesday at 7.10 a.m. and sets at 5.20 p.m. Sunday School Convention, First Congregational Church, 8 p.m. This day in history—Pope Pius IX. died, 1878; Pius'is born, 1812. Rideau Lakes Navigation Company, annual meeting, 3 p.m., Wednesday. When the office seeks the man it is a good bit like a game of old-fashioned blind man's bluff. Some women seem to think that a marriage license is equivalent to a life contract to lecturing. Many a young doctor has been to professional prominence by simply looking wise and charging big fees.



DINNER SETS

To make your table look pretty and show your friends what good taste you have, get one of our

..ROBERTSON BROS..

NOTICE.

WE HAVE BOUGHT THE STOCK in trade of the late Joseph Jameson, plumber and steam-fitter, and purpose to carry on the business as usual at 42 Johnston street. By giving our personal supervision to any work intrusted to us, coupled with low prices, we hope to receive a share of your patronage. Any plumbing or heating work you have to do, give us a chance, we will give you satisfaction in workmanship and prices. ALEXANDER JAMESON, JOHN JAMESON, Phone 287.

There Are Other Shoes, But None Equal to Our

\$6 FRENCH COLT

Wear "Allen's"

Military Bootmakers, 84 Brock St.

SIGN OF GOLDEN BOOT.

KINGSTON COVERED RINK

Hockey Match

MARLBOROS vs. QUEENS

THURSDAY, Feb. 9th

PIANO TUITION

MISS MAY NEWMAN, 271 King St. West

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONFERENCE

MARINE ENGINEERS.

Annual Convention Held At Collingwood.

ENTERED ACTION

For Killing of a Husband And Father.

Special to the Whig.

London, Ont., Feb. 7.—The widow and children of Joseph Naxin, yardmaster for the Grand Trunk, at this city, who was killed a day or so before Christmas in the yards here, have issued a writ against the Lake Erie and Detroit River railway for \$45,000 damages. Naxin was killed by being run over by a couple of freight cars which had been violently shunted into a Lake Erie engine.

W. H. Price, star witness in Gansey case, John M. Hanna's firm in Sarina, Ont.

A NEW MOVE.

Overland Telegrams To Far East Stopped.

THE RETREAT

RUSSIANS MOVE NORTHWARD, DESTROYING LINES.

Russians Will Abandon Operations in Korea—Burned Provisions There—Startling Move Expected—Grand Dual Party Now Favors Peace.

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St. Petersburg, Feb. 7.—Telegraphing under date of February 5th, Gen. Kurapatkin reports as follows: "A Russian detachment marched to Santaike twelve miles southwest of Sidon bay. The Japanese at Santaike and Sado-meng were repulsed. The Russian losses were insignificant. The Japanese assumed the offensive along the line to Chausantaike today. Several of their batteries advanced, but the Russian artillery repulsed them."

Will Abandon Korea.

Tokio, Feb. 7.—The Russians intend to abandon their operations in north-western Korea. This is confirmed by army headquarters. The Russians have burned their provisions and other stores, and destroyed the telegraph lines. The withdrawal is believed as a result of the fall of Port Arthur, the Russians fear an attack on Harbin.

Destroy Telegraph Lines.

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London, Feb. 7.—Yesterday, for the first time since the war commenced, the Russian government stopped overland telegraphic communication with the far east. Shipowners who telegraphed to Vladivostok making enquiries concerning their steamers, had their messages returned marked, "wires under the control of the Russian government." The lines affected are the Great Northern company's, by way of Siberia and Manchuria. It is understood that some war movement is afoot, necessitating constant communication between Gen. Kurapatkin and the government.

Admiral Togo's Plans.

Tokio, Feb. 7.—At a meeting of the council of ministers, yesterday, the plans for the naval defence of Japan against the forthcoming attack of the Russian fleet were submitted, and approved. Admiral Togo left Tokyo, yesterday afternoon, and received a full report from Vice-Admiral Kanimura, sailed yesterday from Nippon.

Miloff In Command.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 7.—Gen. Miloff, commander of the 8th army corps, has been appointed to replace Gen. Kuropatkin in command of the second Manchurian army. The same wide-spread and high-placed influenza which agitated Gen. Kuropatkin's removal, after the battle of Liao-Yang, are now endeavoring to induce the emperor to accept the general's tendered resignation.

Does It Favor Peace?

London, Feb. 7.—The Chronicle's St. Petersburg correspondent asserts that Gen. Gripenberg's reverse, and the apparent impossibility of gaining a victory over the Japanese, have caused the grand old party of the second situation, with the result that the party has decided in favor of peace. The announcement that Gen. Kuropatkin might be recalled to the second order that negotiations to terminate the war might be facilitated. The correspondent claims to know that the Russian representatives in Paris have been instructed to take a more liberal attitude towards the United States.

TO GET GALAPAGOS ISLANDS?

Rumor That United States Will Acquire Them.

Washington, Feb. 7.—There is a suspicion in diplomatic circles that the United States will soon acquire the Galapagos Islands. It is believed that underlying the discussion in Ecuador of the question of disposing of the islands there is a tentative understanding with the United States.

MARRIED THE MAN.

She Attempted To Kill In Paris.

Paris, Feb. 7.—An attempted murder had a happy sequel. Last October a lady named Chely, shot at a young man, the son of a well-known merchant here, as he was emerging from Maxime's, in the Rue Royale. The bullet missed its mark, but she was at once arrested. She said that she had shot at her lover because he had betrayed and deserted her. The young man, however, forgave the lady and begged for her liberty, at the same time avowing his own cowardly behaviour, and asking her to marry him. She consented and the wedding took place last week.

GERMANY WILL PROTEST.

Annoyed By Warlike Speech Of Arthur H. Lee.

Berlin, Feb. 7.—There is no longer any doubt that the speech of Arthur Hamilton Lee, British civil lord of the admiralty, at Eastleigh, England, on Thursday evening, has created strained relations between England and Germany. Emperor William and Chancellor Von Bulow held a conference today, at which it is reported they drew up an energetic note of protest, to be forwarded to Lord Lansdowne.

TELL OF CANCER STUDIES.

Dr. Doyen To Publish Result Of Investigation.

Paris, Feb. 7.—Dr. Doyen is about to publish an account of his cancer researches for the last fifteen years. Concerning the much-talked-of serum, he says: "It must not be believed that my cancer treatment can cure a patient who has but a few more days to live, and whose vital organs are almost entirely destroyed. The remedy should be applied to patients whose powers of resistance are still sufficient to enable them to struggle against the progress of the malady."

Dr. Doyen advises an operation wherever feasible, but suggests injections of his serum, where the opportunity to prevent recidivism. He says 95 per cent. of patients can be benefited and 25 per cent. cured.

FRANK P. FLINT.

The new senator from California, Mr. Flint is a native of Massachusetts, but has been a resident of Los Angeles for many years. He has always been active in republican politics.

CRAZY LOVER

Kills Sweetheart's Mother And Wounds Her Father.

Paris, Feb. 7.—At Essonnes, a quiet little place in the neighborhood, a Russian girl, who had been married to a Frenchman, was kept to dinner, and everything seemed to be going on amicably. A discussion of some sort arose, however, and led to Rohr with drawing his revolver and firing upon his two hosts. The man was hit in the jaw, and the woman so severely wounded that she later died. Rohr attempted to escape, but he was surrounded by the police and he turned the revolver on himself and blew his brains out.

GARIBALDI'S ASHES.

Son Asks Parliament To Carry Out Father's Wishes.

Rome, Feb. 7.—Ricciotti Garibaldi, the last surviving son of the Italian liberator, has addressed a petition to parliament to definitely settle the question of the final disposition of his father's remains. It was the dying wish of Gen. Garibaldi that his body should be cremated and the ashes deposited, but the government authorities stepped in and forbade it, although his son would have carried out his wishes. Ricciotti Garibaldi, in his petition, says he feels that his last days are near, and so asks that the chambers shall settle the question once and forever, and demands that respect be shown for his father's desires.

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Chinese Do Not Want 'A Big War.'

RUSSIA QUIET

AND CAN GIVE NO BACK TALK TO THEM.

Or Invade Their Territory—Empress Had Picnics Scattered Broadcast, Picturing The Chinese Situation In Its Desire For Peace.

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Tokio, Feb. 7.—The bloody events of St. Petersburg and Russia in general are filling the Chinese, the most unwarlike of people, with joy. Whatever happens Russia cannot now execute her threat to invade Chinese territory and punish the Chinese for alleged breaches of neutrality.

As soon as Russia published the note accusing the Chinese and threatening hostilities, the empress caused to be published broadcast, by newspaper and placards, the following situation, which pictures the Chinese situation exactly:

"When Brahma put the first man and woman upon this earth they complained bitterly when recognizing their own helplessness in comparison with the other animals. 'Why were we not given the eagle's wings, the lion's and tiger's paws, the buffalo's horns and the elephant's tusks and trunk?' they asked. Why are we smaller and weaker than the buffalo, why without soft fur like the bear?"

"And the great Brahma answered: 'I didn't give you wings, because I don't want you to leave this earth, and die flying toward the sun. I failed to furnish you with talons, tusks and horns because I don't want you to tear each other's bodies. I gave you the strength of the tiger, the lion, the elephant to hold empire over the earth. You need no brute power for I made you stronger than all the animals by giving you good sense. It's your brain that will make you king of beasts. True, compared with the earth, you are but like specks of dust, you will sway the earth, subjugate and rule by working it. All its treasure the earth will lay at your feet if you but ask it in the right way."

"Thus warning, brahms, to maintain peace among yourselves, to further brotherly love, to exchange the products of this earth so each and all are satisfied. There is no greater stupidity than war."

"The Chinese," says the empress' placard, "believe in Brahma's teachings. They hate war and do everything to avoid it, nothing to further it."

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ROSS MINISTRY OUT.

Resignation Sent To Lieut.-Gov. Clarke.

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Toronto, Feb. 7.—The Ross government has resigned.

Shortly after one o'clock, this afternoon, Hon. George W. Ross drove from his house, 1 Elmley Place, where he had spent the morning, to Government House. He was unaccompanied. He remained closeted with Lieut.-Gov. Mortimer Clark, for close on to an hour. It was the closing scene of liberal administration that has extended over thirty-two years.

Mr. Ross handed in the resignation of himself and his colleagues, handed over the great seal of the province, and advised his honor to call upon J. P. Whitney to form a government.

The premier-elect is not in Toronto this morning, but is expected to arrive from Morrisburg, this afternoon. It is probable that a few minutes after he reaches here he will proceed to Government House, in response to a message from the lieutenant-governor. It is also extremely likely that Mr. Whitney, already having ample time in which to collect his colleagues, will not require to ask for any delay in the naming of his cabinet but, immediately, hand to his honor a list of the men he desires to be sworn in as holders of portfolios. The official swearing in of these gentlemen may take place this evening.

The Latest Slate.

The latest rumor places the slate for the cabinet as follows:

Premier and minister of education—J. P. Whitney, Dundas.

Attorney-general—J. Foy, South Toronto.

Treasurer—Col. Matheson, South Lanark.

Crown lands—W. J. Hanna, West Lambton.

Agriculture—Nelson Monteith, South Perth.

Public works—Dr. Willoughby, East Northumberland.

Provincial secretary—J. B. Lucas, Centre Grey.

Mines—J. P. Downey, South Wellington.

Speaker—Dr. Pyle, East Toronto.

Without portfolio—Dr. Reaume, North Essex.

THE CITY OF CLEVELAND GOT THIS AMOUNT.

Special to the Whig.

Cleveland, Feb. 7.—Five hundred dollars for one kiss, is the record in Cleveland, and it was paid by Henry Hoffman, a stranger who came to this city last Friday. He was standing on a downtown corner when a pretty young woman passed. He grasped her and planted a kiss on her cheek. A patrolman arrested Hoffman, but the girl would not prosecute.

A charge of disorderly conduct was placed against Hoffman, who put up \$500 for his appearance. He failed to show up when the case was called, and the judge declared his bond forfeit. The \$500 was turned over to the city.

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WEATHER PROBABILITIES.

Toronto, Ont., Feb. 7.—10 a.m.—North-west to north winds, strong until night; fine and very cold to-day and on Wednesday.

Great Special Sale of Black Dress Goods

Is Slated for Wednesday

At This Store.

The Reason Why

Stocks are too heavy and must be lightened up before arrival of new goods for spring. There's one way to do it—

Cut the Price

We've done it and done it well.