

HAMILTON HAPPENINGS

HAMILTON A DUMPING GROUND FOR LUNATICS

The Ambitious City Objects to Out-siders Helping to Crowd Her Asylum

HAMILTON, Aug. 12.—(Special.)—Are the outside cities and municipalities using Hamilton as a dumping ground for insane and useless characters? That is a question that is occupying the minds of the police at the present. During the past two weeks three men have been committed to the local asylum for insanity, one being leaving mad. These three men were Joseph Hunt and Ben Spelman of Montreal and Peter Stafford, no address. The fact that two of the three came from Montreal leads the police to believe that Hamilton is being made the dumping ground for Montreal lunatics. It is hinted that an investigation will be made, as the authorities are getting tired of having helpless imbeciles thrown upon their hands.

A. M. Anderson, 102 Leaming-street, was arrested to-night on a charge of obtaining board under false pretences. Hon. Col. John S. Hendrie, minister without portfolio, arrived here to-day, and is said to be relinquishing his portfolio. Col. Hendrie stated he had enough to handle in his present power project and other duties of a minister without portfolio, and would not accept Dr. Keane's portfolio if it was offered to him.

The stomach of John Stein, the two-month-old Polish baby, who died a couple of days ago from what was at first believed to be insect, has been sent to Toronto for analysis. The police have a particular reason to believe that poison caused the child's death, but as they commenced an investigation on the complaint of neighbors, they decided to overlook no contingency. On the report of the analysis will depend whether or not an inquest will be held.

The application of the Federal Gas Company for a franchise to sell natural gas in this city in connection with the Ontario Pipe Line Co., has fallen thru. The board of control this morning insisted on the price being cents per 100 feet. J. Scott, who represents the company, refused to make the price less than 30 cents. There was a check, and Mr. Scott announced that he would withdraw.

Arthur F. Hath was last night elected chairman of the Hamilton branch of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association. F. H. Whitten was elected vice-chairman, W. R. Dunn treasurer, and C. A. Murton secretary. Resolutions to the annual meeting to be held at Vancouver, were appointed.

AT THE LABOR TEMPLE

The plumbers held a meeting of special import at the Labor Temple to-night, when the election of delegates to represent Toronto at the coming annual convention of the United Association of Plumbers, Steam and Gas Fitters of the United States and Canada took place.

This year the rendezvous will be at Minneapolis, and the convention will open on Sept. 12. The proposed increase of death benefits and the protection of defence fund will be among some of the matters dealt with. The Toronto representatives are the business agent, W. J. Sperry, and Mr. McEain, second vice-president of the International, and also past president of Local No. 45.

The Boot and Shoe Workers of Toronto have made arrangements with those of Berlin for a huge picnic at Berlin next Saturday. The Berlin people are making preparations for a big day's outing. A brass band will meet the train and escort the visitors to the city hall to be welcomed by the mayor.

International Tennis Championships. In connection with the forthcoming tennis tourney at Niagara-on-the-Lake, commencing Monday, Aug. 22, it will be of interest to all those who contemplate being present at the tournament to learn that special arrangements for transportation have been made with the Niagara Navigation Co. Certificates good for the entire week may be obtained from either F. L. Summerhayes, 36 Toronto-street, R. A. Burns, corner King and Beavan-streets, J. A. Meldrum, Canada Life Building, or T. H. Hall, Continental Life Building. It is necessary for players and spectators to obtain these certificates, and on presentation of same at the office of the Niagara Navigation Co., Yonge-street, or at the wharf, tickets at a reduced rate will be issued.

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Property at Northeast Corner of Richmond and Victoria Streets. Also Changes Hands.

It has been announced by S. F. McKinnon & Co. Limited, wholesale millinery and cloak manufacturers, that their present eight-story building at the northeast corner of Wellington and York-streets, has been disposed of, subject to their occupancy for the term of the present lease. The building and the ground on which it stands, a lot 60x110 feet, are the property of S. F. McKinnon.

The McKinnon Company propose to erect a much larger five-story building, such as will be adequate to meet the growing demands of the business.

The World is informed that the building has been sold to private parties for \$125,000. F. B. Robins, of Robins Limited, having acted as the intermediary in the transaction when in Europe recently.

It is also stated that the lot 32x103 feet, at the northeast corner of Richmond and Victoria-streets, opposite Shea's new theatre, has been purchased by F. B. Robins for \$80,000.

When questioned by a World reporter last night, Mr. Robins would say nothing regarding the transaction. At the present time Robins Limited occupy two floors of the Equity Chambers, at the northeast corner of Adelaide and Victoria-streets, and it is understood that, owing to a steady gain in business, they have been cramped for space for some time past. It is believed that they propose tearing down the old structures on their new property, and erecting a modern steel-construction skyscraper.

WESTERN LUMBERMEN AGREE TO REDUCE PRICE

Held Conference With Prairie Retailers—Lumber Trade in a Flourishing Condition.

VANCOUVER, Aug. 12.—(Special.)—Coast and mountain mill men, at a conference with the prairie retailers at Banff, concluded yesterday, agreed to reduce the price on common timber \$2 per thousand. A number of retailers, who expressed a willingness to give the farmer the benefit of the reduction, were given a warning.

All reports showed the lumber trade to be in a flourishing condition. The stocks of coast mill men were shown to have been 101,000,000 feet, as compared with 2,000,000 feet on Jan. 1 and 175,000,000 feet a year ago. The stocks of 33 prairie mills are now 165,000,000 feet, as against 200,000,000 feet the time last year. Spruce mills reported that they will have 30,000,000 feet on hand at the end of the season, as compared with 75,000,000 a year ago, and the white pine-men of the east showed that their stocks are 40 per cent less than they were a year ago.

Several spruce mills and one white pine mill have closed thru lack of supply of logs. Two large sawmills in the Kootenays were destroyed by fire last month, thus reducing the output for the present.

STRATHCONA SENDS \$5,000

CHATHAM, N. B. Aug. 12.—(Special.)—Lord Strathcona has sent \$5,000 to the fire sufferers at the Town of Campbellton. He cabled Lieutenant-Governor Tweedie to that effect to-night.

C. P. R. Brakeman Killed

William Cunningham, a C.P.R. brakeman in the West, Toronto, was run over by a train early yesterday morning at the Western Hospital during the afternoon. Both legs were severed. An inquest was opened last evening by Coroner George W. Graham, and was adjourned until 8 p.m. on the 19th inst.

Steamship Arrivals

R.M.S. "Victorian" arrived at Quebec Thursday evening and docked at Montreal last night (Friday).

R.M.S. "Virginian" left Montreal

R.M.S. "Virginian" which left Montreal August 5th, was reported at Malin Head, north of Ireland, 11 p.m. Thursday evening and arrived at Liverpool noon Friday, August 12th.

Pittsburg Fishing Party

A party of twenty ladies and gentlemen from Pittsburg registered at the Walker House last evening. For the last month they have been camping and fishing in the northland, and they are now on their way home.

The Lancashire Men Make Money

The Lancashire Association had a moonlight excursion on the street cars last evening, after which dances were held in the Sons of England Hall and refreshments served.

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DETESTABLE CONSPIRACY AGAINST CIVILIZATION

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great injustice to King Alfonso. He says: "One might as well say that the opinion of all foreign statesmen and the intellectualty of the world weigh upon the king, for there is not a single publication in civilization which does not applaud the dawn of a glorious epoch and the liberation of Spain."

"The king in the present case obeys a profound conviction. He is a fervent Catholic, but his mind is open to grand ideas, and he is a serious student of contemporary civilization. He is a Liberal, tolerant and truly constitutional, and without forgetting his royal prerogatives will follow popular impulse. He gives his confidence to a ministry sustained by the majority of the cortex."

The enlightened and patriotic royal army continues Senor Canalejas, permits the government to face with serenity all threats of trouble. He explains that the government's object in the present situation of the religious question is to clear the way for the introduction of vast economic and administrative reforms, for which the people are ready.

The premier ends the interview by saying that he has been minister four times; retiring on each occasion because he could not put into practice his personal ideas. "But now," he says, "I have the power, desire and purpose to succeed. Threats will not deter me, and I am sure that the long as I have a majority in the cortex and the confidence of the King I shall remain."

Carlist Pretender's Manifesto

SAN SEBASTIAN, Spain, Aug. 12.—Don Jaime, the Carlist pretender to the throne, to-day issued a letter addressed to the leaders of the Carlist, in which he advises his followers to resist with all their force the rising tide of radicalism, but not to have recourse to violence.

The pretender says that he does not propose to depart from pacific methods unless the existing regime is threatened.

"If revolution menaces religious, family and property traditions of Catholic Spain," he added, "I will do my duty."

The whole edition of "Gaceta del Norte," the Bilbao clerical organ published on Monday, was seized by the police, and criminal proceedings have been instituted against the newspaper for violent attacks against Senor Canalejas, in which his private life and affairs were exposed.

Merry Del Val Replaced

ROME, Aug. 12.—It is stated here that Cardinal Rampolla, former papal secretary of state, has been appointed the provisional direction of the policy of the Vatican, replacing Cardinal Merry del Val, who will, however, retain the rank and title of secretary of state.

It is said that Cardinal Rampolla has advised the Pope to make concessions all along the line to the Spaniards.

Q.O.R. LEAVING FOR ENGLAND TO-NIGHT

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comes prominently before the British public.

"Old Boys" To the Fore.

The regiment will gather at the armory at 9 o'clock to-night. When they are lined up a presentation by the ex-members of the corps to Sir Henry and Lady Pellatt. An illuminated address will be presented to Sir Henry and a beautiful jeweled memento will be presented to Lady Pellatt. The address will be read by George Harman, K.C., secretary of the "old boys" committee, and the presentations will be made by Major A. Murray, chairman of the committee. It is expected that there will be a goodly attendance of ex-members.

At 9.45 they will start. The brass band of the 48th Highlanders will precede them and "play them down" to the train. When they get there it will be a grand sight to see aboard the two special Great Train trains.

At the armory 200 members of the corps who are unable to go will parade in their light-green uniforms under the command of Major Murray and will bid their comrades good-bye.

The route of march is over to Yonge, down York to King, along King to York and down York to the station. They will arrive in Montreal in the morning, where they will be entertained by the 58th Regiment. Monday they will go to Quebec. There they get there everything will be in readiness to receive them. Capt. Butcher writes there several days ago to erect tents.

A Unique Event.

This will be the first occasion that an overseas corps will take part as a whole unit in the imperial army maneuvers, although a small contingent of the 48th Highlanders, a Toronto regiment, was attached to the Gordon Highlanders for the Aldershot maneuvers of 1908. The Rifles will parade in Quebec and will drill there for one week before embarking on the Atlantic on Aug. 20. None of the expenses will be borne by the militia department, the trip being entirely financed by Sir Henry M. Pellatt.

Guests of the 68th

MONTREAL, Aug. 12.—(Special.)—The Queen's Own Rifles, a crack regiment, who are to arrive in town Sunday, en route for England, will be the guests while here of the 68th Regiment, which is the French-Canadian corps of Montreal. The stop in Montreal will be short, the visitors will be made to feel at home, on arriving at Bonaventure Station for Sunday morning the Queen's Own will be received by Lieut.-Col. Lelache, commanding officer of the 68th, after which they will march direct to the new armory of the local regiment. There an address of welcome will be read, to which Sir Henry Pellatt will reply; then lunch will be served to officers and men.

The rest of the day until the departure of the Quebec boat will be spent socially by officers and men of both regiments.

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Hotel Man Honored

On the occasion of leaving the hotel premises at the corner of King and Bay-streets to take up his quarters in his commodious new hotel at the corner of Simcoe and Queen-streets, Mr. James Smith, the proprietor, was pleasantly surprised by a gathering of friends, who met at the old hotel last night and presented him with a handsome sterling silver loving cup. Mrs. Smith was made the recipient of a beautiful bouquet of American Beauty roses. Speeches followed, in which all congratulated wishes for Mr. Smith's continued success in his new hotel, which was designed by Architect P. H. Herbert.

SHOT HIMSELF IN THE BREAST

LONDON, Ont., Aug. 12.—(Special.)—William Pittfry, a farmer, living near Strathroy, shot himself in the breast with a .32-calibre revolver this afternoon and was rushed to this city, where to-night the physicians say he will recover. After his act Pittfry calmly called a neighbor and told him what he had done.

Auto Struck Rig

Automobile No. 8001 collided with a buggy on Church-street, near Carlton, last night, smashing the rig and slightly injuring its two occupants, W. Smith of 50 Don Mills-road and J. Isobel of 21 Don Mills-road. Dr. Noble attended them in his Gerrard-street office.

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