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O'BRIEN IS SAFELY JAILED

AFTER A SCRAP WITH THE POLICE IN THE COURT ROOM.

Incidents of the Journey and Trial—Harrington Makes His Voice Heard—O'Brien Arrested and Guarded by Hussars and Police to the Cork Jail.

DUBLIN, Oct. 31.—The appeal of Wm. O'Brien, editor of United Ireland, against the sentence of three months' imprisonment, imposed on him by the Mitchellstown court, has been refused and the sentence of the lower court confirmed. The charge on which Mr. O'Brien was convicted was of using seditious language under the Crimes Act at a National League meeting at Mitchellstown.

The sentence on Mr. Mandeville, chairman of the Board of Poor Law Guardians of Mitchellstown, was also confirmed, and he was taken into custody.

His Last Day of Liberty.

DUBLIN, Oct. 31.—At Kanturk yesterday Mr. O'Brien eluded the police and addressed an immense crowd of people, some of whom were mounted. He said this was probably his last day of liberty for some time and he was proud to spend it there. He ridiculed Mr. Balfour's idea of repressing the agitation by confining the Irish members of the House of Commons. "These members," he said, "are the outposts of an army of twenty millions of the Irish race. If this is a conspiracy it is a conspiracy with every element to make national and great a cause that is unconquerable."

On the Way to Middleton.

DUBLIN, Oct. 31.—Mr. O'Brien arrived at Cork this morning and was given an enthusiastic reception. He started for Middleton where the hearing on his appeal was to be heard, in the company of Messrs. Dillon and Harrington. On his way to Middleton Mr. O'Brien alighted from the train at Queenstown Junction, where he was greeted by an immense crowd of league members with bands and banners. Some of the crowd were mounted and all displayed in their hats the green cards of membership of the league. The cavalcade lined the roadside far beyond the depot. O'Brien drove to Carrigtwohill, where there was another imposing demonstration in his honor. An address was presented to him, and in his reply Mr. O'Brien said he never saw before such a striking evidence of the unconquerable spirit that animates the Irish people. The thought of this inspiring spectacle would compensate him for the wretched three months he should have to spend in prison and for his lifelong labor for the Irish cause. He asked the people to show a spirit of discipline and refrain from their purpose to march to Middleton.

Arrival in the Town.

DUBLIN, Oct. 31.—Reaching Middleton there was a further demonstration. The police, however, interfered and suppressed it. As soon as Mr. O'Brien entered the court the case for the Crown was opened by Mr. Carson. Mr. O'Brien interrupted him, and, addressing the Recorder, volunteered to make a statement which he said would shorten the proceedings of the court. He was not represented by counsel, he said, and asked permission to explain why he was not. Mr. Carson objected, and the Recorder said he preferred to hear the evidence proving the Crown's case. Mr. Carson then continued for the Crown, and the decision was as recorded above.

Riot in The Court Room.

DUBLIN, Oct. 31.—A most exciting scene ensued in the court room at Middleton when the decision confirming the sentence of the Mitchellstown court was announced. The room was immediately in an uproar and the people clustered about Mr. O'Brien to prevent the law officers from arresting him. Mr. Harrington contended that the police had no right to arrest Mr. O'Brien. A terrible struggle took place in the court room and in the passage leading to the street, between Mr. O'Brien and his friends on the one side and the police on the other. Ladies screamed and fainted and the confusion was general.

Description of the Riot.

DUBLIN, Oct. 31.—The scene in the court room resulted from O'Brien's attempt to leave the building in order to speak to his friends. The inspector of police refused to let him go. O'Brien insisted on his right and had a struggle with the police when they stopped him. Mr. Harrington lent his assistance, but finding that it was useless returned to the solicitors' table and shouted for justice, declaring that O'Brien could not be legally arrested, as no warrant had been signed. The recorder sided with Harrington, and said O'Brien should go. Mr. Stokes, the Magistrate, thereupon shouted,

"Do not let him go; I will be responsible for the consequences."

Harrington then exclaimed at the top of his voice:

"See how justice is done—the judge's authority is defied."

There were cries of "let him out," and a fierce struggle ensued between the people and the police guarding O'Brien. Meanwhile the magistrate had signed a warrant for the arrest of O'Brien and he was removed to the rear of the Court House in custody.

DUBLIN, Oct. 31.—Outside the Court House the scene beggared description. Twenty thousand people were gathered in the streets clamoring for the rescue of O'Brien and vengeance on the police. It seemed impossible to avert a riot. Later O'Brien and Mandeville, guarded by hussars, were placed in a car. The crowd cheered them as they emerged from the Court House. The police cleared the streets and prevented any attempt at rescue. Priests assisted to keep the people in order. The prisoners were taken to the Cork jail.

O'Brien Refused to Speak.

DUBLIN, Oct. 31.—When Mr. Carson had finished O'Brien was asked to reply. He referred to a statement made recently by the recorder, showing that he was a partisan of coercion, and said he would be a hypocrite if he pretended that he had the smallest hope of obtaining an unprejudiced trial. He, therefore, declined to adduce arguments in support of his appeal, knowing that the case was already decided.

The recorder then said, as Mr. O'Brien declined to proceed, he would at once give his decision. There was no doubt that the language used, on which Mr. O'Brien was convicted, was an incitement to resist the authorities. He regretted to have to confirm the sentence, but the law was clear and he was left no alternative.

CHAT ACROSS THE CABLE.

Prince Ferdinand has sent M. Grenaud on a political mission to Vienna and Paris.

The flagship of the Russian Pacific squadron is ashore on the rocks at Vladivostock.

The Chinese Emperor has given 2,000,000 taels for the improvement of the Yellow River.

The Minister of War has prohibited military music at Clermont-Ferrand, because it promoted demonstrations in favor of Gen. Boulanger.

Festal performances were given throughout Germany and Austria yesterday in honor of the centenary of the production of "Don Giovanni."

M. Platonoff, a journalist ranking next to the late M. Katkoff, whom he was destined to succeed in the management of the Moscow Gazette, is dead.

Crown Prince Frederick William, in a letter to the president of the Silesian Diet, says he hopes to return home in the spring with his health restored.

The Russian press adversely comments on the proposed tariff changes. The papers say the high tariff is ruining trade, while continual changes cause distrust on the part of other countries.

The Mormon brethren in Turkey have applied to the Porte for permission to establish a colony in Turkey. It is expected that the request will be granted.

Despatches state that the steamer Panama, Capt. Alcacena, is ashore off St. Sebastien. The Panama left New York with twenty passengers and a general cargo. The passengers are safe.

THE ANARCHIST BRETHREN

Continue to Monopolise a Good Deal of Uncle Sam's Attention.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 31.—There was no decision in the Anarchist cases to-day. The Chief Justice announced that a decision would be rendered on Wednesday, or at the latest on Thursday.

CHICAGO, Oct. 31.—The sheriff and police department were considerably agitated over the circulation from an unknown source through the mails, of a circular calling on the workingmen to rescue the imprisoned Anarchists.

NEW YORK, Oct. 31.—A meeting held under the auspices of the Knights of Labor took place last night in Union-square to protest against the hanging of the condemned Chicago Anarchists. Not more than 2000 persons were present. Inspector Williams commanded the police force of 150 in the square, and kept them as well as possible out of sight. None of the organizations except the Machinists' Progressive Union No. 1, marched to the meeting in a body. The machinists carried their red flag. T. B. McGuire, James Quinn and others were among the speakers. Resolutions were passed calling upon the courts of the nation to immediately release the condemned men and providing for the appointment of a committee to proceed to Illinois and wait upon Governor Oglesby if the Supreme Court fails to grant the stay.

RAVENNA, Oct. 31.—A meeting of socialists here yesterday passed resolutions protesting against the execution of the Chicago anarchists.

The Delay in Judgment.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 31.—The failure of the United States Supreme Court to render a decision to-day in the Anarchists' cases and the announcement of the Chief Justice that the court would not be ready to make public such decision until Wednesday or Thursday are thought to indicate nothing more than that the court's judgment will be set forth in a more or less elaborate opinion and that the Justice to whom the preparation of that opinion has been assigned is not yet ready with it. It is the universal belief of lawyers who practice at the Supreme Court bar that the petition for a writ of error will be denied, but this belief is based only upon their own views of constitutional law and the impression made upon their minds by the argument. The Justices of the court will not allow any intimation to escape them as to their views until the opinion has been formally announced.

BRITISH AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

Declaration of Principles at Union-square, New York, Last Night.

NEW YORK, Oct. 31.—The first public meeting of the British American Association of the State of New York for promoting the naturalization of British subjects, was held this afternoon at Union-square. There was a large attendance and a good deal of enthusiasm. Among the principles of the association as read by the President, Mr. W. N. Bartram, is the following:

"This association maintains first, last and always its adherence to the principles of the constitution of the United States and the determination to know no other test among those who seek citizenship than a loyal acceptance of these principles and an honest renunciation and dissociation from foreign politics and alien agitation. The association also emphatically declares its abiding faith in the public schools as the chief element in the perpetuation of the Republic, and declares its hostility to all measures, men or influence antagonistic to the common school system.

The membership was fixed at $1 per year, which includes the cost of providing naturalization papers. In the course of the president's address he stated the number of English residents in New York City and Brooklyn unnaturalized to be over $50,000, while the number of French Canadian male adults in New York State was over 90,000. The movement excites a great deal of attention among British and Canadian residents here.

LOSS OF THE DERRY CASTLE.

Fifteen Persons Drowned—Eight Rescued After Five Months.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 31.—On March 20 last the iron bark Derry Castle, belonging to Limerick, Ireland, left Geling for Falmouth, with wheat. No trace of her could be found at any port, and she was reported as missing on Sept. 22. Eight survivors of the Derry Castle's crew reached Melbourne on the sealer Awarsa. They stated that the missing bark had been cast away on Enderby Island, one of the Auckland group, eight days after commencing the homeward voyage. The captain and both mates and twelve seamen were drowned in trying to reach the reef. Seven of the crew and the only passenger, James McPhie, endured for five months a series of privations and adventures which seldom occur in real life.

W. & D. Dineen's fur show rooms, corner King and Yonge streets, are the centre of attraction now-a-days. Hundreds of ladies visit them daily.

A Case of Some Interest.

DETROIT, Oct. 31.—George H. Minchener, manager of R. G. Dun & Co.'s mercantile agency, who was committed Oct. 11 for contempt of court in refusing to produce the records and papers of the agency on behalf of the plaintiffs in the case of Brand & McCullough v. Hinchman & Sons, was to-day discharged under a writ of habeas corpus by Judges Look and Chambers of the Wayne Circuit Court on the ground, not only of errors in commitment, but, what is more important, that no reasonable court has ever yet held that a man's private books and papers can be brought into court in a case to which he is a stranger, and in which neither party to the cause has any intrinsic interest.

The New French Ambassador.

LONDON, Oct. 31.—The Times commenting on the appointment of the Earl of Lytton to succeed Lord Lyons as British Ambassador to France, says, that it would more readily acquiesce in his choice by the Government if it could forget his faults and failings as Viceroy of India. The paper states that though it does not view his appointment with the alarm which is expressed in some quarters it would remind him that a more fierce light of public opinion will beat upon him in Paris than in Calcutta.

A Bank in Difficulties.

ST. PAUL, Oct. 31.—The Third National Bank has issued a circular calling a meeting of stockholders to determine whether to go into voluntary liquidation. The action was taken because the bank has $208,000 of the paper of Rood & Maxwell, Ashland, Wis., lumbermen, who failed last week. The bank officials say the funds are sufficient to pay depositors in full. The bank has a capital of $500,000.

An Awful Fall.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 31.—At the closing performance of Paine's "Last Days of Pompeii," Antonio Infantes proposed to make a balloon ascension. The balloon, a hot air affair, had attained a height of 500 feet when there was a collapse. The descent was very rapid, and as the man came down before the audience he was thrown upon an iron rod from which rockets were being fired. Death ensued immediately.

Think of the Nerve of Him.

BUFFALO, Oct. 31.—While Gen. Rogers, Secretary of the Park Commission, was paying a park hand this morning, a man rushed into the room, grabbed a satchel containing about $3200 in bank notes, which it was intended should be paid the park employes, and disappeared. No trace of the thief up to this time.

Killed on the Street.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Oct. 31.—Yesterday afternoon a party of four ladies and gentlemen of Atchison, Kas., were thrown from a carriage on Charles-street and the two men and one lady were fatally injured. The other is in a critical condition.

A FIVE FOOT PIPE WANTED.

RATEPAYERS ASKED TO VOTE FOR AN EXPENDITURE OF $355,000.

Special Meeting of the City Council Last Night—The Property Committee's Report Respecting Parks and Drives Adopted—Reduction of Liquor Licenses.

A special meeting of the City Council was held last night for the purpose of clearing off the order paper. Mayor Howland presided. The members absent were: Aldermen Defoe, Dodds, Drayton, Maughan, Morrison and Vercal.

In a message the Mayor stated that in accordance with the provisions of the act passed last session with regard to the Consumers' Gas Company, he appointed Wm. Anderson, City Auditor, to make the first audit of the company's books. From the report thus obtained it appeared that the reserve fund amounted to $522,625, and only required an increase of $50,000 to make it necessary to open a special surplus account, into which, after the reserve fund reaches fifty per cent., all the profits of the company are to be placed for the benefit and advantage of the consumers of gas in the city. It was ordered that the message and report be printed in the minutes.

Rev. Canon Dumoulin appeared before the Council in the interest of the Toronto Humane Society. Some months ago Police Constable Whitesides had been appointed by the Police Commissioners as inspector to carry out the objects of the society. The arrangement was a temporary one, but it had worked so well that the society now appealed to the Council to make the appointment permanent. The Council will consider the case.

The report of the Waterworks Committee, recommending a three or four foot pipe to connect with the present conduit pipe in the bay, and the providing for an engine capable of pumping 10,000,000 per day, was read as part of the "unfinished business." The cost of the engine with a five foot pipe to Gibraltar Point, was $355,000, which would give a supply of over 28,000,000 gallons per day. After a good deal of discussion it was agreed to submit the bylaw to the people for a five-foot pipe from Gibraltar Point to connect with the six-foot conduit pipe, including connecting crib with the old six-foot pipe and a 10,000,000 gallon engine, at a cost of $355,000.

The report of the Committee on Parks and Drives met with considerable opposition, but Ald. Gillespie strongly supported the project. The appropriation called for was $250,000.

Ald. Macdonald moved that $400,000 be voted for the purpose of parks and drives.

Ald. Baxter moved that the report be struck out altogether. He said there would be "meeting upon meeting of the most intelligent ratepayers of the city" to denounce the project, which was merely intended for carriage owners and the aristocracy and not for the masses.

After a good deal of talk the question was put. Three aldermen voted for striking out the report, one (Ald. Macdonald) for recommending the $400,000, and the rest of the Council voted in favor of the committee's recommendation, which was ultimately adopted.

The report of the Court House Committee recommended that the services of an expert to go over the plans of the new Court House and City Hall be not engaged, as the cost of such services would be $1000. The report created a great deal of discussion, and drawing up to midnight Ald. Macdonald essayed to address the Council, but was cried down and the report was adopted.

A letter was read from Engineer Stokes with reference to the Dundas-street bridges. He condemned the structures as unsuitable, and recommended that iron bridges should be constructed with street car accommodation.

Ald. Fleming moved a resolution referring his notice of motion with reference to the further reduction of licensed premises in Toronto to the Executive Committee.

Ald. Harvie gave notice of motion that he would call upon the Council to request the Police Commissioners to establish a police station in the neighborhood of Bathurst and Bloor streets, in the Ward of St. Patrick.

Ald. Fleming asked if there was any truth in a rumor to the effect that the collector of taxes in St. Andrew's Ward for last year issued bills and collected taxes improperly.

The Mayor said he was not aware of anything of the sort having occurred, and the question was referred to the Executive Committee.

The Council then took up Engineer Venables' case, which is reported elsewhere, and did not get through with it until 1.30 this morning.

CARNEGIE'S BOOK CONDEMNED.

A False, Scandalous, Defamatory, Seditious and Treasonable Libel.

LONDON, Oct. 31.—The grand jury of Wolverhampton have asked the court to instruct the Governing Committee of the Free Library of Wolverhampton to withdraw Andrew Carnegie's book, "Triumphant Democracy," which has been presented to the library, on the ground that it is a false, scandalous, defamatory, seditious and treasonable libel against the Queen. The work was published in Wolverhampton. The recorder said he had no power to interfere with the library committee or to prosecute the publishers. Some other authority he said might take the matter up. Those who heard extracts from the book would probably think the book a discredit to the free library.

A DYNAMITE EXPLOSION.

Kills at Least Four Men and Rends the Solid Earth.

HIGH BRIDGE, N.J., Oct. 31.—One of the packing houses of the Atlantic Dynamite Works near McCainsville was blown to fragments to-day, the earth being ploughed up as if scooped out by a huge dredging bucket and at least four men were instantly killed, scarcely a scrap of their bodies remaining. The names of the dead are John Fancher, H. Dodd, Fred. McDeed and Phil Mercers. All are unmarried. It was reported just after the explosion that two and perhaps three other employes were in the vicinity of the packing house at the time. They have not been found. A man who was entering a building 300 feet from the factory was thrown flat on his face by the concussion and badly bruised.

WILL HAVE THE LAW OF THEM.

The Ottawa ex-Bank Clerk Sueing Half a Dozen Papers for Libel.

MONTREAL, Oct. 31.—Fenwick W. Hamilton, through his solicitors, Messrs. Greenshields, Guerin & Greenshields, has entered actions for libel against The Gazette, Le Monde, The Daily News and La Patrie for $10,000 each, and is said to intend criminal and civil proceedings against another Montreal paper, as well as The Toronto Globe and Mail and an Ottawa paper, in connection with published stories about him and Mrs. Middleton.

A Poor Crazed Brain.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 31.—At No. 210 Brounestreet to-day Mrs. Katie Miller, who lives with her mother-in-law, went to the third story, as she said to awaken her two children. Upon reaching the room she seized her 9-year-old daughter Viola and hurled her through the window to the sidewalk, and instantly leaped after her. Mrs. Miller's head was crushed and she died instantly. The child was fatally injured. Mrs. Miller's mind was impaired by grief over the loss of a babe a few months ago and by the neglect of her husband.

The Daily Revolution in Guatemala.

PANAMA, Oct. 31.—Ex-Vice-President Castenadas, having disagreed with President Brillos' action in proclaiming himself dictator of Guatemala, headed a revolution against him, being supported by the most prominent families of Guatemala. The Government forces suppressed the uprising, however, and captured the chiefs, who, according to the news brought by the Pacific mail from authentic sources, were shot yesterday, together with four others.

We Breathe Again.

TANGIERS, Oct. 31.—It is officially announced that the Sultan's health is improving.

RANDY MUST COME BACK,

Or there Will be a Great Outcry in the Country.

NEW YORK, Oct. 31.—A London special to The Herald says the correspondents of various provincial and American newspapers have been very busy the past week in reconstructing the Ministry and disposing of public men according to their ideas of propriety. In these numerous efforts of the imagination there has not been even one lucky guess. The gentleman who sent Lord Randolph Churchill to Canada might as well have sent him to the moon at once. No such offer has been made or thought of. With Churchill's great popularity and parliamentary influence—both unequalled in the Conservative party—he is not very likely to give up a grand career here for respectable exile in Canada. Regarding his poverty, so much dwelt on, most of the talk is all rubbish. He manages to eke out a very tolerable existence. There is nothing in his circumstances to call for a public subscription just at present. He is not by any means as eager for office as his party is to get him back.

Hartington's Loyalty.

As for Lord Hartington, my previous statements remain accurate. His views, as expressed to an intimate friend, are as follows: Nothing can justify his final severance from his party but some new emergency of a very grave character. He did not take office when the ministry was first formed, because he felt it better to fight the battle out within the ranks of the party which he led in the House from 1875 to 1880, during Mr. Gladstone's retirement. Nothing has occurred since then to change his conception of his duty. Only a great alteration for the worse in the position of the Ministry could warrant him in taking the final plunge of crossing the floor of the House to join a Tory Ministry.

These opinions have been put before Lord Salisbury, who has tried to shake them, but in vain. The new danger may doubtless arise at any moment. In that case Lord Hartington would yield, and a totally different Ministry would be formed upon lines already shadowed forth in these despatches.

Sundry Conjectures.

Probably Lord Salisbury would gladly seize that opportunity to retire altogether. Lord Hartington would then become Prime Minister, Lord Randolph Churchill Chancellor of the Exchequer and leader of the House, and Mr. Goschen Foreign Secretary, with many other changes. But all this is an affair of the future. The one thing certain is that Lord Randolph Churchill must return to the Ministry before the session opens, or there will be a great outcry in the country.

If any immediate reconstruction was impending Mr. Chamberlain would not have quitted England just now. Before leaving London last Tuesday he told several friends that the Ministry would rub along till January, and he did not see any cause to anticipate important changes.

This is a cold world, my friend, and you should be wise in your generation, and get one of Wheeler & Bain's Ring Hot Air Furnaces put in, and thus turn winter into summer.

THE WEBSTER TRAGEDY.

A Dime Novel Story From the Wild and Woody West.

WORCESTER, Mass., Oct. 31.—A new and startling story in connection with the mysterious disappearance and death of Lilla Hoyle of Webster has developed to-day. Saturday the Webster postmaster received a letter from a man living a few miles outside El Paso, Tex., in which the following story is told, the writer saying he sends the story for what it is worth, deeming it his duty: A week ago an Irishman applied to him for work on his plantation, and one day displayed a great deal of interest in the Webster tragedy, which his employer read in a New York paper. The employer afterwards alluded to his interest, and a darkey told him the stranger had told him the following story while partly intoxicated: He (the Irishman) had lived in Webster for four months preceding Sept. 1. Dixon R. Cowie, the uncle of the girl with whom she lived, was the father of her unborn child. The night of her disappearance, Sept. 1, she went with him by appointment to a local doctor's office. The doctor was drunk, and under Cowie's hands she died. Cowie hired the Irishman to assist in the removal of the body and young Eddie Grimley was also in the job. The girl's body was hidden in the water for a day and then removed to where it was discovered. The Irishman was paid $50 and told to go to Little Rock, Ark., where he would receive $150 more. After discovering that his employer knew his story the man fled, going towards El Paso. The matter has been placed in the hands of the authorities.

Ladies, if you want to inspect the finest assortment of fur garments ever shown in Toronto visit the fur show rooms of W. & D. Dineen, corner of King and Yonge streets.

THE FIRST GUN IN HALDIMAND.

Dr. Montague Opens the Contest—Liberal Leaders Rallying to the Fray.

CALEDONIA, Oct. 31.—The contest in Haldimand formally opened to-night, when the first public meeting was held by Dr. Montague at Nanticooke. Hon. Wilfred Laurier, Mr. John Charlton, M.P., of North Norfolk, and Mr. William Paterson, M.P., of South Brant, will take up the Liberal fight on Wednesday night, when they will address a series of meetings throughout the country. Both parties are sanguine of winning the seat. Dr. Montague has done a great deal of personal work in the county during the past three weeks, and his friends are getting in some good quiet canvassing. Mr. Colter is also keeping his end up in that direction. The contest will be a keen one. Considerable betting is being done at even terms. The nomination takes place at Cayuga on Nov. 5 and the voting on Nov. 12. Dr. J. A. Langrill of Jarvis is the returning officer.

The Unemployed Gets Bail.

LONDON, Oct. 31.—Old Land, the leader of the unemployed workingmen who made the demonstrations in London recently, has been committed for trial on the charge of inciting the people to a breach of the peace. He was released on bail, and his sureties were Annie Besant and Rev. Mr. Headlam.

The Deadly Coal Gas.

HAMILTON, Oct. 31.—Five women in the family of Wm. Atkinson, 70 Canada-street, narrowly escaped death by asphyxiation from coal gas this morning. Three of them were unconscious for hours, and were rescued only by the strenuous efforts of neighbors.

Cause and Effect.

OTTAWA, Oct. 31.—Nomination in Haldimand takes place on Nov. 5 and polling on Nov. 12.

QUEBEC, Oct. 31.—Hon. Mr. Laurier leaves in a few days for Ontario to take part in the Haldimand election.

Low Water Mark.

OTTAWA, Oct. 31.—The water in the Ottawa is so low that the McLaughlins have been compelled to shut down their large steam saw mill at Arnprior, there not being enough water to float the logs to the foot of the jack ladder leading to the mill.

Fire in Paris.

PARIS, Oct. 31.—About 6 o'clock this evening a fire broke out and partly destroyed the brick dwelling house owned and occupied by George Arnold. The fire originated in the cellar from some unknown cause. Loss $800; insurance not known.

A Town Burned.

LAMONT, Mo., Oct. 31.—Fire broke out in a grocery store here early this morning. The greater part of the town, over a dozen business houses, including the hotel, and several residences, were burned.

Killed a Bear.

BRIGHT, Oct. 31.—A black bear weighing 130 pounds was shot near here to-day by John Cowan, the first known to be in this locality for years.

GOSSIP FROM THE CAPITAL

That Will Interest the General Public as Well as Politicians.

OTTAWA, Oct. 31.—There is no truth in the statement that Sir Hector Langevin contemplates a trip to Florida for the benefit of his health. He is in Quebec and is rapidly recovering from his recent indisposition.

A deputation of Caughnawaga Indians arrived in the city to-day and will have an interview with Hon. Thomas White to-morrow.

The Finance Department to-day received $36 conscience money from some unknown persons.

Mr. Ross, M.P. for Lisgar, is here pressing upon the Minister of Agriculture the advantages the County of Lisgar offers as a site for the Manitoba Experimental Farm.

The Marine Department is calling for tenders for the erection of a revolving light on Cape St. Lawrence, the most northerly point of Cape Breton.

The Department of Agriculture is in receipt of advices which indicate that the influx of Icelanders next season will be far in advance of any previous year.

There is no truth in the report started in Winnipeg that the present Commissioner of the Northwest Mounted Police will in future reside in Ottawa, or that a second commissioner will be appointed to locally direct the force in the Northwest.

Mr. James Dickey, C.E., who is in charge of that section of the Short Line Railway from Oxford to Pugwash, is in the city. The route has been all located and three miles of construction work done in that section. Tenders for the completion of the section have been called for by the Department of Railways.

The Department of Justice has received a petition for the repeal of the Canada Temperance Act in Dufferin.

Gentlemen, W. & D. Dineen, corner of King and Yonge streets, can sell you the best and cheapest stylish fall hat in Canada.

"MODERN PAINTERS."

Mr. Henry Blackburn's First Lecture Under the Auspices of the O.S.A.

Mr. Henry Blackburn, editor of "Academy Notes," London, Eng., delivered his first lecture, under the auspices of the Ontario Society of Artists, last evening to a large and fashionable audience in the lecture room of the Upper Canada College. His subject was, "Modern Painters, or Artists Whom I Have Known," and his introductory remarks were with special reference to the various qualities of the English, French and German schools, dwelling more especially on the merits of the English. The special features of the English school he characterized as great naturalness and simplicity. In this respect he held equally high the works of the great masters of the French school, whilst he as strongly deprecated the affectation of the young followers of that school.

He then by the lime light illustrated the last two or three exhibitions of the Royal Academy and other works of national eminence, followed by some of the French masterpieces.

He concluded by alternately exhibiting a lady in the present fashion, as designed by Worth, contrasted with a beautifully draped figure by Alma Tadema. The effect was laughable and highly instructive. Then followed a gentleman in full dress, which presented a still more amusing contrast with the classic drapery or the picturesque costume of the last century. The present fashions were, he said, really ugly, both in color and form of garment, and he regarded it as almost impossible for an artist to paint a beautiful picture of either a lady or gentleman in modern clothes. He hoped for a return of the old fashions, with their brilliant colors. He advised the young Canadian painters to paint from nature and to avoid taking up any school in particular. Our scenery, he said, is as beautiful as that of any part of the world. This evening Mr. Blackburn will lecture on "The Value of a Line."

GATHERED IN BY THE POLICE.

A Toronto Crook Wanted at Exeter—A Deserter From the Mounted Police.

Alice Brennan was employed by Mrs. Ellen O'Connor of Bathurst-street as a domestic. The girl left her place the other day, and Mrs. O'Connor says that she took with her wearing apparel to the value of $30. Alice was yesterday arrested and taken to the Wilton-avenue station.

James Foley, 72 Lombard-street, was a prisoner at the Court-street station last night, having been arrested for assaulting his wife.

Chief Constable Gill yesterday arrived from Exeter, Huron county, after Robert Gilmour, who is wanted there for burglary. The Toronto police had Gilmour in hand on a local charge, but this will be postponed pending the result of the Exeter case. Joe Fox, a partner of Gilmour's, has already been sentenced to three years for a burglary at Exeter, and it is believed that Gilmour was connected with Fox in the nefarious transaction. Inspector Stark sent a photo of Gilmour to Exeter and the town authorities immediately recognized him as one of a gang who had been recently operating there and at other places in Western Ontario. Constable Gill will take Gilmour to Exeter to-day.

Detectives Cuddy and Burrows yesterday arrested a deserter from the Northwest Mounted Police in the person of James Wishart. The young man joined the force in June, 1886, and skipped out last April. He is a Torontonian and has been in the city ever since his desertion.

Three Hallowe'en disorderlies were at the Wilton-avenue station last night.

The crop of drunks last night was large and there were lots more to be seen about the streets.

DE LA SALLE TESTIMONIALS

Awarded to Pupils Who are Considered "Excellent" and "Good."

These testimonials for October have been awarded to the following pupils at De La Salle Institute:

Form IV.—Excellent, J. O'Donoghue, J. Waters, J. McConvey; good (grade A), W. O'Connor, M. Corcoran, W. Rosar, H. Stuart.

Form III.—Excellent, C. Richardson, J. Henry, W. Markle; good (grade A), H. King, C. Chase, E. Boland, P. Breen, P. O'Leary, J. Sheahan.

Form II.—Excellent, P. Marx, D. Bourke, C. Kelz, F. Baigent, J. Lee; good (grade A), J. Travers, W. Finnegan, A. Crowe, W. McConvey, J. Chase, J. Champney, J. Sheeby, J. O'Leary, F. Bennett; good (grade B), A. Giroux, J. O'Hagan, J. Nolan.

Form I.—Excellent, Wm. Grannell, Fr. Hynes, James Arthurs; good, James Nolan, Chris. Quinn, Wm. Kidd, J. McGrand, D. Sheehy, Michael Woods.

Making a Bad Start.

PETERBORO, Oct. 31.—John Stevenson and Joseph Graham, one a boy 10 years of age and the other 12, were brought before the Police Court by Acting Chief Adams this morning on the charge of being drunk and disorderly. They had been found on a back street on Saturday night both very drunk. The Magistrate was surprised at such juvenile profligacy, but after talking to and cautioning the boys, let them go.

New York Excursion.

H. W. Van Every is advertising one of his cheap and popular excursions to New York City leaving Toronto Saturday next at 12.20 from the Union Station. There will be a through train with Pullman cars attached run through from Suspension Bridge. Those wishing Pullman car accommodation or tickets should call on Mr. Van Every at once. His office address is 14 Adelaide-street east. 23

For the Million.

—Enough for the million! It's a great thing to say, but it's true. People will naturally ask, enough of what? Well "satisfaction" is the identical thing. Money saved is money earned, and easiest earned too. Save your money by buying at a first-class store, where they keep a good article and a large assortment to choose from, and at right prices and where you get honestly dealt with. Ranges, hall and parlor stoves all sizes, shapes and prices and with all the latest attachments and improvements are to be seen at the great stove and housefurnishing depot, 179 Yonge-street. Mr. Stratheran has got a large selection of goods to choose from and marked at lowest possible prices, and those who transact any business with this firm may rely on the utmost satisfaction. x

SO EARLY IN THE MORNING

ENGINEER VENABLES DISCHARGED BY THE CITY COUNCIL.

The Resolution Passed at 1.30 a.m.—The Accused's Defence—Shortages in Waterworks Returns—A Bad State of Affairs—Changes in the Rating Department.

The Waterworks Committee met yesterday, Chairman Boustead presiding. There was a full attendance of members. Messrs. Copp, Clarke & Co. appeared before the committee and asked that a two-inch pipe should be laid into their premises, Front-street west, instead of the smaller one now in use. The firm is taking water by meter. Ald. Hunter said that he had inspected the place and found that there was a great waste of water on the premises, and it was not registered against the firm. The matter was referred to Ald. Hunter and Superintendent Hamilton.

Special Accountants R. C. Wilson and Joseph Crosby, appointed by the committee some time since to investigate into the state of the waterworks accounts, forwarded a first instalment of their report. They began their work with the July quarter of 1885, and the result of their investigation showed this state of affairs:

	Cash Received.	Cash Deposited in Bank.
July quarter, 1885	$ 50,687 47	$ 50,129 19
October quarter, 1885	123,790 27	123,590 75
January quarter, 1886	57,146 23	56,053 04
	$231,623 97	$229,763 98

This showed that the cash received was $1859.99 more than was deposited in the bank. This summary of the errors was also given:

	Errors.	Amounts.
Street Ledgers	2	$ 17 89
Amounts paid twice	107	255 58
Amounts paid in full, discount not allowed	15	20 69
Amounts entered differently in ledgers and cash books	195	99 14
Entered in cash books and not posted in ledgers	284	744 45
Errors in addition of cash books	127	695 04
Entered in ledgers and not shown in cash books	268	1,501 74
	998	$3,334 53

A list of arrears omitted and not transferred from their respective quarters into the street ledgers, was also furnished. There were 602 such omissions, representing $4848.24. The returns were up to March last.

Ald Gillespie: "Where did these deficits go? How are they accounted for?"

The Chairman: "That is more than I can say."

Ald. Ritchie: "This is an extraordinary state of affairs. Has the audit been finished yet?"

The Chairman replied in the negative, and the subject was referred to a sub-committee consisting of the Chairman, Ald. Gillespie, Ritchie, Rogers and Carlyle (St. Andrew's).

The tender of H. Davis, Hayden-street, was accepted for the raising of the caretaker's house at Rose Hill Reservoir at $1400. The amount appropriated was $1000, and the Executive Committee was asked to vote the extra funds.

Superintendent Hamilton's report showed that during the week ending October 15th the average quantity of water pumped per 24 hours was 12,611,714, and the average coal consumed 36 tons per day. The statement of expenditure to October 17 contained an item of $5728 for "judicial investigation, liabilities not included." The system of night inspection was reported upon favorably, and the superintendent added, "I am confident the citizens are more careful of the water, as the reservoir has risen from nineteen feet three inches on Wednesday, Oct. 19, to twenty-one feet on Saturday, Oct. 29 with the two Worthingtons pumping."

A discussion ensued as to the quantity and quality of coals used at the engine house. The report of the weighmaster showed that the coal threw 14 8-10 per cent. ashes. This was considered unsatisfactory, and the matter was referred to a sub-committee.

The report of Judge McDougall on his investigation into the working of the Waterworks Department, which has been duly reported in The World, was submitted. Ald. Gillespie moved that a matter so important should form the subject of a special meeting.

Ald. Rogers moved that Mr. John Venables' peremptory dismissal be recommended to the Council. The resolution was adopted unanimously, and it was decided to advertise for a successor.

The report of Expert J. J. Mason as to the management of the rating department of the Waterworks, was read, suggesting certain changes. The remainder of the report was referred to existing sub-committees to deal with and report.

Venables Dismissed by the Council.

At 12.05 o'clock this morning the Waterworks Committee's report, recommending the peremptory dismissal of Mr. Venables, was brought up in Council.

Ald. Baxter protested against taking up so important a subject at so late an hour. There was a communication handed in by Venables in reply the Judge's finding, and that ought to be read.

Ald. Frankland said he did not want to see Venables made the victim of mismanagement. "If you want to get at the real culprits," said the alderman, "you must go back to the commission. You are not going to make this man the victim of mismanagement and the scapegoat of meddling aldermen and incompetent officials."

A confused discussion ensued, which resulted in the striking out of that portion of the committee's report referring to the dismissal of Venables. It was decided, however, to read Venable's defence. The defence was a lengthy document and went minutely into detail. It challenged the accuracy of the experts' reports, and contended that Judge McDougall's findings were based upon unreliable evidence.

The Mayor pointed out that the judgment in the case was founded upon evidence legally taken, and the Council were bound by the judge's decision. His Honor had found Venables guilty of fraud and culpable negligence, and it was clear they could not continue his services.

Ald. Frankland asked if Venables could not be allowed an opportunity of resigning.

The Mayor replied in the negative.

A vote to reinsert the committee's report was unanimously adopted and the weary aldermen quit work at 1.30 a.m.

To-day is when you should purchase your winter furs. W. & D. Dineen, corner King and Yonge streets, have the best assortment in Toronto.

Young Liberals and The Land System.

The Young Men's Liberal Club held its usual weekly meeting last night in its hall in the arcade, President H. H. Dewart in the chair. The principal business was the discussion of a long resolution by Mr. W. A. Douglas favoring the George land system, and affirming the principle that the Government should appropriate all unearned increment of our public land for the benefit of the people. The debate was adjourned until next Monday evening.

QUERY BOX AND COMPLAINT BOOK

We Do Not Know.

Editor World: Can you inform me of any gymnasium in the city where a person can spend an hour or join for a few months? I know of only one, and I cannot join without becoming a member of the society and must join for one year. Now, myself and several friends will only be in the city for four or five months and do not care to join for a year.

STUDENT.

(1) No. (2) The Coal Ring.

Editor World: (1) Is there a duty on coal? (2) If the duty is lower this year than former years, how do you account for the increased price per ton?

NESTOR.

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YOUNG MORDAUNT BURTCH.

Who Undertook to Emulate Sub-Treasurer Jackson.

When "Mort" Burtch left St. Catharines with several thousand dollars belonging to

Messrs. Rykert & Ingersoll, he had figured it out that he could not be taken back to Canada if once he reached the United States, and so skipped joyfully away to New York, intending to have a real nice time. Inspector Byrnes had been notified by telegraph, however. The New York papers tell the balance of the story.

Detectives von Gerichten, Mulvey and Mulry were instructed to watch for Burtch around the banks and money exchanges down town, which also were warned not to cash the stolen draft. While looking around Wall-street for their man yesterday, the detectives stumbled across a green-looking youth with a Canadian accent who answered Burtch's description to a T. They followed him to the banking house of Walsh & Sons, 5 Wall-street, who make a specialty of dealing in foreign money. He there got $2400 of Canadian money changed to American, $2000 of which he left on deposit. The rest he put in his pocket.

Although certain he was the man they wanted, the detectives did not then and there collar him, as they wanted to see if he would connect with any confederates. They followed him to his room in Smith & McNeil's Hotel, in Washington-street, where he had registered as Howard Burton, and arrested him there. He proved to have no pals. The stolen draft was found in the room, as well as the money he had just got. When taken to the Central Office he told Inspector Byrnes that he had been four years in the employ of Charles Rykert and J. H. Ingersoll, leading lawyers of St. Catharines, to whom the stolen draft was payable. The draft and the Canadian money he had exchanged for American were paid to his employers for a farm, and the opportunity coming in his way, he pocketed both. He added that he had read in the papers of a man named Jackson, who had run away from New York with $10,000, being safe from arrest in Canada, and he thought that he could play a similar game in Canada and be equally safe from arrest here. When the inspector called his attention to the law making it a felony to bring stolen property into the state, he looked sick.

THE CHIEF BRINGS A BRIDE HOME.

Return of Lieut.-Col. Grasett of the Grenadiers After His Marriage in England.

Seven weeks ago Lieut.-Col. H. J. Grasett, Chief of Police, and commanding officer of the Royal Grenadiers, went to England. He went away a bachelor, and came back yesterday a benedict, having been married on Oct. 4 to Miss Alice Katharine, second daughter of the late William Parke, Esq., of 10 Cromwell-place, South Kensington. The ceremony took place at Holy Trinity Church, Brompton, and was performed by Rev. James Grasett, Vicar of Allenmore, Hereford. The Colonel and his bride sailed from Liverpool by the Britannic on Oct. 19, and arrived at New York Friday last. On reaching Toronto they drove to the residence of the Colonel's brother, Dr. Grasett, Simcoe-street, and in the evening visited the Grand Opera House.

"After the opera was over" The World called upon Col. Grasett in Simcoe-street. The Colonel received his caller kindly and spoke of his visit to England. He said that as his visit was of a private nature he had not the time to make any enquiries into police work, but he hoped to do so on a future occasion after he had become thoroughly acquainted with the needs in Toronto. He was desirous of being here to learn of the proposed alterations in Police Headquarters.

Col. Grasett looks stout and hearty after his trip and is apparently in fine trim to again take charge of the police force and the Grenadiers.

Col. Allen and the Queen's Own.

Several members of the Queen's Own were questioned by The World yesterday with reference to Col. Allen's alleged prospective retirement. None of them would talk upon the subject. "It is a punishable offence to speak derogatorily of a superior officer," was the explanation given by one for his silence.

Col. Allen, it was learned, in other quarters, contemplated retiring shortly from the regiment's command, as he suffered from a lung complaint. In a few months he will have been in command the stipulated time of two years to enable him to retire retaining his rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. The World's informant said it was very unlikely that Col. Allen would therefore sever his connection with the corps before that time.

The name of Major Hamilton, next in seniority, is also mentioned in connection with the command. Col. Sweny is reported to be willing to accept it, though he would be equally pleased to command a brigade of artillery.

Will Not Endorse the Bingham Warrant.

At the Police Court yesterday Justice of the Peace Neil C. Love refused to endorse the warrant for the arrest of W. R. Bingham upon the complaint of "Toby" Elliott, one of the Montreal sports who lost several thousand dollars upon the Bethune-Unknown foot race at Ottawa. Mr. Bigelow, who appeared for Bingham, raised the point that Kellert, who brought the warrant from Montreal, was not a proper police officer of that city, and therefore he had no authority to justify his being entrusted with it. Mr. Love upheld Mr. Bigelow's contention, and refused to attach his endorsation to the document. The matter will, however, come up before Magistrate Denison in the Police Court in a few days.

The Vacant Chief Justiceships.

It is generally understood among the profession that the two vacant chief justiceships will be filled in this way: Mr. Justice Armour will be made Chief Justice of the Queen's Bench Division, and Mr. Justice Galt will be elevated to the Chief Justiceship of the Common Pleas. Mr. W. R. Meredith, M.P.P., it is understood, has definitely announced that under no consideration will he go to the bench.

Rumors are that Mr. Justice Proudfoot will go upon the Appeal bench, in which event it is thought Mr. Walkem, Q.C., of Kingston, will be appointed to one of the vacancies. Other names mentioned prominently are Mr. Street, Q.C., of London, and Mr. Hector Cameron, Q.C.

Barney McKenna Still at Large.

Barney McKenna, the man who stabbed John Torrance, is still at large. The detectives have scoured the town but cannot find him. McKenna is about 22 years of age, developed from a bootblack into a cheap restaurant proprietor, became a kind of an imitation dude, carried a cane, thumped his stepfather, and finally committed the crime for which he is now wanted.

Coroner Duncan yesterday opened an inquest at the General Hospital respecting young Torrance's death. The jury viewed the body and adjourned until to-morrow night, by which time a post mortem examination will have been made by Dr. W. H. B. Aikins.

Don't fail to see the Cox Estate, to be sold at Real Estate Exchange, by public auction, Friday, Nov. 4.

The Y.W.C.G.'s Social.

The Young Women's Christian Guild had a social in the parlors of Shaftesbury Hall last night. The room was filled with members and female friends, over whom Mrs. John Harvie took a motherly interest. Refreshments were served, and a young lady told The World that they had a "lovely time." Rev. J. M. Wilkinson of the Agnes-street Methodist Church was distinguishable as the only gentleman present.

LOST WITH ALL ON BOARD.

NO DOUBT LEFT THAT THE VERNON FOUNDERED IN THE STORM.

Her Pilot House and Life Raft Picked Up by a Tug—It is Believed That Not a Single Soul Escaped—Three Dead Bodies Seen.

CHICAGO, Oct. 31.—The Inter-Ocean's special from Manitowoc says: The propeller Vernon foundered about six miles north-east of Two Rivers. Capt. Heron of the schooner John Wesley, which arrived here this evening, reports seeing some wreckage off Two Rivers Point at 4 o'clock yesterday morning, and also passed a lot of wreckage six miles south of this place. The master of the schooner Phœnix says he passed white painted boards six miles south of here but could not distinguish what vessel they came from. However all doubts were set at rest this afternoon when a tug picked up a pilot house with the name "Vernon" on it and five life preservers off Two Rivers. Owing to this fact probably not a soul of the twenty-five or thirty people on board was saved, and the cause of the terrible disaster will probably remain a mystery for ever. It is quite generally believed here that not a single soul has survived, as it would have been impossible for any person to live in such a sea and exposed to the intense cold that prevailed on the night of the wreck. It is reported that Boiler Inspectors Reid and Fitzgerald of Milwaukee were on board the ill-fated propeller, and are undoubtedly lost. The captain of the steamer Lawrence estimates the number of people on the ill-fated vessel at fifty.

Capt. Hawkins of the schooner William Home, which arrived yesterday morning, reports passing three dead bodies on Saturday afternoon about six miles southwest of Manitowoc. One body was that of a woman with long black hair. She had a life-preserver on. The other two bodies were those of men.

SHEBOYGAN, Wis., Oct. 31.—The fishing tug Welcome returned at 1.30 with the life raft of the lost steamer Vernon, which she picked up about fourteen miles northeast of this port. On the raft were a coat, vest and soft felt hat which evidently belonged to a seaman. The hat was ripped through the crown and had been sewed up. The life raft had two chambers and bore the name "Vernon." The fishing tug Sheboygan has just started on a cruise down the lake. She will go as far as Two Rivers Point.

Remember that the auction sale of that beautiful suburban property known as the Cox Estate, and within three minutes' walk of city limits takes place Friday next at Real Estate Exchange.

Always Take Care.

You cannot be too careful in your walk through life. Such a thing is simply impossible. You and all other men and women are liable to accident, and accidents happen when least expected. To be on the safe side you should insure against accident and thereby secure an indemnity in case of meeting with one. The Manufacturers' Accident Insurance Company of Toronto has over $1,000,000 of capital and takes all classes of risks. Toronto office 38 King-street east.

Halloween.

The sweet smelling haggis, the nicely browned haggis, the toothsome haggis that all love so well, was washed down with some rare old wine at the Caledonian dinner at the Walker last night. The time-honored custom of diving for rosy apples in a big trough of water was dispensed with, because it would demoralize quinn's collars and neckties worn by the entire company.

John E. Scholes, dealer in fine imported and domestic tobaccos and cigars. Finest billiard room in America. 185 Yonge-street. 26

Commercial Unionists in Council.

Erastus: Can it be that our labor's been in vain? Are these dull-witted Canadians so bound up in unprofitable love to Britain that they turn with scorn from the gilded picture of wealth that we have shown them, applaud the drivelling twaddle of sentimental loyalists, and deride our studied eloquence?

Must we admit defeat? Must I abandon all my hopes of greatness?

Methought I saw old Britain's ensign lowered from the last flagstaff on this great continent, and in its place, 'mid loud acclaim, upran the starry banner. Millions rejoiced, fires blazed on the hill tops, pyrotechnics were sent up, the least of which was as much greater than my "fall of Babylon" as the noonday sun is greater than the light of a wax taper. The people assembled and great orators addressed them, "and told them how great a work Wiman had done, that the iron heel of British tyranny would no longer scar the necks of free-born Americans and that the name of Wiman must henceforth hold a place in their affections beside that of Washington!" Was it merely "the baseless fabric of a vision," or is there yet room for hope?

Goldwin: Be calm, Erastus. Learn resignation. Oft have I felt the pangs of disappointment, been called Iconoclast, yet must we present a solid front to our enemies. That speech of Chamberlain was a deadly blow and tore the mask from off our motive. We must hold a meeting, and in the name of this fair city pass a resolution for Commercial Union which o'er your wires we'll spread broadcast and convince the outer world of our success.

Chris: My dear Erastus, I can feel for you. I, too, have dreamt of greatness. I thought I held the fate of this young nation in the hollow of my hand. First waged I my strength 'gainst Mowat and gained nought but "Briber." To Sir John, whose official life hung on [illegible] will, refused me honors. Then I opposed [illegible] both, and my reward was but defeat. My love for them is but an inverse ratio to that they have for Britain. Then have I revenge for my inspiration; and you, ambition, and you, Goldwin, that instinct that has ever caused you to run counter to the judgment of honored men. We've "cast our all on the hazard of a die," and though defeat and oblivion stare us in the face, we'll hold the meeting.

Intending purchasers of Cox Estate may be driven to the property by applying to Mess. Falconbridge & Barwick, Ferguson, Ferguson & O'Brian, Toronto-st.

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At the Albion: J. Byrne, Oshawa; T. Adams, Peterboro; T. Bruce, Alliston; J. Lee, St. Thomas; J. Shaw, Virgil; A. Foster, Berlin; T. Stokes, Pefferlaw; W. Saunders, Stouffville; A. Young, Galt; P. Johnson, St. David's; A. Neilson, Proton; W. McPhaden, Sunderland; Mrs. Reeves, Uxbridge; E. Harley, Brantford; J. Drewery, Sable Falls; H. Robertson, Chatham; J. Groves, Gravenhurst; A. H. Smith, Trenton; D. Armstrong, Streetsville; J. Lumbard, Bradford; P. A. Immel, Reading, Pa.; J. McPhearson, Montreal; J. P. Conklin, Cleveland; H. Hart, Rochester.

Mr. A. T. Watson of Brantford is at the Palmer.

Mr. J. Wallace Campbell of Scotland is at the Queen's.

Mr. J. W. Glenn of New Orleans is at the Rossin.

Mr. Henry Folger of Kingston is at the Queen's.

Mr. John Crampton of Buffalo is at the Rossin.

Mr. W. L. Buckson of New York is at the Palmer.

Mr. W. H. Phelps of St. Catharines is at the Palmer.

Mr. R. Archer of Montreal is at the Queen's.

Mr. James Sutherland, M.P. for South Oxford, is at the Rossin.

Personal Mention.

The Very Rev. James Hughes, V.G. of Hartford, Con., is in the city visiting his cousin Mr. B. B. Hughes of Glenhurst.

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At London: Nordland, from New York.

At Liverpool: City of Chicago.

At Quebec: Lake Superior, from Liverpool; Barcelona, from the Mediterranean.

New Caps for the Police.

C. H. Tookin, 718 Yonge-street, North Toronto, has made a specialty of supplying the police force with winter caps far cheaper than they can be purchased in a down town house. He has supplied the North Toronto force and will be glad to furnish the men from other stations with a good serviceable regulation winter cap at a low price. x