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AT OSGOODE HALL TO-DAY.

High Court: C.P.R. v. Toronto, an appeal from certificate of referee.
Court of Appeal: O'Flaherty v. Becker, Bailey v. King.

MAGISTRATE'S BUSY DAY.

A Man From Ohio—A Burglar Under a Serious Charge—Other Episodes.

Magistrate Kingsford yesterday remanded till to-day James Moore, who was charged with housebreaking at the home of F. E. Bayles, 17 Chapel-street, on April 24. Moore was arrested at Youngstown, Ohio, for trespass, and a diary containing an account of the robbery was found on the prisoner.

Frederick Harris, John Rogers and John Wilson, race track followers, were allowed to go.

An adjournment till to-morrow was made in the case of Joseph Terry, charged with assaulting Constable Carlisle.

George J. Jones and John Kelly, charged with robbing Joseph Laycock of Downsview Postoffice, were discharged. Allan Hanley, the third man accused, will be tried to-morrow.

John Middleton, charged with assaulting George J. Boyane of 19 McFarrens-lane, was remanded till Monday.

The charge of stealing a few inches of lead pipe preferred against Michael Jordan was dismissed.

Bugler J. C. Nottle of Stanley Barracks was committed for trial on a charge of attempted criminal assault.

FRENCH GIRLS IN A DUEL.

Rose Leroy and Juliet Voltaire Fought Over a Young Man.

New York, May 30.—A Paris special to The Journal says two young Parisian girls fought a duel with knives early yesterday morning and slashed each other badly. They are Rose Leroy, aged 16, and Juliet Voltaire, 20. They had had a violent quarrel and agreed to settle the matter on the field of honor with seconds.

They repaired to a vacant lot on the Rue d'Alsia and, removing their corsets, went at each other with long knives. They were both considerably cut. The girls quarreled because of the affections of a young man.

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WHERE MAGISTRATE ELLIS SITS.

Prosecution Not Ready for White Cloud's Case, So It is Indefinitely Adjourned.

The Indian medicine man, White Cloud, turned up at County Magistrate Ellis' court yesterday afternoon. He was ready to go on with his trial on a charge of practising medicine on Simeon Wideman of Markham without the necessary qualification.

The prosecution, represented by J. W. Curry, was not willing to proceed in the absence of material witnesses. County Constable Boyd, who served the summonses on Monday, swore that one was ill with rheumatism and another's father was dead.

The case was adjourned indefinitely, and when the prosecution is ready White Cloud will be notified to appear.

An adjournment for a week was made in the case of William Menary, Robert Chariton and John Squires, charged with stealing a mare and colt from Leslie Bonesteel of Lambton Mills.

N. H. Crow of 37 Grenville-street was fined $1 and costs or $4.25 in all for riding on the sidewalk on Davenport-road. Crow was out riding on May 20 with a young lady. The latter took the lead when they met County Constable Bell on the sidewalk and she accidentally knocked the constable into the gutter. He is still looking for the female rider.

IN SESSION TO-MORROW.

The Program of the Charities and Correction Conference.

The second Canadian Conference of Charities will open at the Normal School to-morrow.

In the afternoon addresses will be given by Judge McDonald of Brockville, president; Hon. Messrs. E. J. Davis and G. W. Ross; Mayor Shaw, J. J. Kelso and James Massie.

In the evening there will be addresses by Dr. J. T. Gilmour, on "Some Phases of Delinquency"; Inspector Stark of Toronto Police Department, on "How Can Children Be Saved From Criminal and Wasted Lives?" Hon. Charles Drury, on "County Jails."

On Friday there will be five-minute addresses on child-saving, touching upon such subjects as the "Home Finding System," "The Improvement of Family Life Among the Poor," "The Day Nursery," "Public Play Grounds," "Orphanages and Reformatories."

In the evening Dr. W. Oldright will open a discussion on "The Duty of the Government to Pauper Inebriates," and Dr. A. MacKinnon of Guelph, on "The Custodial Care of Epileptics."

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CLARK KIDNAPPING CASE.

Belief Growing in New York That the Abduction Was Carried Out for a Newspaper Sensation.

New York, May 30.—The early developments to-day in the Clark kidnapping case tended in a slight degree to strengthen the opinion held by some persons at police headquarters that the abduction had been originally planned for a newspaper sensation. A Miss Betts, sister of the stolen child's mother, tells, for the first time, strangely, of having seen two young men in earnest and at times vehement conversation with the nurse girl, Carrie Jones, in Central Park, on the day before the abduction. Neither of the men was over 25, the girl says, and both were well dressed and athletic-looking persons.

It was said that bloodhounds would be put upon the trail in Central Park sometime to-day. The dogs would take the scent from the baby carriage and some of the clothing of the nurse. The owner of the animals says they can follow a scent ten days old.

Clues almost numberless are being followed by the detectives and by reporters of local papers.

THINGS LOOK SQUALLY AGAIN.

Japan Assumes a Threatening Attitude Toward Russia—China Will Resist Italy.

London, May 30.—The Shanghai correspondent of The Mail says: Japan is assuming a threatening attitude towards Russia, and is sympathizing with China, while China is determined to resist Italy's seizing of San-Mun and any further German encroachments at Shan-Tung.

The British squadron, it is said, will shortly assemble at Wei-Hai-Wei.

Travel to Europe.

Now that the rush is on to England and some of the New York lines are refusing passengers, it would be well for those wishing to take an ocean trip with solid comfort and at moderate rates to call up on S. J. Sharp, western manager of the "Beaver Line," and Elder, Dempster's direct steamers to Liverpool, London and Bristol. The first-class rates are from $40 to $50. For full information call at Mr. Sharp's office, 80 Yonge-street.

Mr. Dyer's Third Term.

Newport, R.I., May 30.—Hon. Elisha Dyer, for the third time, was inaugurated Governor of Rhode Island to-day.

EVEN MR. BURNS IS IN DOUBT

That the Hudson Bay Railway Commission Has Not Lowered its Flag to the Syndicate.

ALDERMEN ARE STILL FIDDLING.

The Position of Engineer Rust and the Appointment of a Pumping Engineer.

There is dawning upon certain of the aldermen a feeling that the Hudson Bay Railway Commission lowered its flag to the McKenzie-Jaffray syndicate, composing the James Bay Railway Company. The great majority profess to be as blankly ignorant as to what it all means as did the mover of the attempted resolution of endorsation, Ald. Burns.

"It was handed over to me; I was asked to move it, and I did," said the Controller Monday night.

Yesterday, however, he was not so sure that it was not a surrender.

"A certain Toronto member of the Commons told me," said Ald. Crane, "that he had sent word to Mayor Shaw to come to Ottawa to look after the interests of the Hudson Bay Commission when the James Bay Company was applying for an extension of the time limit of its charter. The Mayor did not go."

Looks Like a Job.

"He seems to be so busy fiddling around about getting into the new City Hall," said the alderman, "that he has no time for bigger game like this. And then the fact that they tried to spring that on us in Council the very day the bill was passing the House makes it look like a job."

To Ald. Dunn, not conspicuously hateful towards the Mayor, it looked as though the city had spent $3000 on the Hudson Bay Commission only to wind up with its surrender to the rival private company.

"What's the Mayor doing—the Rip Van Winkle sleep?" he insinuated.

It is given out on behalf of the commission that their whole game was a bluff; that the other fellow held the cards, and the city's representatives held out only to hurry their sometime opponents on to get some operations under way.

On the whole, the first impressions of such of the few aldermen as had read the papers, and knew what the Mayor was proposing to do, were not favorable.

"No Catholics Need Apply."

The scramble for the chieftaincy of the Main Pumping Station is on again. City Engineer Rust hints as though he might cast both Messrs. McIlae and Walsh aside, and appoint a dark horse. Mr. Rust denies that he is at all prejudiced against any man for his religion's sake. "But there is no doubt," said Ald. Bowman yesterday, "that if Mr. Walsh does not get the job it will be because he is a Roman Catholic, and, Protestant, that I am, it is a shame that such should be the case."

Ald. Bowman does not accredit the creed barrier to the City Engineer, but rather to the powers that are pulling him.

I. O. O. F. Gets a "Moonlight."

The Legislation and Reception Committee were confronted and flanked by deputations. Miss Fitzgibbon, secretary of the Canadian Historical Association, was refused the loan of the civic picture of Her Majesty in the Council Chamber for use at the exhibition in Victoria College June 14 to 28. She was allowed the portraits of the late Mr. and Mrs. Howard.

Oddfellows' Big Time.

An imposing delegation represented the I.O.O.F. of Ontario, whose Grand Lodge meets here Aug. 8 to 11. The Oddfellows in Ontario number 23,000; and 1200 persons, including 700 delegates, are to be here. On their behalf Mr. Joseph Oliver suggested that the city give a moonlight excursion, and he was taken up. The Oddfellows present included Joseph Oliver, P.G.M., Alfred Coyell, T. R. Bain, Dr. Bowie, W. C. Macdonald, J. H. Lumsden, W. F. Fountain, W. H. Blight, John Anderson, W. P. Smith, James Huggett, James Munro, W. T. Johnston, R. H. Butt, G. T. Pendrith, W. Woodley, J. Cook, and J. B. King, Grand Secretary.

Ald. Frankland laid it down that he would vote no more for "guzzles."

The Chicago Cadets.

When Trustees S. W. Burns, J. M. Godfrey, Allan and Dr. Noble are on deck it has something to do with cadets. And in sooth they were on hand to ask for provisions and generous treatment to the corps of 50 or 60 Chicago cadets, which is to camp here during the first two weeks of July. Their line of argument was that a suitable return should be given for the vociferous reception given the Toronto boys in Chicago.

Ald. Frankland: What did they feed them on? Cheers? [Laughter.]

That Orange Grant.

"There will be enough left from the Orange grant this week to do us," suggested S. W. Burns, adding, "You gave them more than they really asked. They only needed $300 out of the $500 voted."

Ald. Frankland: But will you take what they leave of the $500?

Mr. Burns would not.

Ald. Steiner, by the way, had been given abuse from even Orangemen about the size of that grant.

The committee stipulated that before anything was granted the camp should be staked in a city park, not in Munro or at Hanlan's Point, and then gave the cadets or rather the "Citizens' Committee," on motion of Ald. Frankland, $200.

In putting in the aforesaid proviso, they squelched a certain controller, whom rumor alleges to be working to have the camp in the Street Railway's park.

The Dominion Alliance Convention was granted the free use of the Pavilion. 'Twas all they asked and the committee sighed from sheer relief.

Siddall Certain.

Architect Siddall whose plan for market improvement was accepted, providing it can be executed for $150,000 or less, is more than ever confident that he has got the job. He has been working on his specifications and talking to contractors on the side and the result is his unbounded assurance that he will do the job for the money, and do it well. The contractors have submitted tenders and these confirm what Mr. Siddall already knew.

City Hall Notes.

Mayor Shaw has written new City Hall contractors whose time limit has expired, on unfinished contracts, notifying them that he will enforce the penalty clause.

Mrs. Myers, the High Park cateress, is lobbying the aldermen for electric lights for the park. She says there is only one there now.

The City Engineer and Street Commissioner are to move up to their new City Hall quarters to-morrow.

Among the building permits yesterday was one to the Consumers' Gas Company for a four-storey brick, stone and steel purifying house, corner Front and Parliament-streets, to cost $25,000.

DEWEY STILL AT HONG KONG.

His Health is Improved, But He is in No Hurry to Reach Home.

Hong-Kong, May 30.—Since his arrival here on May 23, on board his flagship, the U.S. cruiser Olympia, Admiral Dewey has improved in health, but he still refuses all invitations of a social nature. The date of his departure for home is still uncertain, his intention being to remain here until he has thoroughly recuperated. The program for the Olympia's voyage to the United States has not been definitely decided upon. It has been determined, however to make a stop at the Piraeus, from which port Admiral Dewey will go to Athens to pay his respects to King George of Greece.

Made Executor.

Mrs. M. A. Chester, widow and surviving executrix of the late William Woods who died at Belleville in 1885, has nominated The Trusts and Guarantee Company, Limited, 14 West King-street, Toronto, as executor of her late husband's will, having decided the company can more conveniently carry out the directions of the will. The estate consists of property at Toronto and Belleville, and will revert to the testator's child on attaining his majority.

St. Thomas Voted the Money.

St. Thomas, May 30.—A bylaw to raise the sum of $12,000 to finish the new City Hall was voted on here to-day and resulted as follows: 269 for bylaw, 113 against. It is necessary in most cases for one-third of the total vote to be polled in favor of a bylaw to carry, but in this instance the majority carries; therefore, the bylaw is carried. There are about 2100 voters in the city. There seemed to be very little interest in the affair.

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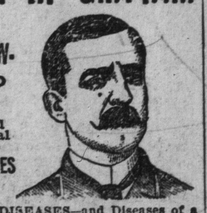

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