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Is Charged With Assaulting and Robbing Benjamin Boyle on Adelaide Street on Tuesday Night Last---The Evidence Adduced.

Frand Cahill, charged with holding up Witness called for help and Burleigh the Township of London. Benjamin Boyle on Friday night last came running back. on Adelaide street and taking his also came to his assistance, but the hospital trust, but it is understood that money from him, Magistrate Love this robber had made his escape, morning committed Cahili for trial at | Witness recognized Cahill as the the present sessions.

Mr. Boyle's Evidence.

Mr. Boyle was the first witness called and testified that on Friday evening last he went to an East End butcher shop to buy some meat, and pay a went to a hotel, where he had several but wasn't sure. drinks. Witness could not say how many,

but thought about four. When they were going out Cahill gone. tapped him on the shoulder and asked him to give him a shilling. Witness replied that he had no money to give

The Assault.

He then started home in company fined \$10 and \$2 costs. neck, threw him down and took away mental trouble.

After hearing the evidence against his purse, which was in his hip pocket.

William Cotter, the crossing man,

To Mr. Scatcherd, who appeared for Cahill, Boyle could not state what had become of the money left, after paying bill. He had in his purse \$4. He paid the meat bill, and for the drinks. He a bill of \$1 42, and met a friend and thought he had a dollar in his purse,

> back and finding Boyle with his money Cahill will probably appear for trial

with William Burleigh. When near Joseph Grosback, charged with be-

### Setter Dog Tries to Retrieve the Saucy Little Bird in Nellie's Hat petition which has been in circulation

Leaps for Fake Pheasant, Which He Thought Was

she tried to beat the dog off.

and was so determined to get the consented to allow his name to go bepheasant that it returned again and He has served in all fourteen years

pheasant which adorned her hat.

Hospital late yesterday afternoon, and attempted suicide.

occurrence. Crown Attorney McKil- he intended to kill himself.

Pym has little to say regarding the tried, as the note he left stated that stated to The Advertiser. 'I want to injured parties, the judge decided not

## Collegiate Institute Is Open Again past year, the need of them was phasized. The one playground we has proved extremely popular."

### HER DIAMOND DIADEM SOLD

Berlin, Dec. 9 .- Court circles were shocked today when it became known that Crown Princess Cecilia had sold the diamond diadem which was given Hamm colliery explosion several weeks Hoyt said:

The crown prince was astonished when he found what his wife had French people. done, but her earnestness was such ments are absolutely true. that he finally accepted her offering France to the liquidator, M. Gaulron, ap- day to the Grand Trunk station, interin good humor.

The Emperor and Empress did not conceal their annoyance at the crown between the new and the old companies princess' disregard of the Hohenzollern traditions, and the old court party openly expressed its displeasure.

The public, however, applauded the action, declaring that it has endeared to the contrary is a mere quibble over the future Empress to the people more than anything that she has ever done.

### ONTARIO PROFANE.

to the grand jury, Judge Ermatinger, of St. Th mas, presiding at the Essex county sessions of the peace, in place county grand jurors.

man who had taken his money.

### The Cross-Examination.

William Burleigh and William Cot-

ter offered evidence as to being called

### Other Cases.

Anthony O'Toole, an Indian lister, for being drunk and disorderly, was

the Grand Trunk tracks on Adelaide he ing insane, will probably be commitstopped for a while and Burleigh went ted to the asylum in a few days, as on. Some one came up behind him, the jail surgeon, after examining him, and putting his arms about Boyle's has found that he is suffering from

wounds were cauterized.

pheasant on the hat of Mrs. Nellie ers in this district. Everyone here tiring when this act was repealed. Felmer for a live bird, an Irish setter admits that it was not out of vicious- Mr. Jackson will undoubtedly mal prang at her head yesterday, and ness that the dog attacked the woman, a great run, his record for fair dealing buried his teeth in her face and fore- but merely because he could not re- and attendance to public business behead Screaming from pain and fright, sist the temptation to retrieve the ing well known to the people of the township of London.

## Charles Pym Is Now Out of Danger ALD. ARMSTRONG

Charles Pym, the young man who to The Advertiser this afternoon that attempted to take his life yesterday he will look into the cases of Pym and morning by drinking chloroform, re- Walter Hay, and if he finds sufficient consciousness at Victoria evidence, they will both be tried for he will again be a candidate for the view of the previous good character Moore acted for plaintiff, and Mereis practically recovered this morning. There is no doubt that Pym will be

### to impose lop has been very busy in connection. He will likely be arrested as soon playgrounds carried out, and I would fined \$10. with the opening of court, and stated as he is able to leave the hospital.

The Collegiate Institute reopened (away apparently not being over the this morning with an attendance of 730 smallpox scare yet. Principal Mc-Cutcheon states that the school has pupils. This is a high average, not- been thoroughly fumigated, and that withstanding that a few pupils stayed there is now absolutely no danger.

### SAYS PRESIDENT HAS TOLD TRUTH

German Crown Princess Aids Solicitor-General Hoyt Tells of Payment Made to French Victims of Mine Disaster. Panama Company.

payment on account of the Panama Canal County, settling near Mitchell He bepurchase, charges and allegations regard- came widely known as one of the most to her by the Emperor as a wedding ing which caused President Roosevelt to progressive farmers in the district. gift, in order to obtain a large sum to Indianapolis, in his letter to William contribute to the fund for the relief Dudley Foulke, called forth a formal for the Dominion Savings and Investof the widows and orphans of the statement today from Solicitor-General ment Society, and was a warm friend

"I furnished to the President the facts tirement four years ago. concerning the method of payment of the money for the Panama Canal to the The President's state-

"The money was paid at the Bank of pointed under the decree of the civil tri- ment being made at Mitchell. bunal of the Seine having jurisdiction of the case, and the amount was apportioned in the exact proportion decided in this decree of the civil tribunal of the Seine. "The action of this civil tribunal was the action of the French Government. just as any decision of the courts here in the action of government. Any pretence but generally fair and cold today and on as is in vogue in other cities.

### PROSECUTION DROPPED

Sandwich, Dec. 9.-In his charge to No Case Against Winnipeg Liberals

Arrested Before Election. Winnipeg, Dec. 9 .- Charges of bribof Judge McHugh, who is ill, uttered ery, preferred against Geo. McLeod, a strong protest against the prevalent W. A. Carson and Rod McLennan, all use of profanity in public places by the prominent Liberals, who were sumpeople of Ontario, and incidentally marily imprisoned and refused bail on drew a contrast between Ontario and the eve of the federal election by the Quebec, which was all in favor of the attorney-general's department, have French province. On his instructions been dropped. They were set for prethe jury will present a report on the liminary hearing before Magistrate question of profanity in this district, a McMicken this morning, but there was new subject of investigation for Essex no prosecution when the accused arrived, and the cases were dropped. Halifax ......

### MR. JACKSON FOR REEVE

Will Run Against Ex-Warden Does Not Believe Any More Will were not granted. The Legislature at Hodgins for First Deputy of London Township.

Ex-County Councillor R. W. Jackson, one of the best known men in the County of Middlesex, announces that he will oppose ex-Warden James Hodgins for the office of first deputy reeve of Mr. Jackson is at present the repre-

he will resign that position. Mr. Jackson's candidature brought about by a largely-signed



for some time amongst the residents of the Township of London, and it is It was a powerful animal, however, only under great pressure that he has

again to the attack. If bystanders as a county councillor, and a member had not interfered, the setter might of the council of the township. have killed the woman. She was hur- Twenty-eight years ago he was elected years therein. Later he sat for ten The animal which attacked the wo- years in the county council, during the taking the plumage of an English man, is one of the best pheasant hunt- time of the new county council act, re-

## WILL RUN AGAIN ing bodily harm.

Wants to See His Schemes Carried to a Conclusion.

Ald. Armstrong has announced that

council. "I will run again next year," see my schemes of public baths and to impose a heavy penalty. Both were like another year to make certain that they will be established. During the past year, the need of them was emphasized. The one playground we had

### WELL-KNOWN CITIZEN HAS PASSED AWAY

Death of Mr. R. H. Sarvis, Inspector for the Dominion Savings and

Investment Society. Robert H. Sarvis, inspector for the Dominion Savings and Loan Society for 28 years, died at his home, 86 Horton street, last night, after a few days illness.

Mr. Sarvis was 80 years old, and up to Thursday last, when he was down at the office, was apparently in the best of health.

On Friday morning, however, he

Washington, Dec. 9.—The manner of Hope, and later moved to Perth construction of the imperial sepulchre. to be seen. In 1880 he was appointed inspector Hoyt of the department of justice. Mr. of the late Mr. James Blair with whom he worked until the latter's re-

> Besides his wife Mr. Sarvis is sur-North Dakota, and three daughters. The funeral will be held on Satur-

### THE WEATHER.

TOMORROW-FAIR AND COLD Toronto, Dec. 9-8 a m

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| Montreal          |        | 10   |   |
| Quebec            |        | 10   |   |
| Father Point      |        |  |   |
| Port Arthur       |        | 4  |   |
| Vancouver         |        | 39   |   |
| Battleford        |        | 22   |   |
| Qu'Appelle        |        | 18   |   |
| St. John          |        | 20   |   |
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### Mayor Speaks of Refusal of Fiat City May Now Employ an Engineer

Be Heard of the Suits Against the Munic palities.

"The refusal of Premier Whitney to grant the flat means that the city can Mr. J. M. McEvoy, solicitor for Mr ly this afternoon. "That is one aspect as to what would be done. confessed in Toronto that the cases the suit would go on no matter what would fall to the ground if the fiat became of it.

its next session will ratify the power contracts, and the last difficulty will be removed out of our way. All to be must be ready to deliver it the moment it arrives."

Mr. McEvoy in Toronto.

go ahead and employ an electrical en- R. H. Smith, is still in Toronto, and gineer immediately," said Mayor Steve- he could no be communicated with of the case. I do not think we will Some time ago when the fiat sentative of the county council on the hear any more of the suits against discussed with him, he stated that the the city. The solicitor for the in- fiat made no difference to the action dividuals asking for the injunction so far as London was concerned, that

### LIST OF POLLING PLACES FOR MUNICIPAL ELECTION

City Clerk Baker Has Made Known the Location of the Booths The Haitiens Start a New Revolution and the Names of the Deputy Returning Officers.

City Clerk Baker has completed the No. 5 .- At Mrs. Burton's house, 278 list of deputy returning officers and Talbot street, by John Sonly, D. R. O. polling sub-divisions. The list is as No. 6.-At Mr. J. R. Haskin's house,

No. 1.-At the city hall, by Finley E. Perrin, D. R. O. No. 2.-At Mrs. Rowe's house, 254 R. O. King street, by J. M. Parsons, D. R. O. No. 8.—At Mrs. T. A. Walton's house, No. 3.-At Mrs. Fitzgibbon's house, 89 High street, by O. Pirie, D. R. O. 334 Ridout street, by C. W. Heaman,

D. R. O. No. 4.-At Mr. William Smith's R. O. house, 212 Horton street, by Joseph

## Furious Drivers Got Off Lightly Echo of London Old Boys' Week

ried to a local physician, and her to the township council and served four Edward Fenn and John Davis The case of Charles Evans, of this Were Allowed to Go on Paying a Fine of \$10 Each.

> Davis, of London Township, pleaded was very contradictory. The jury reguilty before Judge Macbeth at the turned a verdict of not guilty, and the December sessions yesterday on the judge dismissed the case with a warncharge of furious driving, and caus- ing to both men again drunkenness.

The offence occurred during the Old Boys' week and caused much excite- The case of Jackson vs. Wood, had both already paid damages to the

with the latter last summer. Pleaded Guilty.

Thomas Charles, an Indian, against whom the grand jury brought in a go on suspended sentence.

city, who came up on a charge of stealing \$9 from the person of a man county court this morning.

244 Grey street, by John C. Williams,

No. 7.-At Mr. J. C. Parke's house

No. 10.-At Mr. W. Davie's house,

Both the men were, it is said, under Edward Fenn, of this city, and John the alleged theft, and their evidence the influence of liquor at the time of

Jackson vs. Wood.

ment at the time. The two drove dispute over a \$400 promissory note recklessly through a crowd, knocking which was not paid, Wood was grantdown and injuring several people. In ed \$125 damages, Messrs. Fraser & of the accused, and the fact that they dith, Fisher & McDonald for defense.

Both Settled.

The action of the International Harvester Company vs. Snell, and the International Harvester vs. Nichols. McGillivray Township, charged with for the plaintiff in both cases, and wounding his father in an altercation Mr. P. McDonald for Mr. Snell, and Mr. H. C. Pope for Mr. Nichols.

### A Disputed Sale,

true bill for the theft of two parcels to be heard is that of Carrothers & Muncey reserve, came up for hearing disputed sale of lot 5, concession 5, today, and pleaded guilty. He was let township of Westminston This area. today, and pleaded guilty. He was let township of Westminster. This will be heard this afternoon.

### Funeral of the Late Chinese Monarch

Hsu, the late Emperor of China, was and weird in the eyes of western ob-On Friday morning, however, he suffered a paralytic stroke, and never today carried, with much ceremony, regent, for a short distance, from its from the hall in the Forbidden City, starting place, and as it passed Mr. Sarvis came to this country where it has reposed for a week, to through the streets of the imperial from Cornwall when a young man of the Coal Hill mortuary. It will con-city, thousands of mourners knelt in 19. For some time he lived at Port time to lie in state here, pending the the dust until the coffin was no longer not going to die. I am going to get British ship Haddon Hall, over whose

Pekin, Dec. 9 .- The body of Kuang- | The funeral cortege, brilliant, barbaric

## Real Estate Deals Are Very Fair

Movements in real estate continue to being 67.9 per cent of the value. be quite satisfactory, and are almost In November, 1907, there were 72 fight Pratt's 13-year-old daughter Atlantic. as favorable as last year. During November there were 78 sideration \$120,957. The assessment and two other policemen are in a vived by one son, Mr. B. S. Sarvis, of transfers, assessed value \$69,182, con- was 64.5 per cent of the considera- critical condition. sideration \$101,899, the assessment tion.

## No Censorship for London Theatres at large.

No effort is being made by those have heard of no such move being satisfied. I give up." As there was water-line was repaired in a like maninterested in moral reform in London made. I suppose it is necessary in no policeman present, and no one Moderate winds, a few light snowfalls to establish a censorship of theatres, many places, but it is a question whether it is needed here."

Several of those who take an active 'I have heard nothing about it." part in all moral reform movements said Rev. E. B. Lanceley. "I saw somefax. were seen by The Advertiser, but thing about the play, "The Devil." none had heard anything of such a coming to the city, and if it is such as move, and so far, no person has taken some people say it is, the play should be prohibited from the theatre. Howthe matter up seriously. "I have heard of nothing of that ever, that is a matter for the chief of tion is slightly improved. A. J. Selnature," said Mr. D. A. McDermid. police, I fancy. I have heard of no sor, the bystander, who was hit by a "We have not discussed it, and I organization doing anything here."

## Sarnia Couple Smothered

[Special to The Advertiser.]

inight at their home. They were dis-Sarnia, Dec. 9.—Mr. and Mrs. John covered by their son, Mr. Robt Paul, York; Haverford, from New York; Iver-Paul, a highly esteemed and respected this morning. Life was extinct, they nia, from Boston. old couple residing on Wellington evidently having been dead some time 52 street, were asphyicated by gas last when found.

done, then, is to deliver the power. We Hurled Into Air Shaft It Explodes With Terrific Force, Injuring a Score of Italians---Outrage Follows Attempted

Blackmail.

New York, Dec. 9.-More than a pied exclusively by Italians, and it score of persons were injured, five developed that threatening letters had seriously, early today, when a bomb been received by many of them durwas hurled into the air shaft of the ing the past few months. Practically tenement-house at 330 East Sixty- all of those injured were asleep in the third street. The house was badly bedrooms on the south side. Plaster and bricks, mixed with jagged pieces wreck. Failure of occupants of the of glass from the shattered windows, house to comply with demands for were hurled into these rooms with money, made upon them by Black frightful force, and some of those in-Hand confidence men, is believed by jured were found half-buried and unthe police to have been the cause of conscious under the debris, piled up the outrage. The house was occu- on their beds.

Cape Haitien, Haiti, Dec. 9.—There towns affected are Port de Paix, has been a revolutionary outbreak in Hinche and Jean Babel. Other points of minor importance also report outseveral of the northern towns of the breaks. General Robillard has left republic, and it is feared that the Plaisance for Gonaives for the purmovement will spread. The principal pose of suppressing the disorders.

159 Simcoe street, by W. A. Odell, D. The two Pere Marquette bridges on | The city refused to pay for it, claimhave been completed, and the threat-No. 9.-At Mr. Alf Cave's house, 22 ened suit against the city for the cost for the bridges. Marley Place, by Thomas Spettigue, D.

is again being discussed. capable of carrying the largest pos- Port Stanley. sible load, and make the road one of the best in Western Ontario.

the London and Port Stanley Railway ing that as the Pere Marquette were to keep the bridges in repair during the life of the lease, they should pay

Nothing was done with the suit, and Both are modern steel structures, the company built a second bridge at

Now that both bridges are completed negotiations for a settlement may Some time ago the bridge over the be taken up some time soon, as it is Thames, just south of the city, was said the company is anxious to have its present lease extended.

### Letters for School Children

named Markle at Springbank Park has awakened a great deal of interest He asked that Inspector Edwards dislast summer, was heard before the not only in Canada, but in England, school to London boys and girls who was once more proved this morning had heard the big choir, and when Inspector Edwards received a municate their impressions to their batch of letters from Leeds, England, little friends across the Atlantic. to be distributed among the school Inspector Edwards succeeded in distributing a number of them, and will

children of the city. from Mr. James Watson, superin- two. Leeds, had taken a great interest in signed, "Rachel Cohen," There are the achievements of the Yorkshire other names equally as foreign sound-

That the visit of the Sheffield Choir at the heartiness of their reception.

An explanatory letter was received get the rest around within a day or tendent of schools in Leeds, stating That the Leeds schools are rather that the teachers and scholars of the cosmopolitan in character is borne out Leylands Mixed School, Gower street, by the fact that one of the letters is

### Choir in Canada, and were delighted ing. London's Death Rate 13.5 Per 1,000

According to the statistics prepared | Eng., and Glasgow are considerably No bill was returned by the grand were both settled between the parties, by Medical Health Officer Hutchinson better as a rule, the percentage somejury in the case of Harold Bice, of Messrs. Macpherson & Perrin acted the death rate for the city during the times falling as low or lower than 11

year ending Nov. 15, was 13.5 per per 1,000. The increase in the num-"This is a very fair showing," said the large number of deaths from con-Dr. Hutchinson. "It is perhaps the sumption, bring our rate up consid-The only civil jury case remaining average of Canadian cities. London, erably."

# MORE POLICEMEN

Kansas City Officer, Remains Unrepentant.

well, and live to kill a few more po- safety much anxiety was caused, arself-styled "Adam God," the religious pestuous voyage, in which many of the

In November, 1907, there were 72 light Fracts To John Darbo, The first mishap occurred when the transfers; assessed value \$77,980, con- Lulu, and Policeman Albert L. Darbo, Haddon Hall collided with the Ger-James Sharp, known as "Elijah II." and who was the real head of the little video for repairs.

Hospital here seriously wounded, in a

band of religious enthusiasts, is still Shortly after the shooting yesterday planking was built around the port by he walked into a saloon and laid down men lashed to the swinging sides and his revolver, with the remark, "I am seemed inclined to take him into custody, Sharpe waited a moment, then picked up the weapon, reloaded it and walked out. He has not been

seen since. At the hospital, it is said Patrolman Mullane has small chances of recovery. Sergeant Patrick Clark's condistray bullet, also is expected to get

STEAMERS ARRIVED.

At Philadelphia-Merion, from Liver-At Queenstown-Campania, from

At Gibraltar-Caronia, from New York; track to the outer portion of the Republic, from New York.

## TERRIFIC FIGHT WITH SEA WON

ber of deaths from pneumonia, and

Religious Fanatic, Who Killed A Long-Overdue Ship Arrives at Seattle After Voyage of 245 Days.

Kansas City, Mo., Dec. 9.-"I am | Seattle, Dec. 9. - The long-overdue rived today, 245 days from Liverpool. That is the assertion of Louis Pratt, via Montevideo. The ship had a temfanatic, who is lying in the General sailors were injured, the cargo was shifted, and it was only by the most battle between his followers and the heroic fight that the boat was prepolice last evening. As a result of the vented from foundering in the South

> man bark Amsterdam, compelling both ships to put back 200 miles to Monte-A gale sprang up soon after the accident, and the Haddon Hall beganto fill through a broken port. Some

THE RAILWAY COMMISSION

men lashed to the swinging sides and

cement was filled in. A hole near the

Orders That Freight Cars on Passenger Trains Be Braked.

Ottawa, Dec. 9.-The railway com-

mission has issued a batch of orders, including one that provides for a daily inspection of electric poles at all highway crossings, and where any are found to be out of order, require that Dec. 8.-At New York, Statendam, from a flagman be placed at the crossing. Another order says all freight cars on passenger trains must have air brakes and steel-tired wheels, and another that mail cranes must be 7 feet 1% inches from the centre of the crane, and at least 10 feet high.