

COMMITTEE SECURES A SUITABLE SITE FOR TUBERCULOSIS HOSPITAL

Purchase May Be Completed This Week—Price Is \$6,000—Location a Secret.

The purchase of a suitable site for a tuberculosis hospital for London and Middlesex County may be completed this week—possibly today.

For some time past a committee of the citizens who have interested themselves in the movement to fight the white plague have been looking around with a view to obtaining a property, and they have at last succeeded in finding one which will meet the needs and can be bought at a reasonable figure. A farm of 160 acres, with fine buildings, near Hyde Park, was visited, but as \$25,000 was asked for it, the committee could not consider it. Another farm of 100 acres on the fourth concession of London Township, was also considered ideal for the purposes of a hospital, but it was found that the owner placed \$15,000 as the price of it.

The committee thought that they should be able to get a farm within a reasonable distance of the city for at least \$6,000, and they have done so. The exact location of the property on which an option has been obtained, is being kept a secret for the present, but it is known that the farm contains about 100 acres, with a good house and barns, and that it is within five miles of London. The house would not be used for hospital purposes, but would make a very suitable home for the caretaker of the institution.

The committee consider that they are now in a position to go ahead with the work of building. They say that while they have not as yet been guaranteed any assistance from either the city or county, councils they do not doubt in the least that both bodies will give them some aid. The Provincial Government, they point out, will also give them 40 per cent of the cost of construction, in addition to allowing them a fixed sum per day for the treatment of each patient. The committee have no fears as to the financial ends of the undertaking.

A GREAT SEASON FOR THE GOLFERS

London Golf Club Looking Forward to It—Professional Secured—Officers Elected

The London Golf Club held its annual meeting Wednesday night, with a good attendance of enthusiastic golfers.

The treasurer's statement showed a balance on the right side with all liabilities paid.

The club has engaged a professional green-keeper, who is now on his way here from Stirling, Scotland, and will take charge on April 1. The greens will be put in order at once, and when ready, will be one of the best nine-hole courses in Canada.

It was arranged that monthly handicapped matches be held, the first to take place in April. It was also decided to arrange home and home matches with outside clubs during the season.

The fee for membership has been placed at \$6. Members of the London Hunt Golf Club are extended the privilege of playing over the course during April and May and October and November for a fee of \$3.

The following officers were appointed for 1907:

President—V. Cronyn.
First Vice-President—J. K. M. Pope.
Second Vice-President—James L. Anderson.
Secretary—W. Pope.
Captain—F. R. Hiddell.

Strong committees were also appointed to look after the greens, the handicapping, and the executive work of the club.

FLORAL BEAUTIES AT THE CITY HALL

Some Rare Varieties of Carnations and Roses Are Being Shown Today.

Local lovers of horticulture are afforded a rare opportunity today and tonight of witnessing a magnificent display of carnations, roses and other flowers at the exhibit of the Canadian Horticultural Society, the executive of which is meeting today at 2:30 p.m.

To a local firm, Gammage & Sons, must be given the credit for the largest individual display. The exhibition is not a competition one in any sense of the word, the flowers being put on for the purpose of giving the public an opportunity of becoming more familiar with the art of horticulture.

Experts who have seen the display are of the opinion that it far outclasses any which the society has held up to date. That fact speaks well for the work of the organization which aims to advance horticulture to the highest possible level.

The carnations in particular are remarkable, both for size, color and class. In addition to the many others, there are the wonderful Lawson carnations, which are conceded to have been of more commercial and intrinsic value than any other kind. The history of these remarkable carnations is very interesting. Peter Fisher, of Boston, is said to have originated the flower and later sold a share in it to Thomas Lawson, the famous financier. Some time afterward Mr. Lawson financed a deal whereby the original plants were sold to a Mr. Galvin for \$30,000, and named "Lawson" in honor of the wife of the copper king.

Most people have had the good fortune to see carnations of every conceivable red and white hue, but it goes without saying that few have seen the same flower green in color. And yet there are green carnations on exhibit at the city hall today.

Then there are fine displays of White-mani ferns, Bride roses and Golden Gate roses, peonies and geraniums, as well as other favorites.

No admission to the exhibit is charged, and the public are cordially invited.

The list of exhibitors is as follows: Palmer & Sons, Buffalo; F. R. Pierson, Tarrytown, N. Y.; Bassett & Washburn, Hinsdale, N. Y.; John E. Haines, Bethlehem, Pa.; Chicago Carnation Co., Joliet, Ill.; W. J. Fenland, Brampton; Dale Estate, Brampton; W. J. Lawrence, Toronto; J. H. Dunlop, Toronto; Gammage & Sons, London; F. Dicks, London.

At 2:30 this afternoon a meeting of the executive of the Horticultural Society will be held and the place for the next convention selected.

CONDENSED LOCAL NEWS

—Mayor Judd is in Toronto today, in connection with the VanZant investigation.

—"Love's Reward" (chap. 17), Pastor Shield's subject tonight Adelaide Street Church.

—Mr. Joseph Bonenati has returned to Toronto, after attending the funeral of his uncle, Mr. C. Paladino.

—Mr. R. Hookaway, of 532 Central avenue, has taken out a building permit for a two-story brick dwelling on Waterloo street.

—The Amateur Operatic Society, under the direction of Mr. F. L. Willgoose, are preparing two performances of the Mikado for the benefit of the furnishing fund of the new isolation hospital. Beginning this evening rehearsals will be held every Tuesday and Thursday in the public library hall at 8 o'clock.

—The death occurred this morning of Miss Annie Mulhall, the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Mulhall, of 509 Piccadilly street. The deceased, who was 23 years old, had been in poor health for several months, and her death was not unexpected. She was a native of the city, and spent her life here. The funeral will be held on Saturday morning at 8:30, to St. Peter's Cathedral, where requiem mass will be celebrated at 9 o'clock. Mr. and Mrs. Mulhall will have the sympathy of the community in their bereavement.

—Mr. W. T. Stewart, of this city, was presented with a handsome hunting suit, by the members of the Kenwick Club last night. The presentation was made by Mr. J. A. Bowman, while the address was read by Mr. J. Kelly. Mr. Stewart is a well-known commercial traveler, and is very popular among his many acquaintances in this city. He leaves today for Moosejaw, Sask., where he will manage the western branch of the Kelly Cigar Company, of this city, for whom he has been traveling for some time past.

ADVANCE IN RATES.

Storage rates from the old country have been advanced by some of the steamship lines \$2 to \$30 per container, on account of the heavy immigration.

CONTINUE TO INCREASE.

The London clearing house returns for the week ended today totalled \$1,255,100, as compared with \$931,065 for the corresponding week of 1906, showing an increase of \$324,035.

TAKING SPECIAL COURSE.

Lieuts. W. R. Brown and H. Ingram, of the Seventh Regiment, are taking a special course of instruction at Voisey Barracks. Lieut. T. N. Elliott, of the Twenty-sixth (Middlesex) Regiment, is also taking a special course.

WILL ATTEND CONVENTION.

Dr. English, chairman of the board of health, is showing the city that he can go to Ottawa to attend the tuberculosis convention despite the fact that the board of health refuses to pay his expenses. The doctor is paying the shot himself. He will be absent a week.

FOLL L DOWN STOCK.

The steadiness which followed the first bad break lasted until well after 12 o'clock. At that time another precipitate movement developed, and drove prices for some of the leaders to the lowest point since the war. Copper sold at 91, Reading 106, Union Pacific 139½, and St. Paul 134.

THE RENTON INQUEST.

The coroner's inquest into the death of Engineer George Renton will be continued at the police station tomorrow night, when the evidence of Engineer Hardman and Fireman Baker of the International Limited, will be taken. Engineer Hardman left the hospital some time ago, but Fireman Baker was only able to leave the institution this week.

A FAREWELL PARTY.

Monday evening about 30 young people met at the home of Miss Ethel Hammond, Hope street, the occasion being a farewell party, given to Mr. Allen Kinder, telegraph operator of the G. N. W., before leaving for Winnipeg, where he has secured a lucrative position. A most enjoyable time was spent in games and music, after which a dainty lunch was served by the hostess. Best wishes were extended Mr. Kinder.

ANGLERS' ANNUAL MEETING.

The annual meeting of the Thames River Angling Association will be held tonight in the Knights of Pythias Hall, Dufferin block. A large attendance of the members and others who are in sympathy with the work of the association is expected. Officers are to be elected, and reports showing the success which has attended the agitation to protect the river fish will be presented.

The association are usually held in the Carling Block, Richmond street, but that hall could not be obtained for tonight; hence the change to the Dufferin Block.

A FINE PRINTING ESTABLISHMENT.

There is at present in course of construction in Toronto one of the most up-to-date printing establishments in Canada. It is being erected by Mr. Atwell Fleming, formerly superintendent of the Advertiser job department, who left this city some years ago to associate himself with Hunter, Rose & Co., of Toronto. He remained with that firm for some time, but for the last few years has been in business for himself. The building is being erected on the southeast corner of Dundas and Pearl streets, nearly opposite his present premises, and is the district which will in future be known as "Printing House Square." Since the Toronto fire a great many firms have erected warehouses and manufacturing establishments in this locality, which is the old Upper Canada College grounds. Mr. Fleming's knowledge of the printing art enables him to design a building with every convenience required, and it will be as nearly fireproof as possible. His many friends will learn with pleasure of the prosperity that has been his in the capital city of the Province.

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ENGLISH WOMAN IN DARING TRIP

Crosses Moroccan Desert Under Protection of Raisuli's Orders.

London, March 12.—Whenever there is an enterprise too risky for a man to undertake in these days it generally happens that a woman can be found to do it. Such an enterprise is a journey lately made by a slight, delicate-looking little woman from Tangier to Fez through a bandit infested region, by tortuous roads known only to the natives, and without armed escort of any sort. It is as if Lady Cicely had stepped out into real life from Bernard Shaw's amusing comedy, "Capt. Brassbound's Conversion," in which Ellen Terry is touring in the United States.

The heroine of this exploit is Mrs. Frances Campbell, author of that fascinating novel of child life, "Dearlove," and of a book of singularly fanciful and delicate essays, "The Measure of Life." Her husband, who died about five years ago, was a cousin of the Duke of Argyll, King Edward's brother-in-law. By marriage she is related to most of the other distinguished Campbells, the family name being "Who's Who?" than any other family in the United Kingdom. But it is from her own ancestors she gets the heroic strain in her blood, for she is a descendant of Owen Roe O'Neill, a prince of Ulster, who was a famous rebel in his day.

Goes to Morocco for Health.

Mrs. Campbell's health broke down last summer after the strain of finishing her "Dearlove." She went to Tangier to recuperate. A large party of English women had been arranged to visit the court of the Sultan of Morocco at Fez. But alarmists reports were received that Raisuli was on the war-path and that Moorish brigands were prowling around seeking rich captives for ransom. In consequence all the members of the projected expedition backed out except two women—Mrs. Campbell and her friend, Mrs. Mansell Playdell.

The latter is the wife of Col. Playdell, an Englishman whose love of sport has caused him to sojourn long in the land of the Sherifian Sultan. There he met the court of the Sultan of Morocco. Playdell became a firm admirer of the Moorish chief. He earned Raisuli's gratitude by championing his cause with the British Government when he was an outlaw with a price upon his head.

When Raisuli heard that the colonel's wife and her friend were bent on going to Fez, he pledged his word that so far as lay in his power he would see to it that no harm befell them on their journey. The descendant of the rebel Irish prince pinned her faith to the word of the English chief, and she and her companion made the journey in safety, though all the diplomats at Tangier, including the American representative, did their best to dissuade her.

Her trust in Raisuli was well repaid. Shielded by his name, more potent and respected among the wild tribesmen of the desert than any other name, she and her companion made the journey in safety. Many adventures befell them, but no man's hand was raised against them. They were accompanied by seven servants without weapons, and took with them no armed guards, an unprecedented thing in the wild region which they traversed. They were met by Raisuli, without an escort of soldiers. Furthermore, they broke the record for Moroccan travel. Avoiding the beaten track and riding hard from dawn to sunset over boulder strewn paths, they made the journey in five days. They were a little late, but they were there.

Legation took a month to do it, traveling over much better roads. The American legation, far from maintaining the national reputation for hustling, was six weeks on the journey.

Mrs. Campbell, who has just returned to England, told some of the most adventurous tales of the situation in Morocco of different from that which has reached the world through official channels.

She saw Raisuli only once during the journey. On the second morning after leaving the camp, she noticed a small party riding along the river bank.

Bandit Like Roman Conqueror.

"The leader, a tall man, riding a beautiful Moorish horse, was the most aggressive personality I have ever seen," she said. "In his immaculate white robes, with his dark blue sulham floating around him over the crimson, green, and vermilion of his high peaked saddle, he looked like nothing so much as the reincarnation of some prince of the ancient Roman empire revisiting the land his race had found so tough a handful—a tall man, with an ivory white skin, flashing dark eyes, thin straight brows, high, aquiline features, thin as a cameo, beautifully perfect. The mouth was hidden by a soft, silken beard, as was his chin, but the outline showed hard and resolute through the close cropped hair.

"He sat on his horse as if he were a part of it, his reins dangling carelessly, his feet outstretched in the huge Moorish stirrups.

"He uttered a salutation as he passed, the severe beauty of his face breaking up with a smile. There was no subtlety in the face, only great power and reticence—and ambition. I was not surprised when the servants ran to him as he passed, kissing his hands, his sulham edge—ever the toe of the out-thrust yellow slipper.

Sends Escort With Her.

"It is Mulai Hummet," cried one of the servants, racing up on horseback, breathless with delight. "He has questioned me. He will send his hand with his friend's friends until we are past Borden."

"Mulai Hummet is the name by which Raisuli is known throughout Morocco." "But why did not this paragon of cavaliers tarry to exchange greetings with you?"

"It was due to no lack of courtesy on his part," said Mrs. Campbell. "Raisuli is an orthodox Mussulman and as such is forbidden to hold converse with

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SKIRTS FAILED TO LURE THE GANG

Policeman, in Disguise, Caught Nothing But Several Frozen Fingers.

New York, March 13.—When Detective William Musmeyer, of the Bronx Park station, arrived for the morning roll-call today he was met with a gloating snicker by his fellow workers in the paths of crime. He limped with chilblains in his right foot and three of his fingers were frozen.

His beautiful black mustache and a budding chin sprout were gone. Musmeyer had volunteered on Saturday to capture a band of highwaymen who had been reaping a harvest in the wild glades of the Bronx by holding up and robbing women. He carried the brilliant idea of disguising himself as a woman, and donning the footpads within range of his trusty six-shooter. Capt. McGlynn gave his consent.

Mrs. Musmeyer was visiting yesterday. She left at home a fine new gown, a towering picture hat and a quantity of jewelry. The detective donned those articles, and his sprout and chin sprout sprang. He took his disguise to the station house and the reserves helped him to get into it. It required the combined efforts of five men to lace him, and when he was finally corseted he could only breathe in short, sharp gasps. He got all his wife's rings on his two little fingers, and donned the picture hat at a rakish angle. He was about to saunter forth with his face bare when Capt. McGlynn stopped him.

"Bill," he said, "if you're going to join the Rural Riders, you've got to get a pretty fair imitation, but if you think you can decoy a wily thug with a mug like that you're way in to the bad. Screen it, and screen it good."

Musmeyer did screen it with an automobile veil the matron provided. The widow, who is a daughter of Chief Justice Sir William Meredith, and two daughters survive him. The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon.

He plowed his way through the drifts to that heavily shaded grove of trees at Two Hundred and Fourth street and Briggs street, where Margaret Kennedy, a beautiful telephone girl, was robbed of her diamonds and purse last week. He wore no gloves, so that the gems on his fingers might flash their fascinating glare and lure the bold highwayman.

But the Jack Sheppards, of the Bronx district, lure. Musmeyer walked back and forth amid the trees, tramped through dim, forbidding lanes and sought out the most dangerous reaches of highway and byway. His feet began to freeze, and so did his bare hands with their weight of brilliants. At last he gave up and went home.

When he opened the door of his home his wife met him at the threshold. The minute she saw her gown and jewels she grabbed him and emitted a series of screams that woke the neighborhood and called out the reserves. She wouldn't believe that the strange looking female was her husband and five fellow officers had sworn to his identity.

Nor was the young detective's pain made less keen today when Capt. McGlynn got the following note, scrawled in a disguised hand:

"To the Dear Bull: In the Woods: We are particular in the females we select. Those who feel that make o'clock tracks on what holds up their skirts like they were draggin' a sack of oats is barred. Put dat kid to work. We'll have her in de park. It's a shame to let him out in such crule wether. Yours,

"THE GENT HIGHWAYMAN."

COURT UPHOLDS DELMAS

New York, March 14.—When the Thaw trial opened this morning Lawyer Abraham Hummel was recalled to the stand.

Delphin M. Delmas immediately began his argument in reply to District Attorney Jerome as to the admissibility of the evidence Hummel has to offer regarding an affidavit, Evelyn Nesbit is said to have made. In this affidavit, the district attorney stated yesterday Miss Nesbit asserted that Thaw had beaten her when she refused to sign papers charging White with her ruin, and swore that the charge against

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FOUR TIMES A YEAR

as follows: February 28, May 31, August 31 and November 30.

OFFICES IN LONDON:

Corner King and Richmond Streets; Corner Dundas and Adelaide Streets; Corner John and Richmond Streets.

White was not true.

Mr. Delmas said: "We still contend that this witness was acting as attorney to this girl. It is not for him, by his word, to deny that such a relation existed. However, we will reserve that objection."

Mr. Delmas then turned to the admissibility of evidence contradicting the statements of a witness made out of court.

He said he had not objected to Mr. Jerome's address yesterday as he trusted "to the fairness of the jury, which is my only protection."

Mr. Delmas finally asked that the court rule out Hummel's testimony as improper and having no bearing on the case.

Judge Fitzgerald sustained the objection.

It was agreed to excuse Hummel temporarily and go on with the state's experts this afternoon. A luncheon adjournment was then ordered.

DEATH OF DR. PETERS

Continued from page one.

Dr. Peters was born at Erasmus, Wellington County, on July 16, 1858, and received his early education at local schools. For some time he taught school, studying for his profession in the meantime. In 1886 he graduated from Toronto University with an M. B., and began the practice of medicine in Toronto. He early evinced a fondness for military life and rose to a captaincy in the Governor-General's Body Guards. Later he organized the Toronto Light Horse, and was given command as major subsequently being appointed lieutenant-colonel in command. His pleasure in riding made him an enthusiastic member of the Hunt Club and a splendid follower of the hounds, while his interest in horse shows led him to keep a stable of fine saddle horses and to take a lively part in the affairs of the annual horse show. Golf was also one of his pleasures, and he was a well-known member of the Lampton and Toronto Golf Clubs.

In 1890 he was made a fellow of the Royal College of Surgeons, England, and was appointed a professor of surgery and of clinical surgery in the medical faculty of Toronto University.

Both as a surgeon and as a teacher he attained a wide reputation, and his contributions to surgical literature are regarded as valuable and as containing original ideas of importance. He was surgeon to the Toronto General Hospital and consulting surgeon to the Hospital for Sick Children.

His wife, who is a daughter of Chief Justice Sir William Meredith, and two daughters survive him. The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon.

CHICAGO EXCHANGE.

Reported by C. N. Spencer, Stockbroker, Market Lane, for the Advertiser.

Chicago, March 14.

Wheat	Open	High	Low	Close
May	77 1/2	77 3/4	77 1/2	77 3/4
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