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CLERK LIVED DOUBLE LIFE. Thieved to Be Able to Pose in Society After Hours.

New York, March 26.—Thru the arrest of John Wilmer Martine, head salesman in a Fifth-avenue haberdasherie, a rather unusual record has come to light.

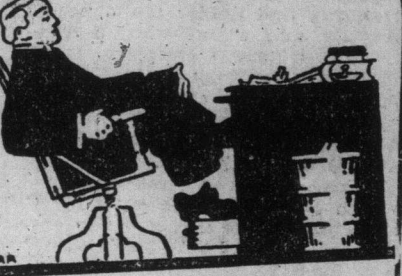
Martine added somewhat to his income by work as a "parlor entertainer."

Martine is 28 years old, and at Sherry's, Delmonico's and the Waldorf-Astoria he is known as one of the "smartest dressers" in town.

In the west side police court Martine was brought to answer a charge of grand larceny preferred by his employer, W. A. McLaughlin, a haberdasher.

His customers were Wall-street bankers, well-known lawyers and business men.

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WORK GOOD IN SUBURBS. Toronto Junction, March 26.—The works committee of the town council tonight received a statement from the street foreman in respect to improvements that are required to sidewalks this season.

The improvements are extensive, and take in most of the principal streets of the town. G. B. Abrey reported that he had surveyed Carlton-street from Queen-street to Loughton-avenue, and found that A. J. Heydon and P. Laughton were encroaching on the street to a distance of from 1 to 1-1/2 feet.

W. J. Sheppard, jeweler, has purchased 18 feet of land on Dundas-street, west of No. 44, occupied by C. F. Wright. The price per foot was \$125.

Weston. Weston, March 26.—The funeral of Arthur Reginald, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Taylor of King-street, took place this afternoon to Mount Pleasant cemetery.

East Toronto. East Toronto, March 26.—For three hours the town council wrestled to night with the question of the assumption by the town of the Baunty Beach

North Toronto. Sam Dingle and Charles Spittel have joined the list of those who wish to erect in the town this spring. Fourteen new dwellings on Sherwood-avenue are spoken of, but the proposition has nothing substantial than rumor up to the present.

A special meeting of the council has been called for Wednesday night, but nothing more than routine business is expected to come up.

Sunday school anniversary services were held at the Eglington Methodist Church on Sunday.

A couple of continent travelers passed thru the town to-day, bound for the Pacific slope. They started from Glace Bay in Cape Breton without any funds whatever, and have one year in which to complete the trip to the coast.

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Cafe Coach Service to Buffalo. The Canadian Pacific 7:50 a.m. train to Buffalo will from now carry a modern equipped cafe coach serving attractive meals at moderate prices.

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ASHBRIDGE'S BAY SPUR LINE. Civic Delegation Will Make Initial Survey of the Route. First steps toward the construction of a railway spur line along the north shore of Ashbridge's Bay from Cherry-street to Leslie-street, will be taken to-day, when the city engineer, the Dufferin Hall, tomorrow night.

TWO WARDS SET ASIDE WHERE DOCTORS MAY FOLLOW. Dr. Brown, superintendent of the General Hospital, in a circular letter to the physicians of the city, says that the line to be set aside for two semi-public wards for the reception of any cases sent in by doctors or by fraternal societies or workmen's organizations.

CRIME ON DECREASE. At Least Prison Population Has Not Increased in Proportion. W. E. Archibald, parole officer of the Dominion, speaking at the Canadian Club luncheon yesterday, pointed out that the population of our penitentiaries is not showing any alarming increase. We would find the numbers almost stationary if we reviewed the past five years.

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EX-ALD. CRANE'S DEAD. A PROGRAM OF APOPLEXY. Stricken Down in His Home on Return From Church, and Did Not Regain Consciousness.

Seized with apoplexy Sunday evening while removing his coat after returning from Bloor-street Presbyterian Church, ex-Controller James Crane died yesterday morning at the home of his sister at 11 Oxford-street. He did not regain consciousness. Two years ago he suffered a first stroke of apoplexy. He was 67 years of age and unmarried and came to Toronto from Smithboro, County Monaghan, Ireland, 41 years ago. He was for many years a well-known member of the Irish Protestant Benevolent Association and a Conservative. He is survived by three brothers, Hugh Crane, retired; George Crane, ex-principal of Lathdown School, and Samuel Crane of A. Lytle & Co.

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Controllers Shaw and Hubbard presented the above resolution, which was silently passed by the council yesterday. There will be a special meeting of the council to attend the funeral.

L. D. S. BOOTH IS DEAD. Three Times Mayor of Brockville and Prominent as Contractor. Brockville, March 26.—(Special)—David S. Booth, who resided in Brockville since 1882, and a contractor known in many parts of Canada, died to-day, aged 76 years.

Mr. Booth was a conspicuous figure in the municipal and sporting life of Brockville. He had wide experience as a railroad contractor in Canada and the United States, and built portions of the G.T.R., including the double tracking. He also had contracts at Binghamton, N.Y.; at Guelph, for a line between the city and Toronto; at Huntville, on the Northern and Pacific Junction Railroad, and at London, on the London and Woodstock division of the C.P.R. He erected the largest public building in Brockville, and the Armouries at Cobourg and Brockville. The waterworks systems of St. Catharines and Ottawa were installed by him, and also a large block of the Welland Canal.

He was a cricketer, and played on the first Canadian eleven in the international matches with the United States. He was one of the chief backers of Edward Hanlan in his palmistry days as a sculler, and followed aquatics closely till a late date. Mr. Booth died in the Red Cross Hotel, Brockville. His wife died in 1888, and was a Mason and a member of the Sons of England.

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HOTELMEN TO SEE HANNA. HAVE LIST OF OBJECTIONS. Delegation Will Wait Upon Provincial Secretary This Morning—No Convention Likely.

A deputation of members of the Hotelkeepers' Association of Toronto will wait upon Hon. Mr. Hanna this morning at 11 o'clock to make objections against a number of provisions in the Liquor License Act at present holding the floor in the legislature. The committee is composed of F. M. Baynes, president; George Wright, Walker House; S. H. Thompson, Queen's Hotel; Adam Nelson, Rossin House; W. C. Bailey, and Alexander Gordon, King Edward Hotel; John C. Palmer, Palmer House; George Graham, Iroquois Hotel; F. P. Manches, Arlington Hotel; Charles Campbell, Grand Union; E. G. E. McConkey, and J. S. Elliott, secretary, of the Elliott House.

One of the leading provisions to be protested against is the high license clause. The other objections are numerous, but President Baynes will not give them out until the committee has seen Mr. Hanna.

No affiliation of the Toronto Hotelkeepers' Association and the Hotelkeepers' Association of Toronto is in prospect as yet. The latter consists of ten leading hotels of the city, and the former association organized last fall composes the other hotels. Mr. Baynes stated last night there was no prospect of a convention of hotelkeepers this week so far as he knew.

RAT ATTACKS WOMAN. London, March 26.—While waiting for a train in the Grand Trunk station waiting-room here a woman was attacked by a rat, which sprang on her lap, and when she attempted to knock it off the animal seized her by the lower lip. In its struggles the rodent tore the bosom of the woman's dress to shreds, bystander choked the rat until it let go. The woman's lip was badly torn.

THE MILITIA INQUIRY. Ottawa, March 26.—The proposed commission of enquiry to test the efficiency of the permanent corps for the discharge of their educational work among the Canadian militia will probably not begin its work until after the session of parliament. Their report will be available for the session that is to open next November.

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SIMPSON. H. H. FIDGER, President; J. WOOD, Mgr. Tuesday, March 27. STORE CLOSING DAILY AT 5.30. Telephone 5300.

Want a Rain Coat? Any man who has a good raincoat doesn't need another of course, but if your sole dependence for shelter from the spring rainfall happens to be an umbrella, why a raincoat is the proper prescription. Like to call your attention to our rain or shine coat at \$10. That's a good average price—\$10. We have specialized on a \$10 coat and are rather proud of it. Wednesday we place on sale 50 Raincoats of our own manufacture, every garment is a model, being cut in the latest style and carefully tailored, with broad shoulders and close-fitting collars, the back shaped to conform to the body, they come in two patterns, materials plain Oxford grey, also grey with herringbone or shadow stripe, sizes 35 to 44, on sale Wednesday at \$10.00. Youths' or Young Men's Suits, in dark navy blue and black English cloth worsteds, made up in single and double-breasted sack style, cut long, with deep vent at the back, lined with fine Italian cloth, silk sewn throughout; the trousers are cut loose and roomy over the hips and peg top bottoms, sizes 33 to 35, regular \$10.50 to \$11, on sale Wednesday at 8.45.

Men's English Underwear Clearance. We are clearing out the broken lines of our Underwear below cost—English, natural wool, single and double breast, and double breast and back, heavy ribbed and Scotch wool, and Penman's natural wool shirts and drawers, guaranteed unshrinkable, sizes 34 to 46 in the lot, but not in every line, regular prices \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75 per garment, Wednesday, garment, 79.

Men's Spring Hats for 98c. No use in paying more when these are up-to-date. You may find no better hats at \$1.50 and \$2 easily enough. Caps, too, for to-morrow. Men's Derby Hats, new spring shapes, correct styles for 1906, fine and imported English fur felt, about 15 dozen in this lot, color black only, Wednesday 98. Men's and Boys' New Spring Caps, in motor, auto and Norfolk shapes, a very choice lot of patterns, in newest tweeds, best finish, regular 75c caps, Wednesday 60.

Men's 65c Half Hose, 19c. Bought with our February sale goods, at big discounts. High-class socks—Lisle thread. 2800 pairs Men's Half Hose; the lot consists of fancy medium and light weight lisle thread, neat patterns, silk embroidered fronts, also fancy stripes and clock effects, a large assortment of colors, plain black, cashmere hose, in light, medium and heavy weights, perfectly made, also heavy black English worsted; all have double heel and toe, all sizes, regular values up to 65c, on sale Wednesday, per pair 19.

Sample Sale Men's Oxfords. 200 pairs of Men's High Grade Sample Oxfords, styles for spring and summer, 1906, the newest and best, all the popular styles and shapes. See the Tongue-stitch window for these exceptional values. Black kid, chocolate kid, tan calf and patent leathers, worth from \$2 to \$4 per pair, to introduce the season's styles, size 7 only, Wednesday, 8 a.m. 1-50.

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