Of Interest to Women

SUFFRAGETTES INVADE PREMIER'S RESIDENCE

Chain Themselves Up to Iron Fence to Avoid Being Arrested.

LONDON, Jan. 17.—The arrival of the ministry in Downing-street to-day to attend the first meeting of the cabinet before the assembling of parliament was made the occasion of a public demonstration by the women suffragists.

The police anticipated trouble, and a large force was present, but the women succeeded in making their way inside the residence of Premier Campbell-Bannerman, and five arrests were made before order was restored.

Some of the demonstrants adopted a novel manner to prevent being carried off by the police. They had attached to their belts stout chains, which, when they saw the police about to lay hands on them, they quickly threw around the iron railing in front of the building.

The police had to break these chains by force before they could get the women away.

The suffragists were subsequently arraigned in the Bow-street Police Court. They refused to give sureties for their good behavior, and were sent to prison for three weeks.

Women's Welcome Hostel.

Miss M. A. Fitzgibbon, secretary of the Women's Welcome Hostel, at 66 Wellesley-street, in closing her report before the ladies' board at the annual meeting, which was held yesterday afternoon, said: "The measure of success has been so satisfactory that it is with humble gratitude to the Giver of all that I submit this report for 1907. Out of 642 women received at the home from the British Women's Emigration Society, and the Church of England Emigration Society, all have been placed in good situations, and with but two exceptions are doing well, the latter being cases of insanity, and coming under government regulation covering cases of degeneracy and disease developing within two years after the arrival of the immigrant, weer expatriated."

Miss Fitzgibbon expressed a hope that a further grant would be obtained from the Ontario Government to enlarge the present building. Gratitude was also expressed for a grant of $1000 from the Dominion Government which has enabled them to make necessary repairs thruout the premises.

The treasurer, Mrs. J. F. Smith, reported the receipts for the year of $3368.-14 and a disbursement of $3145.36, leaving a balance of $217.78.

Upon the resignation of Mrs. E. B. Osler, Mrs. J. K. Kerr has been elected president of the board.

Personal.

Mrs. Stafford Higgins (nee Byrnes) will receive for the first time since her marriage on Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 22, from 4 to 7, at the Alexandra Palace, Queen's Park-avenue. She will be assisted by her aunt, Mrs. Thomas Long.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Harvey and children of Delaware-avenue, and Miss E. Gardiner, have gone to Florida for the remainder of the winter.

Mrs. and Miss Oliver of 598 Sherbourne-street will receive next Monday and the second and third Mondays during the season.

Mrs. R. E. Walker, Huron-street, will receive on the third and fourth Tuesdays in January.

The German Conversation Club will meet this evening at the residence of Dr. G. B. Smith, 92 College-street.

The sergeant-major and sergeants of the 48th Highlanders will give their fourth annual ball at McConkey's on Friday evening, the 31st inst., at 9 o'clock. It is to be under the patronage of His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Lady Clark, Lieut.-Col. and Mrs. Davidson, Lieut.-Col. and Mrs. Macdonald and Lieut.-Col. Robertson.

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The fire sale which B. & H. B. Kent, the diamond merchants of 144 Yonge-street, are at present holding is attracting wide attention because of the extraordinary values offered. This sale must not be confused with the ordinary and common run of stock-taking and auction sale variety for the disposal of unsaleable and shopworn articles. The general high character of this firm's assortments is well known, comprising the finest watches, jewelry, gold goods, clocks, bronzes, cut glass, as well as foreign and domestic special lines. Their precious stones, and particularly that of fine diamond and pearl designs, receive well-merited patronage at all seasons. In the recent fire to Messrs. B. & H. B. Kent's premises water damaged slightly silverware, clocks, bronzes, etc., preventing sale alongside the great bulk of their immense uninjured stock. Their present 15 days' fire sale gives 50 per cent. off the former and from 20 per cent. to 40 per cent. off the latter. Judging by the throngs which have patronized this store during the first three days' opportunity, regular patrons and public alike are fully alive to these money-saving discount inducements, and that 15 days' short duration typifies "time flies." Messrs. B. & H. B. Kent, 144 Yonge-street, are conducting a legitimate price-reduction fire sale, in keeping with their nearly 50 years' enviable business reputation.

Cabdrivers Claim $60.

John Higgins, a hack driver, has put in a claim to the city for $60 damages done his cab by the crowd on the night of Tom Longboat's reception. The city does not acknowledge the claim.

ANOTHER RUSH TO SAFETY FROM A THEATORIUM

Audience In Ingersoll Five Cent Theatre Fled Thru the Rear Exit.

INGERSOLL, Jan. 17.—(Special.)—The explosion of the moving picture machine which was followed by fire caused a panic at the Theatorium last night. The machine was elevated in the front window, which was demolished by the shock and intense heat.

The audience escaped by way of a rear exit.

The firemen extinguished the fire, which seriously damaged the building. The machine, which was valued at $350, together with other paraphernalia, was destroyed.

RACE HORSE DROPS DEAD.

BROCKVILLE, Jan. 17.—(Special.)—General Johnston, a race horse belonging to the estate of the late James G. Warnock, while being exercised to-day on the street, dropped dead. In turning around the animal was noticed to swerve, and, dropping in its tracks, died instantly. General Johnston was a good campaigner, and was seven years old. He had a mark of 2.12 1-4, and was considered the best horse in the Warnock string.

Brockville Fair Association.

BROCKVILLE, Jan. 17.—(Special.)—The Brockville Fair Association held its annual meeting here to-day, when the following officers were elected for this year: Honorary president, W. H. Comstock; president, D. J. Forth; first vice-president, R. J. Jolly; second vice-president, W. H. McNish; secretary-treasurer, J. E. Fidler; directors, A. Manhard, John Webster, Geo Taplin, F. I. Ritchie, W. H. Brouse, W. J. Bissell, George Corr and E. H. Easton.

The annual report showed that there is a deficit of $49.43 on last year's exhibition, due to the decreased gate receipts on account of rainy weather. Plans for enlarging the scope of the next fair were discussed.

Pleasant Sunday Service.

Mr. J. M. Wilkinson has prepared a very attractive program for his Sunday evening service in Massey Hall. Prof. Hamilton's orchestra of fifteen pieces, nearly all professionals, will play selections from 7 to 7.30 p.m. Mr. Mecklem will give selections on the harp. Solos will be sung by Georgia Rodgers, Beatrice Lilly, Ruby Cahoon and the McKnight sisters. Mr. Wilkinson will tell the story of "Ben Hur," including the chariot race, by seventy-five beautifully hand-painted views. Cards will be distributed for signatures to join the Anti-Profanity League, which was organized last Sunday evening. Take it all together there is no more pleasant place in the city to spend a Sunday evening under religious influence than at Massey Hall, and Mr. Wilkinson deserves the success he is meeting.

Marine Men Organizing.

Labor organizers from the States were in the city yesterday organizing the engineers and firemen of all lake steamers, including ferry steamers. Local men generally are willing to become members. Port Dalhousie, Hamilton, Toronto, Port Hope, Kingston, Belleville, Prescott, Three Rivers and Montreal will be organized

DON'T ASK THE ENGINEER TO DO THE IMPOSSIBLE

Chairman McGhie Gives Some Wholesome Advice to the Works Committee.

Some wholesome advice was given the members of the works committee by the new chairman, Ald. McGhie, at yesterday afternoon's sitting, the first of the year.

It was, substantially, "Don't shovel loads of useless motions into the city engineer's department, but give him more time to attend to the real business."

The chairman spoke of the current talk about the need of reorganization, and ventured the opinion that the practice of loading up Mr. Rust with a grist of impracticable motions had hampered his usefulness in the past, and had resulted in unfair criticism. Mr. Rust should not be asked to report upon any scheme which the mover did not regard as a practical undertaking.

And Still They Come.

An array of motions on the order paper, many of them of a kind complained of, were turned over to Mr. Rust and will give him food for thought for the next few weeks.

The board of control's proposal that the cutting on an overflow sewer, from University Creek sewer to the Don, the cost of which is estimated at $200,000, be distributed over four years, was approved and sent on to council.

The original proposal that Harbord-street be extended from Clinton-street to Ossington-avenue, having been altered so as to provide for pushing the extension on to Dovercourt-road, the city solicitor will be asked to report on whether the addition can be legally made.

Ald. Foster, Whytock and Bredin were appointed members of the 1908 street-naming committee.

Board of Control.

The board of control yesterday agreed that Mayor Oliver should go to Ottawa to protect the city's interest in regard to the Hamilton Radial Railway bill, should such step be found advisable.

Controller Ward, in urging that tenders for the waterworks pipe be hurried up, said he had been informed that the Canada Foundry Company would lay off 60 men next week.

The complaint that the city's streets are "overrun with a constantly increasing number of mongrel curs, many of them unlicensed and not a few of them vicious, was contained in a letter from A. Chelew, 428 College-street. It was sent to the police commissioners.

The city engineer says that he will recommend the appointment of an assistant to relieve him of some of the routine work of his department.

RAILWAYS GUILTY.

Jury Say They Maintain a Danger at Foot of Bay Street.

The jury in the sessions yesterday, after a short deliberation, returned a verdict of guilty against both the C.P.R. and the Grand Trunk, for maintaining a nuisance and for failure to protect life and property at the foot of Bay-street.

The railroads will appeal to a higher court, on the main ground that they were under the jurisdiction of the railway board. Judge Winchester held that they were amenable to the charge of criminal negligence laid against them.

Cecil Street Church Revival.

Evangelist Darsie spoke last night on "The Greater Works." The evangelistic services will be continued next week. Sunday will be a great day, particulars of which may be found in the advertising columns of The World.

Caretakers Want a Raise.

Public school caretakers have petitioned the board of education for a 10 per cent. increase in their salaries.

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EXHIBITION'S GROWTH FOR THE LAST 6 YEARS

Treasurer Leslie Presents Some Interesting Statistics in the Annual Report.

The last meeting of the exhibition board before the annual meeting, which will take place on Tuesday, the 28th inst., in No. 1 committee-room at the city hall, was held yesterday afternoon. The executive committee's report, which was carried unanimously, stated that a communication has been received from Prince Edward Island, notifying the board that they accept the proposition to take part in the provincial governments' exhibit. The Province of Ontario has also signified its intention of exhibiting. The western provinces have the matter under advisement, pending the consideration of their estimates when their governments meet. It was recommended that the treasurer, Mr. J. K. Leslie, be authorized to visit the provinces as far west as Edmonton, in order to explain the project and secure, if possible, the co-operation of these provinces.

It was also decided that application should be made to the Buffalo Passenger Association for extension of the excursion area in the United States on lines leading into Buffalo, and that portable dressing-rooms should be secured for the performers in front of the grand stand.

The annual report of the association was submitted and carried nem con., the treasurer's review of the last six years showing a profit of $236,271.65, being received with an outburst of applause.

Treasurer Leslie presented the following review of the past six years:

Increase in revenue, 154 per cent. in last six years.

Increase expenditure, 67.7 per cent.

Increase in profit from a loss of $16,-195.71 to a profit of $41,873.84, equal to 360 per cent.

During the same period the admission fees to the grounds have increased from $34,128.15 to $89,263.80, or 162 per cent.

The admission fees to the grand stand from $21,362.85 to $49,602.25, or 133 per cent.

The admission fees to the special shows from $5849.40 to $30,492.65, or 417 per cent.

The profit from the special shows from $1782.52 to $7956.32, or 346 per cent.

The sale rights from $9270 to $28,743.53, or 210 per cent.

The expenses of management, that is, the manager and secretary's and the treasurer's departments, have increased from $6169.30 to $10,167.25, or only 64 per cent.

The prize account, which, in 1901, amounted to $33,752, is, in 1907, $44,049, being an increase of $10,297.

The association expended on buildings and grounds, and handed in cash to the city treasurer, out of the profits of the exhibition during that period, $236,-271.65.

KESTER THE CANDIDATE IN NORTH ONTARIO

Hon. A. G. MacKay Addressed the Convention—The Choice Was Unanimous.

BEAVERTON, Jan. 17.—The North Ontario Liberal convention to nominate a candidate for the legislature was held in Alexandria Hall, and was a success both in numbers and enthusiasm.

The presence of Hon. A. G. MacKay gave interest to the occasion, and the leader captured the delegates by his speech of two hours' duration. George F. Grant of the Dominion House was present and addressed the meeting.

The unanimous choice of the meeting fell on W. J. Kester of Scott Township, who delivered a telling speech.

Other gentlemen nominated and retiring were: H. J. Gould, Uxbridge; M. H. Roach, barrister; I. J. Gould, Alex Graham, Duncan Grahan, Wm Smith, Walter Lapp, Duncan McMillan, John Fox and R. Ernest Gunn, who all briefly addressed the meeting.

Resolutions expressing confidence in the administration of Sir Wilfrid Laurier and approval of the course adopted by Hon. A. G. MacKay were carried unanimously.

DO WITHOUT ORCHESTRAS.

New York Theatres Advertise Fact as a Feature.

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—When in an experimental way one or two theatres last season timidly eliminated the orchestra for brief periods, the general opinion was that the dismissal of the musicians was due to a desire to economize. Then along came David Belasco this fall at the Stuyvesant and Belasco theatres with chimes and gongs to replace the customary overture.

At the Madison-square Theatre, however, the management not only has eliminated the orchestra altogether, but actually boasts of the omission as a decided improvement. Indeed, the fact is advertised at the usual rates in all of the theatre's announcements. What more significant sign of the times could be desired?

It is not improper to state that the musicians themselves are largely responsible for this state of affairs. Thru their various organizations they have piled on the manager exorbitant demands and oppressive conditions, until the complaints of the leader and the walking delegates have become as harrowing as those of the star and prima-donna. Even a theatrical manager has his limitations. The final straw always reaches his back sooner or later. Of late many managers have been forced to decide between the operation of the theatre for personal gain and the general welfare or for the benefit of the orchestra.

One by one they are voting in favor of themselves and the public and against the organized musician.

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Black Lynx Stoles, trimmed with tails. Regular $27.50, for 15.75

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Where the Ministers Are.

OTTAWA, Jan. 17.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Lady Laurier, Hon. L. P. Brodeur, and Madame Brodeur leave this afternoon for Montreal, for the wedding of Madame Henri Laurier, sister-in-law of the prime minister, to Alphonse Brodeur, a cousin of the minister of marine and fisheries.

The minister of marine and fisheries is going on to Stanstead on Monday, to take a hand in the parliamentary by-election campaign. Hon. Geo. P. Graham, minister of railways, has gone to South Huron, where he will address meetings in the interest of M. Y. McLean, the Liberal candidate.

Anglican Meetings.

A meeting has been called for Friday night, Jan. 24, in the Church of the Redeemer school room of all those interested in the laymen's missionary movement in the Anglican Church.

The committee in charge of the representation of the Toronto Diocese at the Pan-Anglican Congress in London, England, next summer met at the synod offices yesterday afternoon. It was decided to hold a series of meetings in St. Philip's Church school room on alternate Tuesday evenings, at which addresses will be given covering the work of the different sections of the congress.

FAMILY'S NARROW ESCAPE.

Home of Charles Northcote of Mimico Devoured by Flames.

Fire destroyed the two-storey frame home of Charles Northcote, on the Lake Shoreroad, Mimico, early yesterday, and the family of seven had to scramble out in their night attire. Northcote, his four sons and daughter, got out first, and with a ladder rescued Mrs. Northcote. Two married daughters live nearby, and the family are staying with them. The loss is about $2000, with $1200 insurance.

Gets Value of Timber.

Mrs. Isabella Faulkner had been awarded judgment for $3745.71 worth of timber, which, as it stood, was only worth $600, by the court of appeal. The timber belonged to her and was cut by Dunn & Evey, who had no claim to it. It was shipped to Parry Sound and increased in the open market to the above price. The court holds that Mrs. Faulkner can have either the timber or the price.

Will Run Cars to High Park.

The street railway will run a Saturday afternoon service during the winter along College-street to High Park to accommodate skating and tobogganing parties.

C. P. R. Traffic Earnings.

MONTREAL, Jan. 17.—(Special.)—C. P.R. traffic earnings for the week ended Jan. 14, 1908, $930,000; same week last year, $899,000.

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Boyd Left $10.

Rev. Elmer E. Thompson has applied to the surrogate court for letters of administration of the estate of John Boyd, who was hanged on Jan. 8 for the murder of E. S. Wandle, and who left $10 in cash.

Boy Burglar.

WINDSOR, Jan. 17.—Charged with burglary, Daniel Tewkesbury, a 16-year-old boy, is under arrest at police headquarters for the second time within the year.