AMUSEMENTS

### NO DESIRE TO ARREST FLORENCE

(Continued from Page 1.)

newspaper reporters. After the inquest last night he was in a more talkative mood. In an interview with a Times reporter he denied that the Orpheum Theatre in which Florence Kinrade sang was a place of not very good reputation, as has been intimated in some of the reports published in regard to it.

"The Orpheum Theatre," he said, "was not like the five and ten-cent theatres in some Canadian cities. It was patronized by some of the best people in Portsmouth. I acted there myself and know."

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"You wrote plays as well as acted, did you not?" asked the reporter.

"Yes; I wrote all her plays but one, which was a failure. It was put on one Monday night and didn't take. So I wrote another, which became quite popular, and in which I acted with her."

"Miss Kinrade was a very nice girl. There were always lots of fellows who wanted to meet any of them. Did you ever hear her sing? She made a great hit down there, and Mildred Dale, as she was called, was one of the most popular actresses they ever had there."

Mr. Baum was very indignant at the fact that a revolver was hidden under the walk near the Kinrade home the other day.

"Why." he said 'the men who kid id.

day, hy," he said, 'the man who hid it "Why." he said, 'the man who hid it there might have fired two or three shots out of it, and they might have thought it was really the revolver with which the murder was committed, and have arrested her. It would have been a terrible thing if that had happened. I would like to get hold of the man who put it there."

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Mr. Baum referred laushingly to the fact that his appearance here had caused such a sensation, and snoke particularly of the attenuts made to photograph him.

"I don't blame you though" he said.
"It is all in your business. If I were in your place I would do the same thing myself. The only thing I don't like about it is that needle will think I about it is that needle will think I about 2 will prove a fractional content of the college of the college of the provided of the college of the college of the college of the provided of the college of th up in here on purpose to cause a sen-tion. I did not, however I came only tell my story. I refused a good of-to come up here to annear in a then-I am not looking for advertising

Beum amaganative from his conversa-tion has a very hich minion of Flor-erec Kinrade. He claims he has been misunated in interviews with him pub-lished since his arrival in Canada. "All I ask is that you won't misunate me" he said, as he concluded his conver-sation with the remorter. The remorter promised and the above interview is just as he caye if

HELD A CONFERENCE.

BAUM SAW KINRADE HOUSE.

BAUM SAW KINRADE HOUSE. Jimmie Baum, the actor, during his morning stroll yesterday, had a peep at the house where Ethel Kinrade was slain. Accompanied by Detective Rogers, of the Provincial force, and Detective Pender, Baum had a brisk walk around the south end, and was kept busy dodging the camera fiends. Last night the vigilance exercised by the officers in keeping him from answering questions about the case, asked by the newspapermen, ceased, and Jimmy talked to the reporters.

As was generally supposed, he came to Canada unwillingly, and has been a long time on the way. When he trached Buffalo he consulted an attorney, who advised him that it was a duty he owed the State and society to go on the witness stand and tell what he knew.

owed the State and society to go on the witness stand and tell what he knew. This and the fact that he was informed a commision was going south to get the evidence of witnesses who would not come to Canada, caused him to decide. Baum told the reporters that while he came here to give evidence he was not the exclusive property of the Crown, as given out in a statement by a detec-

The actor-author chatted pleasantly diverse subjects, but when it came discussing the evidence he is to give, gave evasive answers, or if he shown any inclination to speak, received a nowing wink from one of the officers. WOULD AFFORD PROTECTION.

Clair Montrose Wright, Florence Kin-rade's fiance, is credited by a Toronto paper with expressing the opinion that if Mrs. Kinrade and her daughter were arrested on a bench warrant, this would afford them protection. Mr. Wright went to the Abberley apartments, 258 Sherbourne streets, where the Kinrades are staying, yesterday morning about 9 o'clock, and remained until after 12

"The case will be cleared up," Mr. Wright said, in response to queries. "We know it will be cleared up, but do you think anything would be gained by having Mrs. and Miss Kinrade examined again? They were in the box seven hours before. That should be enough." "Did you find out anything down in Virginia?" Mr. Wright was asked. "You don't know that I was down there," he replied. "You don't know whether I was there or in Dundas or Brantford or Hamilton."

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Some of the papers take a serious view of the hoax played here this week, when a revolver was found under a board walk on Herkimer street. The Toronto Star editorially says:

It is to be hoped that the Attorney-General's Department will order a thorough investigation into the finding of a revolver under the sidewalk near the Kinrade residence in Hamilton. The police are quite sure that this revolver was not used in the murder, and had been placed where found a day or so earlier. It bore no rust or other evidence of having been exposed to the weather.

But who put it thore? Who trilled

But who put it there? Who trifled in this way with justice, and in a mat-ter of life and death?

ter of life and death?
How was Mrs. Fay able to say that a revolver would be found there? This question should be fully investigated and no excuses accepted from anyone. If she did not know it was there—if it was an exhibition of mind reading—no effort should be spared to find the mind that Miss Fay read on that occasion, it would be the mind of a fellow who should be sent to jail for a few months.

A NEW THEORY. There is reason to believe that the Crown authorities have an entirely

new theory in connection with the case A special despatch to the Times from Norfolk declares that the detectives are Noriotk declares that the detectives are now looking to a clue that leads again to Virginia for a solution of the mystery. It concerns a mysterious man, who has loomed up large in the case of late. The information is rather surprising, in

view of the fact that the authorities LIQOUR LICENSES. have persistently clung to one central theory and declared that evidence they have gathered since corroborates it. The new theory, according to the in-formation from the south, if substanti-

Detective Miller left for Toronto

TEA TABLE GOSSIP

day evening.

—The annual exchange of pulpits arranged by the Ministerial Association takes place to-morrow.

—Readers will remember the sale on

Monday at 196 Bay street north, by Thos. Burrows, at 2 p.m. See advertise-

-Mr. J. F. Morgan and Bell, of this city, leave on Monday for St. Johns, N. B., where they have accepted situations on the St. John Sun.

Foresters, of Brantford, will pay a fra-ternal visit to the Hamilton courts or

ternal visit to the Hamilton courts on Thesday evening, coming by special car on B. & H. Radial. The Knoghts of Sherwood Forest will meet the Brant-ford brethren and escort them to the A. O. F. Hall, where a programme will be presented. A number of the High Court officers will be present.

OBITUARY.

Death of an Old Glanford Resi-

dent-Funerals To-day.

The many friends of Ann Hawkins wil

Hospital, this morning. Deceased was

and eight children. The funeral will

take place on Monday from her late resi

dence, 425 Cannon street east, to St Patrick's Church, thence to Holy Sepul-

of George McDermott, took place this morning from her late residence, 323 Catharine street north, to Grove ceme-tery, Dundas, Rev. H. B. Christie offi-ciated at the house, and Rev. W. H. Hart

vey, of Dundas, at the grave. The pall-bearers were: A. McIntyre, Thomas Nicholson, Samuel Sturdy, Charles Ray-ment, Wilson McDermott and William McDermott. The floral tributes were

McDermott. The floral tributes were numerous, and included the following:

Pillow, family; sheaf, James and Mrs. Sturdy; anchors, Charles and Mrs. Rayment, Wm. and Mrs. Sturdy, D. and Mrs. Winn, J. and Mrs. Mitchell, Mrs. Herbert Scott (of Dundas), Mr. and Mrs. Mellwan, Miss McPherson and Mrs. Cave.

Mary Ann Smith, reliet of the late Jacob Smith, of Glanford, died on Thursday at the residence of her son, Wesley Smith, Deceased had not been well for some time. She was the wife of the late Jacob Smith, Glanford, and

chre cemetery.

Iwenty-one Issued by Brantford ated will open up an entirely new line of investigation, and will prove a sur-Commissioners.

It is suggested that the appearance of Street Paving-Dealers and Air It is suggested that the appearance of Jimmy Baum in Hamilton supports the story of the new theory. It is known that some weeks ago the authorities had no intention of calling Baum. Their change of mind lends color to the re-Guns-Auto Speeding.

(Special Despatch to the Times.)

Brantford, April 23.—Seventeen hotel enses, one club license, and four shop licenses in the city, hotel licenses at Scotland and Burtch were renewed at a meeting of the License Commissioners, held last evening. A number of the ho-tel keepers were "on the carpet," and were informed that they would have to obey the rules of the board. All licenses were for a year, none being conditional. WILL DO OWN PAVING. The members of Ryerson Methodist

At a meeting of the Board of Works, held last evening, it was decided to enter into municipal paving, and George street will be paved from Wellington to Durham. The most of the paving by private companies has been very high in the past few years.

AFTER HARDWARE DEALERS. The local police are on a campaign against hardware dealers selling air and other rifles to boys under age, and this morning a local man was up on a charge. He was given a warning and allowed to go. A boy who broke an arc light with an air rifle had the weapon confiscated. cepted situations on the St. John Sun.

—Doric Lodge of Masons has again arranged for its annual excursion to Niagara Falls and Buffalo on Victoria Day. This is one of the oldest and best of the 24th of May events.

—A meeting of the Daughters of the Empire was held this morning in the Board of Trade rooms, with Mrs. P. D. Crerar, regent of Municipal Chapter, presiding. Reports were received from the different committees regarding the

MAY LEGISLATE. Chief of Police Slemin has written to the City Council advocating the adoption of a speed by-law, similar to the one now in force in Hamilton. The local auto-owners are in favor of reducing the speed limit on the principal streets.

TENDERS TOO HIGH.

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The Buildings and Grounds Committee of the City Council opened tenders for improvements at the police station, but they considered them too high, and the matter will be left in obeyance.

GENERAL NOTES. There will be a number of local athletes in the Tiger A. A. A. at Hamilton on May 24th

Sergeants of the Dufferin defeated the sergeants of the 13th in bowling last night, and now lead by 176 points.

### THE WEATHER.

FORECASTS - Moderate variable vinds, fair and cool. Sunday cool with easterly winds and becoming

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The area of high pressure now covers the great lakes and middle States and there are some indications that a disturbance will develop in the southwestern States. The weather has become a little milder in western Provinces, but continues very cool in Ontario and Ouebec.

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Toronto, April 24 (11 a. m.)—Moderate variable winds; fair and cool.
Sunday, cool, becoming showery.
Washington, April 24.—
Eastern States and Northern New
York—Fair to-night. Sunday, fair, warmer; light to moderate north to east winds.

ast winds.
Western New York—Fair to-night, Western New York—Fair to-night, slightly warmer in west portion; Sun-day partly cloudy and warmer. Lakes Erie and Ontario—Light to moderate east to southeast winds, with generally fair weather to-night and Sunday. Warmer Sunday.

## FERNLEIGH.

Lawn Bowling Club Limits Membership to 110.

Bowling Club was held last night, when the following officers were elected for the season of 1909:

Hononary President—A. W. Semmens. President—Burwell Griffin. Vice-President—L. F. Stephens. Secretary-Treasurer—E. P. Raw. Games Secretary—W. M. Findlay. Executive—A. L. Page, D. M. Camer-

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Some of the peachbasket hats have lemons in them, though.

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BIRTHS

KELLY—In this city on Friday, April 23rd 196e, to Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Kelly, 83 Ferri street, a daughter.

### MARRIAGES

McMILLAN—CHISHOLM—On Wednesday, April 21st, 1990, by Rev, J. A. Wilson, at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Wm. Rowland, 23 Wellington street north, Miss Jennie Chisholm, Beverly, to Mr. Thomas McMillan, North Dumfries.

SALTER-DAVIDSON—At the residence of the bride, 2T Robert effect, Hamilton, on Wednesday, April 21st, 1990, by Rev. Mr. Livingston, Robert Salter to Elizabeth Davidson, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Davidson, of this city.

### DEATHS

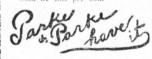
SMiTH—At the residence of her son, Wesley, in Glanford, on Thursday, April 22nd, 1993, Mary Ann, reliet of the late Jacob Smith Funeral on Sunday at 10 a.m. Interment at Trinity Cemetry. Friends will please accept the intimation.

SMITH—At his late residence, 173 Cannon street week, on Thursday, April 22nd, 1800, Mark Smith, in his 74th year. F.ueral on Sunday at 4 o'clock. Friends will please accept this intimation.

EVERITT-At Waterdown, on Saturday, April 24, 1909, Abner Everitt, sr. in his

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