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PUBLIC AMUSEMENTS.

The International Opera Company opened two-nights' engagement at the Princess Theatre last night before a large and fashionable audience. The opera was Verdi's "Il Trovatore," and the cast was as follows:

Manrico (the Troubadour) .....
.....Thomas McQueen
Count di Luna .....H. Wilfrid Goff
Ferrando (his retainer) .....Ethan Allen
Ruis (Attending Manrico)...Robert Warring
Old Gypsy .....W. P. Edgar
Azucena .....Louise Engel
Inez (Attendant to Leonora).Fanny Gonzales
Leonora .....Marie Senta

Chorus of soldiers, retainers, gypsies, etc.

The company is under the direction of Mr. J. S. Leerburger, and is a really good and strong one, comprising good looking ladies who can sing, and a male chorus which is very efficient. On the whole the work was well presented and some of the features were especially good. The anvil chorus aroused great applause and the Miserere chorus was equal to, if not better, than any that has been heard here in years. The orchestra furnished efficient support. Louise Engel, as Azucena, acted the part excellently, and at times sang well, but the wear and tear of time have had their inevitable effect. Marie Senta as Leonora was a little disappointing in the first act, but in the Miserere scene scored a grand triumph. The applause was so persistent and unflagging that a portion of the act had to be repeated. In fact it was an exquisite bit of acting and singing. Thomas McQueen, the tenor, has a remarkably good voice, but lacks somewhat in dramatic ability. The character of Manrico, however, could not be called weak in his hands and he was vociferously cheered for his clever singing of high C. He declined to sing again in response to the encore. Mr. H. Wilfrid Goff, as the Count, was to some minds the star of the evening. His voice is a very fine and rangy baritone, and his method is of the first order. "The Tempest of the Heart" had to be repeated, and in all his work Mr. Goff was excellent. Mr. Ethan Allen has been heard here before in concert and his bass voice has improved vastly. Tonight "Lucy of Lammermoor" will be given.

"A LION'S HEART."

"A Lion's Heart" at the Grand is a play of the melodramatic order. It takes three hours in the performance, and would stand cutting down, the last two acts, in particular, being too much drawn-out. There are some stirring scenes and several situations fairly exciting, and the interest of the audience is sustained to the end. Mr. Carl A. Haswin assumes the principal character, which he represents thoroughly well. A good word must also be said for Mrs. Haswin, who takes the trying part of Marion Lorimore. Mr. H. L. Keene and Mrs. Edith F. Tilton represent a bridal couple on their honeymoon, and are amusing. The play will run all this week, with matinees on Wednesday and Saturday.

SIDE-TRACKED.

"Side-Tracked," the attraction at the Toronto Opera House is one of those rip-roaring, slap-stick plays which possess little dramatic merit, but please a class of playgoers who like lots of comedy, and whose greatest delight is to see the villain get the worst of it. The piece has been on the road for a number of years and has been seen here several times. There are the usual villains, the slick fellow and his understudy, the sobbreiste, the maiden, who has all kinds of trouble; her lover, tried and true, who gets into jail, gets out and the villain takes his place; the comic policeman and a tramp. The latter has the "fat" part. He is in every act. He has to be or the villian would accomplish his vile purposes. The tramp in "Side-Tracked" is cleverly played by E. H. O'Connor. He made a "hit" and deserved to. Many songs and dances are introduced. The large audience laughed until tired.

There will ze a bargain matinee to-day, prices 15 and 25 cents.

AT THE MUSEE THEATRE.

Mrs. Tom Thumb has long been a favorite in Toronto. She is doubly welcome this time, as she brings with her a company of talented little people, who give an entertainment styled "Parlor Vaudevilles." The Musee Theatre had good crowds both afternoon and evening yesterday. The performance starts with a musical comedy entitled "The Little Countess," which introduces Mr. General Tom Thumb, Count Rosebud, Baron Littlefinger and Miss Annie Nelson. Others in the bill are Sylvia and Forester, Ferguson the magician and the Magri Brothers.

Upstairs Prof. Ferris remains for another week. His interesting and amusing hypnotic exhibition is as mystifying and entertaining as ever. His six days' "sleeper" is on the stage with him this week.

THE HYPNOTIC KING.

One of the cleverest exhibitions of hypnotism ever given in Toronto was presented last night at the Auditorium before a very large audience by the celebrated Turkish hypnotist, Prince Kaffar Pasha. Previous to the appearance of the Prince his manager made a short announcement to the effect that the experiments that would be presented would be of an amusing nature, and that all experiments, such as dislocating the joints or running needles through any portion of the subject's body would be entirely avoided, as in his opinion the presentation of any such experiments could not help but have a horrifying effect upon the nerves of any delicate person that might be present, and as these exhibitions were given to illustrate the beauties of hypnotism he believed that that could be accomplished as well from a ludicrous as from a more serious standpoint. He concluded his short address by stating that if there were a sufficient number of Torontonians who desired to see the surgical experiments of the science, if they would call upon him he would arrange a private exhibition at which their most morbid desires should be fully gratified. At the conclusion of the manager's remarks the Prince immediately made his bow. He is a small, dark complexioned man of extremely youthful appearance, with snapping black eyes and of that peculiar nervous demeanor indicative of great magnetic power. He was dressed in his native Turkish costume. He commenced by asking a committee of scientific gentlemen from the audience to occupy seats on the stage, so that they could thoroughly investigate his experiments and satisfy those present that everything was entirely free from any fake or deception. After a number of subjects who had volunteered from the audience were seated upon the stage, he commenced experimenting, and for two hours or over he continued to present experiment after experiment, many of which were wonderful and others of a very amusing nature. Entertainments with a change of experiments will be given every evening and at the Wednesday and Saturday matinees throughout the week.

SONS OF SCOTLAND CONCERT.

At Massey Music Hall S.O.S. Scotch concert will be held on Tuesday, Nov. 17. The program carries Katharine E. Oliver, the celebrated Scottish elocutionist, who will make her first appearance in Canada; William Lavin, New York, the great tenor; Mary MacLean MacKenzie, the Scottish nightingale, who makes her first appearance in America; Bernhard Walther, the noted Belgian violinist; Caledonian choir of 40 voices in Burns' centenary music, and William Johnston, champion Highland dancer of America. All seats reserved at 25c and 50c. Plan now open at hall.

THE TYPOS' CONCERT.

Toronto Typographical Union, No. 91, will hold a grand concert in the Horticultural Pavilion on Nov. 26. The great elocutionist, Miss Constance Falls of New York, will take part in the program. The printers ought to have a great house.

SIX LIVES LOST

Schooner Waukesha Wrecked in Lake Michigan Yesterday.

Muskegon, Mich., Nov. 9.—The schooner Waukesha was wrecked off this port early this morning, and six lives were lost. But one man of a crew of seven, commanded by a drunken captain, reached shore. Two bodies have been recovered.

The Kootenai Country

Deserves all the good things that are said of it. It is the coming mining region of the west. Not a week passes that some discovery is not made in Rossland finer than anything that has preceded it. The completion of the Red Mountain Railroad makes direct rail connection with this place and Spokane, Washington. Rail connection also exists via Northport and Nelson, with the Nelson, Kaslo, Ainsworth and Slocan districts. These connections are made to best advantage by using the Northern Pacific Railway to Spokane. Capital is pouring into this country in a constant stream. A man can get pretty much anything he wants—a gold mine, a silver mine, or town lots. Don't wait too long before you go. Write to Charles S. Fee, General Passenger and Ticket Agent, St. Paul, Minn., or W. G. Mason, District Passenger Agent, 215 Ellicott-Square, Buffalo, N. Y. ed

Live Stock Shipped From Montreal.

Montreal, Nov. 9.—(Special.)—The following is the record of live stock shipments from this port for the week ending Nov. 7th:

	Sheep.	Cattle.	Horses.
Hibernian, Glasgow	333	21	
Lake Huron, Liverpool ..	165	280	
Barrowmore, Liverpool ..	647	530	2
Memphis, Bristol	...	350	...
Fremona, London	...	461	1
Numidian	...	207	7
	812	2161	31

MONTREAL LIVE STOCK.

Montreal, Nov. 9.—About 400 head of butchers' cattle, 25 calves and 500 sheep and lambs were offered for sale at the East End Abattoir to-day. Butchers were present in considerable numbers, but the trade in cattle was slow, as drovers were after better prices. Four head of the best cattle sold at 3 cents per lb., with good stock at from 2c to 3¼c per lb., while two 2 cents per lb., mostly cows, seemed to be the ruling rate for common stock. One cent. per lb. was offered on a load of old cows. Calves were sold off early at higher prices. Shippers paid from 2c to 2¾c per lb. for sheep, and lambs sold at from 3¼c to a little over 3½c per lb. Fat hogs were scarce and sold at from 3¾c to 4c per lb.

West End Residents.

W. J. Guinane opens a Queen-street store this morning at No. 510, just at the head of Portland-street. This store will be to West Enders what the Yonge-street store is to the city—the centre of shoe attractions. Mr. Guinane believes that Queen-street as a thoroughfare has great possibilities if the same live business methods are carried out as have always characterized Yonge-street. The Queen-street store will be a branch of the fine store at 210 Yonge-street, but it will in no way play a second part in the matter of high quality and low price. It is believed that it is the ultimate intention of W. J. Guinane to open Slater shoe stores in different parts of the city, Queen east, Queen west, Yonge north and Spadina north. The opening of the new shoe store to-day will be an event in the history of Queen-street west.

Half a dozen such business men as Guinane would do more to revive trade on Queen-street west than all the grumbling and complaining. "Thrift, energy and enterprise," he has, and he makes known his ability to sell well.

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In order to keep the great Wabash Railroad prominently before the travelling public and to be fully abreast with all ideas in modern transportation facilities, they have placed in service in connection with the Santa Fe the finest and fastest train for Southern California ever seen on wheels, leaving Union Depot, St. Louis, every Wednesday and Saturday at 9.15 p.m., reaching Southern California in just three days. The standard of excellence and completeness of this train service has never been equalled by any railway in the world. Be sure and ask for tickets via Wabash and Santa Fe. J. A. Richardson, Canadian Passenger Agent, N. E. Corner King and Yonge-streets, Toronto. ed

Politicians in Town.

Quite a number of politicians were in town last night. Major Jim Sutherland, the Liberal Whip; Charles M. Hyman of London; Lieut.-Col. Tisdale, M.P., of Simcoe, and Joseph Seagram, M.P., were registered at the Rossin; Hon. David Mills, Dr. Landerkin, M.P., and Conservative Whip George Taylor, were at the Walker and the name of T. D. Craig of Port Hope appeared upon the Queen's register.

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PROF. COLEMAN'S REPORT

On the Fuel Find in Sudbury—There is Probably 3000 Tons in the Vein, He Thinks.

Hon. J. M. Gibson, Commissioner of Crown Lands, has at last sanctioned the appearance in bulletin form of the report of Prof. A. P. Coleman of the Bureau of Mines, upon the coal discovery at Sudbury.

The report is prefaced by an introductory paragraph, in which Mr. A. Blue, Director of the Bureau, seeks to explain away the failure of the department to before investigate the deposit, though its existence was brought to the attention of the Government as long ago as June 16 last. In this preface Mr. Blue comments upon the difference in the results obtained from various assays, acknowledges that specimens of the mineral are almost pure carbon, and advises that the owners of the property should test the deposit upon a large scale by having a ton or so of the material tried in the forge and under the boiler. Such a test, it may be said, do the Algoma Coal Mining Company intend to make, but, inasmuch as the most productive of mines seldom carry their best coal on the surface, the department will admit that such a trial should be delayed until development work enables the promoters to take out some of the mineral from a lower level. The fact that Mr. Blue concedes that some of the mineral already obtained is almost pure carbon, that is to say, of a higher quality than the best anturacite, may be considered to augur well for the future of the company.

SURFACE INDICATIONS ONLY.

In reading Prof. Coleman's report, it is well to remember that it is based wholly upon surface indications only, and that further excavations may bring even better results. In the course of his report, the Professor says, in part:

"The length of the vein exposed is about 70 feet, but further excavation may show that it continues south beneath the boulder clay. In width the coaly matter measures at its widest part 12 feet, but, allowing for the dip, its real thickness is probably six to nine feet, as estimated by Mr. Gordon.

"The coaly material does not form a bed as in a true coal seam, but runs across the bed at which has a strike of about 60 degrees east of north. Up to the present very little work has been done on the property, the only excavation being a pit of three or four feet deep, so that there are no data to determine the depth of the deposit.

"The pure mineral is lustrous black, resembles anthracite or albertite in appearance, and forms small plates or irregular cubic blocks, the largest observed being three-quarters of an inch square. Between the plates or cubes there is generally more or less quartz, and in some weathered portions one finds enough quartz remaining as a porous, cellular mass. The quartz varies much in amount, the specimens from the bottom of the small pit containing less than those from the surface. The only other important mineral present is iron pyrites, which is scattered through parts of the vein, accounting for the sulphur found in some analyses of the material.

BURNED IN A FORGE.

"During my visit some of the coaly substance was heaped over a bed of kindling wood on a blacksmith's forge, and after some minutes' blowing burned with a short, reddish flame, glowed strongly, and gave out a good heat, said to be quite sufficient for working steel. There was some smell of sulphurous fumes, and a large amount of porous reddish ash remained after the fire had gone out."

After giving the result of an assay of some samples made by Dr. Ellis, which showed 55.85 per cent. of carbon, Dr. Coleman continues:

"A select specimen of the pure mineral when burnt gave only 4.10 per cent. of ash. As the specimen analyzed came from the surface of the deposit, it seemed probable that the amount of ash might be less in the average. On this account assays were made of a general sample of the specimens taken by myself and of a picked sample representing good material from the bottom of the pit. The results are as follows:

	Average sample.	Best sample.
Volatile matter (including 4 per cent. of moisture).	5.3	5.3
Fixed carbon (coke)	64.7	74.2
Ash	30.0	20.5
Total	100.0	100.0
Specific gravity	2.0784	1.8708

"It will be seen that the results of different analyses vary greatly in the amount of ash, which is less in the sample from the bottom of the pit than in those from samples from the surface."

THE VEIN CAME LATER.

For the sake of comparison, an analysis of the coal used in the Toronto waterworks is given, which shows 80.79 per cent. carbon and 8.76 ash.

Proceeding, the bulletin says:

"It will be seen that the coaly substance from Balfour Township has considerable resemblance to anthracite, the main difference being in the large amount of ash. If the pure specimen previously mentioned, which gave only 4.10 per cent. of ash, had been selected, it would have shown the resemblance in composition would have been close. Nevertheless, it is better to give this substance a distinct name. Anthracite is found in beds associated with rocks containing carboniferous or later fossils, and is held by geologists to have been deposited as vegetable matter where it is now found; but the mineral here discussed occupies a vein cutting very ancient slates, and must have reached its present position long after these rocks were formed."

THE PROFESSOR'S CONCLUSIONS.

After quoting Prof. Chapman as an authority for calling the substance anthraxolite, Prof. Coleman concludes:

"It should be understood, of course, that the coals and related substances show wide variations. They are not sharply defined chemical compounds like most minerals, and this fact makes it unwise to be dogmatic or over-precise in naming them.

"Looked at from the economic side, it is probable that the anthraxolite from Balfour may have considerable value as a fuel for local use. Hard coal is sold in Sudbury for $9 per ton, and this fuel could be laid down in that town for less than half that amount. If it should prove to contain less ash than at present on sinking upon the deposit, the anthracite should have the ordinary uses of anthracite. It appears to be too fragile, however, for use in iron furnaces, which require a fuel capable of resisting a considerable crushing force, and the amount of quartz which it contains would necessitate an extra amount of flux, which would probably limit its usefulness for furnace purposes.

"The amount of anthraxolite available can, of course, only be guessed at. If the vein goes down a hundred feet with its present area of about 500 square feet, it would contain about 3000 tons, and 200 feet would, of course, double that amount.

"It does not seem probable that the supply is very large, as compared with that of coal regions, and it is likely to be worked out in a comparatively short time, as was the case with the somewhat similar vein of albertite in New Brunswick some years ago.

"The source of the anthraxolite is probably to be looked for in bituminous matter contained in the adjoining beds of slate, which carry 6.8 per cent. of carbon. By metamorphic action, most of the volatile matter has been removed from the once fluid or plastic bitumen, leaving the present cracked and quartz-cemented solid anthraxolite.

"As to the age of the deposit, there is no evidence to show that the slates are later than Cambrian, as decided by Dr. Bell, but it is evident that these slates must have been consolidated and fissured, probably also fractured, before the original bitumen flowed into its present position. In what geological age this took place it would be rash to venture an opinion.

"Other finds of a similar mineral are reported from the Sudbury region, and a very coal-like specimen was given me from Fairbank Township, some miles southwest of the Balfour deposit."

Linden Lea Burned.

Ottawa, Nov. 9.—(Special.)—Linden Lea, the house in which General Middleton formerly resided, and owned by Ald. Forde, was totally destroyed by fire yesterday. Value of dwelling is placed at $3000, and is insured for $3000.

A Winter Home in Toronto.

Families contemplating closing their homes for the winter months will find in the new Grand Union, corner Simcoe and Front (the most modern hotel in the city, steam heated, baths, electric light, gas, lift, etc.), a perfect home. Mr. Charles A. Campbell will be pleased to give special rates. 246

Toronto Camera Club.

At the meeting of the Toronto Camera Club last evening the chief business was the selecting of slides for the American Lantern-slide Interchange. About 300 of the best slides ever shown at the club were submitted, and of these 125 were chosen to be sent forward. Dr. E. E. King, the president of the club, was in the chair.

DOMINION W. C. T. U.

A Teeswater Lady Talks About Sabbath Observance and Sunday Newspapers—Mrs. Rutherford Re-Elected President.

At the Dominion W.C.T.U., the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Mrs. Rutherford of Toronto, re-elected president, by 55 out of 61 votes; Dr. Amelia Yeomans of Winnipeg, re-elected vice-president, also by 55; Mrs. McLaughlin, Montreal, re-elected recording secretary by 47; Mrs. Tilton of Ottawa, re-elected treasurer. Miss Tilley declined re-election as corresponding secretary, owing to lack of time and strength. She has filled the office satisfactorily for seven and a half years. Because of Miss Tilley declining, the vote taken was scattered, and a committee was appointed to confer on the matter of a new corresponding secretary, which will probably report to-day.

HEALTH AND HEREDITY.

The report of the Health and Heredity Department tells of an increasing interest in the subject, not only among W.C.T.U. women, but among outsiders, shown by the many lectures, addresses, sermons, and papers now being given on heredity, also by the space given to it by the religious and secular press. This is one of the most important departments of work under consideration of the union, and great progress has been made therein. Some 2823 pages of literature have been distributed in this connection.

LORD'S DAY OBSERVANCE.

A paper on "Lord's Day Observance" was read by Mrs. Read of Teeswater, Ont., which contained the following opinions: First, that the Government, instead of being the people's protection, encourages the disregard of the Sabbath Day sanctity. Other enemies of the cause are the railroad and steamboat companies offering cheap rates to summer resorts from Saturday to Monday, the Sunday newspaper, the greed for money and the selfishness of the public, tempting men to keep shops open to such late hours Saturday night, thus making them unfit for rest or worship on the Lord's Day. "But the most important foe is the liquor traffic, which defies law and largely controls legislation, so that the only course left the W.C.T.U. seemed to be educating through the pulpit, press and the Sabbath School, and the very important avenue of home training."

In reference to the Sunday newspaper, Mrs. Read said that it was a "demoralizing paper, published for profit, and whose moral tendency is continually downward." (She lives in Teeswater, a city of Sunday newspapers.)

Miss Fairclith, with the assistance of several children, demonstrated the way the W.C.T.U. teach in the kitchen garden, setting table, washing dishes and clothes.

HOW IT INTERESTED THEM.

So much interested were the lady delegates in listening to Saturday's reports that a number of articles were lost. The following is the list announced at yesterday morning's session: Two pairs of spectacles, one pair glasses, two umbrellas, a gold pin, a gold catch for glasses and a shopping bag.

It was suggested that the editors should be asked not to publish recipes containing alcohol.

Mrs. Cole gave an address recommending highly systematic giving.

Dr. Amelia Yeomans of Winnipeg read a paper on prohibition, in which she urged very strongly an earnest and combined effort to obtain it.

IN THE EVENING.

In the evening a mass meeting was held in Broadway Tabernacle and addressed first by Mrs. Wilson of Buffalo on the topic, "What is the W.C.T.U. doing anyway?" and she asked the question, a very important one, "What are we doing in the home to interest the children and keep them there?" In closing, she said she loved the people of Canada and did not want to go home, but she would have to. In Buffalo, she stated that many families live in one room each, five on an average in each family.

Miss Slack of Derbyshire, England, the world's secretary of the W.C.T.U., gave a lengthy address on temperance, in an earnest manner. She expressed great disappointment that the National Anthem was not sung at the Sunday afternoon meeting in the Pavilion. Before coming to Canada she had made a tour of the States, and everywhere had been told that the British flag was now waving over Canada, but would not wave long. Canada was getting tired of their rule (Cries of "No, never," from old men in the audience), they said. But when she crossed the line into Canada she found that all their statements were false in that respect, and that they were proud to a man of the British flag.

Denied by Mr. Longley.

Halifax, Nov. 9.—Attorney-General Longley was today shown a report of the sensational story told by Mrs. Stirling Saturday at the W.C.T.U. convention in Toronto, in which that lady asserted that something had happened in King's county, N.S., of so grave a nature that both the Provincial and Dominion Governments had begged her to suppress the fact and leave the country. Mr. Longley said he had never seen Mrs. Stirling, never had any communication with her directly or indirectly on any subject, and did not care to see her if she continued to live in Nova Scotia or removed from the province. The only case in which he knew her to have interested herself was that of an alleged abortion, which was prosecuted with the utmost rigor of the law, and the man against whom the jury had returned a true bill had fled from the country. Mr. Longley said he never heard that Mrs. Stirling's institution had been destroyed by firebugs; nothing of the kind had ever been reported to his department.

CHURCH OF THE REDEEMER.

Reception of Past and Pres at Members of the Congregation Presentation to the Rector

The past and present members of the Church of the Redeemer held a reception last evening, in concluding the services in commemoration of the 25th anniversary of the church. The Bishop of Toronto presided, and on the platform were Ven. Archdeacon Boddy, Rev. Dr. Langtry and Rev. Canon Sweeney. The school was profusely decorated with bunting and there were over six hundred church members present.

Bishop Sweatman delivered a short address, thanking the congregation for having allowed their rector to serve on synod committees, and congratulating the latter upon having passed through so many years of successful work. Other clergymen present also made a few remarks along similar lines.

Mr. D. T. Symons, on behalf of the members of the congregation, then presented the rector, Rev. Septimus Jones, and Mrs. Jones with a mahogany set of dining room chairs. Mrs. Jones also received the badge of life membership of the Woman's Auxiliary. Mr. Jones replied briefly. Musical selections were rendered by Misses Boehmer and Hessin and Messrs. Alfred Parker and J. Munson. Mr. Walter H. Robinson, the choirmaster, acted as director. Instrumentals were also contributed by Bayley's Orchestra.

A CHALLENGE.

The Junior Elm F.B.C. beg to challenge the Kensington F.B.C. to play a football match for the junior championship of the city and a football, the football to be paid for by the losing team. The game to be played under the Western Association Junior Rules. No intermediate or senior man to play, or if they do the team that plays them to forfeit the game. The Kensingtons to have choice of grounds. The match to be played on Saturday, Nov. 14, Nov. 21, or Nov. 28, 21st preferred. The Kensingtons either to accept or refuse through the columns of The World, on or before Wednesday, Nov. 18th, or forfeit the championship to the Elms. J. Reid, 16 Carlyle-street, secretary Elm F.B.C. pro tem.

AYER'S PILLS
"I suffered from Indigestion for years, and was unable to find relief until I began to take Ayer's Pills. This medicine has given me effectual relief, and I believe it has no equal as a cure for disorders of the stomach and liver."—MAGGIE CARL, 232 Cedar St., Buffalo, N. Y.
CURE INDIGESTION.

HAMILTON CIVIC MATTERS.

The Sewers Committee Had a Lively Wrangle.

THE ASSESSMENT KICKERS.

Judge Snyder's Report on the Crooked Contractors.

His Honor Finds That Meat Contractors Paid Other Firms to Keep Out of the Way, and That The Grocery Contractors Made High Profits on Tea—Also That the Matron of the House of Refuge Did Not Properly Check the Supplies Coming in.

Hamilton, Nov. 9.—(Special.)—A lively session of the Sewers Committee of the City Council was held this evening, the principal business being consideration of matters relative to Foreman Bailey, who had been given charge of the sewage disposal work, and who, it was charged, had been discriminating in favor of men residing in certain wards. Bailey had refused to make a statement showing names and addresses of the men employed by him. Other charges were that he had received and accepted various loads of sand at night and showed no return of various lots of cement rejected as bad. Bailey's removal was demanded by Ald. Teneyck. The debate which followed was exceedingly warm, and partook of a personal repartee between members of the council, but no action was taken as several aldermen arose and left the room. No definite action was taken.

HE WAS MICHAEL DUNDON.

The remains of the man found dead at the intersection of Barton and Catharine-streets have been identified as Michael Dundon, a laborer, residing at 53 Ferry-street west. Drs. Rogers and Stark made an autopsy of the remains this evening and found the organs in good condition.

THE KICKERS.

The property-owners of Ward Four, to the number of 400, appeared before the Court of Revision to-day, appealing against the assessments of their respective properties made by Assessor Hutton. In all some $40,000 was stricken from the assessments.

To-morrow the cases of residents who claim the value of their property has been materially affected by the construction of the "L. E. & B. tunnel on Hunter-street, will be heard.

HOUSE OF REFUGE AFFAIR.

Judge Snyder this evening handed in his findings in the investigation into the irregularities charged against Small & Son, contractors for the House of Refuge. The report was read and referred to the appropriate committee, who will now consider the advisability of proceeding against the contractors. His Honor commented on other things, that the sum of $200 had been paid by Peacock Bros. to induce other intending tenderers for the meat contract to offer no real opposition, that nothing had been so delivered that it was impossible to determine whether the proper proportion of hind and forequarters had been delivered, and that there has been no check on these deliveries, either by the matron of the House of Refuge and cheaper parts, or as to correctness of weights charged. The report also shows that from Jan. 14 and Sept. 15, 1896, the contractors had delivered 23,296 pounds of beef, in addition to a quantity of veal, lamb, ham and chicken and turkeys, the total number of inmates at the home, including servants, being 106.

It was further found that large quantities of tea, costing from 10 to 15 cents per pound, had been delivered, and charged up at 60 cents, including in invoices of superior of packages. The same method of charging up packages was found to have been employed in the deliveries of sugar.

The report concludes with a strong criticism of the matron's conduct, saying that, while the evidence does not show connivance on her part, the duties of her office, so far as checking deliveries of supplies to the refuge was concerned, were absolutely neglected.

THEY WON'T BUY SOUVENIRS.

The council, on a protest filed by Martin Malone, has decided to reconsider its decision to purchase a quantity of souvenirs from The Times Printing Company.

AT THE CONSERVATIVE CLUB.

A Resolution Passed Expressing the Hope That Mr. Lount Will Not Forget Certain Young Liberals.

At the meeting of the Liberal-Conservative Club in their rooms last night there was a fair attendance of members. C. C. Robinson was in the chair. After routine business the resolution fathered by Messrs. Dumas and Hunt was brought up for discussion:

"Resolved, that this association censures the position of the Laurier Government in revoking the orders-in-council, passed by the Conservative Government.

Mr. E. Dumas spoke first in support of the resolution, Mr. McGhie replying warmly and pointing out the unique position in which the Governor-General was placed at the time of revoking the orders-in-council. Mr. W. B. Newsome spoke on behalf of the resolution. Other speakers were President C. C. Robinson, T. L. Church and D'Arcy Hinds, in support of the resolution, and Messrs. Capewell, C. E. Macdonald and E. J. Hearn against it.

Considerable feeling was displayed throughout the discussion, and its warmth was added to when Pronoucat moved moved that the following rider be added to the resolution: "But as His Excellency has, on the advice of his consent, revoked the said orders, the members of this club take this opportunity to respectfully tender their sympathy to those of the Young Liberal Club, who, being hungry for office, desire that the services of officials in the Customs House and Inland Revenue office, should be dispensed with. The highly moral tone evolved during the debate on the subject recently under discussion in that club is one which should be looked upon as an example to other organizations. The club therefore ventures to express the hope that the Liberal member for Centre Toronto will find it in his power without inconvenience to suitably reward the deserving young men who have laid down such praiseworthy principles."

After more hot discussion the resolution, with the rider, passed.

YOUNG LIBERALS' CLUB.

They Will Inaugurate a Mock Parliament—The New Chairman.

The hall was crowded at the meeting of the Young Liberals' Club last night, and Mr. George Ross presided. The newly-elected Executive Committee reported that Mr. W. J. Boland had been elected chairman and Mr. E. Tossell secretary. The House Committee consists of Messrs. Boland, McBrady, Ross, Elliott and Bruce.

The meeting decided that the annual banquet shall take place not later than Dec. 15.

Mr. Bruce gave notice of motion to the effect that in the opinion of the club shorter hours of labor would be of great benefit to the working classes and to the community as a whole.

A mock parliament will be formed in the club, the first meeting to be held two weeks hence. Ex-President Elliott will lead the Government side of the house and L. V. McBrady the Opposition. These gentlemen will choose their supporters from the club membership.

The new Executive have added a piano to the club furnishings, and a half hour's program of music and song was contributed after the meeting.

Manager of Sousa's Band Dead.

New York, Nov. 9.—David Blakely, manager of Sousa's band, died here this afternoon from an attack of apoplexy. He had been manager of Sousa's band for some years. He was 65 years of age, and was also president of the Blakely Printing Company of Chicago.

OUTSIDE THE CITY.

The Thompson Family Had a Narrow Escape From Being Burned to Death—York County Notes.

Mrs. Thompson, the wife of Mr. J. Thompson of the Queen-street East duck farm, was disturbed in her sleep between 4 and 5 o'clock yesterday morning by a sharp crackling sound. There was a strong smell of smoke, and, rousing her husband, he went downstairs, and found the sitting room mantel-piece and the surrounding furniture ablaze. There was no time to summon the brigade, and the fire was attacked with water pails and blankets, and finally mastered. The cause of the fire was the burning of a lot of paper stuffed into the fireplace during the summer by sparks dropping from a pipe entering the chimney above it. The house was fully insured.

The Vaughan Township Council meets at Vellore to-day at 10.

The Markham Economist with its last number entered on its 41st year.

C. Neff, late of Markham, has taken a position on The East End Advocate of No. 1 Ward, city.

More men are wanted for the extension of the North Metropolitan line to Richmond Hill. $1.25 a day is offered.

Chief Constable Lawrence of North Toronto is looking for a tramp who stole a watch from William Buse of Newtonbrook.

The Rev. Henry Harris, who died on Saturday and was buried yesterday, was at one time stationed at Orillia and Aurora.

In the North York case of Woodcock v. Pegg, Judge McDougall has handed out judgment for the plaintiff for $60 and costs.

On Sunday the Markham branch of Spofford & Co. was broken into and goods of the value of $150 stolen. Entrance was obtained by breaking a pane of glass in a side window.

It is said a fire inquest will be held to investigate the circumstances attending the recent fire on Bee-street, Todmorden. The premises were insured for $750.

Treasurer Reesor of Markham reports that the township taxes have been fairly well met and that on the 1st Nov., the last day for payment, only $1000 remained unpaid.

Judge Morgan is this week making a circuit of the Division Courts. To-day he is at Aurora; to-morrow he will be at Newmarket, on Thursday at Markham, on Friday at Sutton and on Saturday at Scarboro.

A vote is to be taken in January in Pickering township on the question of the repeal of the local option bylaw. A petition has recently been presented to the Township Council signed by 525 ratepayers and by a number of others, asking that no vote be taken.

The wife of John Smith, a farm laborer living a mile from Aurora, left her home about four weeks ago, taking one child with her. It is believed to have gone to Toronto, and her husband is now in the city trying to trace her. One of the children at home is very ill.

The Metropolitan Street Railway Co. announces its intention in the spring and after the completion of the extension to have at least ten cars on the line and a ten or fifteen-minute service in North Toronto and an hourly service each way to Richmond Hill.

Among those who have gone off to the woods to slay deer are George, Edward and Christopher Forrester of Gormley, J. H. Kirby, Dr. Sisley and N. Shunk of Maple, E. Wells of Aurora, Arthur Geranty, Ben Dixon, R. G. Armstrong, William Mustard, J. McGaw, J. Grove and J. H. Rumer of Markham, J. Atkinson, L. and J. Bolthobone, W. Baker, R. Bell, G. and L. Dougherty, J. S. Grove, E. Lloyd, R. and W. Lemon, James O'Brien, C. Perry, A. Surby and J. Wallace, all of Stouffville.

Want a Cycle Path.

Messrs. H. Love, G. Young, W. Purchase, G. Davie and a number of other cyclists living in the neighborhood of the Danforth-road and Broadview-avenue intend to petition the city for a cycle track along the Danforth-road, from Broadview-avenue to Logan. The road between these points is almost impassable in bad weather.

At Little York.

Little York lays claim to the tallest warrior in the Canadian service, in Donald McLeay of C Company, 48th Highlanders. Donald works in the roundhouse at York station.

W. J. A. Carnahan of East Toronto, the well-known baritone, leaves this afternoon for Rat Portage, where he has several musical engagements.

The Dutch Farm.

One of the most picturesque of hostelries in the suburbs of Toronto is the square, storm-beaten building on the Danforth-road, about two miles east of Broadview-avenue, known as the "Dutch Farm." The property on which it stands is the original George III. acres set apart for educational purposes. The hostelry was founded 50 years ago by one Jones, and during the building of the G.T.R. through the district saw active duty. Thirty-five years ago Mr. Charles Heber, the present jolly proprietor, who had come out from Bavaria and tried farming at Cooksville, came into possession, and under his management the house, with its Old Country comforts and cooking, has earned an enviable name for itself. It did a big business last summer with Toronto men, and was a starting point for many a race meeting on the Danforth-road.

Swansea Lakeside Church.

The progress of this little mission (a split off from the Morningside Presbyterian Church) has been most satisfactory, and the future prospects are very promising. Last Sunday evening an unusually large gathering was present, including many friends from the Humber and vicinity. The officiating clergyman on this occasion was the Rev. Alex Dawson, who is much esteemed by this district and whose sermons are always much appreciated. Lakeside Mission has so far been self-supporting and bids fair to become the most prominent and independent church in Swansea.

Central Methodist S. S.

The special services on the occasion of the 59th anniversary of the Central Methodist Sabbath school were concluded last festival last evening. Services had been conducted on Sunday by Revs. George J. Bishop, the pastor, Dr. V. C. Hart and C. O. Johnston.

It was reported that there are 619 scholars and 79 officers and teachers on the rolls; the average attendance is 517 and the average collection $9.02; the library contains 1384 volumes; the annual receipts are $1110, and the expenditures $1078.

Last night's program consisted of recitations and songs by the scholars, winding up with the annual presentation of prizes.

Who's the Mysterious Man?

The "mysterious" man whose name P. C. Black refused to divulge to the Police Commissioners is very grateful to the constable for his silence if the stories going around are true. It is claimed that he has offered the constable a cheque for a sufficient amount to cover the loss of his reduction in salary, and has also offered him a position at his former salary, and only work six days in the week.

Is He a Toronto Man?

The man who registered at the Albion Hotel, Montreal, as Emile Brune, and who is supposed to have committed suicide Sunday night, is supposed to be Emil Braun, who formerly worked for R. J. Hovenden as a painter last summer. He then boarded at 16 Nelson-street. Photographs of Braun have been sent to Toronto.

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