

GREATER HAMILTON'S MOST RELIABLE NEWSPAPER

PROCESSION OF SUFFRAGETTES

Ten Thousand Women Marched in London To-day.

Many Notable Ladies Take Part in Demonstration.

Ferrible As An Army With Eight-Hundred Banners.

London, June 13.—The Suffragettes to-day will hold the most impressive demonstration they have yet attempted, when 10,000 women from every part of the British Isles and from the colonies, the U. S. and several of the European countries, will march from the Thames embankment to Albert Hall, where they will hold a meeting.

Features of the procession will be eight hundred banners, symbolic of woman's sphere, and women famous in the world's history.

Millicent Garrett Fawcett, LL. D., widow of the right honorable Henry Fawcett, was to have led the procession, but as a compliment to her American co-workers, she has resigned the place of honor to two delegates from the U. S., Dr. Anna Shaw, and Miss Lucy J. Anthony.

Dr. Fawcett, Lady Frances Balfour, Sarah Grand, Beatrice Harrington and Elizabeth Robins will march in the procession.

OBITUARY.

Death of Simon Springstead—Young Lady's Death.

Simon Springstead died early this morning at his late residence, Francis street, after an illness of several years, aged 70 years. Deceased was born in Lapeyroux of a U. E. Loyalist family, and came to this city when a young man and resided here from then on, with the exception of 14 years in Lynden. He was a member of Simcoe Street Methodist Church and was a staunch Liberal. He is survived by a widow, two sons, E. L. and E. R. Springstead, of this city; three brothers, Jacob, of Hamilton; John, of Clairmont, Minn., and Hanson, of Idaho, and four sisters, Mrs. Amos Platt, Mrs. Henry Williams, Brantford; Mrs. R. Coombs and Mrs. James, of Hamilton. The funeral will be held on Monday at 3 o'clock, from his late residence to Hamilton Cemetery.

The funeral of Mrs. Mary Shaw took place this morning at 11 o'clock from the Boys' Home to the T. H. & B. Station, thence to Toronto for interment at Mount Pleasant Cemetery. Rev. E. J. Etherington officiated. The pallbearers were A. C. Turnbull, R. Fearman, W. Fearman, Stuart McPhie, George Thompson and W. A. Stewart.

Miss Annie Read, youngest daughter of the late George Hughes, passed away yesterday at the family residence, 308 John street north, in her 17th year. Deceased was born in Hamilton on the 11th of March, 1891, and had lived here all her life. She was a popular young lady and her early demise will be sincerely regretted by a wide circle of friends. The funeral will take place on Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at St. Luke's Church, thence to Hamilton Cemetery.

The funeral of the late George Hughes took place this afternoon from 13 George street, at 3:30, Rev. Richard Whiting officiating. The pallbearers were Messrs. R. Stratton, J. Ricknell, James Lewis, Edward Curry, W. Hughson and W. Sherry.

CHOSEN FRIENDS.

Large Party and Many Visitors on the Modjeska.

A very successful outing of Hamilton Council, No. 118, of the Canadian Order of Chosen Friends, was held last evening on the popular steamer Modjeska. About 600, accompanied by a railway excursion party from Georgetown, Milton and intermediate stations, together with the Milton Band, which furnished very excellent music, were on the boat. They had a very pleasant sail on the lake and returned home delighted with the trip and with the very excellent service rendered by the Hamilton Steamboat Co., under the able management of Mr. Peary, who accompanied the excursion. A great deal of credit is due to the committee for their efforts to make the excursion a success.

DEFENDANTS WON

In White vs. Bessey—An Evening Session Held.

Judge Monk presided over the General Sessions of the Peace this morning and took up the action of the Pure Milk Corporation vs. Hamilton Street Railway, for damages for the loss of a wagon by reason of a car striking it and putting it out of business. The case was still on at press time. Mr. George Lynch-Staunton, K. C., for the plaintiff, and M. J. O'Reilly, K. C., for the defendant.

Yesterday afternoon the jury in the action of the White Company vs. Weber Bessey brought in a verdict for the defendant, dismissing the action. There was an evening session yesterday, when the non-jury action of Thomas White vs. Peter Bayne was fought out. It was a fine fence dispute, between 141 and 143 Hess street north. The strip of land in question is about a foot and a half in width. Judge Snider reserved judgment.



CALEB POWERS.

Frankfort, Ky., June 13.—Caleb Powers and Jim Howard, who were convicted of complicity in the assassination of Senator William Goebel, were pardoned by Governor Willson to-day. Powers was tried four times, the last trial resulting in a disagreement.

Night Riders Shot

Ripley, Ohio, June 13.—It has developed that two night riders were shot in a conflict with the troops at Hiett on Wednesday night. One was wounded in the lungs and the other in the leg. Officers are now trying to find two wounded men, one of whom is reported to have died. Farmer Martin, who went to the aid of the soldiers during the fight, found a note on his barn door saying: "You got two of us, but we are coming back to get you and five others."

Newton Mann and Wm. Frost were arrested to-night, charged with shooting up the home of Walter Hooks on May 30.

BROTHERS MEET

After Having Not Seen Each Other For 33 Years.

Chicago, Ill., June 13.—The American Medical Association's Convention in Chicago was the means of bringing together two brothers who had not seen each other for over thirty years. Theophilus Smith, hotel proprietor, at 1212 Michigan avenue, is the local brother. The other is Dr. Henry Smith, of Norfolk, Va. They were reared on a farm near Hamilton, Canada, and two other brothers are living on the old homestead now. Both Theophilus and Dr. Henry have visited Hamilton frequently since they left their birthplace, but they have never happened to get there at the same time. When the doctor arrived for the convention he dropped in on his brother.

THE TERCENTENARY.

Designer Lascelles Before the Toronto Press Club.

Toronto, June 13.—Mr. Frank Lascelles, of Oxford, England, the designer and manager of the pageants at the coming Quebec tercentenary, was the guest of the Toronto Press Club, and addressed a large gathering of press representatives, their wives and daughters, on the wonders of the greatest event from a spectacular point of view, the world has ever seen. Next month, he said, there would be wonderful days. Hundreds of thousands of people from every corner of the earth would tread lightly over the ground where brave deeds gave the nation a birth.

If this pageant had been merely a theatrical enterprise or something that was to be spectacular in its character, he would not have left England, he said, but the scope afforded in the scene was so impressive that it was a standpoint of history, writing, as it did, the best work of the best historians, painters, musicians, artists and all those who took part, that it would be talked of as a spectacular production by millions yet unborn.

Lascelles gave a good picture of what is to be produced. As nearly as possible, with the aid of the best that the world is able to afford in the way of record and costume, the important events will be enacted as they actually took place.

REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.

Over a Hundred Dollars Offered For a Seat.

Great Number of Candidates For the Vice-Presidency.

British and French Ambassadors to be Invited Guests.

Chicago, June 13.—One seat in the Coliseum—\$125. This is the latest market quotation for convention seats. Such a rush for admission tickets was never before witnessed at a Republican convention, according to the officials, and with the demand for seats there has come a high market price.

"I never knew such an avalanche of applications for seats," said chairman Harry S. New, chairman of the National Committee, last night. "I have heard of numerous offers of money for tickets being made to holders. The highest price that has been offered as far as I know is \$125. Some people are so anxious to get into the convention that they are offering any price within reason; \$50 and \$75 offers are, so I am informed, comparatively common."

The \$125 offer came from a Board of Trade man, who wants two tickets. He offers \$250 for the tickets, but he could not find any one who would sell.

Chicago Filling Up. Republican delegations arriving to-day from several of the most important States, accompanied by bands and bearing flags and "favorite son" banners are giving to Chicago the picturesque touches of color and noisy enthusiasm that are so essential a part of every national political gathering.

Nearly all of the State delegations are expected to hold caucuses on Monday. To-morrow will be heavy with arrivals, and Monday is expected to see the greatest influx of delegates and visitors. The convention will be called to order by National Chairman Harry S. New at noon on Tuesday.

The vice-presidential situation had early to-day given no hint of clearing up, and is occupying the attention of all the convention delegates and followers who are here. The proposal to throw the prize into the open arena of the convention to be fought for and won by the strongest bidders, is gaining currency. It certainly would add immensely to the interest in the proceedings of the convention, and give the individual delegates an appreciated part in making the selection. There are so many candidates mentioned in connection with the office of vice-president that a popular open vote seems to offer a most satisfactory solution of the problem.

Twenty-five members of the diplomatic corps are expected to come from Washington next week to witness the proceedings of the convention. In a sense, they will be the personal guests of President Roosevelt, inasmuch as when it was found the National Committee had no seats available for the members of the diplomatic corps, the President gave up 25 of the seats allotted to him. Ambassadors Bryce, of Great Britain, and Jusserand, of France, are among the most distinguished of the foreign guests present.

Tempting List.

Home-grown strawberries, watermelons, cherries, Grimsby and Southern tomatoes, pineapples, asparagus, new cabbage, new potatoes, red bananas, new beets, butter beans, cucumbers, Bermuda onions, watercress, fresh cut mushrooms, lettuce, spinach, green onions, horse radish, Spic apples, Kincardine beans, hams—Bain & Adams, 89-91 King street east.

THE MAN IN OVERALLS

If you have no place else to go to to-morrow, go up and help open the new Central Church. Selah!

Those lawn sprinklers that work overtime do more harm than good. Grass shouldn't be drowned, nor cellars made damp.

The Ross rifle has jumped into popular favor with the shooters while the politicians have been busy trying to find holes in it. Bull's eyes are now in order.

It won't hurt you to get up half an hour earlier some market day and go round and see the market.

The lake level is so high just now that there is no excuse for people going thirsty.

As a political issue, Mr. New's gravel pit was not altogether a success. It was more of a pitfall than anything else.

The people having endorsed the three-fifths clause, Mr. Whitney might go one better and make it four-fifths. Who would kick?

The Tories have thought better of it and will now allow the Government to pay their employees. You know they were to force Laurier to go to the country and all that sort of thing.

Dr. Carr got a couple of bumps at the School Board the other night. Yet the doctor can't be said to be too bumptious.

If you don't know how to manage a boat don't go into one. If you can't swim keep out of the water.

It is Mr. Van Allen's wish that the Beach people keep good hours. He thinks they should all be home by 10 o'clock, unless they have a special permit from himself or his side partner, Mr. Mordea.

When the Mayor goes playing ball he generally gets something to hawl about.

You will notice that nobody is getting killed running up against old John's monument now. That blasphemous correspondent should now apologize.

If you want a clean, bright, honest, reliable newspaper get the Times. No fat chimes to worry you and your family.

Yes, I have no doubt Mr. Hendrie's election can be upset. We'll see about it later.

The financial stringency must have affected the Saturday night bottle brigade. Nothing doing, comparatively speaking.

Don't forget that it is Whitney who is filling up this Province with immigrants. The other kind go to the Northwest, where they are wanted.

The genius who proposed a recount in East Hamilton apparently did not know what was good for him.

I am told that there is no dearth of money down at the race track. Easy money, too, for the bookies, who still put up at the best hotels and fare sumptuously every day.

Although nobody is trying to make defeat disagreeable to Mr. Scott, the Spectator is making it a point to make a mean job at Mr. McClelland whenever it sees an opening.

Whitney has got rope enough to hang himself.

It's to be hoped that Chub Collins will keep out of the next fight.

INFLUENCE.

It was either two or three Sundays ago that our minister preached a sermon on the above theme. A very good sermon it was, too, and I have thought since that a sermonette on that subject would not hurt anybody. In anything I have got to say I like to come to close quarters. A minute's conversation on influence may get the taste of the elections out of your mouth, especially if you were on the losing side. Perhaps you say, "Oh, I have no influence." That's where you are wrong. You have influence. I don't care who you are, where you are, or what you do, you have influence either good or bad, and consciously or unconsciously, that influence is working twenty-four hours every day, hurting or helping others. If you are a married man with a family you cannot make a move or say a word scarcely when at home that that little shaver of a boy or slip of a girl does not notice or that does not affect or influence them. They look up to you. And, until they know better, take you as their model and pattern, and so closely do they follow the original sometimes that the one is merely a pocket edition of the other. In the circumstance, don't you think it your duty to do your best to make these little people's model as perfect as possible? If you are not a man of your word, if your language is coarse, and your conduct grumpy and peevish, need you be surprised if your offspring grow up with those traits of character? You do not need to neglect your family; to boaze around in a shiftless sort of way to influence your family adversely, although you could not adopt a better plan than that to produce such a result, but the mere neglect of the common civilities of life, a carping disposition, or a thoughtless selfishness will sometimes spoil an otherwise lovable character, and turn sunshine and genial warmth into blighting frost or blackened clouds. A frown will chill the heart while a smile will bring warmth and gladness.

COUNCIL FOR WEDNESDAY.

Street Railway By-law Not Ready by Monday.

Cost of Widening Streets a Sticking Point.

Power Question Will be Ready For Wednesday.

City Solicitor Waddell to-day emphatically denied that he was responsible for the delay in settling the Street Railway question and declared that as soon as the committee and the company's officials can agree on the terms he will do his part of the work in less than a day and have the contract ready for the council to deal with. Prospects, however, are that the progress will be slow as there are several details on which neither side cares to yield. Yesterday afternoon Aldermen Sweeney, McLaren and Allan, the sub-committee, and Secretary Brennan, of the Board of Works, met President Gibson and General Manager Hawkins to go over the agreement. One of the points discussed was the widening of streets where extensions are to be made. The city has in view a line over Bold street and south on Queen. This and other streets would have to be widened, especially where there is a five foot devil strip. The company did not think it should have to pay any of the cost. The aldermen could not see it in that light. It is probable a compromise will be effected by the city agreeing to pay half. If the deal goes through, the old Radial line on Wilson street will be turned over to the Street Railway and the Deering traffic handled over that line by way of Sanford avenue, relieving the crush on Barton street. There is another hitch over the Ferris street extension, the company wanting to stop at the Wellington street bridge, while the aldermen insist on the line being (Continued on page 7.)

ITALIANS AND SHOW GIRLS.

Two Sunny Sons of Italy Crept Into Coles' Circus Tent.

The Girls Screamed and Negro Circus Man to the Rescue.

Knives, Fists and Tent Stakes Figured in Fight That Followed.

(Special Despatch to the Times.)

Geoph, Ont., June 13.—Two Italians from St. Patrick's ward in trying to gain an entrance to one of the small tents of the Cole Bros' circus, which was here on Thursday night, started a row that happily was not attended with fatal results, but which for a time looked very interesting. Knives were drawn and one stage of the exciting little entertainment indications pointed to a general melee. It was a dressing room that the Italians tried to enter, but their attentions were not appreciated by the show girls within, whose cries for help soon surrounded the inquisitive Italians with a crowd of faithful darkies, who were ready to get into any trouble that was going.

The Italian and negro dialects did not go very well together, and finally one big colored circus hand, by way of giving emphasis to his arguments, landed a heavy fist on one of the Italian's noses. The latter wasted no time drawing what seemed to be a full grown butcher knife. Two darkies overpowered the armed Italian, and another administered a tent stake to his friend, so that the two unfortunate ones of Italy shuffled off the grounds, sadder and wiser men. One of the darkies, in trying to wrench the knife from the hand of the Italian, sustained a nasty gash in the wrist, but seemed content to take the law in his own hands and get satisfaction through the use of a tent stake.

CASE OF ABDUCTION

St. Catharines Man Committed For Trial on Charge.

(Special Despatch to the Times.)

St. Catharines, June 12.—John Bradt, a well-known resident of this city, who lives with his wife and family on Wall street, was arraigned before Justice Magistrate Comfort this morning, charged with attempting to abduct a girl under 16 years of age. He elected to be tried by the next court of competent jurisdiction. According to the evidence taken by the Magistrate, the alleged offence was committed on the night of the election, when it is claimed that Turkey Clench, of the county jail, and others, saw Bradt with the girl on a dark part of Gerrard street. The girl called to Clench for help, but refused to give her name or residence. Clench called out a resident on that street, who took the girl to Church street, whence she went home.

The girl was called, and stated that the man said he wanted to give her some advice, and then caught her by the wrist and dragged her along the street and threatened her.

Bradt was committed for trial. He was released on \$1,500 bail.

SAFETY DEPOSIT BOXES

To rent at \$4 a year and upwards, for the storing of deeds, bonds, stocks, wills, silver and other valuables.

TRADERS BANK OF CANADA.

A Big Revival

New York, June 13.—The biggest revival in New York City since the death of D. L. Moody has been planned under the leadership of Rev. Dr. David C. Hughes, father of the Governor. Meetings will be held from June 14 to Sept. 20 in a new tent, with a seating capacity of 3,000, at 57th street and Broadway.

PEACEFUL END OF GOOD LIFE.

MR. HARRY GAYFER PASSED AWAY THIS MORNING.

Appraiser of Customs for Years, and a Lifelong Methodist and Official of First Church.

Mr. Harry Gayfer, appraiser of Customs in His Majesty's service, died in the city hospital at 2 o'clock this morning, to which institution he was taken last Tuesday in the hope that an operation might save his life. After making the incision the surgeons found their worst fears realized, and the patient in such a condition that the end was only a matter of a short time. From that time he sank gradually, realizing fully that the time of his departure was at hand, but maintained a cheerful spirit to the last.

Mr. Gayfer was a native of Southwold, Suffolk, England, and was in his 70th year. He came to Canada when only about 10 years of age, and lived in Woodstock a few years, coming to Hamilton over half a century ago, and residing here ever since. When a young man he entered the dry goods business, and by industry and intelligent application soon became one of the indispensable men in the firm of A. Murray & Co., one of the leading retail stores in that line in the Province. His progress continued until he became manager of that large concern. Soon after the return of the Liberal Government to power in the Dominion in 1896 he was appointed to the position which he has ever since held, with honor to Government which appointed him and credit to himself. He had been a member of First Methodist Church for many years, and an active worker having been pew steward up to a few years ago, and a steward and member of the Quarterly Official Board up to the time of his death. Personally he was a man of fine characteristics—a warm, kind heart, cheerful disposition, broad minded and generous—and to know Harry Gayfer was to admire and respect him.

He married a daughter of the late Mr. Wm. McDonald, of this city, who, with a family of five, survive. The sons are Messrs. Fred W. Harry and Walter H., of this city, and Arthur, Toronto, and Mrs. Sanderson (Alma Gayfer) is the only daughter. The funeral will take place on Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the family residence, 119 Wellington street south.

THE GUILLOTINE.

Many Crimes in France Lead People to Ask For Its Retention.

Paris, June 13.—Owing to the increasing number of violent and horrible crimes in France and the action of many juries throughout the country in passing resolutions in favor of the retention of the death penalty, Parliament has decided to postpone consideration of the proposal to abolish the death penalty. This question is inscribed upon the Government programme. Although never legally abolished, the use of the guillotine has been virtually suppressed for several years past, Parliament having refused every year to make any appropriation for the payment of executioners, and the President of the republic regularly commuting death sentences to life imprisonment.

SAW BALLOON

Passed Over the Island of Flores on June 6th.

Horta, Azores, June 13.—A letter has just been received here from the Island of Flores, which declares that a balloon, evidently under human control, passed over that island on June 6th in the morning, travelling from west to west. The balloon rose to pass over the island and then came down to its previous level as soon as it was clear of the western shore. The passage of the airship created much excitement among the people of Santa Cruz and Terceira, but it was impossible to note other details than those given above.

The Island of Flores is one of the northwest group of the Azores. It is about 800 miles due west of Lisbon, Portugal. The only communication between Flores and Horta is by steamer or sailing ship.

Genuine G. B. D. Pipes.

This pipe has stood the test of years, and still retains its popularity. G. B. D. special pipes, in cases, with block amber mouthpieces, are sold at peaces' cigar store, 107 King street east.

COMING HOME.

London, June 13.—J. Pierpont Morgan, after a long holiday in Europe, left here this morning on his way back to New York. He will sail from Liverpool on the Steamer Mauretania to-day.

SUMMON THE GOLF PLAYERS

For Employing Caddies Under Fourteen Years of Age.

Magistrate's Little Joke With Arthur Messenger.

Frying Pan Poor Messenger to Send After Wife.

Arthur H. Messenger, 67 Park street south, is a "great big brute," a "common drunkard," a wife beater and a son beater, but outside of that he is all right, if what was said of him at Police Court this morning is true. Last evening the police were called to his house by Mrs. Messenger, who had him arrested for assaulting her. Constable Barrett put him into the patrol, and locked him in the cells, and this morning he pleaded not guilty. The story of the domestic troubles of Messenger's household, as unfolded at the Police Court this morning, were a source of entertainment for the back benches. Mrs. Messenger said that for the past two weeks she has had nothing but trouble with her hubby. She is a small woman, and while her hubby is little taller, he weighs about 200 net. Mrs. Messenger said that the trouble came to a head last night, when her husband forcibly ejected her from the house, and while she was going threw a frying pan at her. It missed her by a few inches, and broke to pieces when it struck the wall.

Mrs. Stokes, a neighbor, said that two weeks ago Messenger threw his son into the street, and would not take him back. She took the boy in and got him a job, and he has been at her place ever since. She said she thought his drinking caused the trouble. Another neighbor said "he is a brute. That's what 'e is."

Messenger said he wanted to tell his story. He is the man who goes from door to door reciting a funny little piece of poetry for the children he meets, and selling to all who will buy a double necker steamer and cooking machine, triple plate with a patent bottom; guaranteed to cook anything in a shorter space of time than any other cooking device. He started off by telling the Magistrate that the episode of the frying pan was all a mistake. "She's a good little woman mostly," said Arthur, with a furtive glance at his wife for pity—but she got none—said again "back." She took the boy in and got him a job, and he has been at her place ever since. She said she thought his drinking caused the trouble. Another neighbor said "he is a brute. That's what 'e is."

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"It was me birthday," said Messenger in extenuation of his offence, "and I got a little bit drunk." "I guess you were the only one that was pleased you were born," said the Magistrate. "Well, look here, that son of mine is the cause of all the trouble. He came up to me in my own house and put his fist under my nose and said he would lick me yet," said the worthy peddler. The son who was going to "lick" his father, sat in the witness stand, and looked at Messenger with his chair back and looked at Messenger in admiration. "That was a fine messenger to send to your wife," he managed to articulate.

James Henderson, Toronto, has been on the "rock" for five long years. He is up here for the race, and yesterday he met his Waterloo. He has enough left for a spree, and slid ungracefully off the famous old rock. He was charged \$2 fees for his slide.

For Quenching the Thirst.

Batger's lime juice cordial, in 25 and 35 cent bottles, West India Time juice in 15 and 25 cent bottles. English Fruit salts 40c a pound. Sherbet and citrate of magnesia 30 cents a pound. Lemonade powder, 15 cent packages, very handy and delicious.—Parke & Parke, druggists.

Turbina Spl.—Every Day in June.

The Turbine Steamship Company will reduce the price of strip book tickets to \$2 for June only.

Those purchased in June will be good for passage during the season.

Be wise and purchase now.

NOT GUILTY.

Harrisburg, June 13.—The jury brought in a verdict of not guilty, in the capitol conspiracy case.