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GOOMOTHER BEWITCHED HIM.

Kennie Murders Aged Woman—Shot Her Five Times.

Detroit, May 16.—Walking up to a patrolman here today, Frank Lester, 35 years of age, a native of Trenton, told him that he had murdered his godmother, Mrs. Michael Hammernick, in her home at Trenton last night, and inquired the way to the station, where he could take a train back to his work in the dairy at the asylum for criminal insane at Jonia.

Lester, who is evidently mentally irresponsible, told the officer that Mrs. Hammernick had bewitched him and his whole family, and for that reason he had come from Jonia for the express purpose of killing her.

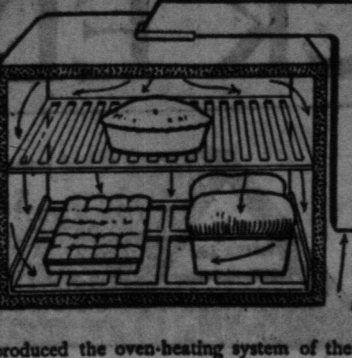
Mrs. Hammernick was found dead in bed by her husband last evening when he returned to their home in Trenton from a neighbor's. There were five bullet wounds in her body and her head was crushed.

Epworth League Rally.

A large and enthusiastic gathering of the Epworth League of the Toronto central district was held in St. Paul's Methodist Church, Avenue Road, Monday evening, it being the annual rally. Rev. George Brown, president of conference, occupied the chair and the devotional exercises were conducted by Rev. Hugh Pedley, S. C. Wood, president of the district, read a report of the year's work, and Miss Boyne gave the treasurer's report.

Paid Twenty-Five Years.

We have spent over twenty-five years paying for space to talk about Scott's Emulsion as a great help to the consumptive, for all throat and lung troubles, as an unrivaled flesh-builder, and as a tonic for weak children.



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GOVERNMENT TO SUPERVISE.

Wireless Telegraph Company Must Get Permission—Powers Curtailed.

Ottawa, May 16.—At the railway committee this morning the bill to incorporate the Pendergon Wireless Telegraph Company of Canada was taken up as sent from the senate.

Mr. Prefontaine explained that the government had been in communication with the Imperial government on this subject, and that in conformity with the recommendation of this body it had been agreed to pass a general act covering wireless telegraphy and also to oblige the company to erect a station without securing government consent by order-in-council.

Funeral of Charles Nurse.

Many old friends of the late Charles Nurse attended the funeral, which took place yesterday afternoon. The remains were interred in Humboldt Cemetery. The members of Kensington O.C. 331, attended the funeral. Services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Ferguson of St. Thomas Church at the house and at the grave. The floral tributes were very large, including a handsome pillar from the O'Keefe family, wreaths from the O'Keefe family, and many other close friends of the family. The pallbearers were A. H. King, James McGraw, John F. Scholer, O. L. Hicks, W. F. Campbell and James Pearson. The chief mourners were Mrs. Nurse, Charles Nurse, Jr., and his two sons. The will was read, the estate being left entirely to the members of the deceased's family. Among those who attended the funeral were many of Mr. Nurse's old-time friends in the athletic world, as well as friends of persons whose lives he had been instrumental in saving during his long residence at Humboldt Bay.

New Factory for Riverdale.

The D. Conboy Carriage Company have secured 150,000 square feet of the old baseball grounds property for \$15,000 cash, and will erect a 270,000 factory to employ 200 hands in the manufacture of carriage tops.

HOUGHTON LENNOX WINS FIGHT FOR RAILWAYMEN

By Persistent Attention in Commons and Before Supreme Court, Important Ruling is Obtained.

Ottawa, May 16.—(Special).—The supreme court decision declaring it competent for the Dominion parliament to enact an act to prevent railway companies from escaping from the payment of damages for the negligence of the company, which may cause the injury or death of an employee, is a triumph for Houghton Lennox, M.P., who introduced an act last session, framed entirely new lines. It was said to be more radical than those amendments previously attempted, but met with the same opposition. Mr. Lennox, however, was so confident of his position that he accepted an act loaded with the condition that it should not go into force until the question of its validity should be referred to the courts for determination.

This has now been accomplished and Judge Nesbitt, alone of the five judges, declines to concede that the act is ultra vires. The result is to entirely vindicate the position so stoutly taken by Mr. Lennox on behalf of the railway companies, and which he sustained by argument before the supreme court.

A railway company can no longer win in the courts by methods adopted in several cases in the past. Hereafter the company's rules in its insurance branch provided that the company should not be liable under any circumstances beyond the amount in which the party was insured, which was usually about \$250.

It is alleged and has been given in evidence in the courts that men in hazardous branches of the service are compelled by the company to insure.

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Typist's Election.

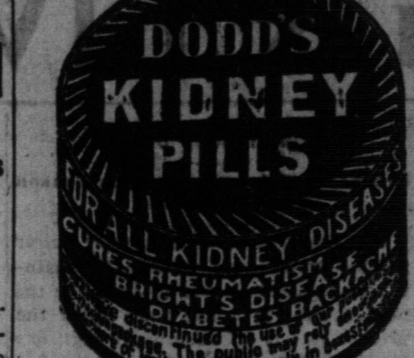
The election of officers of Toronto Typographical Union, No. 31, took place yesterday afternoon. There are 100 members. Members of chapter of three and under other members regularly connected with any office will vote at the office of the union, room 17, 111-113 West Richmond-street. Other members will vote in their various chapels. There is a warm and interesting fight for the presidency, the candidates being John J. Hunter and Edward M. Meahan. For the vice-presidency the fight is between Samuel Madden and James Simms, and, for secretary, between A. J. Thompson and N. M. Williams.

Potatoes for Mexico.

Ottawa, May 16.—A. W. Donly, Canadian commercial attaché in Mexico, reports that the Monetary Reform Act went into effect on the first of this month. This means that the Mexican currency now stands on a gold basis, with the peso at a fixed value of 50 cents.

Personal.

Mr. Way, the great ear specialist, who is at the Queen's Hotel this week, desires the readers of the World to know that any parties out of town who suffer from deafness and who desire his personal advice and free book on deafness, can obtain the same by writing to Mr. George P. Way, Majestic Building, Detroit, Mich. Mr. Way has a very high reputation in regard to the treatment of deafness, his patients being numbered by the thousands all over the continent of America.



Most Indecent Piece of Legislation That Could Be Concealed.

Automobilists regard the Sutherland bill now before the legislature as a most fantastic and ludicrous piece of legislation. The passing of the bill would practically prevent the progress of the industry in Canada. One section which gives a fair idea of the unworkable and annoying character of the legislation proposed is to the effect that an auto shall stop every time he meets a vehicle on the highway. It is also provided that a driver is required to stop at the side and lamps of the car, which would entirely ruin any pretence of beauty the machine possesses.

T. A. Sussell, manager of the Canadian Cycle & Motor Company, regards Mr. Sutherland's bill as the most unworkable law possible to conceive of, and says the present law introduced by T. H. Preston of Bradford is fair and provides perfect safety if enforced.

Striking Cartoons.

Brockville Times: Two very striking cartoons by Sam Hunter have recently appeared in the Toronto World. One is entitled "The Wreck," and represents the ship of Old Liberalism wrecked upon the rocky shore of Conservatism, while in the foreground an Old Liberal who has dragged himself up on the shore is being devoured by a shark. The other cartoon is entitled "The Harvest," and represents the tall figures of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, the cooperator politician, sowing broadcast the seeds of discord as he strides across the broad provinces of Canada. The effective way in which a clever cartoonist can use his pencil pen is strongly demonstrated in these two pictures.

Americanising London.

London, May 16.—The committee of the house of commons has commenced the consideration of the bill having for its object the installation of electric light and pneumatic tube systems similar to those in use in America. Pierpont Morgan is among the promoters of the company, which has a capital of \$20,000,000. Ninety-five miles of double tubing and 172 stations are proposed.

Death Rather Than Testify.

Montreal, May 16.—Unwilling to appear in court as a witness in a libel case, Mr. Tapscott of St. Vincent-street attempted to commit suicide this morning by taking a big dose of poison. Fear of going to court is the only reason assigned.

No Surrender.

William Mackenzie is appealing, thru the court of revision, against the assessment of \$70,000 on his Avenue-road residence. He is trying to invalidate the high court's decision, but his chances are slim. The three county judges will hear the appeal.

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Reserve Division May Prove Russia's Salvation—Admiral's Fleet is Heavily Over-Manned.

St. Petersburg, May 16.—The admiralty considers there is no harm now in divulging the fact that Rojestvensky's ships are overmanned instead of undermanned, as when they left Libau there was still hope that Chilean and Argentine warships could be purchased and portions of the crews designed for them were carried on board the Russian fleet.

The Ruksty Stov declares that Russia, having failed to complete the negotiations for the purchase of the Argentine warships, an intermediary has now arrived in Paris and is negotiating their sale to Japan.

Another division of reinforcements for Rojestvensky is already ready at Kronstadt, and will be sent out under the command of Rear-Admiral Paremago. It will consist of two fine new battle-ships, the Sleva and the Emperor Alexander II, two cruisers, a torpedo cruiser, a gunboat, a transport and several minor units. The division is now engaged in speed trials and manoeuvring near Kronstadt. The appearance of the reserve division in the far east, in the course of the summer, should the hostile fleets fail to meet in the coming battle, is counted upon to give Russia the necessary decisive preponderance upon the sea. The possession of this division, naval men believe, may ultimately prove Russia's salvation.

Dutch Steamer Confiscated.

Roosdank, May 16.—The Dutch steamer "Wilhelmina," captured Jan. 16 in Tushima Straits, while on her way to radiostock with Cardiff coal, has been declared confiscated by the prize court at Saaboh.

Sir Henry Not in Secret.

London, May 16.—Sir Henry Mortimer Durand, British ambassador to the United States, will sail for New York on May 20.

"As to the peace rumors," said he, "so far as I know there is no indication that either Russia or Japan intends to ask for good offices. Of course, it is known that President Roosevelt, while not having the least desire to assume the role of mediator, will not refuse to help bringing about peace if asked to do so by both belligerents."

Concessions to the Jews.

St. Petersburg, May 16.—The basis of the project for the extension of the rights of Jews now under discussion by the commission of ministers is the complete removal of the time limit of residence of Jewish merchants of the first and second-class, the large cities of Russia (the period is now restricted to three months annually), and the extension of the unrestricted right of residence of Jewish artisans.

Shot at Socialists.

Warsaw, May 16.—A gathering of Russian and Jewish Socialists on Nalewki street was dispersed at midnight by volley from an infantry patrol, wounding a few persons slightly.

Bomb Killed Police.

Riga, European Russia, May 16.—At midnight near Pilsenberg Park a bomb was thrown at a police patrol, killing a policeman. This bomb threwer shot and killed another policeman who was among their pursuers.

Death Sentence Illegal.

St. Petersburg, May 16.—The court of appeal has decided that the sentencing of four persons condemned to death at Warsaw by a military court martial for attempts on the life of Chief of Police Von Nolken and other officials was illegal, as martial law did not exist at the time. The prisoners will be tried again.

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The Royal Society

The annual meeting of the Royal Society of Canada will be held this year, in Ottawa, commencing on May 23, when the president, Benjamin Sulte, will deliver the presidential address on the subject, "Transfer of Canada to England, 1763-1764." The popular lecture for the year will be delivered by the Hon. Sydney Fisher, M.P., on "Our Western Neighbor—Japan."

Small Fortune Awaits Him.

Detroit, May 16.—Charles Higgins, a policeman, is trying to find his brother-in-law, Daniel McCrane, who has not been heard from for twenty years. Mrs. Higgins died three months ago and half of a \$5000 estate located at Simcoe, Ont., left her by her mother, now reverts to her brother, McCrane.

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Found Drowned.

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THE one medicine for the cure of woman's peculiar weaknesses and ailments, the ingredients of which are printed on the wrapper of every bottle leaving the great Laboratory in Buffalo, N. Y., where it is made, is called

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With all the recent talk about patent medicines and the determined effort in certain quarters to cast discredit upon all household remedies which come under that head, the fact remains that some of these medicines are so firmly established in popular favor and confidence, have so proved their worth and value, that all the denunciations of bigots can not destroy the people's faith in them.

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