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A MUZZLED PRESS.
ST. PETERSBURG, April 30.—With the exception of the Novoe Vremya, which holds itself outside of the ordinary press restrictions, not one of the morning papers to-day ventured to report yesterday's debate on the government's recruiting bill in the lower house of parliament, fearing suspension, and in their accounts of the executive session of the house referred only guardedly to the conflict between the house and the government.

Only a Few More Pails of Jam at 50c

Ripe Strawberries are bound to be very late this year. A pail of Jam will sure to be used before the berries are cheap. We have only a few left at 50c per pail.

Canned Plums 12 1/2c
Raspberries 15c
Pears 15c
Peaches 18c
Apples, peck 30c, 35c

WOMAN IN BATTLE USE MOP AS WEAPON

Magistrate Straightens Out Clothesline Troubles Satisfactorily

It was all over the nail at the end of the clothesline. If that nail had been removed a few feet both women would not have wanted to use that convenient and extremely necessary clothesline at the same time.

But it wasn't. The nail was over on the back of the defendant's house, and when she wanted to put her washing on the line, the position of the aforesaid wire nail gave her precedence in regard to using the line. Not so, thought her friend the enemy. Possession was in her estimation nine points of the law, and when she was ordered to take her clothes off the line she refused and mounted guard over the family linen, gleaming in its snowy whiteness in the back yard and attached to her neighbor's nail.

The younger woman took in the situation at a glance and ran up stairs for reinforcements, returning with a mop. Swinging this weapon above her head, she, like mighty Aster of old, "smote with all her might." But that unlucky clothesline caught the end of the mop and loosened her hold on it. The energy quick to grasp the opportunity, by a bold stroke captured the mop and inflicted a bruise on the attacking party's arm, and in the scuffle the complainant's hand was scratched. The battle was then discontinued, and the defence repaired to lodge a complaint. With great tact his worship smoothed the tangle out, both parties agreeing to be good in future and "pull out the nail."

The case of assault lodged by Wm. Harris against Wm. Brown, which was tried last week, came up, and was dismissed.

One first timer departed after promising to mend his ways.

CITY DETERMINES TO COLLECT TAXES

Great Mystery Surrounds Case of Bayley Remission

An interesting suit is evidently brewing with regard to the collection of the Bayley taxes, which the court of revision last Saturday allowed to stand, giving Tax Collector Hayes no other alternative but to proceed to collect. "I have already taken action," said the tax collector yesterday, "and in a way that will bring about immediate response."

"Have you seized on the household goods?" was asked.

"That I won't tell," replied the major cautiously, "but we have taken the proper course."

It is understood that Mr. Bayley's solicitor has stated his case on a small error in the printing of the by-law, which says that assessments made between May 1 and September 31, 1905, have been before the court of revision and finally passed upon, by December, 1904. This, of course, should have been December, 1905, and there was, besides, an error in the number of the by-law.

Tax Collector Hayes, however, places his authority in the statement attached to the assessment book by City Clerk Baker, that he has gone into the various homes contained therein, and that he has found them to be correct.

"This," he says, "is sufficient authority for me to proceed on, and on this I base the city's claim for the taxes." The household goods were being sold yesterday on the Bayley premises, and it would look as though steps were being taken to prevent seizure, although Mayor Hayes states that in the face of this he has taken a course that will successfully block any attempts that are made to avoid the payment.

"Mr. Bayley promised me," he said, "that if the court of revision did not uphold his plea that he would come in immediately and give me his cheque. This he has not done, so now I will accept nothing but the hard cash."

It is thought by many that the case will develop into a straight party fight, and that on this account Mr. Bayley has been induced to let the matter go to law. Mr. Geo. C. Gibbons is said to be taking charge of the case for Mr. Bayley.

ONLY \$7,500 TO PAY

First Methodists Will Wipe Out Church Debt Next Year.

The second payment on the subscription list to wipe out the indebtedness on the First Methodist church has been met. There remains now but one payment to make to complete the entire removal of the debt.

Three years ago the indebtedness was \$22,500. At that time a subscription list was circulated, and the whole amount was promised in three annual payments. There is, therefore, but \$7,500 of an encumbrance upon the handsome edifice.

LIGHTNING BOLT STRIKES CITY HOME

Postman Williamson, Sitting in Kitchen, Saw Reflection as it Struck Next Room

So far as is known only one residence in London suffered through the heavy lightning storm which raged Monday night, and it was that of Postman Chas. Williamson, of 854 Princess avenue.

With his wife, Mr. Williamson was sitting in his kitchen when the storm started, and when a flash came it appeared to him that a beam as large as a man's body came through the pantry window. At the same moment there was a splintering of glass. He went to the pantry to see if the damage had been done there, but discovered that it had apparently only been the reflection which he had seen. The pantry window was not broken, and until Mr. Williamson had opened the door which leads into the summer kitchen he did not discover that the bolt had struck.

The outer kitchen was completely filled with sulphurous smoke, and after it had cleared away it was found that the bolt had come down the chimney and had completely demolished it. The glass in the windows was shattered and the wooden framing was splintered.

The place where the bolt struck was but a few feet from where Mr. Williamson and his wife had been sitting, and their escape from injury was a close one.

"WE MUST COME TO RIVER WATER PLAN"

—COL. LITTLE

Ex-Mayor and Water Commissioner Further Explains His Idea

Regarding the reports that have been circulated with reference to the danger of sprinkling the city streets, or fighting fires with river water, Col. Little explained yesterday that he did not intend to propose to use raw river water for this purpose, nor did he intend to throw out that impression.

In computing his estimate on the separate fire fighting plant, Col. Little took as his guide the figures submitted by Expert Maury, cutting out everything that he considered as unnecessary, such as the new main from Springbank, the \$60,000 filtration plant, the cost of bringing the water from the Cronyn and White springs, etc., but he left in an amount of \$20,000 for a sedimentation basin, and \$5,000 for pumping the water into this basin, thus providing in all \$25,000 for settling the water previous to its being pumped into the mains. This would not in any way provide filtered water, but would have the effect of clearing it, and taking out all solid substances or settling things that might be contained.

To Be on Safe Side. The amount at which he estimated the plant, according to Mr. Maury's figures, was \$225,000, but to be on the safe side, supposing a new main were required from Springbank, he puts the amount at \$300,000, and then to be still safer says, "Let us estimate that it would cost as high as \$350,000."

Even at this amount the colonel figures that the citizens would save a large sum every year in their insurance rates, and as he has been in communication with the underwriters' association regarding affairs relative to his business, he feels that he can make the statement knowing it to be true.

Regarding the introduction of meters, Col. Little says that he has estimated that 500,000 gallons can be saved by their use, and if the separate system, which would be used for street sprinkling, fire fighting, large manufacturers, etc., would save another 500,000 gallons per day, he says that altogether there would be a saving of 1,000,000 gallons from the present supply daily, and that this would provide a sufficient quantity of spring water for domestic purposes for a city one-third larger than London now is.

"Must Come to River Water." "We must of necessity come to river water in time, however," says Col. Little, "but the idea that I intended using raw river water on the streets was erroneous." He pointed out that in his scheme he had made provision for placing the pumping station in a location that would be suitable for the addition of a filtration plant if the necessity arose, which he had no doubt would in time.

"I hope to have proper estimates from an authoritative source in a short time," he said, "regarding the cost of the separate system, as they are now being compiled."

DRUGS

Dr. Price's Headache Powders, 10c
Dr. Price's Worm Powders, box 10c
Pure Baking Powder, lb. 20c
Face Chamolice Skins 10c
Castile Soap (best), bar 25c
Little Liver Pills (vegetable) 25c
Kidney Pills, Navy Brand, box 25c
Piano and Furniture Polish, bottle 25c
Liquid Ammonia, large bottle 25c
Emulsion Cod Liver Oil, bottle, 35c
Linoleum Floor Polish, bottle, 35c
Blood and Stomach Bitters, large bottle 50c
Moth Bags 25c to 75c
Bugs (killed) \$1.00 to \$3.00

Anderson & Nelles'
DRUG STORE,
Opposite Bennett's Theatre

WANTS CAPITAL TO START PLANT

Manufacturer of Burnt Leather Goods Anxious to Open in London

The manufacturers' committee had a meeting Monday night, when they considered several communications from firms wishing to establish branch factories in Canada, and listened to the case of a large manufacturer of burnt leather goods, who wants to locate here and build a factory for the purpose of manufacturing his goods on Canadian soil.

His idea was to interest local capitalists to invest in his business, and he promised to pay the expenses of a deputation to investigate his books and plant in the states, providing they found things not as he represented them to be. He did not ask for free sites, exemption from taxes or any bonus of any sort, but merely that some citizens take enough stock in his business to warrant its success. It would require in all about \$20,000 to commence operations, and \$3,000 of this he would take himself, and any amount that would not be absorbed by local men he would find American capitalists who would take it up.

The goods he would put in at a price made by any local man capable of estimating the value.

A committee composed of Chairman C. J. Baker and the Mayor and Commissioner Grant were appointed to interview local business men with a view to taking orders for the goods.

Another letter was read from a manufacturer of jewelry firm in the States looking for a Canadian sale.

City Clerk Baker was instructed to write them for further particulars.

Those present were Chairman Cooper, Ald. Saunders, Gerry, Wm. Wyatt, Arthur White, A. E. Grant, Major Beattie, Assistant Commissioner Grant and City Clerk Baker.

ENORMOUS INCREASE IN BANK CLEARINGS

Advance of Over Million and a Half Compared to April, 1906

An increase of over a million and a half dollars in the business of the city of London is shown by a comparison of the bank clearings for the month of April, 1907, and the same month of last year.

For the month just ended the clearings amounted to nearly six million dollars, \$5,925,393, while for last year it was \$4,377,974. Last year's clearings for April were thought to be large at the time, but this year's are considered enormous.

City Clerk Baker was yesterday called by Missie McLeod, a young married woman, of London township, was brought in Monday night to be examined as to her sanity. She received a hearing from Judge Chisholm and awaits the return of Dr. MacArthur, before she will be committed to the asylum.

Fire Statistics for Month. During the month just closed the fire department responded to 100 calls, and it was a record period in that there was not a false alarm in the thirty days. The most serious fire attended was the one in the building of the London Hat and Cap Company. There were thirteen fires, five chimney fires, three grass fires. Six calls were from boxes; eleven were telephoned, and four were verbal.

More Honors for Mr. Fowler. The members of the Liberal Club tendered a magnificent banquet to Mr. Harry Fowler on Saturday night on the occasion of his leaving for the West. Mr. Fowler was special agent for the Liberal Association after leaving the Free Press, and was greatly admired. The members of the staff of the Advertiser presented Mr. Fowler with a handsome umbrella.

Young Woman Dies Suddenly. A young life was suddenly snatched away from Florence Evans Gleason, 28 years old, of Nissouri, died from a ruptured blood vessel Monday. The remains were taken from the undertaking of G. T. R. for Thordale yesterday. Interment will take place from the residence of her uncle, James Smith, 101 St. Con. St. West Nissouri, to Cherry Grove cemetery, this afternoon. Rev. Elder Flagg will conduct the services.

Welsh—Ronsick. On Wednesday, April 24, quietly married at the residence of Rev. J. T. Graham, when Ida Christina, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ronsick, 718 Talbot street, was united to Thomas G. R. Welsh, the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Welsh, of Exeter. The groom was assisted by Mr. Melvin Colbert. The bride wore a handsome gown of brown silk velvet. Miss Tena assisted, and also wore a beautiful gown of old rose Henrietta. The happy couple will reside in this city.

Lobo Pioneer Dies. One of Lobo's oldest pioneers passed away at his late residence, lot 9, con. 9, in his eighty-eighth year. In the person of Ellis Cutler, Monday morning. For a great number of years he conducted a grist mill which was known all over the countryside as Cutler's mill, which was owned by the father of the deceased man. Mr. Cutler was born near Welland, and while still young the family moved to Lobo township, where the young man later took over his father's business. He married, the union being productive of several children, three of whom are still living—a daughter and two sons. Mr. Cutler was a lifelong member of the Society of Friends.

Teachers' Guild Meets. The Women Teachers' Guild held its regular April meeting in the library building on Saturday last, and a large and enthusiastic gathering created the speaker, Miss Harriet Johnston, of Toronto. Miss Johnston is the only woman representative of the new advisory council, and her paper gave many practical suggestions for the work of the guild, based upon the experience of the Toronto

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Another Day of Bargain Prices

Thursday is the last day of the Special Three Days' Sale, when goods are advertised at bargain prices, and after the sale is over the regular prices are re-inforced. All the good things that are out on sale now should be snapped up at once. You will look in vain for them after to-morrow at closing time.

Boys' Knickers on Sale To-Morrow

100 pairs Boys' Tweed Knickers, in several patterns; well lined; all sizes for boys from 8 to 16 years. Our regular prices are 65c and 75c

Choice all day to-morrow 59c—For the one day only we offer them at this price. Not one pair will be sold again for less than 65c and 75c

JAP STRAW SUIT CASES, with leather strap and handle; light and sanitary. 18-inch size, were 75c, for 50c 20-inch size, were \$1.00, for 75c 22-inch size, were \$1.50, for \$1.00 24-inch size, were \$1.75, for \$1.25 26-inch size, were \$2.00, for \$1.50

Jap Straw Telescopes, 20 to 24-inch size. Were 50c 60c 70c 80c \$1.00 AT 40c 50c 60c 70c 80c

WASH BELTS—White embroidery, with silvered buckle. You can save ten cents on one to-morrow. Choice 15c

HANDKERCHIEFS—With lace insertion corners. While they last, there's only a few dozen, at 6 for 25c

PANAMA CLOTH—Pure botany wool, in black and navy blue; 44 inches wide. Regular price 75c yard. Until to-morrow at 6 o'clock, per yard 50c

SUMMER WOOL SUITINGS—For separate Skirts, Suits and Dresses; all wanted colors, in popular weaves. Regular price 50c, 75c and higher. Sale price 35c

HALF PRICE FOR CURTAINS—Accordeon pleated frills, on white muslin; some are striped in pink and blue. Were \$1.50, \$2 and \$2.50 pair. On sale up till to-morrow evening at half price 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.50

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CAUGHT BY FLAMES

Woman in Top Story of Tenement Meets Horrible Death in Fire. NEW YORK, April 30.—Sarah McGowan, aged 32 years, was burned to death to-day in a fire which damaged a five-story tenement in east 38th street. Miss McGowan lived on the top floor, and her escape was cut off by the flames. She made several daring rescues of other imperilled tenants.

CHILD KIDNAPPED. MONTREAL, April 30.—On Friday afternoon the seven-year-old daughter of Mr. Waldt, living at 22 1/2 St. Elizabeth street, was taken away from her home under circumstances that point to kidnapping. There was only a servant in the house with the little girl, when a woman, heavily veiled, called at the door. The child answered the door and the visitor at once took hold of her and hustled her into the cab that was waiting. Without a moment's delay the cab drove rapidly off.

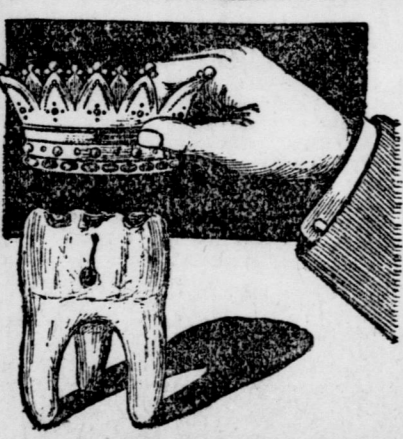
ALFRED DUNN 49 Stanley Street, Voice Culture and Singing

PLEASE do not call evening to have your voice tried unless it be by appointment. Evening hours are so nearly full that I have no time to spare. Write or phone for appointment.

SAVED THE SHIP. PORT HURON, Mich., April 30.—The small passenger steamer Pilgrim, carrying four passengers and a crew of 26 people, was run ashore last night near the life-saving station to save her from foundering. The crew and passengers were safely landed by the life-saving crew.

SPECIAL—\$285—SPECIAL. For the next 30 days only we will sell a Beautiful French Eurl Weber Upright Piano, 7 1/3 octaves, 3 pedals, colonial style, all improvements, at \$285, payable \$16 per month. Other dealers in London will ask you \$300 for a piano as good as this one. Heintzman & Co., 217 Dundas, corner Clarence. D261r

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