

FALL ASSIZES

Three Months Imprisonment for Killing a Tramp.

Frank Osier a Shopbreaker Gets Four Years and a Half—Verdict for \$3,750 Against the G. T. R.

Brookville, Ont., Sept. 22.—At the fall assizes, which opened here before Mr. Justice Falconbridge, Wm. Pear was found guilty of manslaughter for killing J. K. Scribner, and sentenced to three months in jail.

About 11 o'clock on the night of Nov. 31 last the Pear family, who live in North Augusta, were awakened by noise at the front door, as if someone was trying to force an entrance. Wm. Pear went down to the door, and asked who was there, but got no answer, and the party outside began to kick. Pear got his rifle, and called out that unless the man outside gave his name he would shoot. The kicking continued, and he fired a shot through the door. The noise instantly stopped, and Pear, thinking the intruder had been frightened away, went back to bed. On opening the door in the morning a dead body was on the threshold. An investigation was held, and the body was identified as that of a dead peddler who sold spring beds through the country. He had evidently been seeking shelter for the night, and, being deaf, did not hear Pear's demands to give his name.

ELGIN ASSIZES

St. Thomas, Ont., Sept. 22.—The trial of Frank Osier was concluded yesterday. Osier was extradited from the United States. There were two indictments of shopbreaking against the accused, to both of which he pleaded not guilty. On Oct. 7, 1897, Osier is charged with having robbed the store of Mistle Bros. & Co. at Rodney. Some days after the prisoner was arrested at Port Huron on a charge of smuggling goods into the United States. These goods Messrs. Mistle Bros. & Co. say were their property. Osier was found guilty.

Osier is charged with having broken into Martin's store on the same night as in the previous case and stealing three breech-loading shotguns, six dozen knives, several razors and other articles. After the first witness had been called in the second charge, Osier, on the advice of his counsel, withdrew his plea of not guilty, and entered one of guilty. In passing sentence his lordship said: "Taking into consideration the fact that you have already been imprisoned, the sentence of the court is that you be imprisoned for a term of four years and six months on each charge, to run concurrently."

The case of Queen against Henderson, assault, alleged to have been committed on Isaac Styles, was next called. The accused was arraigned and pleaded not guilty.

VERDICT FOR \$3,750 DAMAGES.

Woodstock, Ont., Sept. 22.—Yesterday the jury in the case of Jones vs. G. T. R. at the assizes returned a verdict of \$3,750 damages and costs for plaintiff, Charles W. Jones, of Woodstock, who was struck by the engine of a freight train at a crossing in St. Marys a year ago last month. It was claimed that neither the whistle nor the bell were sounded by the trainmen, and Jones could not see the approaching train owing to a fence near the track and a field of high corn. The jury was out for one hour and a quarter. Mr. Riddell asked for immediate judgment, but Mr. Osler secured a stay of proceedings for 30 days.

SHOT A CLERGYMAN

James Heenan Wounds a Man Who Was Eloping With His Daughter.

Perry, Oklahoma, Sept. 22.—Rev. C. W. Broadus, a Methodist clergyman, was shot and probably fatally wounded by James Heenan, while eloping with Heenan's 17-year-old daughter. Tillie Broadus has been holding meetings near Heenan's farm at Augusta and the young man became infatuated with the girl.

The Russian minister of education has issued a decree forbidding the wearing of corsets by young women attending high schools, universities and music and art schools. They are to be encouraged to wear the national costume.

A western paper recently requested answers to the question: "What do you regard as the most common fault of present day young men?" Perhaps the most pithy reply of the hundreds received was this: "Preference for a white shirt job."



Disease weaves its web around people a little at a time. They are not dangerous only ill all at once. The beginnings of illness are mere trifles. First a little indigestion, perhaps, or headache, or an occasional bilious turn. It is hard to realize how you are being tangled up in the strands of sickness until you are fairly caught.

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Mrs. Ella Howell, of Derby, Perry Co., Ind., writes: "In the year 1891 I was afflicted with stomach trouble—nervous dyspepsia. There was a colic in my stomach, and a weight which seemed like a rock. Everything that I ate gave me great pain. I had a bearing down sensation; was swollen around my stomach; had a ridge around my right side, and in a short time I was bloated. I was treated by three of our best physicians but got no relief. Then Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery was recommended to me and I got it, and commenced the use of it. I began to see a change for the better. I was so weak I could not walk across the room without assistance. I took Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and his 'Favorite Prescription' and one bottle of the 'Pleasant Pellets.' I began to improve very fast after the use of a few bottles. The physicians who attended me said my disease was leading into consumption. I had quite a cough, and the home physician gave me up to die. I thank God that my cure is permanent."

THE I. O. O. F. PARADE

Some 20,000 Members of the Brotherhood Make a Grand Display.

Sovereign Grand Lodge Meets in Detroit Next Year.

Boston, Mass., Sept. 22.—Amid the plaudits of thousands of spectators, and under skies without a cloud, the great parade of the I. O. O. F. in connection with the annual session of the sovereign grand lodge of the order, was held here yesterday. For hours before the time at which the line was scheduled to move visitors from the various towns and cities of Massachusetts and nearby places, poured into Boston, and the streets were crowded. All of the principal houses, hotels, theaters and municipal buildings along the route of the parade were handsomely decorated. The procession was made up of five divisions, aggregating about 20,000 men, and passed over a route about five miles long. The line was reviewed officially by the members of the sovereign grand lodge, Mayor Quincy, and members of both branches of the city government, and Gov. Walcott.

Detroit has been unanimously chosen for the 1899 convention of the supreme lodge of the I. O. O. F.

The sovereign grand lodge, I. O. O. F., legislates for the entire order throughout the world. Besides the 250 delegates, the convention brings together 25,000 visitors.

DIED LAUGHING

Fatal Visit of a Man With Heart Disease to a New Orleans Theater.

New Orleans, Sept. 22.—Wm. Dauphine, a white man, while visiting the theater, got into a violent fit of laughing over the performance. The laughter passed into convulsions, and an ambulance was summoned, but Dauphine died in the foyer of the theater before it arrived. The doctor gave a certificate of death from heart disease.

STARTLING STATEMENTS

Made at the Sessions of the Provincial Synod in Montreal Regarding the Divorce Question.

Montreal, Sept. 22.—Some startling statements were made by Rev. Dr. Langtry, of St. Luke's Church, Toronto, in the Church of England Synod yesterday morning, in moving a resolution with regard to the re-marriage of divorced persons. He ridiculed the idea that such marriages should be allowed as a matter of justice to the innocent parties, declaring that there was very seldom an innocent party. On the authority of Judge Macdonald, a well-known county court judge of Ontario, and a member of the synod, Dr. Langtry asserted that very often the divorces obtained in Canada were got by collusion between the two parties, in order to free themselves of the marriage bond. Rich men not infrequently suborned witnesses to prove their wives guilty, and then masqueraded as the innocent ones. In other cases the husband forgot his vows, and when tired of his neglect and desertion, the wife broke hers, he sued for a divorce. Dr. Langtry foresaw a train of evils following from easy and general divorce, which far outweighed any which might be caused by forbidding really innocent persons from marrying again. On behalf of the clergy, too, he asked that they should be protected from the importunities of those who wished such marriages performed, and the temptation of large fees such as he was once offered.

The question was warmly discussed, the debate occupying the whole day, a good many delegates strongly opposing Dr. Langtry's proposal that the marriage of either party to the divorce should not be allowed, and claiming that the innocent party should be allowed to re-marry.

ROUGH RIDERS AT WHITE HOUSE

They Let Loose a "Wah-Wahoo" Cheer When Talking to the President.

Washington, Sept. 22.—Eleven members of Roosevelt's rough riders awoke the White House from its dignified quiet on Monday. They were Sergt. Frank Hill, Sergt. Thomas O'Neill, Corporal Frank Briggs, Quartermaster Sergeant J. S. Mohler and Privates William Woods, Ben Slaughter, J. Moore and Elvin C. Ash of Troop G, and Sergt. F. G. Devore, Wagoner C. S. Ryan and Private C. E. Marshall of Troop K. Some of them have been at the hospital for convalescents established at Washington Barracks, and others are on their way home from Montauk and stopped over in Washington to see the sights.

They reached the White House after regular visiting hours, but the doorkeepers were lenient and permitted them to enter. But the rough riders wanted to see President McKinley, and because they were from Roosevelt's regiment one of the White House employees took their request to the president. It is unusual for Mr. McKinley to receive unofficial visitors outside of the regular reception hours, except by special arrangement, but he responded cheerfully to the request, and went down into the east room to see the picturesque group. He shook hands with all of them, made inquiries about their health, and put the eleven men very much at their ease. Then he asked them if they would enlist again if their services were needed. The answer came in a manner unexpected by the president.

"Will we?" yelled the rough riders in chorus. "Well, wah-wahoo," which started the echoes in the old mansion. Mr. McKinley looked surprised, then pleased, and laughed as the last notes of the vociferous response died away. Then he shook hands all round again and went back to his desk.

One of the rough riders had his arm in a sling. He is Sergt. Devore, who was wounded at La Guasimas on June 24, when Allyn Capron, the captain of his troop, and Hamilton Fish, a fellow sergeant, went down before the Spanish bullets.

Ex-Gov. A. P. Swineford, of Alaska, who has arrived at Marquette, Mich., direct from the coast, says that all prospectors are now going to the Forty and Sixty Mile Creeks, the new finds. Mr. Swineford predicts great activity on the Canadian side the next year.

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CHAMBERLAIN'S NEW PHRASES

America's Destiny Abroad and the Friendly Sentiments of England.

Boston, Sept. 22.—The Right Hon. Joseph Chamberlain, who is now the guest of his wife's family in Danvers, has put some of his new ideas into phrases in an interview just printed. He is quoted as saying: "Your country is growing. You can't resist its development. It is not supposable that Washington would have maintained the same attitude if conditions had materially altered, as they must have altered in a hundred years. Your constitution does not forbid growth or expansion. You position in the Philippines is almost parallel with the one we faced in Egypt. Lord Herschell said: 'Why not get out?' But I said: 'How can we get out?' Cuba, Mr. Chamberlain said, was entirely different. The people there had some idea of government. He did not believe in a protectorate.

"Do the job thoroughly," he said. Asked if he thought the regard for America which he held extended to all classes in England, he said:

"Yes, from the man with the dinner pail to the lord in the banquet hall. But," he added, "the recent change is all on your part. It is not a new growth with us. You have only recognized it now, but it has been there long."

GOOD FRIENDS

Relations Between Britain and the United States Comfortable and Satisfactory.

New York, Sept. 22.—The White Star liner Teutonic arrived yesterday from Liverpool, having on board many notable, including the new secretary of state of the United States, Col. John Hay, former ambassador to the court of St. James. "Is there any formal understanding between the United States and Great Britain?" Col. Hay was asked. "Not that I know of," he answered. "But the relations existing between the two countries are comfortable and satisfactory. There is no alliance, and I don't think anything of the kind is contemplated."

DE CHAMPLAIN

Unveiling of the Monument to the Founder of Quebec.

Quebec, Sept. 22.—Quebec yesterday celebrated the memorable event of inaugurating an artistic monument to the memory of its founder, Samuel De Champlain. It was a civic holiday by proclamation of the mayor. The most important streets were gaily decorated with flags and maple leaves. The procession of the French-Canadian national societies was the grandest and largest ever witnessed in Quebec. During the evening an address was presented to the governor-general at the Parliament House.

At 2 p.m. Earl and Countess Aberdeen, escorted by the Q. O. C. H., arrived, and took their seats, the bands playing the "National Anthem." Hon. Judge Chabreau, president of the monument committee, read an eloquent address, and the monument was unveiled, amid the cheering of the assembled thousands.

The American cruiser Marblehead took part in the festivities. After a salute by Battery "B" and the warships, the cantata, "Laval Champlain," was sung by the scholars of the little seminary.

His Excellency the Governor-General delivered a very happy reply to the address. Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Lieut.-Gov. Jette, Hon. Messrs. Marchand, Duffy, Judge Routhier and others also delivered eloquent and appropriate addresses. At night a brilliant illumination took place.

MONTREAL TO VANCOUVER

Opening of the C. P. R. Company's New Trans-Continental Telegraph Line.

Vancouver, B. C., Sept. 21.—At 5 o'clock last night the first message over the C. P. R. Company's new trans-continental copper telegraph wire was flashed from Montreal to Vancouver. The line passes via Vaudreuil and the short line to Ottawa, and thence by the main line to the coast. The last work was done on the section between Swift Current and Winnipeg. This was completed yesterday, and at 5 p.m. the first message over the new wire was received.

The actual distance covered is about 2,900 miles, constituting probably the longest direct land line circuit for daily work in the world. To pass across this immense distance signals only occupy one-fifth of a second.

Canada now only needs the Pacific cable to make her telegraphic communication one of the foremost in the world. Speaking on this subject yesterday, Lord Brassey stated that he had no recent advice with respect to the cable. "I may say that the Australian colonies are anxious to improve their postal and telegraphic communications and are not unprepared to contribute. I think that a great desire exists in Australia for an interchange of traffic, and I am glad to know that an efficient steamship line has been established between Vancouver and the colonies. It will be a source of satisfaction to our people to know that the C. P. R. has identified itself more prominently with the line. In the hands of this railway company, and with the large resources at its command, I have no doubt that the line will be developed, as better boats or more boats are required."

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Disturbances in public places in Havana between Cubans and Spaniards are becoming frequent. The Cubans are assuming an insolent and abusive manner in their treatment of the Spaniards.

It is the present intention of the administration to send to Cuba as a garrison force for the island about 40,000 troops in addition to the force now in Santiago, under command of General Lawton.

Joseph Michane, of Hamilton, 14 years of age, found a railway fog signal and put it on the T. H. and B. tracks to see the effects. Pieces of the signal struck the boy below the eye, and he may lose his sight.

The remains of Carl Smith, of the Chicago Record's editorial staff, who was drowned in the Gervais Rapids of the Grand Discharge, on Friday, Sept. 9, have been found. The body of Louis Sass has not yet been recovered.

A correspondent of the London Times declares that the most terrible and remedial effect of the prolonged civil war in Cuba is the almost total destruction of the white population, which has left Cuba almost as black as Hayti.

A 4-week-old girl was left on the doorstep of Alex. Grossell's house, in Hamilton Tuesday night, and was taken charge of by the Children's Aid Society. Later on Nancy Toney, of Toronto, said to be the mother of the babe, and Mrs. Sarah Edwards, have been arrested.

The flour mill known as the old Perly mill, owned by Mrs. (Dr.) Cooke of Shortsville, N. Y., and situated on the Whitman Creek about two miles north-east of Burford, was burned Wednesday morning. R. P. Boyes & Co. operated the mill, and they lose about \$2,000. Total loss, \$6,000.

Archbishop Ireland says regarding the policy of the Roman Catholic Church in Cuba, Porto Rico and the Philippines, that it includes approval of the administration plan of leaving the church question out of peace discussions. The church in the islands will conform to the new conditions.

Sydney Marshall, aged 32, a night foreman in the employ of the Buffalo Railway Company at the Niagara street power house, was found dead in his bed at his boarding house Tuesday afternoon. Marshall was a single man, and had been in the employ of the

Buffalo Railway Company about fifteen years. His former home was in Canada, but no one knows where his relatives live.

A Hamilton man named Col. Boggs, who left for the Klondike in the spring, returned home Tuesday, to hear that his wife had skipped out with another man, after selling out the furniture, valued at \$1,500, and taking with her \$2,500 which Boggs deposited to her credit before leaving for the Klondike.

Fall Millinery.

All the newest ideas and creations in fall millinery are being shown at Miss Skimins', 523 Richmond street. The ladies are invited to inspect her display tomorrow or Saturday.

A church in Seidlitz, in Bohemia, contains a chandelier made of human bones.

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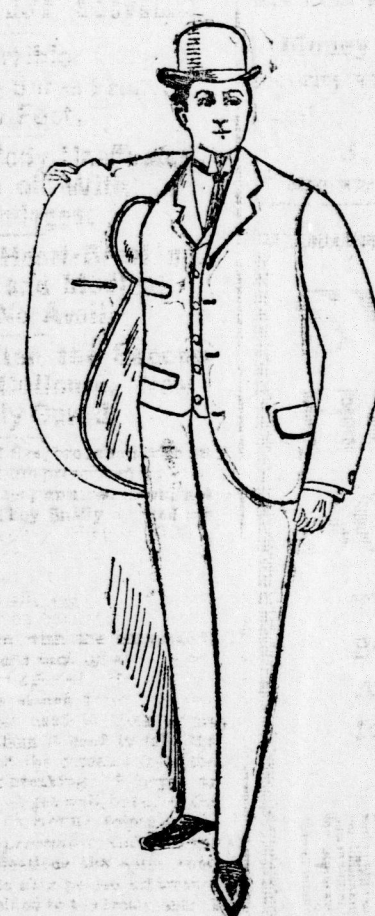
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