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MENDELSSOHN CHOIR ABROAD

Big Buffalo Audience Shows Rapturous Appreciation.

Buffalo, N.Y., Feb. 22.—(Special.)—With air splitting enthusiasm Buffalo received the Mendelssohn Choir and the Pittsburg Orchestra to-night in a concert given jointly by the choir and the orchestra. Convention Hall, which seats 4000 people, was packed to the limit, with hundreds standing. The reception given the choir and particularly Mr. Vogt was a complete ovation, much more emphatic than last year, when the choir was regarded with some scepticism. The choir made its most sensational hit in an encore, "Scots Wha Hae," which was received with the wild waving of handkerchiefs and programs and thunders of applause. All the choral numbers were received with keen enthusiasm, even greater than that of last year.

A special train of five coaches left the Union Station at 1.30 yesterday, with the choir of over 200 and about 75 friends. The run over the Grand Trunk was made in record time—two hours and thirty-two minutes.

The choir arrived ten minutes before the street cars, which had been telegraphed for en route, came along. The entire party went to the Genesee Hotel, suppered at 6.45 to the tune of the "Red, White and Blue," and were taken from there to the Convention Hall on special cars in time for the performance. The concert was over at 10.45, and the choir, except those who remained over night, started back from Buffalo at 11.14.

KINGSTON OLD BOYS HAVE WARM ELECTION

The election of officers of the Kingston Old Boys last night was disturbing. David Marshall made some uncomplimentary references to E. W. Sullivan, candidate for the presidency. When the vote was taken the chairman announced J. B. McKay elected by a majority of 14 in 168 votes. Protest was made that there were only 164 votes, but the election held.

Others elected were: Honorary presidents, Sir Henry Pellatt, Justice Britton, Alex. Muir and Fred Dunlop; vice-presidents, W. W. Van Winkle, Wm. Gould and F. X. Cousineau; first vice-president, G. W. Gaden; second vice-president, G. B. Sweatman; treasurer, W. Hiscock; secretary, Robert Marshall.

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Elks in New Quarters.

The new club rooms in the Yonge-street Arcade of the Elks, were formally opened last night, and the success was great. Handsome pictures adorn the wall, elegant and expensive furniture is provided for the lounging room, and a billiard table, piano and card tables are some of the many attractions offered.

The officers are: Exalted Ruler, A. E. Kirkpatrick; esteemed lecturing knight, C. Æ. Bunting; esteemed loyal knight, Eric Armour; esteemed leading knight, T. G. Soole; chaplain, James Young; secretary, Carl G. Beal; treasurer, Sidney W. Band; esquire, E. A. English; trustees, Harry Darrell, W. H. Blight, Fred A. Powell.

COFFEE vs. COLLEGE

Student Had to Give Up Coffee.

Some people are apparently immune to coffee poisoning—if you are not, Nature will tell you so in the ailments she sends as warnings, heed it or you get hurt, sure. A young college student writes from New York:

"I had been told frequently that coffee was injurious to me, and if I had not been told, the almost constant headaches with which I began to suffer after using it for several years, the state of lethargetic mentality which gradually came upon me to hinder me in my studies, the general lassitude and indisposition to any sort of effort which possessed me, ought to have been sufficient warning. But I disregarded them till my physician told me a few months ago that I must give up coffee or quit college. I could hesitate no longer, and at once abandoned coffee.

"On the advice of a friend I began to drink Postum Food Coffee, and rejoice to tell you that with the drug of coffee removed and the healthful properties of Postum in its place I was soon relieved of all my ailments. The headaches and nervousness disappeared entirely, strength came back to me, and my complexion, which had been very, very bad, cleared up beautifully. Better than all, my mental faculties were toned up, and became more vigorous than ever, and I now feel that no course of study would be too difficult for me." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

There's a reason. Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

ESTIMATES IN HAMILTON SOME AMOUNTS ALLOTTED

Consideration of Grants Laid Over Committee to Confer With Cataract.

Hamilton, Feb. 22.—The finance committee decided this evening to ask the council to fix Wednesday, August 8, as civic holiday. The veteran firemen, who expect to hold a demonstration on that day, made that choice. Mayor Biggar and Ald. Main, Eastwood, Stewart and Birrell will confer with the Cataract Power Company with reference to all matters in dispute. The consideration of grants was deferred until appropriations are fixed. The sum of $1000 will be given to the Queen Victoria Memorial Statue Fund just as soon as the monument is erected. The estimates agreed upon make no provision for the payment of last year's overdraft. Amounts allotted to more important committees are: Board of works, $50,000; street lighting, $33,900; board of health, $16,500; fire department, $49,500; hospital, $49,000; miscellaneous, $14,000; police, $65,000; waterworks construction, $9000; waterworks expense, $44,500. A petition increasing the fee on transient traders was endorsed. Only two firms tendered for the sewer pipe contract this year. The Hamilton and Toronto Sewer Pipe Company got the contract. The prices were about two cents a foot less than last year. Tho the petition against the annex sewer was not signed sufficiently to block the work it is claimed that the city has no right to issue debentures for any part of the cost of the sewer. The city solicitor's opinion will be obtained.

The 53rd annual Orphans' festival was celebrated this afternoon and evening in the Grand Opera House. Bishop Dowling, the local clergy and the following occupied boxes at this evening's performance: Adam Zimmerman, M.P., George S. Lynch-Staunton, K.C., Col. J. M. Gibson, Ald. Eastwood and the officers of the Canadian Club.

The wife of William E. Green, a singer well-known in Hamilton, is suing him for a divorce at Detroit. Green, who formerly lived here, deserted his wife and baby, to go on the stage.

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PREMIER'S RECEPTION DAY

Sir Wilfrid Meets a Number of Deputations.

Sir Wilfrid and Lady Laurier and party leave this morning for Ottawa.

Yesterday at the King Edward the Premier granted several interviews, besides greeting representatives from Liberal associations who waited on him to present tardy addresses.

The members of the Royal Astronomical Society had several minutes' interview and were followed by Commissioner Coombs and staff of the Salvation Army.

Vice-President Alex. Champion spoke to the premier on behalf of a deputation from the International Association of Machinists, in which he urged the government to take the matter up and investigate the situation at present existing between the strikers and the Grand Trunk Railway.

Sir Wilfrid promised his most careful attention.

President George C. Campbell on behalf of the North Toronto Liberal Association presented the premier with an illuminated address.

Cawthra Mulock took the premier for a long drive in the afternoon. He returned to the hotel to dress for Sir William Mulock's dinner, given last night, at which prominent members of the legal profession in the city were present.

WHERE DEVONSHIRE STANDS

While Unionist, Not a Follower of Balfour or Chamberlain.

London, Feb. 22.—In the house of lords to-day the Duke of Devonshire provoked a debate on the fiscal question, in opening which he announced that he and his friends would oppose to the best of their ability the proposals made by the Unionist leader. The duke added that he remained a Unionist, but would not accept a leadership which involved him with the opinions expressed by former Premier Balfour, and Joseph Chamberlain.

Former Foreign Secretary Lansdowne defended the policy of Mr. Balfour, while Lord Sochen, the former chancellor of the exchequer, associated himself with the Duke of Devonshire in repudiating it.

O. S. A. EXHIBITION.

To-night will take place the reception and private vie wof the annual spring exhibition of the Ontario Society of Artists.

This year there are 250 exhibits, practically the same as last year, and they reach a high level of excellence. There is an all-round improvement in breadth and decision of handling, certainty of grasp, insight into the fleeting aspects of nature and greater perfection of technic.

The hanging has been admirably done and the galleries should be, for the next four weeks, the centre of the city's art circles. All the Ontario artists are well represented and there are many really excellent pictures on the walls.

CONDEMN DEFERRED DIVIDEND.

St. Paul, Minn., Feb. 22.—A synopsis of the report of the investigation of the insurance commissioners of five states into affairs of the New York Life Insurance Company given out to-day shows the deferred dividend plan will be condemned; the investment of too great a proportion of the assets in bonds will be deprecated; greater publicity in certain figures of the business will be recommended, and a more representative form of government will be advocated.

GOLD MEDAL ORATOR.

J. Blue of Knox College, a '06 graduate, captured the gold medal, offered by Edmund Bristol thru the University Literary Society, for oratory, at the annual contest held in Wycliffe College chapel last night. There were seven competitors.

The winner spoke on "Some Considerations of Empire." The other competitors were F. B. Hornby, '08, G. A. Little, '06; J. Robinson, '09; E. P. Hauch, '07; O. Bawles, '07; and J. E. Gibson, '06.

The judges were Prof. Alexander, Ph.D., J. M. Clark, B. A., K. C., and F. H. Kirkpatrick, Ph.B., John A. Paterson, K. C., acted as chairman.

Builders' Exchange Banquet

The Builders' Exchange banquet was held in St. George's Hall last night. Nearly 200 guests were present, among them being Mayor Coatsworth and Hon. J. W. St. John, who was called upon to reply to "Our Country," proposed by T. W. Self.

The menu card, which included the toast list, was unique in design and the construction of the list read from the bottom up, on true building principles.

McNAUGHT WINS BY 1421

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"was doubtless the recent condemnation of the old government.

"The Liberal party must reorganize their methods of work. To-day there had been no preparation at all. The work in Toronto was not hopeless, but the Liberals must wake up and do their duty.

"I personally want to congratulate Mr. McNaught and trust that he will carry out in the house the promises he has made the electors."

Mr. McNaught was, naturally, very much pleased. He received the congratulations of scores of his friends at his committee headquarters. Afterwards, accompanied by Ald. McGhie, Ald. Geary and others, he automobiled downtown and called on The World, to tender a hearty acknowledgement of support rendered. At the Albany Club he also thanked his friends for their support.

Mr McNaught will likely take his seat in the legislature on Monday. The returns in detail are:

"McNaught 13, Simpson 1, Urquhart 1," was the cheering message received at the Conservative central committee rooms at the Yonge-street arcade from sub-division 55, Ward 2, at precisely four minutes after 5 o'clock. This precinct, it may be explained, was from the recently annexed Rosedale district. Scattered returns followed until the first thirty precincts—about one-third of the vote—showed McNaught 623 ahead. From this on, the returns came in so rapidly that James E. Armstrong and E. Farquhar of the committee were enabled to state his majority, as W. K. McNaught, the victorious candidate, entered the rooms at 6 o'clock.

His appearance was greeted with a whirlwind of cheers from the crowd of enthusiastic Conservatives present. The crowd lustily sang "For he is a jolly good fellow" and gave three more cheers and a tiger before he was allowed to proceed.

"Fellow citizens, fellow electors of North Toronto, I am glad to have this opportunity to thank you for the work you have done to-day," he said.

"Mr. Urquhart stated last night that if the friends of municipal rights did their duty the proper party would be elected. The people have elected the right party, the Liberal-Conservative party is the party of municipal rights.

"I told you a week ago—the night of the nomination—that I would not spare myself and that I would be elected if you stood by me. The result speaks for itself.

"For the gentlemen who retired in my favor, and for many others who also worked for me, words are not sufficient to express my gratitude and the gratitude of the party.

"To the chairman and officers and members of the various ward organizations and to all the faithful workers, too much praise cannot be given. We had no time to perfect any new organization, yet each of the wards did better than could be expected; better than I expected. Above all, my thanks to the rank and file of the party and also to the independent Liberals, more than two hundred of whom—many of them prominent men—pledged me verbally and in writing their support entirely without my solicitation."

Mr. McNaught said that he would be a faithful supporter of the Whitney government. Not a hidebound supporter. He had told Mr. Whitney that he would not support any measure that he believed to be wrong and Mr. Whitney had answered "You would be a fool if you did."

Ald. Geary spoke briefly. He reminded his hearers that it was the workers who had gone to the polls, brought out the vote and made the victory possible. They were the backbone of the party.

John Armstrong attributed the election to the working classes, who believed that in voting for Mr. McNaught they were voting for municipal ownership.

Ward 2.

Subdivision.	McNaught.	Simpson.	Urquhart.
Subdivision 35	[illegible]	[illegible]	40
Subdivision 36	42	1	18
Subdivision 37	42	0	28
Subdivision 38	47	0	26
Subdivision 39	48	4	19
Subdivision 40	40	2	26
Subdivision 41	42	6	29
Subdivision 42	45	2	32
Subdivision 43	40	1	29
Subdivision 44	51	4	29
Subdivision 45	49	2	23
Subdivision 46	46	1	23
Subdivision 47	36	3	21
Subdivision 48	35	8	27
Subdivision 49	47	0	24
Subdivision 50	38	2	24
Subdivision 51	45	0	20
Subdivision 52	38	3	22
Subdivision 53	31	2	25
Subdivision 54	46	1	27
Subdivision 55	37	2	26
Subdivision 56	52	1	26
Subdivision 57	45	2	39
—Rosedale Annex—			
Subdivision 58	18	1	1
	1650	49	502

Ward 3.

Subdivision.	McNaught.	Simpson.	Urquhart.
Subdivision 60	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Subdivision 61	53	3	44
Subdivision 62	54	4	45
Subdivision 63	64	2	42
Subdivision 64	73	5	37
Subdivision 65	51	1	49
Subdivision 66	53	1	25
Subdivision 67	30	1	31
Subdivision 68	55	2	35
Subdivision 69	49	0	22
Subdivision 70	46	5	27
Subdivision 71	50	1	45
Subdivision 72	39	2	25
Subdivision 73	33	3	39
Subdivision 74	55	5	32
Subdivision 75	58	14	33
Subdivision 76	36	3	42
Subdivision 77	59	11	29
Subdivision 78	55	8	26
Subdivision 79	42	4	21
Subdivision 80	34	6	35
Subdivision 81	51	8	27
Subdivision 82	35	6	28
Subdivision 83	40	10	39
Subdivision 84	3	0	3
	1199	108	825

Ward 4.

Subdivision.	McNaught.	Simpson.	Urquhart.
Subdivision 45	56	1	38
Subdivision 46	68	2	74
Subdivision 47	71	0	26
Subdivision 48	49	1	26
Subdivision 49	23	1	22
Subdivision 50	39	0	20
Subdivision 51	44	4	26
Subdivision 52	40	5	31
Subdivision 53	45	2	42
Subdivision 54	46	1	29
Subdivision 55	38	1	30
Subdivision 56	39	5	26
Subdivision 57	50	10	19
Subdivision 58	32	1	24
Subdivision 59	45	1	26
Subdivision 60	42	3	27
Subdivision 61	58	5	29
Subdivision 62	43	5	28
Subdivision 63	57	1	21
Subdivision 64	39	2	30
Subdivision 65	59	4	40
Subdivision 66	55	1	34
Subdivision 67	24	0	20
Subdivision 68	53	2	30
Subdivision 69	29	0	23
Subdivision 70	47	0	22
Subdivision 71	30	0	30
Subdivision 72	31	0	23
Subdivision 73	32	2	21
Subdivision 74	36	3	25
Subdivision 75	45	0	48
Subdivision 76	46	7	29
	1408	86	970

Ward 5.

Subdivision.	McNaught.	Simpson.	Urquhart.
Subdivision 40	46	0	42
Subdivision 41	47	3	34
Subdivision 53	55	6	19
Subdivision 54	34	8	26
	182	17	121

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COUNTY COUNCIL ELECTIONS DEPUTATION TO SEE CABINET

Delegates to Ontario Municipal Association Discussed Question for Many Hours.

"That this association approve of the present system of elective county councils.

"That we believe that the disqualifying clauses in sections 81 and 82 might be removed and all councillors, reeves and mayors be eligible for election of county councillors.

"That before any radical change be made in the present system a commission be appointed to interview and report on the whole question of municipal representation."

This in brief is the resolution which will be presented to the provincial government at 11 o'clock this morning, backed up by a delegation representing every municipality in the province.

For seven long hours the delegates to the Ontario Municipal Association yesterday wrestled with the matter, and shortly before midnight a basis acceptable to all was reached. The delegation of wardens, ex-wardens and councillors was the largest ever gathered in the city.

The meeting thruout was decidedly hostile to any change in the manner of electing county councillors, and the only point conceded was that permitting the reeves, mayors and councillors to qualify for positions on the county council board. The law now debars the officers named from qualifying for these positions, while at the same time occupying the wider sphere in the county. Ex-Warden McEwing, Wellington County, presided.

The morning session of the council was devoted largely to the question of good roads.

Hon. Mr. Monteith was a visitor, and assured the convention of the hearty sympathy of the government with the movement, and hinted that it might be well to approach the government with a view to securing some substantial support.

BAD SOLDIER—THIEF.

Private Wright, Late of R.C.R., and His Villainies.

Desertion from the British army, desertion from the Canadian army, robbery of the sergeants' mess at Stanley Barracks, robbery of the officers' mess at the same place, shooting a revolver, carrying a loaded revolver. These are some of the charges upon which Sidney E. Wright, arrested last night, may be arraigned upon.

Wright about six months ago enlisted in the Royal Canadian Regiment. "C" School proved too slow for him and articles began to be missed from the barracks and unaccountably find their way into the pawn shops down town. Then two letters containing money, supposed to be distributed by him as postoffice orderly, never reached their destination.

Last week the sergeants' mess was broken into and $46 taken from the till. Then on Wednesday night the trick was repeated on the officers' mess. The rooms of the officers were thoroly ransacked and a quantity of clothing belonging to Victor Nordheimer was taken and Lieut. Chas. E. Ermittinger had his gold watch stolen, which was presented to him by the City of St. Thomas after his return from South Africa, and valued at $200.

One of the officers saw the thief leaving the barracks and followed him to Garrison Common. There Wright drew a revolver and began discharging it into the air. The officer did not approach further. Last night Pte. Green and Trumpeter Lowe saw him on Kingstreet and pointed him out to P. C. Robson, who placed him under arrest. In his pocket he had a loaded revolver.

BRUCE COUNTY OLD BOYS AT HOME TO 650 GUESTS

The popularity of the Bruce Old Boys' and Girls' Association was manifest at the sixth annual at home last night. Four hundred programs had been thought a sufficient number to accommodate the crowd, but before the dancing was begun a rush order went out for 200 more. Over 650 guests were present, including a party of 40 from Bruce County. A short program was given by Miss Lottie Clarke, Miss Marie Houston, Miss Mary C. Cleland, Rynd Jamieson, and R. Norman Jolliffe.

Dr. Clapp, M.L.A.; W. O. McTaggart, president of the Huron Old Boys; J. B. Campbell of Pinkerton, Rev. A. C. Watt of Bond Head, D. M. Jermyn of Wiarton, Wm. McDonald of the Chesley Enterprise; Hugh McKerraher of Paisley, Robert Young of Walkerton and Mr. Shoemaker of Chesley gave addresses.

8-HOUR BILL DEFEATED.

Victoria, B.C., Feb. 22.—(Special.)—The "eight hours in the smelters" bill was defeated in the legislature to-day.

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REQUEST LEGISLATION.

Royal Templars Have Suggestions for Ontario Government.

The grand council of the Royal Templars of Temperance yesterday appointed Past Grand Councillor Austin and Dominion Councillor Hales to request the government to amend the liquor license act to the extent that a person holding a shop license in one municipality shall not be allowed by means of agent or agents to dispose of their goods in any other or adjoining municipality, that all temperance hotels and public lodging houses be licensed and subject to inspection by the government, and that a license granted to a public house may not include the sale of cigarets.

The following officers were elected: Grand councillor, W. J. Armstrong, Toronto Junction; grand vice-councillor, Miss Nellie Ward, Collingwood; grand chaplain, Rev. J. W. Stewart, North Bay; grand secretary, W. M. McMillan, Hamilton; grand herald, F. O. Stripp, Hamilton; trustee for three years, K. McKenzie, Picton; grand medical referee, Dr. W. Crawford, Hamilton; additional members of executive, A. B. Spencer, Collingwood; J. A. Copland, Harriston, and H. L. Matthews, Toronto.

The grand councillor appointed the following: Grand deputy herald, Miss Lila V. Breedy, Harriston; guard, A. R. Hewitt, Blenheim; sentinel, A. S. Yarwood, Picton.

MORSE MUST TESTIFY.

B. C. Legislature Committee Wants Him for Witness.

Victoria, B.C., Feb. 22.—(Special.)—The legislative committee investigating the grant of Kaien Island to the G.T.P. for western terminal purposes to-day ordered the summoning as witnesses of Vice-President Morse and of Peter Larsen, the millionaire American speculator of Helena, Montana, who, with J. A. Anderson, inaugurated the town site deal. Anderson was further ordered to produce his bank books and all documents, which he had previously refused to do.

Premier McBride, in the witness box, defended the bargain made, altho he said none but a pioneer transcontinental road could hope to get such favorable terms. There were other terminal sites for other roads to follow, but the promoters would have to pay for them.

BRITISH VIEW IS GLOOMY.

German Attitude at Algeciras Endangers Friendly Feeling.

London, Feb. 22.—Official opinion in Great Britain regarding the Moroccan conference can be summed up in the statement: "That it is now certain Germany desires the Algeciras conference to break up without settling the vexed Moroccan question."

The belief in Great Britain is all the efforts of German and British subjects to create a better feeling in their respective countries are being undone by the German attitude at Algeciras.

The suggestion coming from Berlin that King Edward and Emperor William will meet shortly is officially denied, at least the foreign office officials say that they have no cognizance of the rumored meeting.

McALL MISSION.

The Toronto branch of the McAll Mission held its annual meeting yesterday at the residence of Mrs. Dalton, 146 Isabella-street.

The officers for the ensuing year are: President, Mrs. R. Laird; secretary, Mrs. Rundle; treasurer, Mrs. James Henderson.

The mission has invited Bishop Berry, general secretary for the United States, to lecture here on March 15, in McMaster University chapel.

WILSON MASONIC LODGE.

The banquet and past masters' reunion of Wilson Masonic Lodge, held last night at the King Edward, was one of the most successful affairs of the kind ever given in the city. The grand master and the grand lodge of Grand Master and the Grand Lodge of Canada, the first toast, was proposed by E. M. Carleton and responded to by E. T. Malone. The City of Toronto, by Joseph Oliver and his worship the mayor. This Canada of Ours, R. J. Younge, and Hon. J. W. St.John. On the program were E. N. Jenkins, Smedley Arnott Jones, Dr. Norman McLeod, George Fax and Norman Brooker.

Dr. W. Thompson, W. M., occupied the chair.

STAGE CHAT.

It is announced that the entire Gayety theatre company, from London, may make an American tour this fall in "The Spring Chicken." It is many years since a company from the famous playhouse visited the United States.

The Cherry sisters, who made such a sensation some years ago, have been resurrected and are now appearing in the west.

It is rumored that "Bedford's Hope," the sensational drama which had its debut in Pittsburg this season, is to be produced in London.

Fred Walton, the English character comedian, whose work in "The Babes in the Wood" made so profound a hit this season, is going into vaudeville with his wooden soldier act.

Grace Van Studditord, the beautiful prima donna, who sang in Pittsburg last in "The Red Feather," is going into vaudeville next month.

Fire in stables at rear of 802 West Queen-street yesterday morning did damage to the extent of $200 to building, owned by F. Somerville, and $300 to contents.

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PILATE'S ORDER TO CRUCIFY NEW YORKER MAY HAVE IT

Alleged Historical Document is Bought in Mexico for Ten Dollars.

New York, Feb. 23. — Charles K. Thompson, a New York lawyer, who has just returned from Guadalajara, Mexico, brought with him a document that may prove to be of the greatest value. The document was secured at the Thieves' Market in Guadalajara.

It is a parchment bearing in Latin the sentence pronounced by Pontius Pilate upon Jesus Christ, and it gives evidence of extreme age. The man who sold the parchment to the New Yorker stated that he had purchased it about a year ago from a woman. He was ignorant of its possible value and knew nothing of its history. Thompson paid $10 for the parchment.

Translation of Parchment.

Translated the sentence reads:

"I, Pontius Pilate, here in Jerusalem regent for the Roman empire, judge and condemn to death Jesus, known as the poor Nazarene, and of the nation of Galilee, a seditious man, opposed to the law and to our senate and the great Emperor Tiberius Caesar. And I determine that his death shall be on the cross, fastened with nails, as is the custom with criminals. Because here join and congregate each day many men, rich and poor, who have not desisted to provoke tumult thruout Judea, proclaiming this man the Son of God and King of Israel, and threatening ruin to this noted City of Jerusalem and its temple, and this sacred empire. And because he has refused tribute to Caesar and has had the boldness to enter with palms of triumph, and with a great multitude, into the City of Jerusalem and into the sacred temple of Solomon.

"I, therefore, command the first centurion, named Quinto Cornelio, to remove from this City of Jerusalem this offender, putting upon him such robes as shall make him known to all, and the same cross on which he is to be crucified, and conducting him thru the streets between two robbers, who also have been condemned to death for thefts and murders, in this manner making an example that all people and all criminals shall heed.

Order of Public Crier.

"And I further command that the public crier shall proclaim his offences as here expressed, and that after having traversed the public streets he shall be taken by the port of Pagora, now known as Antonina, to the Mountain of Calvary, where it is the custom to execute all wicked criminals. There he shall be crucified on the same cross that he has carried, and his body shall be left hanging between those of the two robbers. And above the cross, in the three languages that are now generally known, namely, Hebrew, Greek and Latin, shall be placed the inscription, 'This is Jesus of Nazareth, King of the Jews,' so that all may understand and that he shall be known to all. And let no one, of whatever state or condition, under penalty of losing rights and life thru rebellion to the Roman Empire, dare to interfere with the execution of this sentence with full rigor, as I have commanded, according to the Roman and Hebrew laws.

"Year of the creation of the world, 5232, the 25th of March."

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Toronto, Feb. 14th, 1906.

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