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H. J. P. Makes Some Excellent Suggestions

Editor Ontario.

I want to congratulate you on the active interest you display at all times in the little matters concerned in the management of the city's affairs. I refer to your very recent, sensible editorial on street naming and the repairing of holes in the pavement and sidewalks. I've often thought the same as you do with regard to neglect in such matters and I'm glad to see you getting after somebody, whoever it is, that is responsible.

While agreeing with you in almost every particular in regard to your suggestions about the street naming, I differ only in one respect, namely, that I do not think it necessary to change the names of John, George, William and Anne Sts., simply because they were named after the Taylor family. I never knew their origin till you mentioned it and I suppose most people do not remember it. But these are names that are quite common to all cities. What city hasn't got its George St. and its John St.? So I think we might retain these names to avoid the inevitable confusion incident upon changes.

The most urgent need is for street signs to be placed at most corners. There are dozens of streets mentioned in the newspapers each night that I have not the faintest idea of ever having seen before, though perhaps I've often walked on them, and not known their names.

We should be constantly taking measures to make our fair city more attractive. We still carry many aspects characteristic of the village and since we are going to be a great and progressive city we should try to emulate other more progressive cities in measures of beautifying the streets and thoroughfares. I believe, sir, that a by-law should be passed prohibiting the indiscriminate pasting and tacking up of advertisements on telegraph poles, fences, etc., and abolishing these unsightly show-posters pasted on a wooden frame that lean against the telegraph poles on the main streets. These certainly do not add to the attractive appearances of our main streets. I also think that it would greatly enhance the beauty of this corner if we had a large cluster lamp in the centre of the street instead of the miserable street policeman that can be blown down by a "tin Lizzy" in the dark.

Trusting that you will continue your good work until we have a city the envy of all in civic autheitics, I remain,
Yours very truly,
H. J. P.

employment in the garment industry is also growing.

"The prospect for labor for, the winter is most gloomy," said Charles D. Preble, of the general advisory board of the Illinois Free Employment Bureau. "We are getting few requests for men and hundreds of requests for jobs."

All grades of labor from highly-skilled down to common day-laborers, and including office help and stenographers, are affected.

Ex-Mayor Marsh Favors New Plan

Editor Ontario.

Your recent editorials regarding the advisability of a change in the methods of City Management are highly commendable. The custom of the annual election of the Board of Directors (or aldermen) to conduct the city's affairs should be a dead issue absolutely. No other type of corporation than a municipality would stand, for a moment, the annual appointment of a large number of new and inexperienced men to conduct its affairs and outline its policies.

One of the greatest benefits in having a permanent or semi-permanent government is the possibility of planning, for a number of years ahead, the necessary improvements and regulating expenditure in a proper way. Had the improvement work which has been done this year been properly planned by a real business government, we should not have had the deplorable confusion that has happened on Coleman street, the two hills on Bridge street, and elsewhere where different civic departments the Bell Telephone Co., and the paving contractors have been trampling on each others' heels and impeding each other to the greatest extent. It has cost the municipality thousands of dollars, and the paving contractors have doubtless suffered as well.

With a government conducted on a modern standard, there would not be the constant complaint that Belleville merchants and manufacturers are being overlooked or side-tracked in the purchase of materials, as tenders would be advertised for in a proper manner. The business men of this city do not favor its government but do ask that every one be treated alike, and that when materials and equipment are required they be allowed to tender for them.

I would go a step farther than the annual election of a board of management and suggest that if the board be composed of say six members (one of them the Mayor) two of them elected for three years, two for two years and two for one year, so that as only two retire annually there will be something of permanence and experience in the Board as a whole.
L. W. MARSH

Tall Skeleton Discovered of Interest to the Historians

Wonderful discoveries are being made bearing out in minutest detail the contemporary account of the Archbishop in 1091, written by Gocelin, of whose work there is a manuscript in the British Museum, at the excavations which are being carried out in the grounds of St. Augustine's College, Canterbury, England. The work is at present held up owing to the fact that a laundry and a mortuary belonging to the Kent and Canterbury Hospital formed a bar to further discoveries. These buildings have been bought lately, largely through the generosity of Lord Northbourne, and the mortuary has been levelled to its foundations. The laundry, however, has yet to be raised and some months must elapse before the excavations can be resumed.

The important discoveries already made include the circular foundation of Abbot Wultric's monastic building and the original portico of St. Gregory, with the tombs of Laurence, Mellitus and Justus, second, third and fourth archbishops, whose bodies were translated in 1091. It is expected, in view of the monk Gocelin's records, that under the site of the hospital laundry will be found, in the nave and south portico of St. Martin, the tombs of King Ethelbert, Queen Bertha and her chaplain, Bishop Leland.

The most recent discovery has been that of the tomb of Abbot Roger II. The mantle stated that there was an iron plate just below the surface of the south transept of the Abbey church. Two feet below the surface the diggers found a slab of Purbeck marble about 2 1/2 feet square, and west of it another, and yet a third west of the second.

The slabs were raised and below was found a single large sheet of lead 17 1/2 by 2 1/2 feet, lying unfastened. When this was raised there was disclosed a grave, faced with cut stone and lined with sheets of lead on the bottom and around the sides, with four flat iron bars across the top to support the lid. In the grave was a skeleton, covered with the remains of a chasuble (of which parts of the gold lace border still cling to the wrists), and with a ring on the right hand and the withered remains of a pastoral staff.

On the breast was a leaden plate bearing the following inscription: "HIC REQUIESIT: DMS: ROGERVS: SECVDS: QVONDAM: ABBAS: HUIVS: LOCI: QVI: OB: IT: ANNO: INCARNACIONIS: DOMINICE: M: CC: LXXII: IDVS: DECEMBR:"

The tomb never had been touched before, and clearly contained the mortal remains of Abbot Roger II, or Roger of Chichester, who, according to Thorn, was elected Abbot in 1252, died on the Feast of St. Lucy, Dec. 13, 1273, and was buried before the altar of St. Katherine under a stone which was a recumbent effigy. Thorn uses the exact description, "abbas huius loci," found on the leaden plate.

The skeleton was that of a very big man, more than 6 feet 2 inches tall, with a very strong lower jaw. The ring, which was very large, was of copper gilt and had a carbuncle in it. The ring, the inscribed plate, a few fragments of the lace and of the texture of the chasuble have been placed in the college museum with the other plates previously found, and after the whole had been photographed, the grave was carefully closed again and the stones were laid on the leaden sheet as before.

Audience Delighted With "The Wanderer"

Splendid Dramatic Spectacle at Griffin's Last Night.

The old, and ever new, story of the Prodigal Son was retold at Griffin's theatre last night in a wonderful dramatic production that carried the audience back in imagination 3000 years to the era of King David and King Solomon when Jerusalem was a world capital and a great center of civilization and culture.

And yet this ancient parable might have been written yesterday for every day the sons are leaving the quiet of the rural settlements to follow the lure of metropolitan cities. It is the way of the world. The boy who goes to the city often wins but while he wins he also loses the fullness and richness of life than can only be attained by communing with nature.

Maurice Samuels has reproduced, as perhaps no other dramatic writer has succeeded in doing, the atmosphere of the ancient orient and the staging by David Beason was in keeping with the reputation of that

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Chief Kidd is on the Job

New Head of Police Department Arrives

Chief Kidd, of Perry Sound, Belleville's new Chief Constable, arrived in the city at eleven o'clock this morning. This afternoon he was introduced by Mayor Riggs to the members of the police force.

The new chief constable has had a fine record at Perry Sound in all branches of police work, particularly in cases of B.O.T.A. He has the record of fifteen illicit stills having been discovered. That in him Belleville has secured a most efficient officer is felt by all who know Chief Kidd.

He is a keen, clean-cut officer. Tall and well proportioned, he is one to impress the public with the dignity of the law.

Chief Kidd's wife and three children will follow to Belleville at an early date. On arrival at the police station, the new chief set to work to get in touch with the local situation.

Tourists From United States Favor Canada

Vacationists From Twenty-One States Visited One Hotel This Season

TORONTO, Oct. 30.—That Canadian summer resort districts are being favored by United States tourists in an ever-increasing degree is shown by statistics just compiled here.

The number of visitors to the "Highlands of Ontario" reached a new high level during the past season. In the Lake of Bays district the Bigwin Inn, Canada's largest summer resort hotel, which opened for the reception of guests last summer, had visitors from twenty-one States. These vacation seekers travelled in many cases from distant points in the Southern and Western States, including New Orleans and Pasadena; from Seattle on the Pacific Coast and Boston on the Atlantic coast. More than two hundred guests registered at the hotel from New York State alone. The big hotel also received guests from practically every important point in Canada from Halifax to Vancouver.

ARMOUR QUITTING CANADIAN MARKET

Montreal, Nov. 2.—Armour is quitting the Canadian market trade. Apparently Canada is not big enough for this meat-packing firm.

Sister of MacSweney is a Nun in Japan

TOKIO, Nov. 1.—It has been learned here that a sister of the late Lord Mayor MacSweney of Cork, is living in Tokio, raised from the world, devoting her life as a Roman Catholic nun to teaching young Japanese. She is a member of the French order of Saint Maur, which maintains a large convent not far from the imperial palace.

Professor Loses Life by Falling Into Deep Mine

PEEKSKILL, N.Y., Nov. 2.—Prof. H. C. Schmidt of the Hackley School, Tarrytown, fell 275 feet into a deep shaft of the abandoned Manitou copper mine in the sight of Ernest Pierce, another teacher, and 60 students.

Pierce reported the accident to the police yesterday. He said no report was previously made because the attention of all was taken up with the attempts at rescue. Shortly before noon Willis Delamater of Peekskill was lowered into the shaft in an attempt to recover his body. There was water in the bottom of the shaft. The two teachers were instructing the students in geology at the mine when Prof. Schmidt lost his balance and fell.

Some Shortage of Cars is Reported for Wheat

OTTAWA, Nov. 2.—While the western movement of grain is on the whole regarded as satisfactory, there being no signs of congestion, some complaints are being received daily by the government as to the shortage of cars. In the majority of cases they are from the smaller points of shipments. All complaints when received are at once referred to the department of railways, which is co-operating with all the railways in an effort to have the crop moved with as little inconvenience to western farmers as possible.

ENGINEER AT STONE QUARRY KILLED

Lindsay, Nov. 2.—Robert Wilson, engineer at the Britnell Stone Quarry was killed by an explosion at the boiler-house crusher.

ANOTHER OUT IN SUGAR PRICES

Ottawa, Nov. 2.—The Dominion Refinery has made another fifty cent cut, making sugar \$15.50 a hundred.

London, Nov. 2.—The Armenian town of Hadjin has been captured by the Turks who massacred ten thousand Armenians.

Labor Situation Growing Gloomy

Few Requests for Men And Hundreds For Employment in Chicago.

CHICAGO, Nov. 2.—A gloomy winter for the laboring man is foreseen in Chicago and its vicinity. Wages have dropped and the prospects are they will continue to drop. Hundreds of skilled and unskilled laborers have been laid off in Chicago and there is practically no demand for labor of any kind.

This, in brief, is the summary of the labor situation in Chicago as winter approaches. The summary is made by officials of the Chicago office of the Illinois Free Employment Agency.

Signs of growing unemployment in Chicago cropped up in many quarters. One large department store reported that more than 700 applicants for clerical jobs lined up at its employment office this morning. It had not experienced any such rush in the last eighteen months. On the west side of Chicago, sackless of

"The Bloomin' Old Rag Overhead"

A SMALL Union Jack rippled amid the tree tops. There seemed something "float" about it, a rag, you heard its history.

A doctor at the Mackay Free Hospital for Consumptives was talking. "The rag thing is, it's young people, say, hard-working boys and girls, T.B. attacks usually—those who make the best Canadian flag. The fellows in that pavilion were determined to have a flag. Each contributed the little he could. They got the rag, but poor chap, they're disappointed. It's so tiny. Yes, they do among the towering pines, but suddenly proclaiming 'What we have we'll hold.' And in the cold beneath the weak and ill, but battling for health, and whose precious pennies bought 'the rag overhead,' are echoing its dauntless spirit. 'What life we have we'll hold.' Lads worth saving surely!

Contributions may be sent to Sir William Gage, 14 Spadina Avenue, Toronto, or to Geo. A. Reid, Treasurer, 333 College Street, Toronto.

Late Mrs. W. Wilkins

The funeral of the late Mrs. W. Wilkins took place yesterday afternoon from the family residence, 63 Octavia street to Christ Church where an impressive funeral service was held. The bearers were Messrs. Alf. Symons, Geo. Pauley, J. Reid, John Fenn, J. Simpson and S. McGuire.

The floral offerings were as follows:

Pillow—Family.
Wreaths—Mrs. and Mrs. Ackerill, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Porter, A. Lloyd, J. Bird, W. Merritt, T. Amans.
Crosses—C.N.R. express boys, Geo. and Jennie Irvine, Christ Church parish, Guild and W. A. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Adams.

Star—Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Youker, Sprays—Leona Rebekah Lodge No. 83, Toronto, Mrs. J. Fitzsimmons, Cobourg, Mr. and Mrs. G. Vance, Mrs. D. Davidson and Mand O'Connor, Mrs. W. A. Merritt, Mrs. Gordon, Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Penny, Mrs. A. Wrightmyer and Miss V. Wrightmyer, Mrs. West and Mrs. A. Youker, Mrs. Mary Holland and Mr. Holway, Mr. and Mrs. A. Wheeler, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. O'Hara, Mr. and Mrs. Olphant, Mrs. (Dr.) McColl and Mrs. Thomas, West Belleville War Workers, Mrs. R. Black, Misses Miller, Miss B. McDowell, Mrs. J. J. Robert, Cobourg, Mrs. G. Pamey and family, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Wallace, Letter Carriers' Staff, Mr. and Mrs. H. Gordon, Mr. and Mrs. H. Schoener, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. B. Davidson, H. Belsey and family, Mrs. Irvine and Mrs. Bottum, Mr. Thos. Blain and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. Schoener, Miss Brickman, Mrs. Beal, Mrs. J. Simpson, Miss Scrine.

875 CONFIRMED.

The sacrament of confirmation was conferred on 875 candidates Sunday afternoon at three o'clock at St. Mary's Cathedral, Kingston, by His Grace Archbishop Spratt, assisted by the priests of the parish.

great artist who never does anything except on a lavish and comprehensive scale. The company that presented "The Wanderer" was almost identically the same as that which appeared in the production at the Royal Alexandra, Toronto, two years ago. Too often, in cases of this kind, inferior companies are substituted after the big cities are rounded up and the barnstorming begins at Belleville and other places along the line. The first scene in rural Palestine was made most realistic by a flock of real sheep and the scenic effects and the costume. The second scene in the court of Nadius at Jerusalem was gorgeous in its eastern splendor and redolent with languorous voluptuousness. The closing scene was a repetition of the first. The title role by Frederick Lewis was indeed a masterly portrayal of the varying positions and moods of the prodigal, first filled with the ardent hope of the visionary country then the amorous appeal of and the

unsuccessful resistance and finally the return of the broken and dispirited wanderer. It was all carried out with a dignity and restraint that can only be displayed by the masters. The other members of the cast were equally satisfactory in their less important, though essential roles. The house was filled practically to capacity and the audience went away with that satisfied feeling that comes to those who have been spending their time in a pleasant and profitable manner. PORTLAND MAN DEAD. Portland village lost one of its oldest residents when Thomas Bolton passed away after a short illness from jaundice. He leaves to mourn his loss a wife, four sons and one daughter. They are Edmund, of Brockville, Herbert, Tacoma, Sherman and John, at home, and Mrs. Adelbert McEwan, of the Union Bank, Portland. The funeral, which was held at Emmanuel church, was very largely attended.