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The Young School Teacher's Infatuation For the Clergyman Who Betrayed Her —How "Rev." Walter Nelson Secured the Port Burwell Charge—Denounced By Leading Baptists.

LANSING, Mich., Nov. 23.—Mr. J. V. Teetzel, Q.C., of Hamilton, had an affecting interview this morning with his sister Rosabel, the young school teacher of Malahide, Elgin county, Ont., who eloped with Rev. Walter P. Nelson. Miss Teetzel consented to return with her brother to the home of an aunt in Windsor and make an effort to suppress her infatuation for Nelson. The whole party left on the Grand Trunk train for Port Huron, with Nelson in the custody of the sheriff, but it was not determined what further action would be taken. Mr. Teetzel is of opinion he can secure extradition papers upon a charge of abduction, but is not clear whether he will pursue the matter further or not. He does not know Nelson and has refused to see him here.

Nelson was permitted a few minutes' conference with the object of his adoration in the presence of other parties. He urged her to reconsider her purpose of returning. She could hardly resist his frantic appeals, and was inclined to relent when he was taken from the room and fell in a dead faint outside.

On arriving at Lansing the couple went to the Commercial, where they were assigned separate rooms on different floors, and these they continued to occupy. They registered under their own names and made no attempt to conceal their identity.

A Physiological Reason.

To a reporter Nelson admitted that he was a married man, but could prove by three reliable witnesses that there was a physiological reason for his not living happily with his wife, to whom he was married in Centerville, Ill., a year ago last September. He said he was compelled to leave his wife three days after marriage, a separation to which she agreed. His wife was a Miss Olive Weiss of Centerville, where Nelson was ordained into the ministry.

He says he did not intend to elope with Miss Teetzel, but that he called at Miss Teetzel's residence with a rig and asked her to go out for a drive. She refused, but finally consented to go for a short drive only, as she did not wish to dress. She was clothed in a red morning wrapper, and put on her hat and throwing a light shawl about her shoulders, she got into the buggy with Nelson, who tells the following story of their subsequent adventures:

An Unmitigated Liar.

"We drove out towards the country deeply engrossed with our conversation, and not aware that it was growing late. My matrimonial affairs formed the chief topic of our conversation, and when we finally got ready to return home, Miss Teetzel asked me what the people would say about us being gone so long, and her dressed in a morning wrapper only. I saw at once that we had unwittingly acted very foolishly, but I could not suggest the slightest excuse for our foolishness. As we were approaching Miss Teetzel's residence I suggested that we drive on a little farther until we could devise a plan to relieve ourselves from embarrassment. We were then driving towards St. Thomas, and after talking the matter over for some time I suggested that we go on to St. Thomas, and as I was going on to Illinois to apply for a divorce she could return home in the morning, which was then rapidly approaching. She acquiesced, and on reaching St. Thomas she did not appear willing to have me leave her, but rather evinced a disposition to go along. When I asked her if she would like to go with me she replied that she would ever so much. I purchased two tickets for Michigan and on the way here we formulated plans for the future. We were to locate in some small place where I could obtain employment as a minister and she could teach. I was to go ahead with my suit for divorce, and as soon as it was obtained we were to be married. Now that is all there is to the affair."

THE SCANDAL AND THE CHURCH.

Baptist Ministers Discuss the Case—A Letter of Warning to the Churches.

At the meeting of the Baptist Ministerial Association yesterday morning the elopement of Rev. Walter Nelson of Port Burwell with a school teacher, full particulars of which appeared in yesterday's World, was the first subject which occupied attention.

Rev. Dr. Newman said that he was present in the Elgin association last June when Mr. Nelson's credentials were put in. They were of such a character that the Doctor and other ministers discouraged the church from accepting them. Dr. Newman added that he had seen the testimonial which Nelson said he bore from Rev. Alexander Grant of Winnipeg. It was not a ministerial testimonial at all, but merely a statement of the fact that Mr. Grant had befriended him.

On the motion of Rev. G. C. Parker, seconded by Rev. O. C. S. Wallace, Rev. Dr. Newman was requested to write to The Canadian Baptist warning the churches of the danger of receiving ministers from other countries without having unquestioned credentials of standing and character.

A Gypsy Elopement.

ST. JOHN, N.B., Nov. 23.—Kate McMillan, a young gypsy girl from the Strait Shore, eloped on Wednesday night with George Williams, a married man, also of the Romany persuasion. The father of the girl has gone to Chatham to bring his daughter home. Williams has been arrested on a charge of abduction.

The Pastor and the School Teacher.

Editor World: The World of this morning makes public a disgraceful event with the above heading, and the writer of the article is evidently in earnest sympathy with the woman and regards the clergyman chiefly if not only the guilty party. The clergyman is called the "betrayer"—the betrayer of innocence, youth and beauty. He is deservedly disparaged, but she is exalted and pitied. He is described as "large-mouthed and thick-lipped, tall, thin and with a wildered head," and guilty of fraudulent acts inflicted on his creditors. She is pictured with poetic fervor as a bright earnest girl. She was 26 years old, equal to a man of 30, according to scientific computation: "young, pretty and an attractive blonde." All the attractiveness and innocence on the part of the woman; all the guilt on the side of the man. He is pronounced her "betrayer." What claims had "the victim" of his passion for all this pity and sympathy? She was a school teacher and an educated school teacher no doubt quite as well educated as her betrayer. She knew that her "betrayer" was a clergyman and a married man. The report states that he had "planned the elopement." There is no proof given of this statement. He had entered into the privacy of her chamber with her consent, so that she had clearly planned and consented to this act. It is preposterous to call him, in the face of all this evidence, her betrayer. She was practically older than he, and equally guilty as a consenting criminal. Let the betrayal of a woman under promise of marriage by the man who is believed to be unmarried be visited with all the penalties of the law. The woman may be weak, but the man only then is the criminal and the betrayer. In the present case he just even to the man. She knew he was married, she was educated, so to speak, in the mildest terms, she was equally guilty with her paramour—heartless, lustful and criminal—and no better fitted to be at the head of a school than he at the head of a church.

I write, sir, as a teacher in defence of school teachers generally, and especially of the male branches of the profession. The public are often enamored of the virtues of clergymen because they are clergymen. Very rarely, if ever, of the virtues of the school teacher. As one of that profession I write in their behalf. Some years since Mr. Charlton introduced a bill into Parliament for the protection of young girls. In that bill he introduced a clause especially aimed at the male teachers of the country, subjecting them to far severer penalties than any other class guilty of seduction. The teachers of Toronto, public schools and collegiates, feeling the injustice of this attack on their character, called a meeting of the profession. The clause in question was fully discussed and the insult resented. It was shown that teachers were rarely guilty of the offence against which the objectionable clause was designed to protect the female branch of the pupils; and one clergyman—the only one in the city who was present—courageously and generously admitted that the members of his own profession were far more frequently guilty of this crime. The Toronto teachers were not supported by the teachers of any other part of the Dominion; but their protest was enunciated in the form of a resolution and sent to Sir John Macdonald and Mr. James Beaty; and Mr. Charlton was compelled to withdraw the insulting clause. Since that attempt to degrade the male teachers of the country I have made it my duty to watch and record the numbers of both professions guilty of this breach of trust and morality and I assert that at least 20 clergymen to one teacher are annually guilty of the offence on this continent.

Toronto, Nov. 23, 1891. AN OLD TEACHER.

THROUGH SMILES AND TEARS.

Comedy at Jacobs & Sparrow's.

Pat Rooney in his old play newly named "Lord Rooney" opened at Jacobs & Sparrow's last night to a big house. The piece is the same as he appeared in last season, with the introduction of new songs and specialties.

While no pretension is made to a story or plot the author has succeeded in producing a satisfactory vehicle for the exhibition of the diversified talents of about a dozen people. Rooney is of course the centre of attraction and those who have seen the clever work done in the past by this exponent of the stage Irishman must have been a little disappointed last night: not so much at what he did, but because he did not do more. Mattie Rooney is getting to be quite a big girl, and if she does not grow too tall may blossom into a clever soubret. Ray Vernon is another clever girl with a charming manner, who dances gracefully. Stanly Macy does some clever work as a broken-down actor: although the part is a burlesque it is cleverly done and pleased greatly. The balance of the company, while not strong, all contribute something to the night's fun. Matinee this afternoon.

Sir Edwin Arnold.

Sir Edwin Arnold, author of the "Light of the World" and the "Light of Asia," will give an evening of readings at the Auditorium next Thursday. The plan of the hall opens this morning to the public generally at Nordheimer's. Referring to Sir Edwin's recent appearance in Boston The Boston Courier speaks as follows: "Sir Edwin Arnold's readings Friday evening and yesterday afternoon in Music Hall were most cordially received. The literati of the city were all there. Contrary to usual experience, the poet of the 'Light of Asia' is a charming reader as well as a good writer, eloquent without affectation, appealing chiefly to his hearers by his simplicity and sincerity."

Melodrama at the Academy.

"Kidnapped" a strong realistic drama, as it is called on the bills, is the attraction at the Academy this week. It is all that is claimed for it in the way of sensation and realism.

There are enough brave deeds heroic acts and villainy committed in the five acts to make a dozen ordinary plays. The finale of the first act is strong enough to keep the audience in a fever of excitement and emotion until the end. The most realistic scenes are the kidnapping and the arrival of the police patrol. These set the top part of the house wild and won curtain call. The company is a strong one for this style of play. Most of the characters are familiar to the regular theatre-goer, and there is nothing particularly new in the story. There will be a matinee on Wednesday.

"Old Jed Prouty" at the Grand.

Despite the uncomfortable weather there was a full house at the Grand last night, when the ever-popular "Old Jed Prouty of Bucksport, Maine," delighted the audience from the rise of the curtain to the close. The play, brimful of pathos and humor, is well known and is as popular as ever. Richard Golden is inimitable as the landlord of Prouty Tavern, and he received an ovation when at the end of the third act he came before the curtain and made a clever and humorous speech. The cast is a strong one, the acting above the average, there is some capital singing, and little Millie Smith as Alice wins her way into the hearts of the audience as well as into that of Old Jed. There will be big houses the balance of the week.

The Handsome Linus.

The Musee deserves the large patronage it is accorded by the people of Toronto, as a visit to that instructive resort will prove. This week an exceptionally good collection of curiosities is seen in the Lecture Hall. The chief attraction is, of course, the handsome Linus, the horse with the wonderful mane, tail and forelock. Pictures of this beauty have appeared in the newspapers for the last week, and these give a much better idea of the appearance of the animal than any words can. The newspaper engravings are very much like the horse, and unlike many show pictures they do not flatter the original or make him appear more wonderful than he really is. He is a large horse, weighing 1425 pounds, and is very symmetrically formed. He is a chestnut in color, the mane and tail being of a lighter shade. Another wonder in the lecture hall is William Wells, the man with the iron skull. He takes a large stone, places it on top of his head and allows an attendant to break it with a sledge while it is resting on his cranium. Another feat is to let a man take an inch board about three feet long and hit him on the head until the board splits. Prof. Horn gives an exhibition with his troupe of wonderfully trained birds.

In the theatre George C. Davis impersonates several prominent actors in a strikingly natural way. James F. Dolan and Ida Lenhart, comedy sketch artists and vocalists are good; but people are getting a little wearied of that old Hamilton gag. Once in a performance is enough, to say the least. The "bookies" Sheehan and Murphy introduce several good comic songs, and Harrison and Berkeley are good white face character comedians. George and Wallis give a fine musical entertainment. Mr. Wallis formerly belonged to the Musee orchestra, and although he has not been long on the stage his success is already assured.

Notes.

The Lester & Williams' "Me and Jack" company were in town yesterday for a few hours. They were to have played at the Standard Theatre, Syracuse, which was destroyed by fire on Sturday. The company will rest for this week in Montreal.

A member of the "Kidnapped" company is William Romaine Walsh, a Toronto boy, who plays leading juvenile parts. He was with the McDowell company through the West Indies last season.

The Cream of the Havana Crop.

We beg to notify the trade, and more particularly to those customers whom we have kept waiting for several months for our La Cadena and La Flora brands of cigars (owing to the Havana crops not having been at that time in fit condition to use), that we are now commencing to manufacture the above mentioned brands, our buyer, who has just returned from Havana, having purchased several lots of tobacco which were picked from the cream of the crops, regardless of price. We make no idle boast when we state that our clear Havana cigars are equal in every respect to the highest class of imported Havana cigars and at much less figures. We wish particularly to impress upon smokers the fact that these brands are not made in competition with the great majority of rank, cheap Havana cigars that are offered to the public as fine goods.

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J. T. Garrow, M.L.A., Goderich, is at the Rossin.

Professor Saunders of the Agricultural College, Ottawa, is at the Rossin.

Professor Goldwin Smith has accepted the position of honorary president of the conference of Associated City Charities.

"Prince Eddie," heir to the crown of England, is likely to marry his first cousin once removed, the daughter of Princess Mary of Cambridge, Duchess of Teck.

Mr. Andrew Crawford of W. R. Brock & Co. and Mr. James Woods of Gordon, McKay & Co. returned from Europe Sunday. They came over on the Etruria.

Mr. Nelson Roberts, the popular business manager of Charles Frohman's "All the Comforts of Home" company, is in the city arranging for its production next week at the Grand.

Parties who wish to make holiday presents of pictures, framed etchings, portraits, etc., would do well to leave their orders with Matthews Bros. & Co., 95 Yonge-street, at once in order to have them done before the holiday rush commences. A full line of fine engravings, etchings, etc., in stock. d

An Early Morning Fight.

At 1.15 this morning P. C. Childs arrested two men, Adams of Tecumseth-street and Kennedy of King-street west, for fighting in front of Hannon's restaurant, York-street. The affray was a serious one, the landlord and waiter being seriously mauled.

THE CURSE OF PAUPERISM.

REV. HUGH JOHNSTON IS FEARFUL OF INDISCRIMINATE CHARITY.

Many of the Active Charitable Workers Do Not Take Kindly to the New Board Idea—The Chairman Speaks Very Plainly on the Dangers That Beset the Cheerful and Careless Giver.

The most important subject discussed at the conference of Associated City Charities yesterday afternoon was the proposed civic board for charitable purposes.

Rev. Dr. Johnston, president in succession to Professor Goldwin Smith, who is now honorary president, was in the chair and all charitable societies of the city were represented.

The chairman read a statement of the scope of the Commission of Inquiry which the Mayor had appointed, and the ten purposes to which it was thought its operations might be directed. These have already been published in The World. It was for their discussion and consideration that the conference met yesterday.

Opposition to the Scheme.

Secretary Pell said St. George's Society had appointed a sub-committee to consider the proposals, which would probably report this week. "Privately," he added, "I deem the proposal objectionable. All that is wanted is for the City Relief Officer to have a central office and give the whole of his time to the work of relief."

Mr. Brille: There is no necessity for this proposal. Some of us would resent such work of the Associated Charities. If the city will give sufficient funds to the House of Industry the difficulty would be met.

Mrs. Morrison: The board would deal with rogues and rascals, which we have not power to do.

Mrs. Fletcher: The Girl's Home Committee is decidedly against the proposal. The board would have the recommendation of the city grants and the local committees would be powerless.

Some members of the Ladies' Relief Society suggested that the Associated Charities be empowered to do the things designed for the civic board.

An Outspoken Address.

The chairman said the conference sympathized most heartily with the commission in its efforts to deal with the question of pauperism. He added: "The present methods of relief are so inadequate and unsatisfactory that it is a question whether we are not intensifying the very evils which we are seeking to diminish and prevent.

The commission has hardly touched the borders of the perplexing subject. It should enlarge the scope of its inquiry, to wit, whether our many associations are not fostering pauperism and destroying self-reliance. Are they not building up a vast system of organized mendicity?

A Bower of Paupers.

Are we not breeding paupers—the spurious offspring of a deceived philanthropy? It is a question whether the outdoor poor are permanently benefitted or injured—whether the expectation of help is not an incentive to improvidence and an inducement to imposture.

Let the mendicants be shown that the disgrace consists not in receiving help, but in needing it, if by honest effort the need might have been averted. It is helpless poverty in this land of plenty that wears shame and degradation.

Why not let all our voluntary relief organizations be disbanded, all indiscriminate private charity be cut off and all assistance be given through civic administration? Let the help thus rendered be paid back in labor to the city, which should be prepared to furnish employment on a large scale to those who are able and willing to work.

A labor bureau is not adopted to benefit the class for which it is intended. The good and steady workman can usually get work; it is the incompetent and the idle who can never find it. Labor bureaus cannot increase the demand for work.

Society would be benefitted by treating pauperism as a disease to be cured—not fed. Let employment be found, and the city exact the scriptural injunction: "If a man will not work, neither shall he eat."

Prof. Ashley's Proposal Accepted.

After discussion a resolution in the nature of a compromise was proposed by Prof. Ashley, seconded by Secretary Pell, and adopted. This approved of a board composed of representatives of all existing charities and of members of the City Council.

1. To deal with cases of imposture, vagrancy, desertion of wives and families, lunacy, inebriety, refusal to support aged or infirm relations, or hopeless destitution.

2. To keep a register of cases with a view to the identification of applicants and the prevention of imposture.

3. To guard the city against unsuitable immigration and the influx of destitution.

4. To report periodically on the amount of distress and on the condition of the labor market.

5. To forward wayfarers to their destination and take measures for the return of unsuitable immigrants.

Clauses Not Adopted.

Those relating to superceding the Associated Charities, advising the City Council as to grants of money, assisting private charity, the employment bureau, inspecting and recommending lodging-houses.

The result of yesterday's prolonged conference was regarded by the members as satisfactory. Dr. Johnston will report to the Commissioner of Inquiry at the City Hall. The chairman is Prof. Goldwin Smith and secretary Mr. Edward Taylor.

Killed in a Railway Accident.

KINGSTON, Nov. 23.—A telegram from Chicago announces the death of Adam Lott son of L. Lott, Napanee Mills. The deceased was a conductor on one of the roads out of Chicago and was killed in a collision. The body will arrive to-day and will be interred at Napanee Mills.

Death of a Brother.

KINGSTON, Nov. 23.—This morning the funeral of the late Brother Artemon of the Christian Brothers' School took place. Before joining the order of the Brother deceased's name was John Morrison. He was born in Ayton, Grey county, on July 30, 1860, and was a son of W. Morrison, police magistrate. He was at one time a teacher in the De La Salle Institute in Toronto.

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ANOTHER MASSACRE.

A Chinese Mob Attacks the Belgian Mission at Takou and Slaughters the Inmates—No Mercy Shown.

SHANGHAI, Nov. 23.—Information just received of another cruel massacre of Europeans and native Christians this time at the Belgian mission station at Takou. Full particulars not yet received as few, if any, of intended victims succeeded in escaping. The mission held several Europeans connected with mission work and about a hundred native converts. Assailants showed no mercy.

FONSECA SURRENDERS.

The Brazilian Dictator Surrenders to the Opposition Forces.

LONDON, Nov. 23.—Despatches from Rio de Janeiro this afternoon bring the intelligence that the opposition to Dictator Fonseca has gathered sufficient force to break through the barriers erected by the Government to hold it in check and to make itself master of the situation. No details have yet been received as to the precise methods adopted. All that is known is that the uprising was so formidable that Fonseca considered it impossible longer to maintain his ascendancy and has surrendered his authority.

In retiring, or "resigning," as he called it, he declared he did so in favor of Floriano Peixotto, the Vice-President or Vice-Chief of the provisional Government, of which Fonseca was the head.

Insurrection had been smouldering in Rio Janeiro for several days. The first overt manifestation was the cutting of the railway near the city on Saturday night. The rising came to a head this morning, the navy leading in an open revolt and demanding the resignation of Da Fonseca. Finding resistance useless, Da Fonseca announced that he would comply with the demand. Intense excitement prevails. A riotous crowd has destroyed the offices of two Government newspapers.

Senor Peixotto is forming a Government.

SMITH'S MILLIONS.

The Late Conservative Statesman Leaves a Fortune $20,000,000.

LONDON, Nov. 23.—The will of the late Hon. William Henry Smith, Lord of the Admiralty and Tory leader in the House of Commons, has just been probated. It presented the astonishing fact that there are millions in the sale of books and newspapers. From a little bookstore in the Strand, Mr. Smith's business was extended until he controlled the sale of nearly all newspapers and periodicals in the United Kingdom. He became a great man and now leaves behind the neat fortune of $20,000,000.

Chat from Over the Sea.

Greece was visited by earthquake shocks yesterday.

Emperor William has sent an invitation to M. DeGiers to partake of luncheon at his palace on Tuesday.

The French Minister of Justice has ordered a report on the spread of the morphine habit preparatory to the introduction in the Chambers of a bill to regulate the sale of the drug.

Monsignor Gouthe Soutard, a rich bishop of Aix, has arrived at Paris to answer the summons of the Court of Appeal in connection with the defiant letter sent him by M. Fallieres, Minister of Justice and Public Worship, in reply to the latter's circular reminding the French bishops that they were not at liberty to leave their dioceses without the Minister's consent.

The Admiralty has received intelligence of a serious outbreak of fever on the corvet Boadicea, the flagship of Rear Admiral Fremantle, commander of the British India squadron. Before she had been out from England many days fever broke out and spread with alarming rapidity. No less than 114 members of the crew had to be landed at Malta and Port Said and placed in hospitals.

THE FIRST TO MAKE THE TRIP

A Lumber Vessel Sails from Chicago to New York.

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—It rather astonished Operator George Hogan at the ship news office last night when he received word of the arrival of the American schooner White Cloud from Chicago. So far as known the White Cloud is the first sailing vessel to reach New York from the inland lakes. She made the trip in 66 days, touching at Montreal and also at Portland, Me. She passed through the Welland Canal to reach Lake Ontario, and after traversing that lake sailed down the St. Lawrence River. She is loaded with lumber.

MET DEATH ON THE PRAIRIE.

Two Young Lads Frozen to Death Near Medicine Hat.

WINNIPEG, Nov. 13.—The first death on the prairie this year is reported from Medicine Hat. A 16 year-old son of L. B. Cochrane and a 10 year-old son of E. Walton merchant of this place, whose ranches are just outside of town were caught in Friday night's blizzard while looking for some cattle. Searching parties were organized the following night when the Cochrane boy was found 16 miles from home frozen to death beside a haystack his horse eating hay over his dead body. Police are now scouring the country for other boy.

An Infant's Body in the Pew.

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—The body of an infant, still-born, was found in one of the rear pews of the Church of the Paulist Fathers, Fifty-seventh-street and Ninth-avenue. It was taken to the station-house.

Suicide of a Clergyman.

CHICAGO, Nov. 23.—Rev. Dr. Ezra Marsh Boring, aged 78, who was Gen. Grant's pastor during the residence in Galena, Ill., hanged himself in Evanston last night. Dr. Boring had been in poor health nearly a year.

Is the League Dead?

MITCHELLSTOWN, Nov. 23.—John Dillon and William O'Brien addressed a large audience here to-day. William O'Brien declared that Timothy Harrington and his party had made the National League a thing of the past. The country had only subscribed £2 for the League in four weeks.

Fell from a Scaffold.

BROCKVILLE, Nov. 23.—James Mahoney of Belleville fell while slating the roof of the new convent, in consequence of the breaking of a scaffold, and received injuries from which he died.

City Hall Notes.

Mr. McNamee's claim of $50,000 for extras in the laying of the new steel conduit was again before the sub-committee of the Waterworks Committee appointed to deal with the matter. The committee declined to take any action until the return of Mr. Biggar, who is absent in Ottawa.

An application has been received from Mr. C. M. Morris, Pearl-street, New York, for plans and specification for the reclamation of Ashbridges Bay.

A permit has been granted the trustees of the Bereau Methodist Church to build a brick church on the west side of Crawford-street, south of Queen, at a cost of $9000.

According to return from the Western Cattle Market, 1838 head of cattle, 1080 sheep and 1089 hogs were received last week; 777 cattle, 28 sheep and 1659 hogs were weighed; weigh fees collected, $40.32.

Catarrh—Hay Fever—Catarrhal Deafness

A New Home Treatment has been discovered whereby the worst cases are permanently cured by a few simple applications made fortnightly by the patient at home. Send stamp for circular. J. G. Dixon & Co. 345 West King-street, Toronto.

KILLED BY A BUZZ PLANER.

Shocking Death of a Teamster at Galt Yesterday.

GALT, Nov. 23.—Samuel Weir, aged 40, was engaged teaming a buzz planer from Cant Bros. & Co.'s foundry to the station this afternoon, and when driving off the weigh scales one wheel of the truck went off the scales, tilting the machine, which toppled over on Weir, crushing his skull and killing him instantly.

BRAINED BY AN IRON PULLEY.

An Ottawa Woman Buries Husband and Three Children in a Week.

OTTAWA, Nov. 23.—James Smith, an employe at McLaren's mills, was struck this afternoon by an iron pulley making 2000 revolutions a minute and had his skull crushed in. He had only recently buried three children from diphtheria. He leaves a widow.

DEATH WAS THE BRIDEGROOM.

Forced to Wed His Victim, He Suicided the Same Day.

LONDON, Ont., Nov. 23.—An inquest was held to-day on the body of William J. Barnes, a cutter employed by John Marshall & Co. Barnes was arrested a few days ago at the instance of the friends of Miss Ellen Hughes, a young woman whom he was charged with having seduced. On Wednesday last he was married to the young woman mentioned. On the same day he procured a quarter of an ounce of croton oil from Burkholder's drug store and took nearly the whole of it at one dose. He lingered in intense agony until yesterday evening, when death took place at his room in Carling-street.

STRANGLED BY A TOWEL.

The Peculiar Accidental Death of a Little Kinkora Girl.

STRATFORD, Nov. 23.—Mrs. John Kelly of Kinkora went out to milk, leaving her seven-year-old daughter, Bridget, in the house. On returning she was horrified to find her child dead with a roller towel twisted round her neck. The child had been in the habit of swinging from the towel, which was suspended from a roller, and in turning round had allowed it to form into a rope about her neck.

A DARK CLOUD APPEARED.

And a Hurricane Swept Over Washington —Many Persons Killed.

WASHINGTON, D.C., Nov. 23.—A heavy wind and rainstorm passed over this city about 12.30 o'clock to-day, which amounted almost to a hurricane, doing great damage to property. The walls of the new Metzerott Music Hall, in course of construction, were blown down and several persons were killed and many injured. George White, a ladies' tailor, and one of his sewing women were taken out dead from the ruins in an adjoining building and two others badly hurt. One of the reservoirs of the Washington Gas Company was struck by lightning and burned.

BALTIMORE, Md., Nov. 23.—Shortly after 1 o'clock this afternoon a wind and rain storm of unusual intensity struck this city from the southwest, blowing down signs and flag poles and doing other damage. The arrival of the storm was heralded by a very dark cloud, which overshadowed the heavens. The roof of the oyster packing house of C. S. Maltby, foot of West Fall-avenue, was blown off by the wind. A number of persons working in the top story were injured.

They Served Horse Meat for Beef.

CHICAGO, Nov. 25.—It has been discovered that four restaurants have been serving horse meat for beef for some time. It looked so much like beef that the Health Officers could not tell the difference until an examination of the bones was made.

Birds Sang His Requiem.

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—Jacob Frolich, a newsdealer, 60 years old, hanged himself yesterday morning in rear of his store at No. 268 First-avenue. In the room where his body was found 20 canary birds were singing their merriest.

Papa Will Pay the Bill.

DETROIT, Nov. 23.—Henry Reid, the Toronto hotel clerk who beat his board bill at the Franklin House, was this morning fined $28. He said his father in Toronto would settle the fine.

Wanted to Hang by Note.

ABILENE, Tex., Nov. 23.—William H. Frizzle, who was hanged here to-day for wife murder, asked that the Abilene cornet band be permitted to play as he was swung off.

They Are Flocking to Toronto.

At the meeting of the Associated Charities yesterday, Mr. John E. Pell, the secretary, stated that never in the course of his 38 years' experience had he known so many tramps flocking to Toronto so early in the season as this year. There were 40 lodged in the House of Industry on Saturday. Some returned to him and complained they had to sleep on a board. They said, "It would be better for us to be sent to the jail; we should be better treated." Chairman Dr. Johnston and Mr. John Baille explained that the system of winter casual relief does not begin till Dec. 1. Then there would be soup distribution and wood-splitting in return.

An Obstacle Removed.

One of the reasons frequently advanced by numbers of people against insuring in a regular Life Insurance Company was the inability to pay at once the sum required as premium for twelve months. The Excelsior Life Insurance Company of Toronto has removed this obstacle, and has placed legitimate insurance within the reach of the great mass of our wage-earners by accepting monthly payments on all the principal plans, which are peculiarly attractive. Insurers have equal privileges with other policy-holders, for they are permitted to change their policies at any time, so that the premiums may be paid annually, semi-annually or quarterly, and they have the further opportunity of considerably reducing their premiums by devoting a little of their spare time to advancing the company's interests. The Excelsior is a regularly licensed company, with Government deposit exceeding requirements.

A New Departure.

High class tailoring at close cash prices. Gentlemen, why pay long credit prices for your clothing when you can get the finest goods made up most elegantly at S. Corrigan's, 63 King-street west, at prices which will astonish you? Our productions are not surpassed in the Dominion for style and workmanship. A trial solicited. Fine imported trouserings from $5 up. 246

Lamb's wool underwear made from pure undyed natural wool is the healthiest and best. Large variety at Treble's, 53 King-street west. Perforated Buck Skin underwear, best make.

The Volunteer Wrecked.

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., Nov. 23.—The coastwise steamer Volunteer went ashore last Thursday at Englee and is a total wreck. No lives were lost. The members of the crew were taken off by a schooner this morning.

The Sheffield House Importing Company (Registered).

65 Yonge-street (below King). English Spoons and Forks, Side Dishes, Solid Silver Ware, Fish Knives and Forks, etc. C. E. Robinson, Manager.

Taps From the Telegraph.

The body of Actor Florence was interred in a vault at Greenwood with impressive services yesterday.

An Italian named Liboth fell from a G.T.R. train at Huntingdon, Que., and was killed.

SALARIES OF CIVIC SERVANTS

PROVISIONS AGAINST IRREGULAR RAIDS FOR INCREASES.

Board of Health Recommendations Not Subject to Review—Therefore the Ice Cutting Regulations Are Law—Technical Schools Become a Fact—The Diphtheria Hospital—Railways' Obligations.

On account of several members of the council going to Ottawa to wait on the Railway Committee last evening at 9 o'clock the City Council met at 3.30. Ald. Score was the only absentee. Business dragged wearily along and it was well into evening before an adjournment was moved.

The Council Will Regulate Salaries.

A bylaw, of which the following is the substance, was introduced by Ald. Graham and unanimously adopted:

The Local Board of Health and all heads of departments appointed by the council shall annually, before the estimates for the year are finally adopted by the Executive Committee, submit the names of any employes recommended by them for an increase of salary and shall set forth in such recommendation the amount of the salary then received by such employe and the reasons for such increase.

No increase of salary shall be made at any time to any employe, unless the same be made upon the recommendation of his official superior.

No increase of salary, pay or bonus shall be made to any employe after the estimates for the year have been adopted.

After the annual municipal election of mayor and aldermen for the City of Toronto for the ensuing year has been held, no out-going council shall increase the salary of any official.

Ald. Graham wished to add another clause, placing all the heads of the departments on the same basis, with power to appoint and dismiss subordinates. Some discussion took place on this clause, which was ultimately ruled out of order. Ald. Hewitt strongly opposed the clause, and in the course of his speech showed that since last June the salary bill in the works department had been reduced by about $18,000.

More Crematories.

Ald. Hill objected to the recommendation of the Markets and License Committee to erect two crematories at a cost of $20,000. He and Ald. Park both referred to the report of the Health Officer, which stated that crematories had not been a brilliant success in any of the American cities.

"Well," said Ald. George Verral, "we must do something. We have been prohibited from dumping garbage in almost every part of the city. What can we do with it? Leave it in the lanes? I move that the report be adopted." The motion was carried, notwithstanding the protestation of Ald. Saunders, chairman of the Executive, that there were no funds in the treasury.

Board of Works Accounts Discussed.

The item in the accounts of the Board of Works of $1258, for relaying gas pipes in Yonge-street, caused considerable discussion on the advantages of contract work and day labor. Ald. Hill moved that the item be struck out. The motion was lost, however, by a considerable majority. The matter of $250 for rental of an engine caused another lively tussle. Ald. McMurrich asked Ald. Shaw, chairman of the Board of Works, a number of questions which Ald. Shaw characterized as frivolous. This rather annoyed the interrogator, who was still further aggravated by Ald. Shaw, who said that even 16 years in the School Board had not qualified Ald. McMurrich for the city council.

Ald. McMurrich: What am I sent here for?

Ald. Shaw: I am sure I don't know.

Ald. Gowanlock said that he was prepared to sell six better engines than the one in question for $300. Ald. Burns replied that the question of purchasing engines was discussed at the beginning of the year and it was decided not to do so. The $250 item was referred back.

The Board of Health Supreme.

Some of the members of council had intended to make sweeping amendments to the Board of Health's report regarding the cutting of ice in the bay, but were surprised to find, by the opinion of the solicitor, that they had nothing to do with it, that the report was simply submitted to them as a matter of courtesy. The motion of Ald. Hallam then carried that the Board of Health be requested to reconsider its report.

The Smallpox Hospital.

A letter was read from Messrs. Smith, Rae & Greer on behalf of the East End property-owners, protesting against the use of the Smallpox Hospital for a hospital for persons affected with diphtheria and threatening to issue an injunction unless the city take some action in the matter.

The assurance that there was not the slightest shadow of danger was found to be satisfactory to the objectors.

Ald. Graham introduced a bylaw that the ground on which the smallpox hospital is situated be excluded from the dedication as a public park and that permission be given to use the building as an infectious disease hospital. Ald. Leslie moved that "until the 1st day of March, 1892," be added. With this addition the bylaw was adopted.

Technical Schools.

The report of the Special Committee on Technical Schools was adopted with two additions. Mr. Alexander Horwood was appointed as permanent secretary of the Technical School Board at a salary of $500 per year. Two architects were added to the board to represent the Ontario Society of Architects.

The Trolley System Recommended.

The report of Engineer Cunningham regarding the electric street car system was presented. It recommends the adoption of the overhead Trolley system.

The O. & Q. R. Injunction.

A communication was read from the City Solicitor saying that he had no material to ground a motion for injunction against the Ontario and Quebec Railway in connection with the Credit Valley shops. He also asked to have the matter referred to the Executive Committee, who will likely appoint a committee of enquiry to assist him in gathering information.

The Toronto, Grey and Bruce Now.

Ald. Atkinson moved that the instructions given to the City Solicitor at the last meeting of the council in regard to the removal of the machine shops of the Credit Valley Railway Company be extended so as to include the shops required to be maintained for the purposes of the Toronto, Grey and Bruce Railway Company. The motion was carried.

Reduction of Water Rates.

The report of the Waterworks Committee recommending the reduction of water rates was referred back in order that the advisability of charging the interest and sinking fund of permanent expenditures against property according to its land value instead of in the regular way might be considered.

Ald. Boustead moved that a committee be appointed jointly from the Waterworks and the Executive committees to consider the reduction of water rates. The motion was carried.

50 Cents Will Buy

Gents' kid gloves from sizes 7 to 8; these gloves are worth $1.00 per pair. Gents' lined kid gloves only 75c per pair. Linen collars, 4 ply, English make, 8 for 50c. Scotch lamb's wool shirts or drawers only 75c to $1.50 per suit. Scarlet lamb's wool shirts or drawers from $1.00 up. Fancy striped shirts and drawers only 50c or $1.00 per suit. See our windows for 25c neckwear. Boner's, cor. Yonge and Queen-streets. 246

Fact—at half price, stylish self-feeding hall and parlor stoves at Wheeler & Bain's, 179 King-street East.

Coldest Weather of the Season.

WINNIPEG, Nov. 23.—It was 18 below zero early this morning, which is the coldest of the season.

THE FALSE FIDDLER.

Do you see that young man with the theatric look and his hair combed over and