

HOWE'S LONDON CIRCUS TO OPEN HERE MONDAY

Big Entertainment Program To Be Offered Afternoon and Evening in Dufferin Park.

The Monday program for Howe's Great London Shows and menagerie is as follows:

The parade route: Leave Dufferin Park 10 a.m. to College-street, to Spadina-avenue, to King, to Simcoe, to Wellington, to Front, to Jarvis, to Bloor, thence to show grounds.

The performance: Matinee, commencing at two o'clock, and the evening show at 8 o'clock. Doors open one hour earlier in both cases.

The free attractions: First performance on the return of the parade to the show grounds, and again in the evening at 8:30 o'clock.

Howe's Great London Shows and menagerie will arrive in Toronto Sunday and take immediate possession of the usual show grounds at Dufferin Park.

The circus differs very materially from the circuses that have periodically invaded this section, inasmuch as it does not in the least lean toward the vaudeville.

It is purely circus performance they give, and one of such extreme merit that its every quarter of a century of uninterrupted success in this country and Europe is attributed solely to this fact.

The claim is made for it that it is an all feature attraction and not one of ordinary and time stained acts.

Prior to its world girdling trip it was the recognized representative circus of this country. The show will arrive here on its own three trains of sixty-foot cars and undoubtedly the show grounds will attract thousands of sightseers.

One comment on the show is that it prohibits doing work not absolutely necessary on the Sabbath.

To-morrow only such tents will be erected as are indispensable for the care of the people and animals.

The huge "big top" in which performances are given will be erected until early Monday morning.

The five large horse tents will be in position, and as they are always thrown open to the public on Sundays the same as any other day, people will have the opportunity of seeing what is claimed to be the finest stable of horses owned by any circus.

It may shatter the opinion of a whole lot of people who think they know, to say that nearly all the performers will attend church in the city.

The parade will be given Monday morning, leaving the show grounds at Dufferin Park promptly at ten o'clock.

Two performances will be given Monday at 2:00 and 8:00 p.m. The doors to the menagerie, ethnological concert and promenade concert will be open one hour earlier.

SICK OF THE JOB

Nova Scotia Census Commissioner Resigns.

OTTAWA, June 2.—(Special.)—Already one census commissioner has got sick of his job and given it up. He is W. P. Furney of Queen's County, N. E. Fred. Furney has resigned.

The civil service commission is calling for applications for the office of Dominion agriculturist, to draw an initial salary of \$3100 a year. The assistant live stock commissioner is also looking for an occupant.

The Globe of Death.

So far this season there has been a steady crescendo of interest in the free vaudeville performances booked at Scarborough Beach.

Two novelties in the one genuine sensation will be presented next week. The headliner will be Miss Mabel Barnum, who makes her first American appearance in a Canadian park.

All last winter Miss Barnum was performing in the winter gardens of Berlin, Germany, presenting her sensational act, called the "Globe of Death." This act consists of Miss Barnum stowing herself in a hollow ball, twenty-six inches in diameter.

Then the ball is started down a 60-foot incline, towards the bottom of which is a thirty foot gap, which the ball rolls, going at the speed almost of a rifle bullet. For sheer astonishment, the "globe of death" act is hard to beat.

Another act which is a novelty is that of the Tuscano Bros., who do some remarkable table top juggling. It is their first American tour. Les Montforts supply the necessary comic relief in their horizontal bar stunt.

The Venetian band, under the leadership of Angelo Vercini, has been re-engaged for one more week. On Wednesday night there will be a special fireworks display, and it is expected to have a first class American tour.

50c Puts a Piano in Your Home.

DAVID WILLIAMS IS PRES. OF HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Association Will Offer Prizes to School Teachers for Original Historical Essays.

BRANTFORD, June 2.—(Special.)—At the closing session of the Ontario Historical Society here to-night officers were elected as follows: President, David Williams, Collingwood; vice-president, John Deerness, London; treasurer, W. A. McLean, Toronto; councillors, Mrs. E. J. Thompson, Toronto; J. S. Carstairs, Toronto; Alexander Fraser, Toronto; A. F. Hunter, Barrie; Judge H. S. MacDonald, Brockville; Clarkson W. James, Toronto; permanent secretary, auditors, J. J. Murphy and Frank Yeigh, both of Toronto.

The report of the resolutions committee, which was adopted, recommended that Empire Day be endorsed, and its origin determined. It was also recommended that the society favor the erection of a Teumesseh memorial in the Thames Valley; a protest at delay in the restoration of Fort York, Toronto; that a fellowship be established by the society for valued service in research work; that \$200 be offered this year in prizes to Ontario school teachers for original historical essays.

The delegates spent the day at the Indian reserve, where they were entertained by Indian chiefs at the camp. President Williams of the society being created a chief of the Six Nations. Supt. Gordon J. Smith of the Six Nations gave a paper on Joseph Brant's status as chief, claiming that Brant was not a chief of royal line, but was recognized as chief owing to his outstanding ability as a warrior.

Brant's status as chief, claiming that Brant was not a chief of royal line, but was recognized as chief owing to his outstanding ability as a warrior. The closing public meeting to-night W. S. Brewster, M.L.A. presided, and a number of historical papers were given.

BAND AT HANLAN'S.

The band of the Royal Grenadiers, under the direction of Mr. John Waldron, will render the following program at Hanlan's Point this afternoon and evening.

In the afternoon the program will be composed of March Coronation; Reminiscences of England; Intermzzo Silver Bell; Fantasia; Eusebio; "The Beauty of the Green," opera selection. "The Three Twins," arranged by J. Waldron; Descriptive; "Sunshine in Alabama," with vocal choruses; Popular Hits of 1911, arranged by J. Waldron; Indian Tattoo; "Oskaloa"; opera selection, "Naughty Marietta"; opera selection, "The Chocolate Soldier"; national piece, "The British Empire"; opera selection, "The Dollar Princess"; and Intermzzo, "The Sugar Moon," arranged by J. Waldron.

The evening program will be composed of march, "British Unity"; overture, "Dams Les Manges"; descriptive, "The Alabama Minstrel"; opera selection, "The Chocolate Soldier"; opera selection, "Madame Sherry"; Second Popular Medley, by J. Waldron; march, "America up to Date"; opera selection, "Carmina"; descriptive, "Moonlight in Dixie"; with vocal chorus descriptive, "The Dream of the Rarebit Fiend"; British patriotic tunes.

THREE NAMES SENT TO ROME.

KINGSTON, June 2.—(Special.)—It is understood that the names selected for the archbishopric of Kingston, have been forwarded to Rome. It is an absolute secret as to the names selected, the bishops of the two ecclesiastical provinces declining even to talk about the suggested candidates. It is not likely that an announcement of the bishopric selection will be made until late August or early September.

Bamboo in Engineering.

In Java the government engineers have recently constructed a road bridge more than a hundred feet long, with a central span of over sixty feet, entirely of bamboo. The roadway is composed of bamboo matting, which will be covered with a layer of dry earth.

In profile the bridge resembles a steel structure, but all the members are bamboo rods. It is estimated that such a bridge should be good for 10 or 15 years. There are two kinds of bamboo used in building such cabinet-making in the east, one having solid and the other hollow stems. The solid, seen in Japanese furniture, is much smaller than the former, but both belong to the same species.

The construction of bamboo houses no nails are used. The parts are bound together with lashings formed from the skin of the bamboo itself.—Youth's Companion.

Presented Silver Trophy.

KINGSTON, June 2.—(Special.)—John G. Reed of Montreal, one time past-grand-patriarch of the grand encampment of Ontario, has sent to Robert Meek of this city, present grand-patriarch, a fine silver trophy, mounted on a mahogany base, to be presented next August at the meeting of the grand encampment at Niagara Falls to the subordinate encampment, which shows the greatest increase of membership during the past year.

King's Birthday Today.

The steamers Modjeska and Macassa will make extra trips to-day to provide for the King's Birthday traffic. The sailings from Toronto will be at 7:45 and 11 a.m.; 3 and 5:30 p.m., leaving Hamilton at 10:45 a.m., 2:15 and 9 p.m. A 50-cent return fare is in force, tickets being good all day. On Monday, June 5, the Macassa and Modjeska will leave Toronto at 9 a.m., 2 and 5:30 p.m., leaving Hamilton at 10 a.m., 2:15 and 5:30 p.m.

Buried With Military Honors.

KINGSTON, June 2.—(Special.)—Late Gunner Emile Lamoureux of the Royal Canadian Horse artillery was buried with full military honors to-day. The body was conveyed from the station hospital on a gun-carriage escorted by men from both batteries in command of Maj. J. S. N. Leslie.

The 14th Regt., P.W.O.R., may spend Dominion Day at Niagara Falls, Ont.

Must Obey Law.

KINGSTON, June 2.—(Special.)—The police are prosecuting citizens who have failed to put in sanitary improvements in their houses, as ordered by the board of health. Two citizens were fined to-day, and other cases are pending.

COLONEL MUNRO HELD NOT LIABLE

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sheets, namely, with reference to the amounts mentioned in items (13) railway and other bonds, debentures and stocks held by the bank; (12) the calls and short loans on stocks and bonds in Canada; and (14) the current losses of the said bank in Canada, and did thereby commit an indictable offense contrary to the form of the statute in such case made and provided.

In the certificate attached to the monthly statement filed by the finance department, signed by the president and general manager of the bank, it is stated: "That to the best of our knowledge and belief it is correct."

Travers Admitted Deception.

It is pointed out that Travers admitted that he was not the owner of the months from January to November, inclusive, of the year 1908, "the items numbered 11, 12 and 14 in each of the returns for those months were false and deceptive; that they were prepared by Mr. Fitzgibbon, the chief accountant, under his instructions; that the president had no hand in making them up and did not assist in compiling them in any form or manner, but merely signed them."

"Mr. Munro," his honor goes on, "asked for information with reference to the items mentioned in the return on occasions, his custom being to look over the return and question the general manager with reference to the investments in the Keeley Mine, which the general manager informed him that the investments were amply secured, and that same were good, safe and proper. At no time did the general manager give the president any information which would lead him to suspect that there was anything deceptive or false, with reference to the return, that he always received the president that the investments were good; that no particular figures with reference to the Keeley Mine were discussed, and that the general manager informing the president that all they had in it was well secured."

Worried Over Rumors.

Two letters are here introduced in which reference is made to Dr. Beattie Nesbitt's letter.

"Mr. Travers stated that in December, 1908, he had received a letter from Mr. Munro, dated at Embro on the 18th of December, 1908, and that he had received letters from the president, one being from an M.P., in which certain statements had been made with reference to certain rumors about the bank. In this letter Mr. Munro stated: "I am not an alarmist, but I feel we cannot afford to ignore these rumors brought to our notice. They were not without foundation, and I cannot point it out. . . . I think it would be well to have Dr. W. B. N. pay his indebtedness to the bank, as so many people tend to know of it, and claim he is worth it."

In answer to this letter Travers wrote the president on the 17th of December, 1908, and that he mentioned to the board at the last meeting. "I have your letter of the 15th, and am not surprised at your friend's consciousness, because we have had such said and done in various quarters. . . . The rumors that you mentioned to the board at the last meeting, I suppose have become general among some of the members and your friends, and I was surprised on a kind act. If he were president of the bank, he would smash the institution about once or twice a week, for you as an old banker will understand that it is not a light thing to do. . . . I am not a person to be frightened by rumors, but I think it is your right to demand of him his authority for making the attack upon me personally and just what was told him that caused him to do this. . . . I have kindly offered blood out of a stone, and until Dr. Beattie Nesbitt gets his affairs in shape that we can collect any money from him, there is no use of trying to punish him."

Fit Munro in Dark.

"Mr. Fitzgibbon, formerly chief accountant of the Farmers' Bank, was examined by counsel for the defence. He stated that he had made up the statement on Dec. 19, 1908, previous to the date of the bank, that he had been chief accountant in the Merchants' Bank, Montreal, for many years previous to his appointment as accountant in the Farmers' Bank; that Mr. Munro relied on him and on Travers, trusting him implicitly; that he would handle up the statements to the general manager and submit them to Travers, and after changes were made they were signed and sent to Ottawa; that he never communicated his knowledge of the facts to Munro; that he used one blank form signed in blank by Mr. Munro in August, 1910.

"Mr. Curzon Clark stated that it was only after a considerable amount of research and spending a long time at the accounts that he could ascertain whether the items complained of were false or not.

Placed Implicit Trust.

"Mr. Munro, in his own defence, stated that he had been president of the bank from January, 1908, to its suspension on Dec. 19, 1908. Previous to that he had a private banking business at Embro, which he turned over to the Farmers' Bank; and that the indebtedness of that bank to the Farmers' Bank had been settled by him subsequent to the failure of the Farmers' Bank; that he had \$100,000 worth of shares in the Farmers' Bank himself; that he had a statement given by him to the general manager, and signed by Fitzgibbon and Travers, and relied entirely on their statements, and gave his own signature; that he did not believe in case of emergency, but could not remember of its being used; that he was not a prudent accountant, although he knew something about books; that upon the receipt of the letter from Mr. Stair he called upon him and received his information. He told Mr. Stair that he had no money, and that he was going into the Keeley Mine, and that he did not think it could go in, as no authority had been given by the board; that the bank was interested in a large block of stock (\$350,000), as security for Dr. Beattie Nesbitt's debt, and that that was the only way

in which he knew they were interested in the Keeley Mine; No ill-gotten gains.

The evidence adduced convinces the judge that the current losses of the bank were discovered by both Travers and Fitzgibbon and intentionally so; that he placed the fullest confidence in their trustworthiness and failed to inquire into their statements as being honest and true; that he received the sum of \$5 and traveling expenses a month for coming down from Embro twice each month, once for attending the meeting of directors and one for signing these monthly returns; that he received no other benefit from his connection with the bank in any shape, manner or form; that while having experience as a private banker he was not an expert accountant, and was not in a position to go into the accounts of the bank. While Mr. Travers on the witness stand said that he could have given Mr. Munro in a short space of time the particulars of all these accounts as set forth in the monthly statements and show to him in what respects they were false, yet I am firmly convinced that he never did so, and that he was not a statement from Mr. Travers or Mr. Fitzgibbon at that time he would not have received them. They were deceptive; that they were intended to deceive him all along. The fact that Mr. Fitzgibbon stated that it was not his position to quarrel with the manager is not a sufficient excuse, as he was willing to go in order to support the wrong-doing of the general manager.

"In this present case, Mr. Munro asked for particulars of the items, which could have been given, as Mr. Travers candidly puts it, he would have done so, and with a view to transferring to the bank, and he would have been shown accounts making up the items which are now shown to be false, and as a result would be no wiser.

Scope of President's Duty.

Answering the crown's contention that the president, by signing a false return, was guilty of a crime, the judge quotes authorities to show that the courts have not adopted that contention of the state, and that the court of appeal for Quebec states: "It is not a duty cast on the president of a bank to watch the conduct of its affairs and to see that the employees who are put in a position of trust for the express purpose of attending to details of management. He is, therefore, not liable for negligence from acts of gross mismanagement on their part of which he has no knowledge, and his signature of returns or statements is not sufficient evidence of the Bank Act, prepared and submitted by them when he has no reason to suspect that they are inaccurate or untrue, and that they are not approved or approved of by him."

AN EXPENSIVE MISPRINT.

Let authors, composers and proof readers beware. A. Tourneux, cabinet-maker, on Dec. 15 last, returned to his home at 150 St. James street, Montreal, and found a letter from a woman, who was a widow of a man named Tourneux. "I am drunk. Go to the chemist and get something to sober me. The good will look up her husband's name. I have ordered this mixture. Order, 100 grammes; peppermint tincture, 15 grammes; ammonia, 15 grammes. M. Tourneux drank this mixture and died. His widow brought an action against the author of her family medicine book. The latter was sentenced to six months imprisonment. The first edition prescribed 15 drops of ammonia for a drink cure. In the reprinting, by an oversight, 'grammes' had been printed for 'drops.' The cabinet-maker's widow won her case. The author of the family medicine book was convicted of 'not having read the proofs of the book, and of not having had any care and attention to the printing of the book, and sentenced to three months' imprisonment with the benefit of the first offenders' Act and a fine of \$4. The judge had been sentenced to one month, with the same benefit, and the same fine, for having supplied a medicine without a doctor's prescription. Finally, both were jointly ordered to pay the widow \$10 damages down, an income of \$12 during life and \$12 a year to each of her children till they came of age. This has probably proved the most expensive misprint on record.—Paris Letter to London Telegraph.

Nan Moulton begins a series of articles on Mormonism in Canada in this week's issue of The Canadian Courier. She gives some startling information.

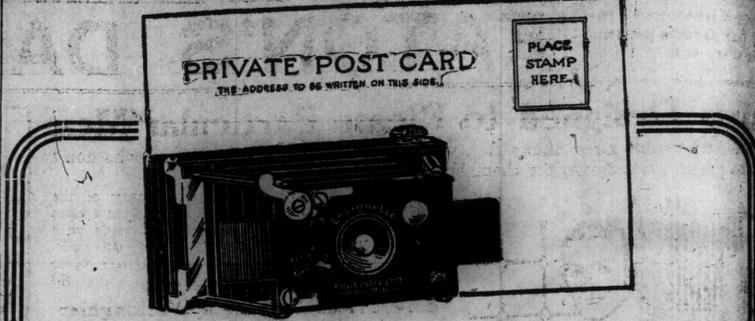
the Macgregors.

The head of the Rostreucian order was right when he stated in the witness box that the Macgregors were forbidden to use their family name in 1808. The proscription was removed by Charles Macgregor in other words, in the region of William and Mary. It was not till 1822 that a royal license to use the name was granted by Sir Charles Macgregor to them to know as "Murray." In the early years of the seventeenth century every man's head was raised against this deplorable race and they could be mutilated and slain with impunity. And misfortune pursued them in later times. Ten years ago the head of the clan, William Gordon Macgregor, was driven by poverty into the West Ham workhouse.—The London Chronicle.

Courage.

Peck—I tell you it takes a lot of courage to propose.

Beck—Yes, so much that many of your husbands never have any afterward.—Boston Transcript.



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HORSE PARADE ENTRIES List Closes June 19, But Many Are Already In.

Entries for the Open Air Horse Parade and Show to be held in Queen's Park on the morning of Dominion Day are already coming in freely. The lists do not close until Monday, the 19th, but the work of preparing the program and assorting the classes is greatly facilitated by early receipt. This year special efforts are being made to improve the appearance of the parade, and there is a prospect that there will be found in the order of procession a good deal more music than formerly. In addition it is hoped that the drivers will provide themselves with flags, this being coronation year. Nearly five thousand prize lists have been distributed, and the secretary is receiving applications daily at his address, 215 St. James Chambers.

A German Circular.

An enterprising hotel company in a German town has mailed to prospective guests in this country an illustrated circular, stating among other things: "By the fresh air and the swarms already in earliest season our lively region with visitors from near and distant. The hotel which in other years the praise of guests in large numbers received has in the same management remained and with the needs and wants of tourists being well understood, can offer to guests the most satisfactory entertainment. Handsome furnished rooms, sufficient bath, very good table and best polite service. English spoken."

Another Maxim Vindicated.

The young rat, straying carelessly near the mouth of an old well, heard a voice saying: "There's something good to eat down here. Jump in."

"Who are you?" timidly squeaked the young rat.

"An old Truth," answered the voice.

So the young rat jumped in and was drowned.

Corollary: Truth, with a reputation for lying at the bottom of a well, sometimes makes good.—Chicago Tribune.

Advertisement for Pease Furnace, featuring the text 'PEASE FURNACE QUALITY IS ECONOMY.' and 'Which is the sole reason for the unparalleled success of "PEASE" Furnaces and Boilers. All the materials are carefully and accurately tested before being used—also finished products, the same care and accurateness obtains. The result is that the "PEASE" Furnaces and Boilers have earned a reputation for wear, durability and economy, which is unequalled.'

Advertisement for Hotel Royal, featuring the text 'HOTEL ROYAL Every room completely renovated and newly carpeted during 1911. \$2.00 and Up per day. American Plan.' and 'Grateful. "How does Sillers feel about that chauffeur who ran off with his car and his daughter?" asked Wilkes. "He's mighty grateful," said Sillers. "He says the poor fellow relieved him of two of his most expensive possessions."—Harper's Weekly.'

Mark E. Mail for Page City

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