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BRITAIN AND HOLLAND WITHDRAW FROM SERVIA.

King Peter to be Asked to Grant Amnesty to Assassins.

The First Bill to be Presented to the New King——How Will the Powers Regard it?——Bridge Disaster Near Tiroli Causes Five Deaths——Twenty are Injured——The Moat House Murder Case Going on and Drawing Great Crowds——Women Specially Eager to Get in to Hear the Case.

Belgrade, June 23.—The British Minister to Servia left here this morning for London.

It is understood that the first bill to be submitted to King Peter will be one prepared by the Minister of Justice, granting amnesty for all political offences.

Holland Too.

The Hague, June 23.—The Minister of the Netherlands, at Belgrade, has been instructed to leave that city before the arrival of King Peter at the Servian capital.

Holland to be Represented.

The Hague, June 23.—During the debate on the naval estimates in the second chamber of the States General to-day the Minister of Marine explained that the Government considered it necessary to station a warship in the West Indies, as the projected Isthmian Canal would increase the political importance of Dutch Guiana and the island of Curacoa.

A Bridge Disaster.

Rome, June 23.—The scaffolding of a bridge in course of construction at Palestrina (ten miles from Tivoli) gave way to-day, with the result that five men were killed and twenty were injured.

Moat House Murder Trial.

London, June 23.—The trial of Samuel Herbert Dougal, on the charge of murdering Miss Camille Holland, a wealthy woman with whom he lived at the Moat House, Saffron-Walden, Essex, which began at Chelmsford yesterday, was continued to-day. The immovable stoicism of the prisoner since his arrest continues to be one of the most interesting features of the proceedings. The prosecution closed its case this morning, and Dougal, to the end, listened apparently unmoved to the accumulation of circumstantial evidence. The court was again crowded, women being especially anxious to obtain an entrance. The evidence presented was simply a reiteration of the testimony at the inquest.

MOB'S AWFUL VENGEANCE; NEGRO BURNED AT THE STAKE.

His Crime Was a Shocking One and So Was its Expiation.

Sunday's Excitement.

Wilmington, Del., June 21.—Two armed mobs, numbering in all about 150 men, marched before sunrise this morning upon the New Castle County Workhouse, where George White, a negro suspected of assaulting and murdering Helen G. Bishop, is confined, and, discharging rifles and shotguns, demanded that White be give up to them.

A telephone call to this city sent a squad of police to the Workhouse and the mobs were dispersed without trouble. They left, vowing they would have White if they had to wreck the building with dynamite to get him. Fearing another outbreak, the authorities have equipped the Workhouse guards with revolvers and riot guns sufficient to resist the attack of a thousand men.

Further evidence of the state of public feeling over the affair was afforded to-night, when the Rev. Robert A. Elwood, pastor of Olivet Presbyterian Church, displayed to a large open meeting a cluster of leaves stained with the blood of Helen Bishop, and in a sermon entitled "Should the Murderer of Miss Bishop Be Lynched?" roundly denounced the judges for refusing to hold a special session of court for the trial of White.

The Rev. E. A. Bishop, father of the girl, to-night issued a letter asking the citizens to allow the law to take its course in White's case.

Jury Says Guilty.

Wilmington, Del., June 22.—The coroner's jury this afternoon found a verdict that George White, the negro who was arrested for assaulting and causing the death of Helen G. Bishop, was guilty of the crime. This evening many men started in electric cars for the workhouse where White was confined and then a posse of twenty police officers was hurried to the scene.

At 9 o'clock it was reported that 2,000 men, many having pistols, were in the vicinity of the workhouse. At 10 o'clock there was intense excitement at the workhouse and the outer door of the building was broken in. Men set at work to chisel down the iron doors. Pistol shots broke the electric lamps and many shots were fired at the building. The guards inside were firing back at the mob and two men in the crowd were injured and brought to the hospital in this city. Telephone connection with the workhouse was cut.

At 11 o'clock it was reported that the mob had taken possession of the warden's quarters in the workhouse and that the thirty police sent from this city were in the cell wing of the building. The sheriff was called upon and started to form an additional posse to go to the scene.

At 11.30 o'clock it was reported that the mob had only one door yet to force in in order to reach the cell corridor where White was held. Dynamite was placed around the building, in which there are about 200 prisoners. Excitement in this city was intense.

An extra force of policemen was sent to the workhouse about 10.30, and every electric car running to the scene was crowded with men hurrying to the spot. It is said that the leader of the party that made the assault against the doors is a Virginian. Railroad ties were used as battering rams. About 300 men were in the building, and there were in a position where they could have been shot down by the guards, who were loth to open fire. Four men were wounded early in the fighting.

At 12.15 o'clock word reached this city that the mob had captured White and had started with him to the scene of his crime, one mile distant, where it was the purpose to hang him. A crowd that gathered in front of the city hall cheered and cheered when the intelligence came.

Burned at the Stake.

Wilmington, Del., June 22.—The negro was taken to the scene of the crime. He there confessed to having assaulted the girl. He was then burned at the stake and his body riddled with bullets.

All Quiet Now.

Wilmington, Del., June 23.—All is quiet in this community to-day following the lynching of Geo. White, Helen Bishop's confessed slayer, at an early hour to-day. Of the mob of nearly 5,000 that overpowered the authorities, stormed the New-castle County workhouse, and dragged from the cell the trembling wretch and burned him at the stake, the identity of only one is publicly known. That person is little Peter Smith, 12 years old, who fell when the workhouse guards fired a volley into the ranks of the attackers. The lad was struck by a bullet which entered his back. At the homeopathic hospital, where the injured boy was taken, the physicians stated to-day that he is in a serious condition. After the mob had completed its awful work of vengeance the body of the negro was left chained to the stake with the fire burning all around it and the members of the lynching party went home. A rain which began falling later, extinguished the fire, and at daylight the charred body still hung limp in plain sight of passers-by. Public sentiment here, so far as expressed, appears to approve the lynching of White.

U. S. FLEET AT KIEL.

Officers Exchange Courtesies With Prince Henry of Prussia.

Kiel, June 23.—The United States European squadron, Rear Admiral Cotton in command, reached its anchorage opposite the Kiel Yacht Club House at noon to-day. The fleet commanded by Admiral Prince Henry of Prussia, consisting of eight battleships and six cruisers, saluted the American vessels and the band of the German flagship played "America." All the German ships were dressed in the visitors' honor and flying the Stars and Stripes. The commanders of the American ships called on Prince Henry, who immediately returned their calls. Most of the afternoon was spent in exchanging calls among the officers. The Stars and Stripes were also raised over the Yacht Club and on the hotels in the vicinity.

CHINESE KILL PRIESTS.

Church Was Destroyed and Missionaries Fled for Safety.

Victoria, B. C., June 22.—The steamer Athenian, which reached port yesterday from the Orient, brought news that the insurrection in Yunnan is causing grave alarm.

A Pekin despatch says the Yunnan insurgents now number more than 50,000. They are well trained and armed with weapons of improved pattern. So far the Government forces have fared badly in encounters with the rebels. From refugees who came from Chippin it is learned that a church belonging to French missionaries fled to Yunnan for safety. Some of the priests were captured and murdered by the rebels.

Ludwig Levol, a former member of the Hungarian Diet, has been appointed Emigration Commissioner for Hungary.

SUIT FOR DAMAGES.

Fred. Grainger Wants $3,000 From Street Railway Co.

Acting for Mr. Fred. Grainger, baggageman for the Waldorf Hotel, Harrison & Lewis to-day issued a writ for $3,000 damages for injuries against the Hamilton Street Railway Co.

Last November, while driving down James street, Grainger's rig struck the switch at the intersection of Barton street. The switch, it is claimed, was above the level of the roadway, and caused the wagon to swerve and Grainger fell, breaking his hip. He was laid up for two or three months.

TWO DISMISSED.

Judgment Was Reserved in the Matter of Demurrage.

At Osgoode Hall yesterday, in the case of Warren et al. vs. McKay & Sons, argument was heard. The suit was for $1,500 for demurrage, $400 for shortage of cargo and the defendants put in a counter claim for $1,000 for delivery of wrong coal. Mr. Justice Boyd dismissed the suit for shortage of cargo and also the counter claim, but reserved judgment in the matter of demurrage.

Washington and Lewis appeared for the plaintiffs and Nesbitt & Gauld were for the McKays.

NORTH ENDERS MEET

And Approve of the Bridge Plans of the G. T. R.

At a meeting held at W. Durance's store, corner of Ferguson avenue and Ferrie, on the evening of June 22nd, the following resolution was moved, seconded and unanimously carried, that there should be a bridge built according to plans and specifications submitted by the G. T. R.; work to be started immediately; Ferrie street in the meantime should be graded and macadamized from Mary street to the westerly approach to the above bridge.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. Charles Duncan left last evening for his home in Winnipeg.

Rev. Geo. F. Salton and family left this afternoon for their new home in Ottawa. A number of Centenary Church people saw them off.

W. M. McClemont and Peter Bertram, of Camp Hamilton, Sons of Scotland, here, are attending the Grand Lodge of the Order being held at Brantford to-day and to-morrow.

Rev. Robert N. Burns, of Oshawa, formerly pastor of Simcoe Street Church, is in the city visiting relatives. His sister, Miss Susie C. Burns, goes to Chicago next week to visit another brother.

Mr. John Stepler, of Sarnia, arrived in the city last evening en route to Winnipeg. He leaves to-night for the west. During his brief stay in the city he is the guest of his nephew, Mr. T. H. Keller, No. 336 Main street west.

The following passengers were ticketed to-day for Montreal, per steamer Spartan, by E. Browne & Son: Mrs. Ronaldson, Mrs. P. Padden, Mrs. W. Potter, Misses I. Burns, M. Padden, M. Potter, J. Badeau, Messrs. C. S. Holman, M. Hawkins, W. Potter, A. G. Badeau, G. S. Brewster, H. Cowrie, T. Edwards.

LAST MINUTE TICKS.

John Mason, a well-known man, has been arrested by the Greenwich, Conn., police, on a charge alleging kidnapping the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Young.

Charles Taylor, a merchant of Roanoke, Ala., was shot and instantly killed last night on a crowded business street by Byron Trammell, a Deputy United States marshal.

Proprietor Kubelik, of the Belfast Hotel, Buford, N. D., has been shot and killed, supposedly by convict Pierce, who escaped from the Glasgow jail with William Hardee.

Notice of appeal from the death sentence was filed to-day in the Court of Appeals of New York State in the case of Mrs. Kate Taylor, who murdered her husband last winter.

According to information obtained by the World, Senor Luis F. Corea, Nicaraguan Minister to the United States, will not return to his post, and the Nicaraguan Government will continue without a diplomatic representative at Washington, because of the failure of the Nicaragua Canal project.

Splendid Fish Arriving.

This morning we received a shipment of blue fish, flounders, Lake Ontario herrings, smoked white fish, smoked trout, smoked salmon. We also have Quebec salmon, white fish, salmon trout, mackerel, etc. We are sure that if you are a user of fish and tried ours and saw the nice way we have of keeping them that you would be a customer won for us.—Hazell & Son, King and MacNab, Main and Wentworth.

After a Grant for an Exhibit.

Ottawa, June 23.—(Special)—A delegation representing the Dominion Live Stock Association is in the city to-day, and had an interview with Mr. Fisher, Minister of Agriculture, with a view to obtaining a grant from the Government to make an exhibit of live stock at the St. Louis exhibition. Mr. Henry Wade, of Toronto, was with the delegation. Mr. Fisher promised to lay the matter before his colleagues.

Nearly 4,000 lbs. or Two Tons of Shell Brand Castile, Best Quality,

Received direct from Marseilles, by Parke & Parke, druggists. The price is 20 cents a bar; 3 cakes pure olive oil sold for 10 cents; Pears' unscented soap, 10 cents a cake; Packer's tar 20 cents; Cuticura, 25 cents. Parke & Parke, druggists.

—Rev. T. Albert Moore preached the baccalaureate sermon to the students and faculty of Albert College, Belleville, on Sunday. The Belleville papers of yesterday gave good reports of the sermon and comment very favorably upon it.

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PROPELLER RUNS DOWN TUG.

Three Members of the Tug's Crew Go Down to Death.

Buffalo, N. Y., June 23.—The Great Lakes tug O. W. Cheney was run down by the propeller Chemung early to-day about seven miles up the lake.

Three members of the tug's crew were drowned, as follows: Captain John Whelan, of Buffalo; Andy Shafer, steward, and Eddie Dugan, fireman.

The engineer, James T. Byers, and the other fireman was saved. The tug Frank S. Butler, of the Independent line, picked them up and brought them to the city.

The Cheney had gone up the lake to meet the Chemung and tow her into port. As the tug neared the propeller and drew close to take the line, the tug ran under the bow of the Chemung, and the propeller's bow hit the tug amidships and rolled it over. It sank.

YOUNG BOY SHOOTS HIS SISTER.

Grief-Stricken the Little Fellow Tries to Cut His Throat.

St. Louis, June 23.—Stung by grief and remorse, Johnnie Kinzer, six years old, of No. 2,810 North Broadway, tried to cut his throat with a butcher-knife after shooting and killing his 12-year-old sister, Gladys, yesterday. The child was endeavoring desperately to sever his jugular vein when his parents rushed into the kitchen and took the weapon from him before he did himself serious injury. The lad was so frenzied that opiates were administered to calm him.

The two Kinzer children and the child of a neighbor were playing when Johnnie found a rifle of small calibre. He handled it carelessly and pointed it playfully at his sister. Gladys commanded him to lower it, but he refused, and she started toward him. The child pulled the trigger, the charge exploded, and the ball penetrated the girl's left breast near the heart. She sank to the floor and died twenty minutes later.

The boy became almost crazy, he fell on his knees beside her, clasped her in his arms, and cried again and again, "Gladys, did I shoot you; did I shoot you?"

Mr. and Mrs. Kinzer hastened to the room, and while they were waiting upon their daughter, Johnnie slipped out to the kitchen and tried to cut his throat. Mrs. Kinzer and the child's aged grandfather are prostrated.

KILLED BY FLASHLIGHT POWDER.

Convict Deliberately Drops From a Balcony to His Death.

Chicago, June 23.—The explosion of ninety pounds of flashlight powder in the basement of a residence at Berwin, caused the death of Mrs. Mary Willson, wrecked the house, and created a panic among the children of the Irving School on adjoining property.

The powder had become caked from dampness and Mrs. Willson was rubbing it vigorously between her hands to reduce it when it exploded. She was preparing it for a supply house.

A Convict's Suicide.

New York, June 23.—Officials of the West Side Court Prison believe that Anthony Williams, a painter, who was serving a sentence and who was killed by falling from a balcony in the prison corridor to-day, committed suicide. He had been acting queerly, and was seen hanging from the railing of the top tier of cells. Before he could be reached he dropped to the floor. His skull was fractured, and he died in a hospital.

AFTERMATH OF THE FLOOD; 177 BODIES RECOVERED.

Tillman, South Carolina's Lieut.-Governor Murderer, on Trial.

Heppner, Ore., June 23.—The clearing away of the debris caused by the flood is progressing rapidly. The sanitary conditions of the town at present are far better than had been hoped for, but every precaution is being taken to guard against an epidemic. Dr. Smith, who represents the State Board of Health, ordered alkali from the hills to be spread upon the streets. Four bodies were recovered yesterday.

One hundred and seventy-seven bodies have been recovered and thirty-five persons are missing.

Tillman Seeks Change of Venue.

Columbia, S. C., June 23.—Application for a change of venue for Jas. H. Tillman, former Lieut.-Governor of this State, charged with the murder of N. G. Gonzales, editor of the State, in this city last January, was begun here yesterday.

Making their motion, the defence alleged that it will be impossible for a fair and impartial trial to be obtained here. The defendant showed no ill effects of his confinement. United States Senator Tillman was in court.

HOWIE TO HANG.

British Columbia Court Dismisses His Appeal.

Kamloops, B. C., June 23.—The full court at Victoria has dismissed the appeal for a new trial in the case of Alex. Howie, who shot his wife at Vernon in April last, and who was condemned to death at the Vernon Assizes. Howie, therefore, will be hanged here on Friday night.

—Chris. Filgiano, No. 85 Wellington street north, and Stuart Nash, No. 69 Wellington street north, have been summoned for playing ball on the street.

CHARGES OF FRAUD

Made in Connection With Payments of Windsor Firemen.

Windsor, Ont., June 23.—Ald. Trumble, at the meeting of the Windsor City Council last evening, charged that a number of the members of the Windsor fire department receiving $100 a year for attending fires were credited with being present when they were employed elsewhere, and that in other instances firemen employed substitutes to attend fires, paying them $40 a year, and keeping the remainder of the $100 themselves. The matter was referred to the Fire Committee for investigation.

THE MAN IN OVERALLS

Keep the streets clean.

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Use a little paint to brighten up your premises.

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Do your share to make the Carnival a success.

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Good-bye, Mr. Salton. Welcome, Mr. Rose.

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I am afraid the Senate does not know exactly where it is at in this strike business.

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Gamey is making a desperate effort to get out of the hole he tumbled into.

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I must go down and see the burning of that A. M. E. mortgage. Perhaps the Chief will go down with me.

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Ald. Kerr, keep your eye on the north end. It is hard to say what those two chairmen are up to.

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A spring overcoat comes very handy these evenings.

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Gamey talked a lot of tommy rot yesterday.

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They made short work of those King Edward School trees.

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I have an idea that King Peter is not to live very long. It will be sudden, too.

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Teamsters want $4 a day. Well, they've got the pull.

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Brantford seems to be having all the fun. The last holiday they had the 12th. On the Twelfth they are to have the Orangemen.

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That's right, ladies. Take time. The Queen's statue must be the best. Either that or none at all.

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I would just like to say that if there are any Canadians in Buffalo who are ashamed of Canada, they cannot be more ashamed of it than I am of them.

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Thanks, Mr. Brick, I have always been a little leery of my wood.

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"The Captain's communication reached me yesterday too late to be of any use.

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If I were Manager of the Street Railway Company I would do my level best to obtain and retain the good will of the travelling public.

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Don't fret about the weather. It is in good hands. We would make a pretty mess of it if we had the running of it.

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Notwithstanding, Kingston is in many ways a nice place.

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Were Gamey really to tell the truth Dr. Beattie Nesbitt would be kept busy explaining things.

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I used to think Mr. Chamberlain was a statesman. But I see he is only a politician.

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"If a man is in trouble or in a hole of any kind, it does not matter what side he is on, Jamie Stratton will help him out of it if he can. His hand is always in his pocket to assist," said a Peterboro' man to me last week.

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I am beginning to feel sorry for my Beach friends. It must have been rather dreary over there last evening.

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That is a pretty and commendable custom the Dundas ladies have of entertaining the 77th on its return from camp. No doubt the boys appreciate it.

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It would have been better had Gamey taken his medicine and made less noise about it.

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We cant be too thankful to the Industrial Section for what it has done, and is doing to boom this good town.

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Did it ever occur to you what became of Oscar Rogers, the cheap telephone man?

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You never hear anybody talking of hard times do you? Laurier is certainly running things up to date.

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This chase after Glory Whalen's murderers has degenerated into a sort of pigs in clover farce.

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If Col. Stoddart is alive, what was that they buried?

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The Government has decided that silent contempt is the best way to treat Gamey's impudent harrangue, and perhaps it is right.

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If Frank Sullivan is such a scallawag, why did Gamey stoop to borrow money from him?

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The report that some of the county constables are buying Grafton clothes exclusively cannot be verified.

A Hint to the Knowing.

Lost a cat,
A word a cent,
With rapid pace
Came S. H. Kent
To insert an ad.
In Monday's Times
Tuesday he's glad
What the want ad. finds.

HERE'S THE STORY.

The genial Assistant City Clerk, Mr. S. H. Kent, was recently presented with a handsome cigar case. To make a long story short, he lost it. Like the sensible man that he is he advertised the loss in the Times' want column, which is carefully read by every householder. The finder, the Rev. Frank A. Robinson, Grant avenue, returned the case to the Times. On receipt of his keepsake, Mr. Kent complimented the Times upon the result of its usual success in restoring lost articles to their owners through the medium of the want ads.

Handy for a Smoker.

A cigar case is the correct thing to carry cigars in your pocket. It prevents the cigars from being broken, and they are always ready. Fine pocket cigar cases are sold at peace's cigar store, 107 king street east.

STAND BY PRINCIPLE OF MUNICIPAL CONTROL.

Strong Stand Taken Against Toronto & Hamilton Ry. Again.

Year Not Yet Half Over, but the Mayor is Afraid of Overdrafts Already——Plans for Bay Front Improvement——Several Hundred Fine Young Trees Offered for the North End Park——Sub Committee Decides Against Increase to Cement Workers——Other Civic Affairs.

At the conference in Toronto yesterday over the Toronto and Hamilton Railway bill the municipal representatives, between 15 and 20 in number, took a positive stand against the company's application to have the railway declared to be for the general good of Canada, thereby taking it entirely out of the control of the Ontario Legislature, and the interested municipalities. They made it their first business to press for the striking out of this clause. In case the Railway Committee at Ottawa allows the clause to stand the municipal representatives will press for amendments that will have the effect of overcoming the dangers which they fear. They will ask to have the word "amalgamation" struck out and "acquisition" substituted in the clause giving power to amalgamate with the Hamilton Street Railway, Radial Railway, H., G. & B. and other electric roads. The object of this is that they fear that if these local roads became amalgamated with the new company the powers of the new company under its charter would prevail, relieving it of the obligations these companies are now under, and which they would still be under in case the roads were "acquired" by the T. & H. They also ask the adoption of the following clause:

"The acquisition by the Company of any of the lines of railway mentioned in Section 9 of this Act shall not make such railway or any extensions thereof subject to the Railway Act of Canada, but each of such lines of railway and any extensions thereof shall be and remain subject to the legislation and control of the Province of Ontario and to the rights and powers of local municipalities in the same manner and to the same extent as if this Act had not been passed."

They also decided to ask for the insertion of the following clause:

Notwithstanding the provisions contained in this act or in the Railway Act, the Toronto and Hamilton Railway Company shall not have the right to construct or operate any part of its lines on or along any public highway, street or public place except with the consent by by-law of the municipality in which such public highway, street or public place is situate, and upon and subject to such terms and conditions as may be imposed by any such by-law.

Mayor Morden is looking carefully into the finances of the various civic departments, and is not very well pleased with the outlook for keeping within the appropriations. Both the Board of Works and the Sewers Committee have been hit pretty hard in the matter of damages and costs that have fallen to them from former years. To keep within their estimates both will have to cut things very fine, especially the Sewers Committee, which has damages to pay in a couple of other cases. The work to be done under the good roads by-law will make the Board of Works task a little easier. Present indications are that the Waterworks Department will have an overdraft and the fire department certainly will.

It is pretty near a settled thing that the Board of Works will decide against the increase of wages from 18 to 20 cents an hour asked for by the cement makers when the matter comes before the Board of Works to-night. The sub-committee will report against the application. The teamsters' application for an increase has not been dealt with by a sub-committee, but, it is said, will also be refused.

Bay front improvement is beginning to attract attention outside of official circles, and an opportunity is now offered the Parks Board to do something towards making that part of it which comes under the Board's control a park in reality. Ald. J. M. Eastwood has written to Chairman J. H. Tilden informing him that, through the kindness of Mr. W. A. Holton, he is able to offer the Board several hundred choice ornamental trees, suitable for park purposes. These trees may be set out in the coming fall, if the Board approves of the proposition, and will certainly do much towards improving that part of the city.

City Engineer Barrow has had a plan of the water front made, showing the soundings to sixteen feet of water. That depth is obtained before the head of Myles' wharf is reached, and the Engineer thinks the city should be able to get patents to the water lots to that depth, which would, by sheet piling from the wharf property to Wellington street, and then to the shore, give a fine deep front for the future shipping needs of the city, as well as a large territory to reclaim for park, building site or other purposes.

The Park Board will meet at the Radial Railway station on Wednesday at 3 o'clock to go to the Beach to meet the Harbor Committee and the Township Council to discuss Beach matters.

Miss M. J. Nisbett, corresponding secretary of the Queen Victoria Memorial Statue Committee, has written Mayor Morden asking, on behalf of the committee, that permission be granted to erect the statue in Gore Park, and that the site be dedicated during Carnival week.

Building permits have been taken out by Geo. H. Milne for an addition to the dwelling at the northeast corner of Hughson and Maria streets, owned by J. C. Turnbull, to cost $3,000, and by F. J. Lyne, for two brick houses on Wentworth street, between Barton and Birge, for Wm. Lyne, to cost $2,000.

Complaint has been made to the Board of Education about "short cut" people damaging the lawn at the new King Edward School already.

REDISTRIBUTION BILL AGAIN BEFORE COMMITTEE.

Provinces of Manitoba and Ontario Subjects of Discussion.

Ottawa, June 23.—At the Redistribution Committee to-day the Province of Manitoba was taken up. There were two plans before the committee, one prepared by the Liberals and one by the Conservatives. Dr. Roche, M. P., was first heard. He said that in preparing their plans they had rigidly adhered to municipal boundary lines. In no case had they departed from this except in unorganized districts. In the Liberal plan, he said, the municipal boundary line had not been adhered to, but there was on the whole very little difference, but when the two plans, in one instance a municipal boundary was cut up by the Liberals, in Brandon, and the Conservatives left the Province as it was, while the Liberals proposed to cut off a portion east of the Red River, including St. Boniface, where Mr. Lariviere lived. What the Liberals called Macdonald the Conservatives called Dufferin, and what the Liberals called Portage la Prairie they called Macdonald. The new constituency of Dauphin would have 24,000 of a population by the Conservatives' plans, and a little over 23,000 by the Liberals. The Liberals took in Gilbert Plains and Grand View in the Dauphin district, while the Conservatives added them to Marquette.

Mr. Davis pointed out that a community of interest lay between Gilbert Plains and Dauphin, and not between Gilbert Plains and Marquette, across the mountain.

Mr. Boyd objected to MacDonald being called Portage La Prairie. The Township of Lorne, according to the Liberals, was to be in MacDonald, but Boyd wanted it to go to Dufferin, although there would be no community of interest between Lorne and that constituency.

Mr. Lariviere wanted Provencher left as it is, he objected to St. Boniface being cut away. If it were there would be no opportunity of electing a French representative. As it was now it was only through the good-will of the English speaking people in the constituency that a French-Canadian was returned.

When the Province of Ontario was taken up, Col. Hughes appeared to protest against Haliburton, Victoria and Muskoka being included together.

Mr. Hyman said that no such decision had been arrived at, but he was willing to hear Mr. Hughes.

After this was done the committee adjourned.

Bakers Gaining Ground.

The journeymen bakers on strike for day work say they are meeting with encouragement every day, two more bosses having signed the agreement. For the benefit of the public desiring union made bread the shops where it can be purchased are named in another part of this paper. Two or three more of the journeymen bakers have secured good situations.

Very Scarce.

Old potatoes are very scarce. I have plenty of new ones that cook dry. New cabbage, new beets, new carrots, cucumbers, strawberries, fresh twice daily; special price by the crate. Beardsley's shredded codfish, fresh lot just in—it requires no soaking. We deliver orders at Beach every other day. Kindly favor us with your orders. Andrew G. Bain, 93 King street east.