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Two Other Criminal Cases Have Been Set Down.

21 SUITS ON THE CIVIL LIST

Action For \$5,000 Damages Against Greene, Swift & Co. ---Other Cases.

sizes, which open Monday before Mr. Justice Riddell, is a very heavy one, and includes 21 civil actions and 4 criminal cases.

The latter are: The Crown vs. Thomas Noah-Mur-

The Crown vs. James Hartwick-Murder.

The Crown vs. Isaac Homer-For-

The Crown vs. Herbert Mee-Em-The last civil cases to be set down

were as follows: Jury Cases.

Newman vs. Askey-George New-

Some Charges of His

Tickets Committee

Yesterday.

As the result of the deliberations of

committee of the Western Fair board

vesterday, the executive will be asked

to provide a book of five tickets for \$1.

possibly Sept. 1, will be placed on its

tee be charged.

Secretary Hunt.

This committee also recommended

Capt. W. J. Reid, Wm. McNeil and

Sheep Committee.

The sheep committee meet in the af-

Indians Charged With a Hold Up

Also Mr. Eli Snake Must Answer | cause the purchase price had not be

four men held Mr. Hare up in the warrant was out for his apprehension.

roadway, and took his horse. The In- Just before noon he walked into the

Recommended by the Gates and American Cotswold Association, offer-

the meeting of the gates and ticket sheep on Tuesday morning, not on Mon-

This book, it is expected, will be issued Hardy Shore, George G. McCormick, Wm.

as soon as possible, but a time limit, McNeil and Secretary Hunt.

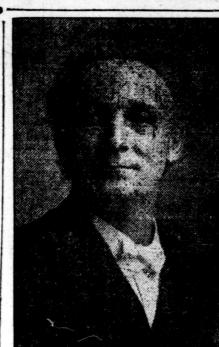
appointed.

New Rule for the Western Fair

to them, and that they seized it be- High Constable Hughes.

Book of Five Tickets for a Dollar

Carried Off Horse, Say It's Theirs



REV. G. W. DEWEY. Toronto Junction, Who Has Accepted a Call to Empress Ave-

ABIDE BY DECISION

nue Church. MR. GRAY WOULD

Of a Convention Called to Select Candidate-Beck Incident Again.

The St. Thomas Times (Conservative) says:

"A St. Thomas citizen who visited again announced his intention of for them in the Central. man, a laborer residing in the town of running against Hon. Adam Beck in Wyoming, sues Amos Askey and Fanny London, but said he was willing to ly been sentenced to Central Prison, Cotter, the local engineer, who was ar- 6 p.m. Askey to recover \$398 44 for services abide by the decision of an open con- but who had served most of their rested

In addition to the charge mentioned,

Eli Snake will have to face three informations laid by Mrs, Eli Snake, who

to supply her with food, clothing, etc.,

Edward Hall, the last-named of the

ing \$15 in prizes to be distributed

It was decided to add a third prize of

to build up this class. It was also de-

cided to commence the judging of the

day afternoon, as formerly. Judges were

Those present were: George Scatcherd.

Wyton, chairman; George Kimball, Geo.

Swine Committee.

Shortly after this meeting the swine

ommittee met. A communication was

among the Cotswold classes.

This offer was accepted.

WOODMEN RAISE RATES ALL MEMBERS PAY SAME

Old and New, After May 1, Will Be Obliged to Pay the Schedule Opposition Points Out Some Which Now Applies to New Members Only-Convention Is Brought to a Close.

After three hours of the most heated financial condition v s such that one of the 300 delegates took part, the Woodmen of the World last night arrived at a solution of the rate revision problem, by adopting a resolution to the effect that after May 1 all members, old and new, shall pay the schedule of rates now in force for new

At present there are four schedules strongly opposed any changes, advancing the argument that out of 19 fraternal societies in Cana a, the Wood-

iscussion, in which practically every there was no need to raise the rates on

Change Was Necessary. lowever, took the stand that, owing to the new Government regulations, a

change was necessary, in order to provide the needed surplus. They pointed out that the f rates, and the older members very in rates from what the old members were paying, to what the new membership fee is, was not very great, and in putting the resolution that all pay men stood 10th in the 1 st, and their Continued on Page Nine.

LONG-TERM MEN FOR CENTRAL FOUR TAKEN FROM LONDON

Lack of Room in the Big Prison Results in Several Remaining over expenditures last year was \$606,
| 35 for being disorderly. Six boys, who cut across the several state of the several sever Here Who Would Otherwise Enjoy a Holiday in the Central ---Sinclair Is Wanted to Give Evidence.

ronto, arrived in the city this morning and left this afternoon with four Central Prison men from the county

with Wm. Gray, the former Conser- serve, but two of them had to be left who was recently sentenced to serve A number of men who had original-

> county jail until released. Detective Ryan brought with nim stealing liquor.

Provincial Detective Ryan, of To- five long-term prisoners from Windsor and they will be taken to Toronto, along with the local prisoners.

Detective Rider was a visitor at the county jail today and his object was critics. There were six prisoners here who to prevent the removal of Perry Sin- rapidly growing expenditure, and urg-Toronto recently had a conversation had terms of six months or over to clair, the Grand Trunk brakeman, ed the need of caution and economy. from a freight car. Sinclair will be afternoon. Mr. Hislop had not conheld to give evidence against James cluded when the House adjourned at last night at Windsor and vention as between him and Mr. Beck. terms here will also remain in the brought here to answer to a charge of breaking into a bonded car and

TRAGEDY OF A STRANGE TRUNK HOW POLICE MADE MIX-UP

Mr. John Gillet Will Not Likely Take Notice of Any More People Who Act Peculiarly--He Certainly alleges that Husband Snake has failed

Has a Big Grievance.

Rufus Henry, Louis Logan, Eli Snake language unbecoming a husband to and Edward Hall, Muncey Indians, her, and that when she refused him Grand Trunk at Waterloo street cross- the patrol up to his store door. ing, had a more or less amusing exafternoon to answer to a charge of break the windows.

Edward Hall the last remed of perience Wednesday night.

Just before going off duty, Mr. Gillet Hare, of Caradoc. It is alleged that the quartet, was not arrested, although a ging a big trunk. saw a man come down the track, dragdians declare that the horse belonged courthouse and gave himself up to after opening it, and taking something the east end of the freight shed, and ing arrested.

out, ran away. Mr. Gillet reported the affair to a of it. oliceman, but in the meantime the

did the patrol was sent down to take rags.' the trunk to the station.

In it were several policeman. Not finding the trunk on the side-

see the expected arrest. very much perturbed, especially Mrs. occasion was the visit of Rt. Em. Sir Gillet, who, it is said, became hyster- Kt. Charles McGuire, Provincial Prior. He pulled it over to the sidewalk at ical at the thought of her husband be-

the trunk, but, of course, knew nothing ada was proposed by Em. Sir Kt. W. The trunk was located later, and Lellan responding.

It is supposed the tramp found the was replied to by Rt. Em. Sir Kt. Taylor has been in the city about a while the authorities investigate, and The policeman did not report the trunk on the track and took whatever charles McGuire, Provincial Prior, month, and has been engaged in col- Taylor was bailed in the sum of \$500 matter for some hours, but when he it contained and left his own "glad The toast to "Richard Coeur de lecting funds for establishing an in- by Rev. Mr. Ball and Hodge Duncan.

sheds. Mr. John Gillet, watchman on walk, they proceeded to Mr. Gillet's police made the "raid."

In Splendid Shape.

Bandmaster Slatter has the band in

splendid shape, and was able last

banquet and another for the rink

Both orchestras performed most cred.

The pipers' band this year will be

so to all the classes of the Hampshires. It has been the ambition of the association to build up this class. It was also do. Regiment Is Now Drafting Plans ters," which was responded to by Sir Kts. Winterbottom, Clunis, Somerville and Elliott. The toast to the

Telfer, Paris; Directors Col. McEwen, T. Important Announcement of New siderable favor by both officers and ceptory" was proposed by Rt. Em. Sir Officers Is Made By Monday night.

Col. Reid.

held and was very successful.

military songs.

very considerably.

A Novelty.

that in view of the athletic day to be the Swine Breeders' Association, making read from Mr. Westervelt, secretary of held on Monday, the usual grandstand the following donations: \$50 from the as-The officers of the Seventh Regi- night to furnish two separate orchesment are planning an outing for the tras from it, one for "H" Company's sociation, \$40 from the Ontarlo Bershire Among those of the committee pres-ent were Mr. John Pringle (chairman), Association. The first donation will be day. distributed among all swine, the second The holiday is very late this year, itably. among the Berkshires and the third and it is anticipated that the weather

ternoon and carefully considered the chairman; George Scatcherd, D. Thompson, Woodstock; Directors George G A communication was received from McCormick, Col. McEwen, Wm. McNeil, Mr. F. W. Harding, secretary of the Wm. Moore and Secretary Hunt.

A few minor changes were made in the

Fell on Sidewalk---Wants Assistance

a young man whose arm was broken tween Wellington and Waterloo streets by falling on the pavement, has sent a communication to City Engineer cil. Graydon, asking that something be penses during his accident.

Stuart M. Dobbinson, William street, work from McClary's and while behe fell on the lcy pavement.

> Dobbinson does not threaten to sue do something for him when the side-

contributed by the city for his ex- the city, but thinks that the city should Dobbinson was going home from walks were in such bad condition.

Fingers Smashed in a Shoe Machine

Miss Louise Smithers, of Moray, who | feared that three of them will have lives at 380 Hamilton road, met with a to be amputated. very painful accident this morning The accident happened just before do so. while operating a sole-skiving ma- noon, and no doctors could be found at They paraded down town in the outside of a little general store, not in chine at the Cook-Fitzgerald shoe fac- their offices.

Miss Smithers had the fingers of her fore having her injury dressed, left hand caught in the machine and When she arrived there she was at they were so badly crushed that it is ! tended by the house surgeons.

The letter will be sent to the coun

This necessitated the young lady be-

[Special to The Advertiser.]

lege went on strike this morning be- college and promised to be good. cause one of their number, a boy named King, from Toronto, had been sus- Disliked the Weed. pended by the authorities for playing Stratford Beacon: "The poetry of tures.

every week. Bandmaster Slatter is about to in-New Officers. roduce a novelty for Canadian regi-The following changes were includments, and will shortly instruct the ed in the last orders issued: men in the singing of a number of Hon, Captain W. G. Coles will take the place made vacant by the resigna-

These songs are very popular among tion of Major Hayes, as quartermasthe English regiments, and on a long ter. march it is said cheer the men up W. J. Forbes-Mitchell, John Dillon Quebec .. and James Boucher are appointed

COLLEGE BOYS HAVE BRIEF STRIKE

about three hours. At the end of that Woodstock, March 20.—One hundred time the boys tired of being out on to be more settled than for some time and fifty students at Woodstock Col-strike, and, perhaps, were just a little past. bit hungry, so they went back to the

basketball after being ordered not to earth is never dead," nor the wit of the irrepressible small boy. On the early hours of the morning, cheering the business part of the city, was and shouting to show their great dis- tacked a card bearing these words:

THE EXPENDITURE

Foliies of Whitney Govt.

SURPLUS OF \$606,000 CLAIMED

Helped Out to Great Extent by the Succession Duties Act of the Ross Government.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Toronto, March 20 .- The shortest the Provincial Treasurer, who took only 55 minutes to lay before the House his annual summary of the finances of the Province. Mr. Matheson, never a fluent speaker at his paid \$1 each. best, was not in good form, as he seemed to be suffering from a weak fined \$10 or 21 days, and placed on the throat, which probably was one cause

claimed that the surplus of receipts fined \$1 each for being disorderly. falling payable in December. Had paid \$1 and were warned not to rethese payments been insisted upon. peat the offense. the surplus would have been over \$1,-000,000. The estimated receipts for MANAGER M'GUIGAN 1908 are \$7,921,772, not including the \$300,000 expected from the Temiskaming Railway earnings, while the estimates call for an expenditure of \$7,-501,875.

Mr. Pense (Kingston), and Mr. Hisop, (E. Huron), were the Opposition They protested against the

Claims a Surplus of \$606,000. a few minutes, after the speaker as- the principality for Uncle Sam. sumed the chair, and Mr. Matheson rose at 3:20 amidst Conservative applause. After the customary congrat-

Continued on Page Two. SIR KNIGHT M'GUIRE

Pleasant Event on Wednesday Even-

The Stratford Beacon says: A field day was held by St. Elmo Preceptory, No. 22, K. T., G. R. C., in the Masonic A crowd quickly collected, eager to ing in attendance, including visitors from London, Goderich, St. Marys and Mrs. Gillet and the children were Clinton. The principal feature of the After the customary toast to the "King and the Craft," the toast to G. Irwin, V. Em. Sir Kt. C. Mc-

to "London District, No. 1," which ored, with fraud. Lion, No. 4," was proposed by Em. The trunk is at present at the freight Sir Kt. John Stevenson and respondthe Kt. J. H. Tancock, "Mocha Temple" was proposed by Sir Kt. Charles Farquharson, and responded to by Ill. Pot. Al. Davis and Sir Kt. W. H. Abbott, Sir Kt. R. J. Stevenson pro- brought into the House to pension to build up a pension fund, the rest to Abbott, Sir Kt. R. J. Stevenson proposed the toast to the "Visiting Fraschool teachers," said Chairman Grabe contributed by the teachers.

The idea is a good one all right, but ters," which was responded to by Sir ham this morning, "but I think it is teachers in London are paid well ville and Elliott. The toast to the something along the line of pension emough I think to look after themselves "Candidates" was responded to by Sir funds in operation in many states on in their old age. Kt. A. H. Monteith. "St. Elmo Premen, and it is likely the first instruc- Kt. Chas. McGuire, and replied to by tion in the songs will take place on Em. Sir Kt. W. G. Irwin and Em. Sir Kt. John Stevenson.

THE WEATHER.

TOMORROW-FAIR AND MILD. FORECASTS.

Toronto, March 20-8 a.m. Today-Moderate winds; fine weather. Saturday-Fine and milder. Local Temperatures.

will be suitable for outside maneuvers practically twice as large as Two years ago a sham battle was have joined, and are practicing steadit was last year. Seven new members thermometer at the local observatory for have joined, and are practicing stead-ily at the armories several nights Highest, 30.5°; lowest, 20.5° above zero. TEMPERATURES.

Min. Stations. 8 a.m. Calgary 28 Winnipeg Fair Toronto 18 Montreal 16

Minus (-) means below zero. The first column in the above table re-cords the temperature at 8 o'clock this The first column in the above table remorning, and the second column records the minimum temperatures during the 24 hours previous WEATHER NOTES.

The general weather conditions appear

The barometer is highest over Ontario the Western Provinces. The weather is fine throughout Canada, for telephone companies. with a tendency towards higher tempera-

YESTERDAY'S TEMPERATURES. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Dawson, 6 below-20: Atlin, 28-38: Victoria, 30-50; Vancouver, 31-46; Kamloops, 28-48; Edmonton, 16-42; Battleford, 4-28;

IS PILING UP ORDER CAR

DISTRIBUTED BILLS ON CITY STREETS

iver handbills yesterday to pedestrians, but many people refused to take them and he let them blow about on the budget speech on record in the Leg- sidewalks. He paid one dollar for islature was delivered yesterday by breaking the bylaw in regard to waste paper when arraigned in the police court today.

> John Wade and Ernest Quick drove wagons over a cement sidewalk and For being drunk Charles Walsh was

Indian list. He took the days. William Packham and Edward Murfor the brevity of his address. He ray blocked the sidewalk, and were John Farmer struck a boy, and paid Six boys, who cut across lawns, each

Porto Rican Affairs.

F. H. McGuigan, formerly fourth its turn. Mr. Ferguson (Grenville), was the just returned to Toronto from a trip to edith will look into the matter on bevative candidate in London, Mr. Gray behind as there is not enough room eighteen months for stealing whisky other Government speaker of the Porto Rico, where he was looking over half of the city, and take whatever some railway concerns on behalf of steps are necessary to protect the Canadian investors. One of the sur- city. prises he met was the finding of a The routine business took up only Canadian newspaper man governing

Guigan, "is commissioner of the in- "and it cannot be done in a day. I Canada, drifted over the line, and is the council has done. I do not know VISITS CLASSICAL CITY now at the head of the American oc- what the order of the commission

Ottaway Avenue Derail Matter Has Reached Climax.

WHERE COUNCIL NOW STANDS

Appeal Cannot Reach the Railway Commission Until August at Earliest.

After careful investigation, the city has come to the conclusion that the only way to solve the Ottaway avenue derail difficulty is to compel the London Street Railway to run cars both

The city cannot get its case before the Dominion Railway Commission August, owing to the press of work on the commission at present, and Says a Canadian Is the "Big Push" in also owing to the fact that the commission is like a regularly constituted court and London will have to take

vice-president of the Grand Trunk, has In the meantime, City Solicitor Mer-

"It will take some time, you must understand, to get this matter in "Who do you think," asked Mr. Mc- shape," he said to the Advertiser, terior-a kind of prime minister? Why must look up the bylaw governing the Lawrence Graham, an old Toronto agreement, and I must also see what

COLORED MAN ARRAIGNED SERIOUS CHARGE IS MADE

Mr. Gillet was not at home when the home on Wellington street and backed Hall yesterday afternoon and evening Robert Hackett Alleges That J. J. Taylor Is Guilty of Fraud-Has Been Collecting For An Institution Which Is to Be Established at Woodstock.

> A case that promises to be unusual- dustrial school for colored people at Mrs. Gillet was ordered to produce the Sovereign Grand Priory of Can-ly interesting was commenced in the Woodstock. police court this morning, when J. J. Taylor is stated to have considerable funds in a bank at Woodstock, Taylor, colored, of Montreal, appeared and says he can give a satisfactory

trunk was taken charge of and placed opened, and found to contain a lot of Mr. Irwin also proposed the toast charged by Robert Hackett, also col- account of everything he has done. The case was adjourned for a week

Sir Kt. John Stevenson and responded to by Em. Sir Kt. Rowe and Sir Thinks Teachers Should Look Ahead

the other side of the line.

"I do not understand the pension bill cation to levy a certain rate each year

"I do not think they have any rea-

"It would empower boards of edu- son to complain on that score." More Claimants To Springer Estate

A Hamilton dispatch says: The outcome of the meeting of the throw up the whole thing. Springer estate claimants of Hamil-

The highest and lowest readings of the trict to confer with representatives appointed by the claimants in Cleve-

steps to enforce it; if not, they will

One bunch of claimants have some ton and vicinity, held in the Waldorf give to the others. They are willing information they are not willing to Hotel yesterday, was the decision to to sell it, but the others want to know send a representative from this dis- if it is any good before they will consent to pay the price.

Years ago the late Moses Springer, land, Detroit, London and other places and not a little money getting up of Waterloo, spent a great deal of time both in Canada and United States, proofs of his claim, and sent a lot of with a view to ascertaining exactly valuable documents he had obtained how the situation stands. The various out among other claimants with ingroups of claimants have been gathabout them. While they wer out of ering information for months, and the his possession he died, and the docuidea is to get together, compare notes, ments have never been returned. An and then decide what should be done. effort will be made to get them to-If their claim looks good they will take gether again.

and Phone Franchise Matter

"It looks as if the rights of the, and the Middle States, and is falling in ing a special committee of the Legis- In this way, the cities will be given

ise will probably be arrived at, by satisfactory." which exclusive franchise must be submitted to the consideration of the Mr. Jones' Condition. railway commission and then a clause ing removed to Victoria Hospital before having her injury dressed.

When she arrived there she was attended by the house surgeons.

Calgary, 10—14; Regina, 2—26; Wininpeg,
14 below—24; Port Arthur, 2 below—30;
Will be inserted by which the comwill be inserted by which the comwater commission, who has been ill
pany enjoying the exclusive franchise
the part of the college faculty, and remained in a state of insurrection for

will be compelled to recognize the
mained in a state of insurrection for

St. John, 26—32; Halifax, 26—32,

William Jones, chairman of the
water commission, who has been ill
for a week past, is much better, and
will be able to be out tomorrow.

"Mr. Bowyer himself consented to cities will be protected," said Ald. allow the matter to be sent to a Beattie, who returned last night from committee, and I think the ques-Toronto where he had been interview- tion will be settled along those lines. lature regarding exclusive franchises the right to give exclusive franchises. and the rural phone companies will "The matter was sent to a small be given rights that they do not encommittee, and I think our rights joy at present. We were well received. will be duly considered. A comprom- and I think the results will be quite