

ROBERTSON'S SUSPENSION.

President Lane's Action Condemned.

THE LEANDER CLUB RACES.

The action of President Lane, of the Canadian Wheelmen's Association, in suspending Mr. E. A. Robertson, of this city, Chairman of the Racing Board, is a talk of all wheelmen, and from end to end of the country the President's action is condemned.

The Toronto Mail thus refers to the trouble: The Robertson affair has attained its apex of absurdity. The President of the Canadian Wheelmen's Association, Ontario, Mr. E. A. Robertson, has suspended from office for the crime of doing his duty.

The Globe drives it home in this style: The business of the Canadian Wheelmen's Association is conducted in many instances in the most astounding fashion, but the climax was reached when President Lane suspended Chairman Robertson.

The Montreal Bicycle Club into the belief that the prospect of the Dominion they meet would be injured. Like a lot of other people connected with cycling the M. B. C. has apparently a greater regard for gate money than for the honesty of the sport.

THE LEANDER RACES.

The final heat of the spring races of the Leander Racing Club took place last evening. The three competing crews were as follows: A Jarvis, stroke; G. Heming, 3; F. Jarvis, 2; A. H. Heming, bow.

On Saturday afternoon Jarvis and Cameron's crews will row in the Leander Argonaut races in Toronto. The following Hamilton crew will be in the representative four:

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meeting, leaving Union Station at 12.40.

AT SHEEPSHEAD BAY.

Sheepshead Bay, June 27.—Although the weather was unpleasantly warm 3,000 persons were down to the races. The only stake race of the day was the Zephyr Stakes for 2-year-olds.

OLD RACELAND DYING.

New York, June 28.—The grand old gelding Raceland is lying at the point of death at the stables of his owner, M. F. Dwyer, at Gravesend, suffering from spinal meningitis, and death will probably ensue in a few days at most.

SHOT FOR A SPOON.

In a spoon shoot at the V. R. C. ranges yesterday the following were the best scores: 200 500 600 Tl. Sgt. Major Huggins (spoon) . . . . . 31 31 27 89 E. Allen . . . . . 24 32 26 82 H. Magness . . . . . 29 25 24 78 T. Mitchell . . . . . 23 28 23 74

CRICKETERS COMING.

A team of American gentlemen from Philadelphia will visit Ontario the latter part of July. They will be captained by Mr. George S. Patterson, and will play the first match, Philadelphia vs. Ontario. They will make a two weeks' tour, playing matches with Toronto, Rosedale, Hamilton, and possibly London.

THE YALE TEAM IN ENGLAND.

London, June 28.—The Oxford Athletic Club last evening received the Yale athletes, who arrived on the steamer New York. The Yale men will lodge at Oxford, with a view to practicing on the university grounds, which the Oxford Club place at their disposal.

JOHNSON BEATEN.

At Albany, N. Y., yesterday J. S. Johnson, the bicycle crack, was beaten in the one mile open, class B race, by H. C. Tyler and W. C. Sanger. Tyler's time was 2.21 2-5.

THE BLOCKSIDE CASE.

Did the Husband Intend to Poison His Wife?

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BOY VICTIM DEAD.

Little Charley Benny Succumbs to His Awful Burns.

He Was Tied to a Stake—His Assaults, Now in the Reform School, May Not Be Tried Again—Three Months of Agony.

A Philadelphia despatch says: After suffering the most intense agony for nearly four months, little Charley Benny died early yesterday morning as a result of the injuries received on March 12th, when he was burned at the stake by several of his companions who were playing Indian on one of the lots in the lower part of Camden.

An interesting feature of the case is the proceedings which can be done with the three boys—Deegan, Eldridge and Brown—who are responsible for Benny's death. When the injured boy was considered out of danger, the three culprits were brought into court, pleaded guilty to assault and battery, and are now serving out their sentences in the Reform School.

County Physician Isard notified Prosecutor Jenkins that the death of the victim has raised the degree of the crime to manslaughter, but lawyers about the Court House yesterday were very doubtful as to whether the boys could be recalled and tried again.

The crime which yesterday resulted in the death of the little victim occurred on March 12th, when a number of boys were playing on a lot at Sixth and Mechanic streets. Benny, a delicate little fellow, was bound to a stake in an Indian and a fire built about him.

The body has been turned over to the widowed mother, who last week met with another misfortune. She had had the boy's life insured in the Citizens' Mutual Life Insurance Company, with headquarters on Kaighn avenue above Locust, but last week she was notified that the company was unable to meet obligations and that no more collections would be made.

That Tired Feeling So common at this season, is a serious condition, liable to lead to disastrous results. It is a sign of declining health, and that the blood is impoverished and impure.

HOOD'S Sarsaparilla Which makes rich, healthy blood, and thus gives strength to the nerves, elasticity to the muscles, vigor to the brain and health to the whole body.

Makes the Weak Strong Be sure to get Hood's and only Hood's. \$1; six for \$5. Prepared only by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

Hood's Pills are purely vegetable. 25c.

Why do some people enjoy an hour's denunciation of Popery and feel it not angry, under a ten minutes' denunciation of the drinking customs of the country? Because they hate Roman Catholics and love whiskey.

Why do some people grow frantic with delight over the description of the real or imaginary evils of a convent, and grow angry at one-tenth part of what might be said about the evils of a bar-room? Because they hate the convent, and love the bar-room in which they nightly squander the money that should provide bread for their wives and children.

Chicago, June 29.—Judge Payne yesterday, in deciding a point raised in the Prendergast insanity hearing, announced that he will instruct the jury that the defence must prove that the assassin has become insane since his last trial, otherwise the former verdict must stand, even though Prendergast be found insane at the present time.

Artificial teeth set in aluminum plates, beautiful, thin, light, durable, and at prices within the reach of everybody. Call and see them before accepting the old clumsy style of rubber plates. A. H. Bennett, 68 1-2 King street west. Telephone 1,225.

Paris, June 29.—The Panama Canal liquidator has signed an agreement with a new company which has a capital of 1,500,000,000 francs and undertake to complete the canal.

For Gent's Summer Underwear, Socks, Vests, Ties, Bathing Dresses and Drawers go to Treble's, corner King and James streets.

FOR BOYS ONLY. Here's a Chance for the Boys. We have gone through our Boys' Clothing Department and picked out any lines that there were only odd sizes in, and in all we have EIGHTY-SIX BOYS' TWO-PIECE PLEATED SUITS, all new fresh goods, made this season, ranging in price from \$2.75 to \$3.50. All sizes, from 23 to 29. We will clear this lot at \$2.00. See them in our Clothing window. Another lot of BOYS' TWO-PIECE LINEN OR STRIPED GALATEA SUITS, all sizes, to fit boys from 4 to 10 years, ranging in price from \$2.25 to \$3.00. This lot will be sold at \$1.75. BOYS' PRINT BLOUSES.—We have just marked and put in stock 24 dozen Boys' Print Blooses, nicely made, with sailor collar; different patterns, all sizes. We will sell this lot at 35c. One lot of BOYS' SAILOR SAND SUITS, just the thing for the Beach, all sizes, price 85c. Another lot BOYS' NAVY BLUE SERGE SAILOR SUITS, all sizes ranging in price from \$3.00 to \$4.25, to be sold at \$2.00. PRATT & WATKINS, 14, 16 and 18 James Street.

BARGAINS FOR THE HOLIDAYS.

SALE OF PARASOLS. We will make it interesting for the ladies buying Parasols for the holidays. All new Parasols selling off at one-half regular prices. See the list of big reductions made. SALE OF BLOUSES. Our stock is large and the goods are all this season's, but we have made deep cuts in the prices of the entire stock to clear the goods out. Look at this big bargain list. SALE OF UNDERWEAR. Ladies' Fine Ribbed Vests, short sleeves, beautiful goods, 10 and 12c each, extra quality at 15 and 20c each. Ladies' Halbriggan Vests, Men's Halbriggan and Fine Natural Wool Shirts and Drawers, Ladies' and Men's Hosiery, Children's Socks. SUMMER TOWELS. Those buying Towels for present use should not miss seeing the bargains we are offering in the Cotton department. Fine Huck Towels, extra large, 3 for 25c and 2 for 25c. Beach Towels, bath Towels, rough and smooth Towels. Every shade and stripe. Outing Flannels selling off at big reductions. Stripe Bathing Flannels 30c, worth 50c. Plain French Twill Bathing Flannels 25c, worth 40c. Children's Navy and Cream Beach Jersey selling off. Ladies, see these.

FINCH BROS., 18 and 20 King Street West.

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A BIG SALE OF LADIES' UNDERWEAR AND HOSIERY, AT A. MURRAY & CO'S.

A Large Line of Ribbed Cotton Vests, Shaped and Straight, Only 10c each—Perfect Goods. EXTRA VALUE in Ribbed Cotton Vests, half sleeves, 2 for 25c. EGYPTIAN COTTON Ribbed Vests, 2 for 35c. EXTRA VALUE, with or without sleeves, 20c each. Macca Cotton Ribbed Vests, V shape, with laced neck, 25c each. Six different lines of Macca Cotton Ribbed Vests, with half sleeves, long sleeves, or without sleeves, at 35c each. Best value ever shown. A full range in all staple makes in Ladies' and Children's Underwear. Ladies' Black Cotton Hose only 20c per pair; full fashioned Hermsdorf dye; extra good value at 25, 40 and 50c per pair. A special lot of Lisle Thread Hose, fast black, 3 pairs for \$1.35. Summer Cashmere Hose, 3 pairs for \$1; extra good. Cashmere Hose, grand value, 3 pairs for \$1.10, and 3 pairs for \$1.45. A large assortment of Fancy Embroidered Hose, in Cotton, Lisle, Cashmere and Silk; novelties in Hosiery, in all the new shades. This department in our mammoth house is full of bargains. Call early and secure some of them.

21, 23 AND 25 KING STREET EAST. A. MURRAY & CO.

IF YOU WISH A GOOD LIVE FAMILY PAPER SUBSCRIBE FOR THE TIMES.

TO OUR CUSTOMERS.

We are very sorry that, owing to the confusion arising from making some extensive alterations in our sign street store, we were unable to deliver some of our orders on Saturday as promptly as usual. We will, however, make every effort to prevent such a thing occurring again, and when our alterations are complete we will be in a position to deliver any orders we may be favored with from you. Hoping to be favored with a continuance of your valued patronage, we remain, Very truly yours, J. H. HORNING & CO., 92 John Street South, Branches: 40 Ferguson Avenue North, 242 York Street, Telephone No. 33.

Hard \$5.25 Hard Coal A TON, Coal DELIVERED IN BAGS. PEOPLE'S COAL CO., Barton St. and Ferguson Ave. Branch Office, 31 King West. Phone 978. Open from 7 a.m. to 6 p.m. 7 to 9 1/2 evening

DINE AT TOCHER'S For the summer months. SIX DINNER TICKETS \$1.00. Ladies' sitting room and gent's smoking room. 64 JAMES STREET NORTH. ADVERTISE IN THE TIMES

WHAT

Might be, suppose advertisers were compelled to establish the truth of their statements by affidavits? The advertisements would shrink in space and number enormously. It might cripple the newspapers; the public and the truth telling advertisers would be gainers. John F. Shea would welcome such an innovation. It would prevent any possibility of our ads—always true, always honest, always meritorious—being mistaken or classed together with—, but we've said enough on this subject for the present.

HERE ARE PRICES. Our \$2.25 Women's Dongola But on B.ots we can prove to be reduced to \$1.75. Our \$1.75 Women's Dongola Button Boots we can prove to be reduced to \$1.25. Our \$2.25 Women's Dongola Button Boots, Common Sense, we can prove to be reduced to \$1.50. Our \$1.50 Women's Strap or Tie Slippers we can prove to be reduced to \$1.00. Our \$2.25 Women's Dongola Oxford Tie Shoes we can prove to be reduced to \$1.00. Our \$2.25 Men's Shell Cordovan Congress and Laced Boots we can prove to be reduced to \$1.50. Our \$2.25 Men's Laced or Congress Boots we can prove to be reduced to \$1.50. Our \$1.75 Men's Laced Boots we can prove to be reduced to \$1.25. We can prove that we are the largest and most select stock in the city. We can prove that we are the sole agents in Hamilton for the celebrated W. L. Douglas's "Gent's" Boots.

JOHN F. SHEA, 47 KING STREET EAST, and 8 HUGHSON ST. NORTH.

PURE ICE.

The undersigned has in addition to his own stock purchased the ice stored by Cary & Johnston, and will be pleased to serve old customers as well as new with pure ice cut for domestic use. Prompt delivery. Obliging drivers. Telephone No. 100. W.M. T. CARY, foot of Wentworth street.

BERTRAM'S HARDWARE

It may be and no doubt is of surpassing interest to politicians who shall REPRESENT THE CITY for the next four years. In any case the trade of the city will go on as usual, and what interests us most is whether or not we shall obtain a good share of THE HARDWARE TRADE of the city and surrounding country. We will endeavor to meet it by having THE RIGHT GOODS AT THE RIGHT PRICE, and no matter to what party in politics you belong we ask you to give us a trial, if you are not already amongst the large number of our supporters.

PETER BERTRAM, 40 and 53 KING STREET WEST, HAMILTON.

HAMMOCKS.

The undersigned prize Carpet Weaver has gone into the manufacturing of Hammocks. It will pay you to call on him before purchasing elsewhere, as he will sell them at manufacturing price to private individuals. None but the best material used. A call solicited. JOSEPH HOPKINS, 246 Mary St., Hamilton