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A HAMILTON CASE.

TORONTO, March 11.—At Osgoode Hall this morning, Mr. Justice Kelly enlarged the trial of the Hamilton restraining Water Gate. The Hamilton real estate men from carrying on blasting operations in close proximity to the house of R. T. Gould, license inspector of Wentworth county, who lives at Bartonville. The blasting has been going on at the defendant's gravel pit, and chunks of frozen earth are alleged to have bombarded the neighborhood, to the danger of life and limb.

TORONTO SALES

[By Special Wire To The Courier]
TORONTO, March 12.—Morning sales.
Rogers, 40 at 127 to 130.
Maple Leaf pfd., 10 at 96.
C. P. R., 10 at 205½ to 206.
Steel Corp., 300 at 31¼ to 32¼.
MacKay, 105 at 83½.
Do pfd., 100 at 68.
Can. Bread, 15 at 28.
Do pfd., 21 at 90 to 94.
Do bonds, \$1000 at 95.
Toronto Rails, 25 at 140½.
Steel of Can. pfd., 4 at 85.
Brazilian, 1873 at 80 to 81½.
Commerce, 60 at 21¼.
Imperial, 18 at 21¼.
Metropolitan, 10 at 210¼.
Nip., 85 at 635 to 640.
G. W. Perm., 20 at 128.
Real Estate, 18 at 102.
La Rose, 50 at 166.
Col. Loan, 200 at 80.
Camers, 11 at 67 to 74.
31 shares miscellaneous.

ISLAND IN ERIE NOT AMENABLE TO CAN.

Search of Titles Reveals Strange Condition Regarding "Little Sister."

WINDSOR, Ont., March 12.—Since the suit filed by John Napres of Detroit against W. R. Goodchild, of Amherstburg, to obtain possession of Little Sister Island has begun, attorneys engaged in investigating the titles to the property say they have discovered that the island is the sole property of Great Britain, independent of Canada, and amenable only to the laws of the home government. Little Sister Island, a small strip of land in Lake Erie, has a population of 40 at the height of the fishing season. At other times the inhabitants number about 20. The island was first owned by James Ross, now dead. Napres declares the island was given to him by Ross just before his death. Goodchild says Ross sold him the island 45 years ago. The island is now occupied by Goodchild and his fishing crews. No taxes are paid by the fishermen save an occasional levy made, it is alleged, by Goodchild. A search made in Federal and Provincial records show that that little lake spot belongs to no country. Discovery of a valuable mineral by Goodchild is said to be the reason Napres started suit. The nature of the mineral has been kept a secret, the current report being that at the time of the "strike" Goodchild swore his workmen to silence. The case will be heard before Justice Middleton in assizes court at Sandwich on March 24.

"SAILOR'S MATCH" IS DOOMED IN CANADA

Will Introduce Bill to Prevent the Use of White Phosphorus in the Future.

OTTAWA, March 12.—Hon. T. W. Crothers introduced a bill to prohibit the manufacture, importation and sale of matches made with white phosphorus in the Commons yesterday. Mr. Crothers in introducing his bill said that its object was to protect employees in match factories and the people in their homes. He told of cases in which children had been accidentally poisoned by matches tipped with white phosphorus and recalled a case in Prince Edward Island where a mother had killed her three children by scraping the white phosphorus from matches and administering it to them. The Minister explained the effect of white phosphorus fumes upon workers in factories. He said that a harmless substance could be used by manufacturers without any great increase in cost, a patent formerly held by the Diamond Match Co. of the United States in Canada having lapsed. Nearly all the countries of Europe and the United States adopted similar measures. Mr. Crothers said that the manufacturers of matches would have no objection to the passage of such legislation if they were given a little time. He had thought the measure might come into force in 1916.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Mr. Lemieux hastened to urge that an earlier date be fixed. This suggestion, Mr. Crothers promised to consider. In it Mr. Sutherland, the Liberal member for St. John's, N.S., did not appear to concur. He spoke of the white phosphorus match as the "sailor's match," which was used by fishermen and mariners to light their pipes. He was told by the Minister it was not thought any factories would be closed by the prohibition of the use of white phosphorus.

SEARCH BEING MADE FOR HIDDEN \$20,000

Spinster Found Dead, Is Believed to Have Had Hidden Gold.
WEYERS CAVE, Va., March 12.—A search is being made for a \$20,000 hoard of gold which Miss Sue Delger, an eccentric spinster who was found dead in her home near here, is believed to have buried under the house. Marion Myers of Mount Pleasant, her first cousin and nearest living relative, will inherit the estate. The total value of which will exceed \$100,000, should the gold be found. Ever since the death of her father, six years ago, Miss Delger had lived alone, her only companions being a cat and a dog.

Winnipeg Holds Allan Cup.
WINNIPEG, March 12.—The Winnipeg Monarchs successfully defended the Allan cup against the Kenora Thistles in the sudden-death game here last night. The score was 6 to 2 and just about represents the merits of the teams.

VANDERBILT MANSION GOES TO CORNELIUS

NEW YORK, March 12.—The death of Geo. W. Vanderbilt in Washington last Friday without male issue causes the Vanderbilt mansion at Fifty-first street and Fifth avenue, the art works, collected by the late W. H. Vanderbilt, the sum of \$1,000,000 outright, and other property to descend to Cornelius Vanderbilt under the will of his grandfather, William H. Vanderbilt, who died in 1885. William H. Vanderbilt left all his property to his widow during her life time; then to his youngest son, George W. Vanderbilt, during his life time. It was provided that George W. Vanderbilt should name one of his sons to inherit after him. In case George W. Vanderbilt died without sons it was provided that the property should go to William H. Vanderbilt, son of the former secretary of state. Miss Bryden was caught in an undertow and being only a moderate swimmer, was carried to sea. Young Knox swam out and grasped the girl as she was sinking. They were both carried under but guards came to their aid.

Hawkes Has Some New Ideas

[By Special Wire To The Courier]
OTTAWA, March 11.—Arthur Hawkes, who ran as an independent in the recent South Lanark bye-election, made some drastic suggestions in regard to elections, before the electoral reform committee of the Commons to-day. The principal one was that a board of five members should be appointed in each constituency to direct elections. The chairman should be a judge, each candidate should have a representative, a fourth should be a clergyman appointed by the clergy and as for the fifth he suggested that it might be a woman, named by the educational interests. Mr. Hawkes declared that present laws should be remedied rather than a new one made. There was a greater distrust of parliament than of any other institution in this country, and it was due to electoral corruption.

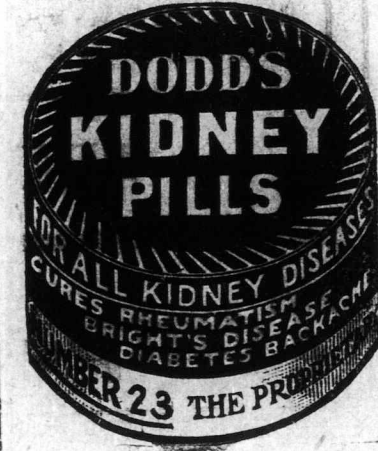
DENIES HE ADMITTED KILLING WIFE IN 1885

John Turner Repudiates Alleged Confession Made to Eric Clergyman.
ERIE, Pa., March 11.—Aged John Turner, who Rev. J. B. Cook asserts confessed that he murdered his wife in 1885, denies he ever made such a confession, according to relatives. Turner told her he does not know Rev. Mr. Cook. The minister has not been at the Turner home since Wednesday, the day he declared Turner sent for him and told him of the crime. District Attorney Albert Thomas returned to Meadville after spending some time at the Turner home. He will send the county detective to make a further investigation before action is taken.

HEALER ASKS GIRL AS HIS PAYMENT.

Young Woman Has Disappeared and Sheriff Is on Trail.
CANTON, O., March 12.—Sheriff Adam Oberlin sought race of a healer who had said his home was in Steubenville, following the reported disappearance from her home here of Mary Brade, 17 years old. According to the story told the sheriff by the girl's mother, Mrs. John Brade, the healer demanded her in payment of a bill of \$40 for services to the girl's stepfather, who died Saturday. The healer wanted her as a bride for his nephew, he said, according to Mrs. Brade.

Efforts to find the girl at the address in Steubenville to which she was said to have been sent have been futile.



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P. C. KNOX JR. SINGS GIRL AT PALM

PHILADELPHIA, Mar. 12.—Miss Doris Bryden, daughter of John Bryden of Scranton, was rescued from drowning in the surf at Palm Beach, Fla., by Philander C. Knox Jr., son of the former secretary of state. Miss Bryden was caught in an undertow and being only a moderate swimmer, was carried to sea. Young Knox swam out and grasped the girl as she was sinking. They were both carried under but guards came to their aid.

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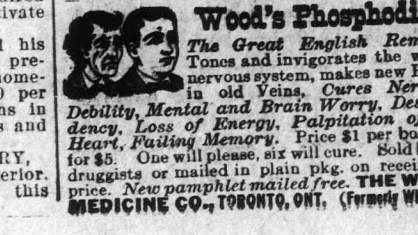
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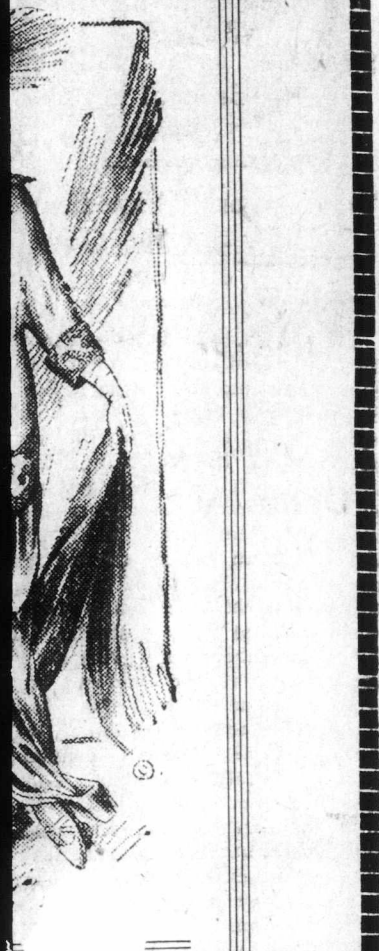
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ASTOR'S WEDDING.
NEW YORK, March 12.—The wedding of Miss Helen Dinsmore Huntington, and Vincent Astor, will be on April 30, it was announced. Friends of the family to-day. The ceremony will probably take place in the Church of St. Margaret in Astorburg, N.Y., and the reception be held at Hopland House, the home of the bride's parents, near Astorburg.

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