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Sun Rises Tomorrow, 5:27.
Sun Sets Tomorrow, 7:07.

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THIS MAN'S LIFE WAS A MYSTERY

Reverend Guycount Died in Victoria Hospital From an Attack of Pneumonia.

RELATIONS UNKNOWN

Well Educated and Came From England, but Nothing is Known of His History or Family.

Investigation into the life of a man who died in the Victoria Hospital, after a brief illness, has failed to reveal his history or family. The man, who was well educated and came from England, died of pneumonia. His name is not known, but he is believed to have been a stranger in the city. His death has caused much interest, as nothing is known of his life or family.

His Only Friend.
The man who died in the Victoria Hospital was found by a woman who was his only friend. She had been looking after him for some time, and was very kind to him. She is now looking for a place to live, and is hoping to find a home where she can live with her friend.

"ASSAULT-AT-ARMS" AT "Y" GYMNASIUM

Gymnastic Carnival Proved a Splendid Success.

The assault-at-arms and gymnastic carnival which was held at the "Y" gymnasium, on the 18th and 19th inst., proved to be a big success. As last night was the last performance, a large crowd turned up to see the "struggle." Some very difficult feats were performed by the young athletes and gymnasts. The programme consisted of a variety of gymnastic exercises, including horizontal bar, flying rings, tumbling, and other feats. The crowd was very large, and the performance was well received.

The final act consisted of artistic posing by Physical Director Sovereign, and the Thompson. Both are possessors of marked physical strength, especially the Thompson, who is only 16 years of age, but has won some of the best prizes in the line of physical culture.

WOODSTOCK PUZZLED BY A DISAPPEARANCE

Well-Known Young Man Has Not Been Seen Since April Ninth.

Woodstock, April 20.—Woodstock has been puzzled by the disappearance of a young man, who has not been seen since April ninth. The man, who is well known in the city, has been missing for some time, and his disappearance has caused much concern. His family is looking for him, and the police are also trying to find him.

CHICAGO MAN IS AFTER "INVERERIE"

Port Stanley Hotel Not Yet Leased for the Season.

The Invererie Hotel at Port Stanley has not yet been leased for the summer. The hotel is owned by a Chicago man, who is looking for a tenant. He is hoping to find a tenant who will lease the hotel for the summer season. The hotel is a large and comfortable one, and is well situated for tourists.

300 AUTOS TO VISIT LONDON

Big Touring Party From Detroit Will Stop Over Night Here in June.

OTHERS ARE COMING

Two Parties Already Practically Booked, Numbering 700 People in All With 500 Machines.

Five hundred automobile tourists in two parties will pay a visit to London during the last week in June and the first in July. The trip is an inter-city run around Lake Erie. The tourists will leave Detroit, come to London, and then go through Hamilton to Toronto, the Falls, Buffalo, Erie, Pa., Cleveland, Toledo, and back to Detroit.

It is expected that at least 700 people will take in the outing. "It is going to be a good thing for the city," said Mr. O'Neill. "I am at the present time making the necessary arrangements for the entertainment of so many guests. It is a big order, but we expect to have little or no difficulty in making satisfactory arrangements. All the local hotels will be asked to provide rooms for the guests."

FIRE CHIEF'S SHOULDER BONE WAS SPLINTERED

Injury He Sustained in Recent Accident Was a Serious One.

Fire Chief Aitken had his injured shoulder examined by the X-ray machine today, and it was discovered that the bone was splintered. The injuries are not very serious, but it will be some time before he is able to return to his duties.

JUNE BUG MAY PROVE A SERIOUS DANGER

But Farmers Advocate Representative Says Farmers Have Not Yet Complain.

"I should not be surprised," said Mr. W. D. Albright, of the Farmer's Advocate, today, "if the June bug should become a serious menace this year. For the last two years the ground has been infested with the grubs of which, the June bug is known to be the parent, and if they are more numerous this season than other years, it is not to be wondered at. We are only beginning to hear of the grubs in question. Nor have we heard of the grubs in any reports to effect that these grubs are more numerous than usual this year. Possibly the reports which have appeared are exaggerated."

THE MOROCCO SITUATION.

Paris, April 20.—The situation in Morocco, resulting from the rebellion against Sultan Mulai Hafid, has led to talk of French intervention by sending an army to the gates of Fez. The French Government, however, has not reached any decision of this nature.



DR. CLAUDE BROWN, President of the Irish Benevolent Society of London.

FEDERATION OF RAILWAY WORKERS

Movement Launched at Toronto to Take in All Staffs.

LESSON OF RECENT STRIKE

Two-Thirds of Shopmen of Toronto Are Prepared to Join New Organization.

Toronto, April 20.—A big labor movement is being launched here, which plans the federation of all railway workers in one organization. At present the conductors, shopmen, switchmen, etc., have separate organizations. The new movement is being launched to take in all staffs, and to form a single organization for all railway workers.

SECRETARY WELDON IS NOW SATISFIED

\$1,000 for the Old Boys Will Be Available When Wanted.

Mr. James O. Weldon, secretary of the Old Boys' Association, is now satisfied with the result of the recent meeting. He has received a letter from the association, stating that \$1,000 will be available when wanted. This is a great relief to him, as he has been working hard to get the money for the association.

POLICE MAKING IT HOT FOR THE HORSE BEATERS

William Collins Fined By P. M. Graydon for Ill-Treating an Animal.

William Collins, a driver for a local patrol express, was fined \$2 and 50 cents by Deputy Magistrate Graydon this morning for cruelly ill-treating a horse by beating it. According to P. C. McCulloch, who laid the information, Collins had been beating the horse for some time, and the horse was in a very bad state of health.

THE WEATHER.

TOMORROW—FINE AND MILD. FORECASTS.
Toronto, April 20, 8 a.m.
Fresh northerly to westerly winds; fine and mild weather.
TEMPERATURES.
Past 24 Hours.
Stations. Max. Min. Weather.
Victoria. 56. 34. Clear.
Calgary. 50. 30. Fair.
Winnipeg. 48. 28. Fair.
Port Arthur. 50. 30. Fair.
Parry Sound. 50. 30. Fair.
Toronto. 50. 30. Fair.
Ottawa. 50. 30. Fair.
Montreal. 50. 30. Fair.
Father Point. 50. 30. Fair.

Japanese Idea of Canadian Geography

The ideas of the geography of Canada held by the people of foreign countries are very often amusing. This morning the Advertiser received a postcard from Japan, addressed as follows:

Meers, London Advertiser, London, Ontario, Montreal, Toronto, Canada.

The card, which was sent by H. H. Ogino, the Teikoku Daily News, Kitchikawa, Hikari, Osaka, Japan, nevertheless safely reached this great home paper, and carried the following request:

Osaka City, March 13, 1911.

My Dear Sir:
Please inform me by return of post the prices of the following your publishing news paper, "Sundays". Please send me one each a copy.

Very truly,
H. H. OGINO.

The Japanese gentleman will be accommodated, as copies of the Advertiser, together with the rates he asks for, have been mailed him.

THE GRAND TRUNK TO RAISE MORTGAGE OF THIRTY MILLION

Half of the Amount to Remain in the Treasury and the Balance To Be Issued, Directors Decide.

TRADE DEBATE TO BE CUT SHORT

Liberal Caucus Decides That It Need Little Further Vindication.

WELL INTO JULY BEFORE JOB'S DONE

Street Railway Company Is Criticised for Slow Work on the Pavements.

ONUS NOW ON OPPOSITION

Expected That Prorogation Will Be Reached by the 24th of May.

WESLEY SCOTT'S APPEAL IN TORONTO COURTS

Echo of a Famous Shooting Case in Township of Nissouri.

ELECTRICITY WRENCHED FIXTURES TO PIECES

Queer Antics of Hydro Power Owing to a Cross With London Electric "Juice."

INSURRECTO CHIEF REFUSES AN ARMISTICE

Will Not Discuss Peace Negotiations Until After Attack On Juarez.

PLEADS NOT GUILTY.

Toronto, Ont., April 20.—Herbert McLeach, the chauffeur, who is charged with manslaughter in the case of Edward Jacobs, the old man who was run down by an auto on Bloor and Clinton streets on March 3 last, pleaded not guilty this morning in the police court, and was remanded for one week.

POWER IS LACKING.

"We have little power over the company," declared Ald. Saunders. "But we will simply go ahead with our work, and fix our part of the streets up."

DELINE PLEADS GUILTY TO MANSLAUGHTER

Peterboro Wife Slayer Sentenced to Kingston for Life.

Peterboro, April 20.—On court being resumed today counsel for Deline, the murderer case, at consent of the crown, withdrew the plea of not guilty to murder and entered a plea of guilty to manslaughter.

Justice Teetzel sentenced Deline to imprisonment at Kingston for the rest of his natural life, but intimated that the prisoner might be released at some time, if examination by doctors showed him fit to be released.



LATE INSPECTOR FITZGERALD, who led the patrol which perished while en route from Fort McHenry to Dawson.

STEADY DEMAND FOR HOUSES!

Real Estate Sales Are Becoming More Numerous in London Now.

BUILDERS ARE OPTIMISTIC

Bankers Say There is a Good Demand for Money—Factories Are Very Busy.

Real estate dealers report a steady demand for houses and state that there is great activity in sales. Many important transfers have been taken place in the past few days, and a number of other deals are under way. This season will see a number of very fine new residences added to those already in the city. This is particularly the case in the north end, where several handsome homes are being built. There are a number also in South London, while in various places all through the city work is going on on new homes. The city architects state that they have a great many inquiries regarding new places and extensive improvements. They are looking forward to a good season.

Much Work in Sight.
Builders and contractors state that there is a good deal of work in sight, and that they are looking for plenty of business.

Manufacturers, without exception, are busy and many of them state that they have enough work on hand now to keep their factories running at full time far into the summer. Manufacturers say that the demand from the west surpasses anything they have ever known in the past, and orders have been, and are continuing to pour into local shops from all parts of the west. Many business men are complaining bitterly about the delays they are experiencing in getting supplies from outside firms.

It seems that all over the country the factories are working up to their full capacity," said one man. "We ordered iron and steel goods weeks ago and simply can't get them. We have tried to get what we need from other houses but have been advised that they are so swamped with earlier orders that they could not tell us when they could deliver what we require."

Skilled Help Scarce.
There seems to be a great scarcity of skilled help, and manufacturers are eagerly picking up any good men who present themselves.

"The situation is getting worse from a skilled help standpoint," said one manufacturer to The Advertiser. "Outside places are using every effort to get side pieces by using every kind of device. Not a day passes but some of our men get offers to go to Toronto or some other place. High wages are offered. This demand for help, together with the large number of men who have gone west, is going to cause a serious situation for the manufacturer before the season is over."

If we can't get help it means delay in filling our orders, and that is bad for business. There is lots of room in London for good mechanics and artisans."

Railways Optimistic.
The railroads are looking for the greatest season in their history. Business has been unusually good since the first of the year, and is steadily increasing.

Both Grand Trunk and C. P. R. officials state that business is better than it has been in years. Both the C. P. R. and Grand Trunk are employing many more men than usual on account of the number of extra trains they have had to put on to handle the rush of business.

Local wholesalers report a big demand for all kinds of goods. Collections, they state, are good, and merchants are buying freely. Drygoods wholesalers report that the demand for all party goods is very heavy. Shoe manufacturers are very busy, and have orders enough to keep them working full time ahead to keep the shoeing full time for months. Clear manufacturers state that trade is first-class and the outlook good for a splendid season.

Demand for Money.
Bankers state that there is a good demand for money for industrial development. Quite a number of persons, they state, are sending money to the west for purposes of speculation in real estate and farms. Conditions generally are good, and the indications are for a prosperous year.

No labor troubles are in sight in London at the present time. There is a lot of work, and quite a number of good men are being paid up to those paid in other cities. There is a great demand for young men and women in the factories, and a number of firms are constantly taking on all who apply.

INSURRECTO CHIEF REFUSES AN ARMISTICE

Will Not Discuss Peace Negotiations Until After Attack On Juarez.

El Paso, Texas, April 20.—Francisco I. Madero, rebel chief, refused absolutely to grant an armistice, as suggested by Dr. Gomez at Washington. He sent in word today that he would talk armistice after the battle of Juarez, and then only. At present a large force of Insurrectos is advancing on Juarez and a battle is expected at any moment.

Kennedy—Balden.
A very pretty wedding was celebrated last evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Balden, of 34 Adelaide street, when their daughter, Miss Nellie Balden, was united in marriage to Mr. Charles Wesley Kennedy of Brown City, Mich. The wedding ceremony was performed by Rev. H. H. Bingham, B.A., of Talbot Street Baptist Church. The bride was attended by her bridesmaids, Misses St. Thomas, while the groom was assisted by Mr. J. A. Clibborn, also of St. Thomas. About 25 guests were present. Mr. and Mrs. Kennedy left last night for Brown City, Mich., where they will reside.

Bible Society Convention.
The annual convention of the Canadian Bible Society and its various branches and auxiliaries will be held in Winnipeg on May 8 and 9. Among the delegates from London who will represent the Western Ontario Bible Society of this city are Rev. J. Gibson Inkster, B. A., and Mr. Edward Town.