

CITY WATER ON MOUNTAIN.

Residents Are Applying For it Again.

Medical Officer Wants Permanent Hospital For the Isolation of Smallpox Cases.

The east end mountain residents will make another effort this year to get the city to supply them with water and are confident that their request will be granted. The chief objection raised last year was that not enough money would be benefited by the installing of the system to justify the large expenditure. It is expected this will be overcome, however, as it is understood that the county residents for some distance east of the Wentworth street line on the mountain top are prepared to come into the city if supplied with water. The engineer's department estimated last year that it would cost about \$18,000 to install a service that would supply this part of the mountain. Mr. Barrow thinks if the county residents came into Hamilton the city would grant the request. A deputation will call on him this afternoon in connection with the matter.

Dr. Roberts, the Medical Health Officer, thinks that the best argument in favor of the building of a permanent smallpox hospital at once is the fact that it has cost the city over \$2,000 in the last month or two caring for patients quarantined in their homes and quartered at the temporary hospital in the west end. Provision for the building of the smallpox hospital was made in the \$75,000 by-law sanctioned by the city council a year ago, but the city did not sell the debentures on account of the stringency of the money market. The Finance Committee, however, recommended that the smallpox hospital should be built as soon as possible. "I am satisfied," he said, "that if we had half the number of cases we have had to handle. With a properly equipped hospital it would be possible to remove them at once, greatly lessening the danger of the disease spreading. Some think the fact that the doctor who is attending the cases mixes freely with people might help to spread the disease, but Dr. Roberts says there is not the slightest danger in this. "There has never been a second case," he declared, "when once the disease was pronounced smallpox, and a reasonable precaution was exercised."

The Board, he says has taken every precaution as regarded the release of patients and if anything has erred on the side of safety.

There are now seven cases, six of which are at the west end hospital. One woman is quarantined at her home on John street. The case of Mrs. Thompson, corner of Elgin and Cannon streets, was first diagnosed as typhoid fever, but Dr. Roberts pronounced it smallpox yesterday. Dr. Roberts says only one of Mr. J. Abert's sons is suffering from smallpox. They resided at 188 Queen street north. One of the boys has recovered from what was first thought to be chickenpox, but which the doctor is sure was mild smallpox.

Hon. J. M. Gibson and City Solicitor Waddell got together this afternoon in an effort to reach a satisfactory arrangement about the Radial bill. The city will likely make an effort to get the company to consent to the side lines in Barton, if such are built, becoming part of the street railway. It is very doubtful if the company will agree to this.

Of course, it was long ago explained that the statement made by Ald. Farrar, to the effect that Mayor Stewart had carried around \$80 of expense money and had kept it in his pocket until he (Ald. Farrar) had brought the matter up in committee was incorrect. The fact is, Mayor Stewart left the waterworks deputation, for which the money had been drawn before it had completed its labors, and handed the money over to the secretary. The Mayor stated this morning that he intended to make Ald. Farrar retract.

F. W. Bird & Son took out a permit this morning for a frame building adjoining their works in East Hamilton, to cost \$3,700.

The Fire and Water Committee will have a special meeting to-night to open tenders for the new electric pumps to be installed at the Beach this year.

COPETOWN CASE.

Shooting Will be Investigated in Court at Dundas.

William Mullen, of Copetown, was arraigned before Mayor Moss at Dundas this morning, charged with shooting with intent to do bodily harm. The complainant was Nelson Cope, of the same place. Defendant pleaded not guilty. The shooting is alleged to have taken place last Saturday in the home of Cope. The parties are brothers-in-law. Some necessary witnesses were unable to attend this morning, and the case was adjourned until Saturday next.

A sufficient sum of money has been subscribed to put in a bath at the Dundas fire hall, for the benefit of the firemen.

Sensational Clothing Sale. Premium on cash. It will pay you to bring your money here if you want to buy a suit or overcoat at a big saving. 100 dark grey cheviot overcoats, worth \$8, for \$4.98. \$15 men's suits at \$8.98. 100 pairs men's strong, dark colored tweed pants at 79c. 50 men's high grade overcoats, worth \$24, at \$15. 75 men's black beaver overcoats, worth \$16, at \$9.98.—Fralick & Co., 13 and 15 James street north.

No, Maude, dear; the peroxide blonde has no ground for claiming that she is merely following the golden rule.

Wagg-Bjones is absolutely blind to his own interests. Wagg—Yes; I've noticed he is always looking for trouble.

The Bank of British North America

Established 1836. Incorporated by Royal Charter 1840. Total assets over \$50,000,000.

The Barton Street Branch of this Bank has removed and is now open for business in the new premises at the corner of Barton street east and Westinghouse avenue.

Special attention is paid to the Savings Department

Money orders issued and general banking business transacted.

BRANCHES IN HAMILTON: 12 King Street East. Corner Victoria Avenue and King Street East. Corner Westinghouse Avenue and Barton Street.

TEA TABLE GOSSIP.

The condition of Wm. H. Alford, Brantford, remains the same. There are slight hopes of his recovery.

Mr. B. L. Sweet, of Rochester, who has been visiting his brother, Mr. Dave Sweet, returned home yesterday.

Mr. John A. Bruce's Christmas donation of \$2 to the Boys' Home was, by an oversight, omitted from the list printed on Monday.

Mr. George Buskin acknowledges the receipt of \$71 from friends in Hamilton, and \$17 from Dundas, towards the Colportage Mission.

Miss Annie McManus, of East avenue north, left Saturday for Buffalo and Rochester, N. Y., where she will spend some time visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. Frank E. Winfield, late of Calgary, and now a member of the firm of Young, Winfield, Limited, manufacturers of jelly powder, spice, coffee, etc., is permanently located in the city.

The flag on the Orange Hall is flying at half-mast out of respect to the late E. A. Dalley, who was an honorary member of L. G. L. No. 554, and also a member of Royal Black Preceptory No. 148.

A street car ran into a baker's wagon on Barton street this afternoon, below Wentworth street, with dire results to the wagon and the load of bread it contained. The man and horse escaped, and the car was not seriously damaged.

This week's issue of the Ontario Gazette contains notice of the re-appointment of Messrs. J. Orr Callaghan, E. A. Dalley and Thomas Fanning as License Commissioners for Hamilton. The order was made on January 9th, four days before Mr. Dalley's death.

Mr. B. Leckie, brother of Mr. W. R. Leckie and Mr. C. Leckie, of this city, and who has just completed his term as chairman of the Board of Education of Stratford, entertained the members of the Board at his home on Monday evening.

John Welch, George street, who was found unconscious on the Market square on Saturday, is still in the City Hospital, but it is thought he is on the road to recovery. His skull was fractured, and so far he has been unable to give a lucid account of how it happened.

White dress shirts (Took's make), one each five and one fifty, at waugh's, post office opposite.

Sale of colored shirts at waugh's, new patterns, fifty and seventy-five cents.

Get the latest hat at waugh's.

The Barton Street Branch of the Bank of British North America has removed to the handsome new premises at the corner of Westinghouse avenue and Barton street east. The branch of the Public Library will shortly be established in the premises vacated by the bank at the corner of Barton street and Fullerton avenue.

Last evening the O. C. H. C. held its regular meeting, when Bro. P. M. Patterson, Supreme Organizer, paid an official visit and gave a lengthy talk on the Home Circle in general. Officers elected in December were installed by Past Leader Robt. Paisley, after which a pleasant hour was spent. Bro. Patterson was tendered a hearty vote of thanks for his splendid address.

DEBATE TO-MORROW NIGHT.

Arrangements are all made for the debate at the Liberal Club to-morrow night, on the municipal ownership of the street railway system. The affirmative will be upheld by H. L. Lazier and Charles Peebles, and the negative by J. A. Soule and J. R. Marshall. The debate will be held at the Liberal quarters, Arcade building.

Women on Railroad Track.

The locomotive engineer has many things to look out for and numerous nerve racking experiences, but there is nothing in the whole category of his troubles that he dreads quite as much as the presence of a woman on the track ahead.

The speaker was Assistant General Manager Hustis, of the Boston and Albany. He was riding in his observation engine with a number of officials and reporters on a tour of inspection. A woman crossed the track about 200 yards ahead, hesitated, recrossed and waited till the train passed.

"There," continued Mr. Hustis, "is an illustration of what is happening every day. You saw how the engineer slowed up when he saw that woman on the track. He knew just what she would do. But if he hadn't seen her or anticipated her action she might have had a narrow escape."

"I have ridden thousands of miles on the front of our observation engines and I have seen hundreds of women do that same thing. No one can explain why it is, but if a woman sees a train coming when she is crossing the track she will invariably go across and stand in the place from which she started."

From the Boston Herald.

Roosevelt's Witticism.

A witticism was attributed the other day in Washington to the President. A young man, the story goes, during a call at the White House, told the President that he had been married the year before and was already the father of a boy. "I congratulate you," said the President. "I am sure you find it pleasant to be a loving sire than a sighing lover."

THE WEATHER.

FORECASTS.—Southernly winds; light local snow falls. Thursday, high north-west winds and becoming much colder.

The following is issued by the Department of Marine and Fisheries:

Table with 3 columns: Location, Temperature (a. m., Min., Max.), and Weather. Locations include Calgary, Winnipeg, Parry Sound, Toronto, Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec, Father Point, and Port Arthur.

WEATHER NOTES.

A pronounced cold wave has appeared over the western provinces, and from present indications is likely to spread eastward behind a disturbance now moving across the great lakes. Zero temperatures are general this morning from the Ottawa valley to New Brunswick.

Washington, Jan. 16.—Forecasts: Eastern States and Northern New York: Snow in north; rain or snow in south, portion to-night and Thursday; warmer to-night; colder Thursday in western portion; fresh to brisk south to southwest winds.

Western New York: Rain or snow to-night and Thursday; warmer to-night; colder Thursday.

The following is the temperature as registered at Parke & Parke's drug store:

9 a. m., 30; 12 noon, 35; 2 p. m., 37. Lowest in 24 hours, 22.

SAME DATE LAST YEAR.

Fresh northerly to northeasterly winds; mostly fair and much colder; local snow flurries.

AT LIVE BIRDS.

Scores Made at Gun Club Tourney To-day.

(Continued from Page 9.)

The weather conditions at the Hamilton Gun Club grounds this morning were all that could be desired. To-day's card is made up of live bird events, including the first set in the great Canadian handicap. Up to 2 o'clock only one event was finished, event No. 1, at 10 live birds. Two of the shooters made straight strings. The scores were:

Blackwell 7, 49; 6, Jennings 9, Dar-ton 7, Burns 7, Wakefield 9, Dunk 7, Marsh 9, Scott 7, R. Day 10, Canton 7, J. C. Smith 9, Horning 7, Laing 7, Sid-way 6, "Ben" 11, S. Tillman 9, Webb 7, Huntsberry 9, Reardon 8, King 7, Vivian 9, Stewart 9, Woodward 8, Taylor 10, Harper 7, George Stroud 8, Wilcox 9, Gompf 7, Fletcher 10, Eckford 9, Dr. Wilson 8, Bates 9, Upton 9, B. Scott 8, Card 9, Mariatt 9, Wade 7, McEithe 10, Norris 8, Stoddard 6, Morrison 7, Fisher 8, Sterling 4.

Jordan hockey team went to Grimsby last night for game with the village team. J. Heury, of Jordan, was referee. Grimsby won by 18 to 1.

A Homing Pigeon Club, to encourage pigeon racing, will be held on Friday night. Persons desirous to join are requested to send their names to 141 East avenue north.

New York, Jan. 15.—Ora Morningstar (500), won and lost yesterday in the three-cornered handicap billiard tournament, 18.2 inch style, at Maurice Daly's billiard parlors.

In the night game he defeated Thomas Gallagher (400) in twenty-five innings, by 500 to 272. His best effort netted him a high run of 87, with an average of 25.

The Sherman Avenue Stars hockey team challenge any team whose average age is 14 years to a game next Saturday.

The honest coal man keeps to the right of weight.

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We solicit the accounts of manufacturers, business men and individuals, and shall be pleased to meet or correspond with those who contemplate making changes or opening new accounts.

W. K. PEARCE, Manager.

Markets and Finance.

Toronto, Jan. 15, 1908. (Received by A. E. Carpenter.)

Table with 3 columns: Commodity, Price, and Change. Items include Buffalo, Cobalt Lake, Comigas, Foster, Green Meehan, Kerr Lake, Nipissing, Nova Scotia, Red Rock, Silver Leaf, Silver Ber, Silver Queen, and Theteway.

COBALT STOCK BOUGHT AND SOLD

Private wire to Toronto. A. E. CARPENTER & CO. 102 King St. East HAMILTON

Toronto, Jan. 15, noon. (Received by A. E. Carpenter.)

Table with 3 columns: Bank, Sellers, Buyers. Banks include Commerce, Dominion, Hamilton, Imperial, Sovereign, New York, Twin City, Bell Telephone, and Can. Gen. Elec.

Steamship Arrivals.

January 14.—Minneapolis—At London, from New York. Korea—At Libau, from New York. United States—At Christianand, from New York.

Victoria—At Hamburg, from New York. Barbora—At Bremen, from New York. Kronland—At Antwerp, from New York. Kron Prinz Wilhelm—At Cherbourg, from New York.

Caronia—At Gibraltar, from New York. Hamburg—At Gibraltar, from New York. Koenig Luit—At Gibraltar, from New York. Buenos Ayres—At Portland, from Liverpool.

Infon—At St. John, from Liverpool. Empress of Japan—At Hong Kong, from Vancouver.

Batavia—At Cape Race, from Liverpool. New York, Jan. 15.—Arrived: Samsland, from Antwerp. Montreal, Jan. 15.—P. R. S. Lake Champlain bound for Liverpool passed last night 1 p. m. Wednesday.

Wigg—I am sure she paints and powders, but do you think she pencils her eyebrows? Wagg—I think that's where she draws the line.

Doctor—I think I shall prescribe a tonic for your nerves now. Convalsencing Patient—What's the matter? Are you going to send in your bill?

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DEATHS

BIRD—At her late residence, Hamilton Road, Mary Ann, beloved wife of Jas. H. Bird, in her 71st year. Funeral at Dundas Monday, Jan. 13th, 1908. (Toronto papers please copy.)

CAMPBELL—At Waterdown on Tuesday Jan. 14th, 1908, Ann Alderson, wife of Thos. Campbell, in her 64th year. Funeral from her late residence on Friday, Jan. 17th, at 2 p. m. to Waterdown Cemetery.

MARSHALL—In Saltfleet on Tuesday, January 14th, 1908, Jane, beloved wife of Samuel Marshall, in her 60th year. Funeral Thursday at one o'clock from her late residence, Papineau, Methodist Church for the service and interment.

MITCHELL—At the City Hospital, on Tuesday, 14th January, 1908, Isabella, wife of David Mitchell, aged 78 years. Funeral from her son-in-law's residence, 185 Stanley Ave., Thursday at 2 p. m. Interment at Hamilton Cemetery.

RICHARDS—In this city on Monday, Jan. 13th, 1908, Catharine, daughter of the late Goddard H. and Mary Richards. Funeral from her mother's residence, 212 MacNab Street North, Thursday at 3.30 p. m. (Private.)

ROY—At his home 25 Duke St., on Monday, January 13th, 1908, Alexander William Roy, eldest son of the late Robert Roy, in his 55th year. Funeral Thursday at 2 p. m. Interment at Hamilton Cemetery.

WRIGHT—At his late residence, 24 Victoria Ave. North, on Tuesday, 14th January, 1908, Edwin T. Wright, in his 55th year. Funeral Thursday at 2 p. m. Interment at Hamilton Cemetery.

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A special meeting of the above lodge will be held Thursday, 1.15 p. m. sharp, in I. O. O. F. Hall, 24 John Street North, for the purpose of arranging for and attending the funeral of our late Brother, J. A. Rogers, 232 Main Street West. Members of the lodge are invited to attend. A. T. BEEMER, J. M. IREDALE, Noble Grand, Rec. Sec.

THE ONTARIO FISH AND GAME PROTECTIVE ASSOCIATION

The annual meeting will be held, Monday, 20th January, 1908, at the Royal Hotel, 8.15 p. m.

Mr. E. Kelley Evans will address the meeting. Work of outside branches. Food fish for the people. Remember Date. THOS. UPTON, WILLIAM HENDRIE, Pres. Secy.

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There are still some splendid coats here yet (see them in our windows), our regular \$20, \$24, \$25, \$27 and \$30 coats, and they will be sold at \$2 on the 28th if not before at a higher figure. Pick out your coat now while your size is here and the price less than half what it ought to be.

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