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HEADS AND FIGURE-HEADS.

The Telegram, not being able to understand a good policy, or else preferring to support a half-measure of its own, constantly and deliberately misrepresents the World's desire for good government. The Telegram cannot find one word against Commissioner Harris in The World's columns.

The World does not expect to be disappointed in Commissioner Harris. But Commissioner Harris will not be able to change the nature of the Toronto City Council nor the board of control, nor will he be able to carry out progressive measures when the gentlemen of the city government find their ward politics stand in the way of progressive measures.

The World's proposal has been to appoint five men—not three—at \$25,000 a year each, to take charge of the legal, the finance, the engineering, the sanitary and the electrical and transportation departments of the city government.

The truth is that the Telegram has been the "apologist and defender" of city hall ways for years, and its efforts to shift its reputation to the World deceives nobody.

At least among the more responsible sections of United States public opinion no disposition is observable to cavil at the action of the British Government in requesting that the bill regarding the operation of the Panama Canal be held over pending the receipt of an official note on the subject.

parties constructing or owning the canal should impose no other charges or conditions of traffic than the contracting governments should approve of as just and reasonable, and that the canals or railways "being open to the citizens and subjects of the United States and Great Britain on equal terms shall also be open on like terms to the citizens and subjects of every other state which is willing to grant thereto such protection as the United States and Great Britain engage to afford."

No doubt appears possible regarding the intent and meaning of these provisions. They impose an obligation on the United States to refrain from exercising any discrimination either in its own or its citizens' favor or in favor of any other particular state or states, or the citizens thereof, to the prejudice of the remainder of the nations accepting observing the rules.

The return from the federal treasury of rates charged on United States shipping may be argued as within its technical rights, although an evident evasion of the spirit of the agreement.

It was a good idea of the department of education to entertain the visiting party of Scottish teachers. They received much hospitality in Quebec and Ottawa, and the Toronto Board of Education and the principals' association have identified themselves with the friendly attentions now being extended to the travelers.

Bank Bills in Coat Forgotten Until Too Late. NIAGARA FALLS, Ont., July 14.—(Special)—Mrs. J. Devlin decided her husband's old clothes should be removed from their home, so she and John took them in the river last night.

Some bathers on the beach at Ward's Island on Sunday afternoon picked up a corked sealed water bottle containing a piece of paper on which was written "Please return to J. Hovey, Charlotte, N.Y. It contains interesting to learn when and where the bottle was cast adrift and how long it took for it to cross the lake to Ward's Island. The paper is forwarded to the address given and Mr. Hovey asked to give this information."

CROWD TO STAY IN GRAND STAND

Every Precaution Taken to Prevent Accidents at Speed Meeting on Exhibition Track Next Saturday.

Speed and safety are the two things which the organizers of the auto meet, which is to be held next Saturday at Exhibition Park, have managed to secure. As to speed and excitement, there is no doubt, for such men as Louis Dierow, Joe Niere, Hill Endicott and others are coming with their powerful machines. As to safety, the organizers and the police have devised a plan. All spectators will have to take seats in the grand stand, but as it is spacious and comfortable, having a capacity of 15,000 persons, there will be ample room for those who wish to put in a good afternoon's sport.

Heat Wave Breaks Records in England

Hottest Weather This Year is Experienced of Londoners—Experts Say Humidity Will Continue.

LONDON, July 15.—England, like Canada, is experiencing a heat wave. The highest temperatures yesterday were, at 1 p.m., 87 in the shade and 122 in the sun. This being the highest since Sept. 8, 1911, when 81 degrees in the shade was registered. The heat yesterday made the heat overwhelming and oppressive.

Deaf Mute Killed By G. T. R. Special

Did Not Hear Train Fast Approaching and Died Hours After Thru Broken Back.

BELLEVILLE, July 15.—An old man named Hutchison, who was walking on the track of the G.T.R. Midland division, was struck and killed by a special train carrying an excursion of Orangemen to Estero, about 9 o'clock yesterday. His back was broken and he died about 70 hours later, his back being broken.

Dancers Have An Exciting Slide

Floor Collapses When Wedding Feast Was at Its Height, But None Were Injured.

LONDON, July 15.—(Special)—An exciting experience befell a wedding party in the Hickling House in the working class district of Nottingham on Saturday night.

PRONUNCIATIONS PLAINLY GIVEN

This Helps Father and Mother as Well as the Children and Keeps Them From Stumbling.

Nothing is so distracting as to be unable to pronounce unusual names which we come across in reading. Not only does this detract from our reading, but when we have to "stumble" over words the entire sense is lost.

SCARBORO'S FINE SHOW

Largest Crowd of Season Heard Navarres Ladies' Band Yesterday.

Probably the largest crowd that ever visited Scabro Beach was on the grounds last evening to hear the concert given by the Navarres Ladies' Band. Fifty thousand people were present. The feature of the program was the singing of Miss Gilda McCoy, who made so many friends thru the week as one of the famous girl quartets.

CHEESE MARKETS.

COWANSVILLE, July 15.—At the regular meeting of the Eastern Townships Dairyman's Association, held here this afternoon, fifteen factories boarded eight hundred and eighty-six packages of butter and sixty-six packages of cheese. Two buyers present.

Faulty Construction Destroyed Airship

Examination Proves That Sun's Rays Did Not Cause Expansion of Gas in Vandeman's Balloon.

ATLANTIC CITY, N.J., July 15.—The explosion of the gas envelope of Melvin Vandeman's airship here on July 13, which caused the death of its crew and the destruction of the airship, was due, not to the action of the sun's rays, as at first was believed, but to a fault in construction which allowed the expanding gas to exhaust directly over the exhaust of the propeller engines, thus igniting it.

GENTRY SHOWS REACH TORONTO

An Army of Small Boys Was on Hand to Watch Trains Unloaded and See Animals.

In the parlance of the showman, "Toronto Junior" was on the job early yesterday morning to welcome Gentry Brothers' shows. When dawn came there was a crowd of youngsters waiting at Bloor-street and the Grand Trunk tracks to welcome the incoming attraction.

Burns Finds Graft In South Carolina

San Francisco Cases Infinitesimal Compared With Charges Against Governor Bleas.

AUGUSTA, Ga., July 13.—Charges against Governor Cole Bleas of South Carolina, were made to-day by Wm. Burns, a detective, before a special committee of the South Carolina Legislature investigating the old state dispensary system.

O. Henry's Stories

A large number of Sunday World subscribers are interested in the late O. Henry's stories, and the series commenced this week, which will appear from time to time will prove very attractive.

Men's Attire the Acme of Ugliness

London Critic Condemns the Tendency Towards Ornamental Clothing.

LONDON, July 13.—(Special)—Modern fashions were criticized by Mr. J. Grant Ramsay yesterday in a lecture at the Institute of Hygiene, on "Dress and Clothing in Summer."

Jeff Peters As A Personal Magnet

"Magnet" is the title of the story which will appear in next week's issue of The Sunday World.



The Lager that is driving Imported beers out of Canada.

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Spain Must Respect New Republic and Neutrality Laws. Powers Reach Madrid, Which Demands Strict Recognition of International Law.

LISBON, July 13.—According to the Portuguese newspapers, Spain has received a collective note from England and France pointing out the principle of international law which obliges Spain to respect the Republic of Portugal and to enforce neutrality on the frontier.

Wonderful Property of Radium Discovered

Young German Chemist Changes Color of Several Precious and Semi-Precious Stones.

LONDON, July 12.—(Special)—Still another wonderful property of radium has now to be placed on record—the property of being able to change the color of precious and semi-precious stones.

How to Remove Warts by a Painless Remedy

Don't allow these unsightly excrescences to spoil the beauty of your hands or arms. Remove them painlessly and for all time by applying Putnam's Wart Remedy.

Excursion Train Saved. PETERBORO, Ont., July 13.—Albert Reynolds of Springville, while walking on the C.P.R. tracks, noticed a spreader. He hurried to notify a section gang and repairs were completed just before an excursion train of eight coaches came along on its way to Peterboro.

ESTABLISHED JOHN G. MID-CLEAN WASH

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