

MARRIED IN OLD LONDON.

Wedding of J. B. Gillies and Miss Roach To-day.

A Number of Hamilton People Attended the Event.

Armstrong-Weldon and Foole-Knox Weddings In This City.

The marriage took place in London, England, to-day of Mr. James Bunting Gillies, of the wholesale stationery house of Bunting, Gillies & Co., this city, and Miss A. Isabel Roach, daughter of the late ex-Mayor George Roach. The ceremony took place in St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, the pastor, Rev. H. A. Cumberlege, officiating. There were present at the wedding two sisters of the bride, Miss Louise Roach and Mrs. Leslie, and two sisters of the groom, the Misses Daisy and Bella Gillies; also Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Okashott, and a number of the relations of the bride residing in England. Mr. and Mrs. Gillies will return to Canada in about three weeks, and will take up their residence in the Roach homestead, Barton street.

ARMSTRONG-WELDON. A quiet wedding took place at Centenary Church last evening at 7 o'clock, when Mr. Robert Armstrong was married to Miss Susan Weldon, youngest daughter of Mrs. F. Weldon, 62 Garth street. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. V. Smith, D. D. The bride was unattended, wearing a travelling suit of navy blue and a large green hat. Her bouquet was of pink and white carnations. Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong were the recipients of a large number of costly and beautiful presents, including a silver pudding dish, cold meat fork and a pair of hand-painted salt and pepper shakers from the employees of Stanley Mills & Co., and a Japanese tea service, salad set and fruit dish from the Duncan Lithographing Co., with whom Mr. Armstrong was employed. A surprise party met them at their new home, 68 Holton avenue, where they will reside.

FOOTE-KNOX. Yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock the wedding of Miss Cecelia Knox, youngest daughter of Mr. John Knox, police sergeant, and Mr. William Foote, was solemnized at the residence of the bride's parents, 530 James street north. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. A. Wilson, and there were about fifty guests present, including many from outside the city. The bride was handsomely gowned in white silk mull and her bouquet consisted of bridal roses. The bridesmaid was her sister, Miss Lottie Knox, who wore a dress of peach silk and carried pink roses. The groomsmen were Mr. George Foote, the brother of the groom, and Mr. William Foote, the bride's brother. The bride was escorted to the altar by Mr. Smith, and the groomsmen were Mr. George Foote, the brother of the groom, and Mr. William Foote, the bride's brother. The bride was escorted to the altar by Mr. Smith, and the groomsmen were Mr. George Foote, the brother of the groom, and Mr. William Foote, the bride's brother.

A PRETTY WEDDING. A very pretty wedding took place yesterday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler, Appleton, when their only daughter, Hannah Mae, was married to Mr. John Dick, of Hamilton, in the presence of about seventy-five guests. The ceremony was held under an arch of asters and ivy, by Rev. Mr. Smith, of Appleton. The bride was attended by Miss Ida Hamilton, while Mr. Leslie Dick supported the groom. The bride looked charming in a gown of white Zephyrine, with veil and orange blossoms. The bridesmaid was also charmingly dressed in pale green mull. The groom's gift to the bride was a gold locket and chain; to the bridesmaid, a pearl ring, and to the groomsmen a pair of gold cuff links. After the wedding the guests sat down to a delightful repast, at which a number of toasts were given. The gifts to the bride were numerous and beautiful, showing the esteem in which she is held.

ST. CATHARINES WEDDING. St. Catharines, Ont., Sept. 30.—(Special.)—A pretty wedding took place at the home of Mrs. Henry Moyer yesterday afternoon, when her daughter, Austella, was married to Harry L. Coussé, of Ridgeway, formerly of Beamsville, Rev. A. L. Huddleston conducted the ceremony. Miss Elsie Moyer, of Thorold, niece of the groom, played the Wedding March, while Miss Gertrude Tallman, of Beamsville, was bridesmaid, and Ernest McMann, of Thorold, best man.

C. B. LINTON.

Well-Known Insurance Man Is Retiring To-day.

Mr. C. B. Linton, general agent of the Mutual Life Assurance Company of Canada in this city, retires from the company's service to-day, on account of the condition of his health, after having been with the company for many years. In an official notice the company expresses its high appreciation of his long and able service and announces that his successor, Mr. W. L. Lundy, will assume the duties to-morrow. Mr. Lundy is also a man of long experience.

The Art

Of catsup making made easy by the use of Parke's catsup flavor. It flavors and preserves a bushel of tomatoes, leaving the natural red color of the tomato in the finished catsup. Catsup made with Parke's catsup flavor never ferments nor sours. 25c per bottle.—Parke & Parke, druggists.

FELL ON SAW.

Alfred Dayton Terribly Injured at Caledonia Yesterday.

Alfred Dayton, of Caledonia, accidentally fell across a circular saw in a lumber mill there yesterday, and besides having his right arm completely severed above the elbow, he had a cut extending from his left armpit across the shoulder with a large piece of flesh cut right out over the shoulder blade. The cuts about the arm required 75 stitches. His injuries were attended to at the City Hospital, and in spite of the seriousness of them, doctors think he will recover.

VERY SMALL.

A Record In Cost of Jurors at the Assizes.

Mr. Archibald Cochrane, county treasurer, announced this morning that the sum paid to the grand jury at the assizes just closed, for its services, amounted to \$103.20, and to the petit jury \$227.40, making a total of \$330.60. This is said to be the smallest amount paid for this purpose in years. The explanation lies in the small number of cases before the court and the rapid disposal of cases by Chief Justice Meredith. The cost to the county for the jury pay is about \$400 less than last assizes.

TAGLERINO COMMITTED.

On Charge of Cutting and Wounding John Deak.

Wrong Man Summoned In a Gore Park Case.

Auto Speeding Case From the Township of East Flamboro.

John Taglerino, 398 Sherman avenue north, was arraigned again this morning in Magistrate Jelfs' court on a charge of cutting and wounding John Deak, on Saturday night, Sept. 19.

Deak said he, in company with two other Poles, went into the prisoner's store to buy some tobacco on the night in question, when some Italians in the store said, "Get out of here, you Poles!" Someone then threw a bottle at him (Deak). The prisoner came out of a side room with a long stake about four feet long and three inches thick (which was produced), and poked him with it twice. A general mix-up followed, in which razors were hurled.

Witness said a boarder at the place cut him with a razor, while Taglerino stood between them and the door with a club, to prevent him escape.

Dr. Simpson, assistant to Dr. Rennie, told of being called, and described the injuries.

John Komanda and Janze Boreta, the two other Poles in the mix-up, corroborated the story of the complainant.

P. C. Springer and Clark told of being called to the store at 9.20 p. m. There were no men around, but only the women relatives of the prisoner and boarders.

The officers then told of seeing a quantity of blood outside the store. They followed a trail to a house on Imperial street and found Deak, badly cut, who said Taglerino was his assailant.

A. M. Lewis appeared for the prisoner, pleaded not guilty, and declined to elect. He was committed to trial.

ON TRIAL.

Mr. and Mrs. Maher Will Get Two Children Back.

Judge Snider announced this morning that he would allow Mr. and Mrs. Charles Maher to have their children, who were given in charge of the Children's Aid Society, and would give the parents a chance to prove themselves capable of taking proper care of them. In time they give satisfactory proof of good conduct and proper care of the children, he intimated that he would also have the other children, now in private homes, returned to them. He has instructed the secretary of the Children's Aid Society to ascertain the condition of those in foster homes and report to him. His honor is of the opinion that the parents are the best parties to care for the children, if they do what is right.

OUR OYSTERS.

Our oysters are fine, you will think so if you once try them. Their flavor will make you hungry, shucked the day they are caught, then hurried on to us by express in sealed packages that are ice-lined. The selects are large fat ones. The standards as large as ordinary selects. Haddie and cisceos arrived to-day. Bain & Adams.

A Long Time at It.

An experience of over thirty-two years gives us a decided advantage at peace's pipe store. We can offer you some bargains in good briar pipes at the headquarters, 107 King street east.

KILLED TWO AND HIMSELF.

Connecticut Man Shot His Brother a Doctor.

Then Killed His Sister and Took His Own Life.

Murderer Was Annoyed Over Hindrance at Telephone.

South Woodstock, Conn., Sept. 30.—Dr. Armande Brunn, who was shot by his brother, Constantine F. Brunn, last night, died to-day from the bullet wound, and his death made the third one in the tragedy enacted in the country residence of the doctor. Constantine Brunn, after shooting the doctor, killed his sister, Freida, and then going into another room ended his own life with the same pistol.

Dr. Brunn was very widely known in this section. He was a former representative to the General Assembly, besides holding several other elective positions in the town and county. The two men and their sister were the sons and daughter of a former New York business man.

To-day it was stated that Constantine Brunn had a very quick and violent temper, but that it should have led to the tragedy was beyond comprehension. The doctor lived a quarter of a mile from Constantine. Last night, apparently, Constantine received a message from his wife, who is visiting in Brooklyn, N. Y. He went to Dr. Brunn's house and asked one of the maids what she knew about the telegram. She replied that she knew nothing of it. Brunn seemed to be angry because he could not get a reply on the telephone to a call he had tried to make over the telephone. Leaving the maid, Brunn walked into the reading room, and, drawing a revolver, shot at his sister, Freida, who was a guest. The shot went wild. Dr. Brunn stepped in to shield his sister from a second shot, and this struck him. Constantine then shot and killed his sister, and walking to the front room turned the pistol on himself. The scene was enacted in a moment.

Constantine Brunn was a retired business man. He leaves a wife and two sons. The sister, Freida, lived in Brooklyn, and had been visiting here during the summer.

FULLY 1600.

Great Crowd From Brantford on the Mills' Excursion.

Stanley Mills & Co. this morning had a record crowd from Brantford at the opening of the 17th semi-annual Managers' sale. At 9 o'clock seven cars filled to capacity left the station at Brantford and made a good trip to this city. So large was the crowd at the station at Brantford that accommodation for all could not be found in the cars and between 200 or 300 had to wait for the cars which left at 1 o'clock. The afternoon cars were also filled and altogether about 1,500 or 1,600 people enjoyed the Stanley Mills & Co. trip. From now until to-morrow week the company will have an excursion every day. The places from which the excursions will be run include Dundas, Oakville, Grimsby, Beamsville and Ancaster. To-morrow the excursion will be from Burlington.

COURT OVER.

Judgment For Full Amount Against R. A. Campbell.

The last case to come up at the present assizes was an action brought by Frederick C. Smith against Robert A. Campbell. The plaintiff allowed the defendant the use of the house and property, No. 108 George street, but had made no agreement as to rent, etc. The defendant took possession of the house and on October 21, 1908, the plaintiff alleges he notified Campbell that the rent would be \$30 a month, and water rates, which, he said, was a fair and reasonable rate. The defendant, however, did not comply with the terms of the notice, and did not pay the water rates, consequently on May 25 Mr. Smith entered action for \$205 rent and all arrears of water rates, and for possession of the house. The defendant did not appear in court, and after hearing the evidence of the plaintiff, His Lordship gave judgment for all that was asked, \$351.50 and costs.

NEARLY 400.

Good Turnout of the Highlanders For Drill.

The attendance at the parade of the 91st Regiment last evening was good, and after a march out the regiment returned to the armories for practice in battalion drill in preparation for the fall inspection, which takes place in the forepart of November. The parade state was as follows: Lieut.-Col. Bruce, Majors McLaren and Roberts, Adjutant Capt. Bell, Quartermaster Somerville, Surgeon Captain Dickson and McEvedy, Chaplain Dr. Drummond, staff sergeants B. A. 28, B. 23, C. 26, D. 30, E. 21, F. 28, G. 21, H. 35, buglers 26, pipers 13, brass band 31, bearers, 14, total 284.

The Man in Overalls.

I suppose the Mayor's outing party avoided the Jolley Cut on Tuesday. The grand jurors might have included it in their presentation to His Lordship.

The Canadian Club might run out a few Board of Control candidates.

Don't run away with the idea that the health inspectors are working for their health.

Just as the ice man fades away in the distance the coal man looms big on the horizon.

Driven out of the profession some years ago by poor pay, the male teacher to-day is a scarce article. A few there are who are qualifying for the positions, yet wages are good.

No, Maude, the Mr. Whitney who has been figuring in the North Pole controversy is not the James Pliny Whitney, the politician.

The question is, will the Controllers be able to save more than their salaries to the city?

The bickerings between the Canadian Federation of Labor and the other Federation show that the squabblers must have forgotten their motto, "Union is Strength."

Perhaps next year the Horticultural Society will treat the citizens to one of its old time shows.

In the matter of water, as with everything else, the only honest way is to pay for what you use or what you get.

Have you noticed how the Board of Education expenditure has jumped up since Mr. Foster was appointed Secretary? Of course, he is ready to prove an alibi.

Toronto doesn't seem to reform to any great extent. The people are just as ready to take advantage of a stranger or down there as ever they were. What becomes of all the Massey Hall revival converts?

I am not given to prophesy, but in twenty years from now, or perhaps in half of that time, women will have votes just the same as men. And why shouldn't they?

Have the hotel men got their money back from these Tory heels who made them cough up for the good of the party? Honest John Milne should see that the money is refunded.

Then has an innocent man no redress when he is arrested at the instance of another person, when the arrest is not made in malice? If he hasn't he ought to. A man ought to have to pay for the mistakes he makes, even if the King can do no wrong.

But why do the Asylum authorities retain patients who have recovered? They should either receive their liberty or be handed over to the parties responsible for them.

With the grand jury recommending more severe penalties upon Italian shooters and the petit jury recommending mercy, what's a poor judge to do?

Six weeks ago a local weather prophet predicted a hot, dry September. He's in the same class as the "crust-busting" immersionists.

The weather man has done in a few weeks what the whiskey men have been trying to do for generations—converted Maine into a "wet" State.

Over in Alpena, Mich. a game cock attacked and injured a two-year-old boy two weeks ago. Yesterday the same bird killed the same child. The child's father has not arranged the third bout yet.

When I mention George Kennedy, Joe Wright and Goldwin Smith as the all-star Canadian junior scrummage, the sporting editor says "Beans!" What does he mean?

Patent leather shoes do not make a bright young man.

So Walter Blythe is to have a new trial. His poor wife who was so brutally murdered got no second chance.

Inspector Berlinghoff is to get after the fellows who carry from the Jockey Club six men in a buggy built for only two. I don't understand that hauling six men in a buggy on that road is cruelty to animals, but it may be hard on the buggy. Perhaps the inspector has pity on the springs.

ALL LIKE HIM.

Highlanders Make a Presentation to Charles Kidner.

Color-Serg. Charles I. Kidner, C. Company, was presented with a fine Morris chair, leather bound, last evening. Mr. Kidner received his long service medal last fall. He has been color-sergeant in the Highlanders since the time when the regiment was first organized, and has now been appointed to the staff as pioneer sergeant, and it was for that reason that his comrades honored him. After the parade he was asked to go down into the basement, where he found his comrades waiting for him before a well-filled table. He was taken completely by surprise and as a surprise usually follows another, such was the case when the Morris chair was brought forth from an adjoining room. Captain Turnbull made the presentation and referred to the splendid record of Mr. Kidner since he was first appointed to the ranks.

Mr. Kidner made a suitable reply, in which he spoke of his pleasant associations with the members of the company.

Mr. Kidner is a graduate of the Times jobroom, and is one of the sort nothing is too good for.

C. P. R. MAY USE C. N. R.

And Terminate Agreement With Grand Trunk Railway.

Rumor to That Effect Reached City Hall To-day.

Said to be Dissatisfied With Way Trains Are Delayed.

The air is charged with railway rumors these days. The latest report to reach the City Hall is that the Canadian Pacific will terminate its agreement with the Grand Trunk for running rights over that company's tracks to Toronto as soon as the Canadian Northern is built, and will use the Mackenzie & Mann route to reach Hamilton. The reason ascribed for the proposed new arrangement is the way the C. P. R. trains from Toronto are delayed at rush times, owing to the heavy traffic over the Grand Trunk line. It is believed that the combined traffic of the C. P. R. and C. N. R. over the latter's right of way would not be as heavy as the Grand Trunk traffic at present between Toronto and Hamilton.

Although the general impression is that the agreement by which the C. P. R. uses the Grand Trunk tracks has many years to run yet, the city officials say they have been given to understand that the arrangement can be terminated at any time by a year's notice from either side.

It was impossible to get any official confirmation of the story at this end. The C. P. R. and Canadian Northern people are said to be very friendly, and Dan Mackenzie, of Mackenzie & Mann, is said to hold considerable stock in the C. P. R.

The fact that both these roads are interested in the union station scheme lends color to the story. The C. N. R. has its route surveyed. It will enter the city from the west over the Desjardins Canal, using a new bridge, and expects to be running trains to Hamilton within a year.

The city officials have received an intimation that the T. H. & R. will take up the union station scheme with the city as soon as the new manager and superintendent, H. H. Adams, of St. Thomas, is installed.

CANNOT COME.

University Evangelists Tired Out After Long Campaign.

The committee which has had charge of the bringing to the city of the Victoria University Evangelistic Band, of Toronto, which was to have spoken here under the joint auspices of the Y. M. C. A. and the Ryerson Church, received word last evening that the engagement would have to be cancelled owing to the fact that some of the more prominent members of this band are physically unfit to come. The young men have been in active evangelistic work in Toronto and elsewhere since the closing of college last May, and are thoroughly tired out, and while reluctant to cancel their engagement here, they felt that under the circumstances it is the only thing to do. It is expected that a little later in the year they may be able to come. This unforeseen decision has come as a great disappointment to the local workers amongst the young men in this city. The services on Sunday in the Y. M. C. A. and also in Ryerson Church however will be of a special evangelistic nature and some of the university men are expected although the regular band will not be here.

HIS REPLY.

Grand Jury Evidently Did Not Know the Facts.

Magistrate Jelfs was asked this morning if he had any reply to make to the criticisms of the Grand Jury as contained in its presentation, published yesterday. He made the following reply: "If the grand jurors had half the anxiety to be just to the Magistrate as they apparently were to censure his actions they would have taken the trouble to ascertain as they could easily have done, that the old man in question was sent to jail as a vagrant at his own request, and that a fine was imposed with the object only of enabling the Magistrate to release him again whenever the prisoner wished it. Many old men ask to be sent to jail preferring to go there than to the House of Refuge, and the Magistrate has always so committed them that they could be released again at their own pleasure. He never heard that this man asked to be released until quite recently, when Governor Oglevie of the jail, said the man did not want to be released one day, and asked to remain the next."

W. M. S.

North West Missions Under Consideration This Morning.

At this morning's session of the Women's Missionary Society Board very little business was taken up, the time being mostly occupied with the receiving of the reports from the mission fields, that of the Northwest fields being about the only interesting feature.

Rev. E. B. Lancelotti opened the session and conducted the devotional exercises.

The report of the mission work in the Northwest and British Columbia dealt with the advancement of that work and the need for additional effort. Rev. T. Ferrier, Superintendent of the mission work for the General Methodist Board, and also Superintendent for the W. M. S., discussed the mission situation with the ladies, and dealt fully with the great work which the society is accomplishing. He spoke of the schools and hospitals, in some of which more teachers and nurses are needed.



REV. DR. MILLS. Who has been called to James Street Baptist Church, and who preached there last evening.

WILL FORCE THE ISSUE.

Power Account For Last Quarter Due To-morrow.

And City Believes Cataract Company Will Act Now.

Mayor Arranges Power Meeting For To-morrow Night.

Now that the action of R. S. Morris to restrain the city from entering into a contract with the Hydro Commission has failed, the aldermen will make another effort to adjust the power tangle at the least possible expense to the rate-payers. Mayor McLaren lost no time after Chief Justice Meredith's decision was made known in arranging a meeting of the Power Committee for to-morrow night to deal with the situation. Just before the Morris action was begun the committee agreed to recommend the Council to take 1,000 horse-power from the Hydro Commission on condition that the city would not be bound to take all its power from the Commission, and could increase the amount required as it saw fit.

"We are in shape now to go ahead and do business," said the Mayor. "I think the Council favors the resolution passed by the committee, but the aldermen, I believe, will insist that it is made quite clear that its city shall not be forced to take all its power from the Commission. We have an assurance from the Hydro people that they will consent to this."

"The Judge's decision," said City Solicitor Waddell to-day, "means that the city can, without any question as to whether the Cataract contract is valid, enter into a contract with the Commission if it sees fit. It is now up to the city to get the best possible terms from the Commission."

The general impression in civic circles to-day is that the company will take the bull by the horns now and sue the city for the amount due for power under the contract passed by last year's Council. The city has already refused to pay an account of \$1,200, rendered under this contract. The account for the last quarter will be due to-morrow.

Another effort will be made to-day to arrange a conference with the street railway officials about next year's work, so that a by-law can be submitted to the Council at its next meeting. The aldermen are certain the company will complete the rebuilding of the old part of the system next year, which will leave it free to deal with extensions in 1911. Those, however, who are ardent for the reconstruction work have had to be provided out of the road's earnings. The company, however, says it will be in a position to raise all the money required for extensions and new equipment.

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DR. MILLS.

Prospective Pastor of Baptist Church Made Fine Impression.

A very large representation of the congregation of James Street Baptist Church was present at the church last night to hear Rev. J. T. Mills, Ph.D., preach. Mr. Mills has been called to fill the vacancy made by the resignation of Rev. J. C. Sycamore, and made a very favorable impression on the audience by his address last evening. He chose for his text Matthew xx. 26, "Whoever will be great among you let him be your minister and whosoever will be first among you let him be your servant." The speaker divided the discourse into four parts, aristocracy of blood, wealth, achievement and service. Regarding blood there were few, who like King Edward VII. could trace their ancestors back for centuries and if they could many might be ashamed. The limit of wealth for most people would not go beyond \$50,000, few would ever become illustrious, however, who are aristocrats of service could do a greater work and finally be called by the Master to a great reward.

Rev. Mr. Mills came here from Marietta, Ohio, to look over the field and if favorably impressed would accept the call in a week or ten days. He returned to his home to-day.

CAMDEN ISSUES WRIT.

McBrayne, Acting for J. R. Cambden, against the Hamilton Amusement Co. for an account of all transactions between plaintiff and defendant, dating from October 31, 1909, to Sept. 30, 1909, and judgment for the amount due the plaintiff.

ILL HEALTH THE REASON.

Superintendent Fisher Must Take Prolonged Rest.

President Beckley's Tribute In Official Statement.

H. H. Adams His Successor—No Change In Policy.

In connection with the retirement of Mr. Elster Fisher, Superintendent of the Toronto, Hamilton & Buffalo Railway, Mr. John Beckley, of Rochester, President of the road, made an official statement to the Times to-day. He said:

"These are the facts. About a month or six weeks ago Mr. Fisher sent me his resignation to take effect at my pleasure. Previous to this he underwent an X-ray examination by Dr. Osborne, a specialist, who informed him that it would be necessary for him to quit work for a prolonged period and take a rest and change in the expectation of restoring him to health. Failing that it would be necessary for him to undergo a serious operation. The doctor thought that with a change and by living outdoors for six months that perhaps the difficulty would be overcome and Mr. Fisher restored to health."

"I did not like to accept the resignation because of my very high regard for Mr. Fisher and the character of the work he is doing on this property, so I held the matter over until I could come here and talk the matter over with the doctor with a view to seeing of a briefer absence, of perhaps one or two months, accompanied by treatment, would not bring about the end hoped for. I saw Dr. Osborne this morning, but he was too busy to go into the matter fully and I am to see him again this afternoon. Of course, if it is necessary that Mr. Fisher should have a long rest some one will have to take his place. I shall regret very much to see him leaving because he has been my most faithful and efficient official."

Asked if it was possible that Mr. Fisher might return at the end of six months, Fisher, who Beckley said, "If Mr. Fisher is to go away for that period we must have a man to fill his place. It is a responsible position and a good man could not be secured for so short a time."

"If Mr. Fisher agrees with Mr. Adams his successor," was asked.

"There is no man I would like better to get here. There is no man I would sooner have fill the position outside of Mr. Fisher himself. If it is necessary for Mr. Fisher to leave I shall use every endeavor to get Mr. Adams here."

"Is there likely to be any change in the policy of the road or any possibility of the offices being moved from here?" inquired the reporter.

"Absolutely none," was the reply. "The Times learned later that it was practically certain Mr. Fisher would have to take a long rest, and that Mr. H. H. Adams, divisional superintendent of the Michigan Central lines in Canada, with headquarters in St. Thomas, will succeed him, the change taking effect at once."

Mr. Fisher has been connected with the T. H. & B. in the capacity of General Superintendent since the road was built fifteen years ago. Before beginning his railroad career he held a commission as lieutenant in the United States navy. Later he was resident engineer with the Pennsylvania road, and then joined the staff of the New York Central, leaving that road to become superintendent here.

A St. Thomas exchange referring to Mr. Adams' career says:

"It has been known for some time that Mr. Adams was slated for promotion, his excellent work in placing the Canadian lines of the M. C. R. first among those of the system having been generally admitted, and his appointment to the responsible position at Hamilton, taking over, as he will, practically the management of the entire road, is a decided compliment to his ability as a rail-roader."

"Mr. Adams has been in charge of the M. C. R.'s Canadian lines since the promotion of Supt. J. B. Morford in 1902. He is 36 years of age, a native of Detroit, a graduate of Johns Hopkins University, and the Massachusetts Institute of technology. He became draughtsman and roadman on the Michigan Central in 1899, and was promoted to assistant engineer in 1901, assistant chief engineer in 1902. He served as secretary to the general superintendent, and was later promoted to the position of assistant superintendent, which position he relinquished to become superintendent of the Canadian lines."

HAS RESIGNED.

William Gilbert Severs Connection With Saskatoon Brigade.

William Gilbert, formerly captain of the Central Station, has tendered his resignation as chief of the Saskatoon fire brigade. Information to that effect reached here to-day, and was confirmed by his wife over the telephone this afternoon. Chief Gilbert resigned his position here about five months ago to go west. He placed the department there on a very efficient footing, and a despatch from Saskatoon says that general regret is expressed there because he is leaving.

Mrs. Gilbert when spoken to said that the chief was obliged to resign on account of his health. He will return to Hamilton shortly and take a much needed rest.

SAFETY DEPOSIT BOXES.

To rent at \$2 a year and upwards, for the storing of deeds, bonds, stocks, wills,