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THE CONTRACT HOLDS, ALBEIT THE CHECK WASN'T MARKED.

A Lively Little Talk in the City Council Over the Waterworks Department's [illegible]—The Combine and Mr. P. Burns' Little Racket.

The City Council met sharp on time last night, the Mayor taking the chair at 7.30. The only absentees were Ald. Morrison, Woods and Frankland, the latter being in Europe.

Ald. Dodds propounded the following questions to Chairman Boustead of the Waterworks Committee: (1) Is it true that the tender for the coal contract sent in by Bailey & Co. (the Ontario Coal Company) was informal? (2) Is it correct, as charged, that the firm erased from the tender the clause withholding 10 per cent. as a guarantee for the due fulfillment of the contract? (3) Is it true that the check sent in by Messrs. Bailey & Co. with the tender was not marked? "I am anxious to get an answer from Ald. Boustead. This is the time for inquiries, and I am anxious to know if what I have heard is correct."

Ald. Boustead: "All I have got to say to Ald. Dodds is that we hold a $1400 marked check of Messrs. Bailey & Co., and that we withhold 10 per cent. of the contract price."

Ald. Dodds: "That is quibbling. What I want is an answer, yes or no, to my questions whether, at the time the Waterworks Committee gave the contract to Bailey & Co., the chairman held in his hand an unmarked check from that firm, and whether or not it is a fact that Bailey & Co. erased the 10 per cent. withhold clause from the specifications and wrote on the margin opposite the erasure that they would not be bound by any such stipulation?"

Ald. Boustead: "I will not discuss the matter at this point. When our report comes up in committee of the whole I will talk about it, and not until then."

Ald. Dodds: "I want an answer to my question."

Ald. McMillan: "I do not think that you should ask Ald. Boustead to speak now. I know how this little plan has been concocted with a certain object. You all can see that in those articles in an evening paper purporting to be an interview with Rogers."

Ald. Dodds: "I must have an answer to my question."

Ald. Gillespie: "I want to know if Ald. Boustead knew at the time that the tender was informal?"

Ald. Boustead: "I decline to answer, yes or no."

The Council went into committee of the whole on the Executive Committee's report at 10.30. Everything ran smoothly until page 14, containing Report No. 13 of the Waterworks Committee, came up. Ald. Boustead sprang to his feet and commenced his explanation of the Ontario Coal Company's tender. He first referred to the matter of the Rogers tender and its informality. He then told how the coal combine had clubbed together to get the contract, and had every promise of success, when lo! P. Burns slipped in between and carried off the prize. This was a new element in the fight, and the combine were surprised. Mr. Burns offered to sell out, first for $2000, then for $1500, and lastly for $1000. Superintendent Hamilton had conversations with Mr. John Keith, one of the members of the combine, in which the latter told him the Waterworks Committee could get the coal cheaper than the Burns tender. The last tenders were called for and Bailey & Co.'s tender was found to be the lowest. There were no erasures, and he (the chairman) was not aware that the check was not marked until the next day, when he heard the talk about it on the street, and on finding that such was the case he at once communicated with Bailey & Co. and had the matter rectified. The reason why the check sent in with the tender was not marked was because the combine gang were bulldozing Mr. Bailey in his office, and he in his excitement forgot to get it marked. Ald. Boustead read several written statements of conversations Mr. Hamilton had with Mr. Keith bearing out his statements.

Ald. Maughan: "Do I understand that the chairman and Superintendent Hamilton are so remiss in their duties as not to know when an unmarked check is handed in with a tender? I would not be a member of that committee for anything. It is a disgrace. If the committee knew that the Bailey check was unmarked the members are no better than the contractors themselves. The excuse of Ald. Boustead is very ingenious, but it will not wash."

Ald. Hallam: "If nobody is hurt by the Ontario Coal Company getting the contract and the city's interest is protected, I cannot see what harm will be done by the report being adopted."

Ald. Maughan: "That is all nonsense. The thing is informal."

Ald. Dodds: "I dissent entirely from Ald. Hallam. The city ought to be willing to sacrifice a few paltry dollars rather than its own honor."

Ald. McMillan was in favor of the report being adopted. There was really no informality in the matter. The marked check was in possession of the city and every requirement had been fulfilled.

Ald. Dodds moved for the ruling of the chair, whether the Council could really pass the report in the face of the informality. The chairman of the committee of the whole, Ald. Harvie, ruled that a majority of the Council could carry the report. Ald. Dodds appealed against the decision of the chair, but was overruled, and the report was adopted in committee.

In council with the Mayor in charge, when the Waterworks report came up, Ald. Dodds, seconded by Ald. Shaw, moved that new coal tenders be called for, and that the Waterworks Committee be instructed to advertise again.

Ald. Carlyle (St. And.) said that there was no doubt that the Bailey tender was informal, and if an informal tender was to be accepted, why not accept ex-Ald. Rogers' tender? However, now that the thing had got this far, although it was not a square deal, he would vote for the adoption of the report, as it would save the citizens several thousands of dollars. Ald. Maughan returned to the charge again, and wrung from Ald. Boustead that the tender had been altered after having passed the Waterworks Committee. Ald. McMillan, Baxter and half a dozen others spoke on the subject. The amendment was lost by 10 yeas to 18 nays.

Again Ald. Dodds demanded the ruling of the chair as to the formality of the act of the Waterworks Committee in recommending the Bailey contract. The Mayor ruled that it was all in perfect order, and the much vexed contract passed into law.

The Council tackled several other important subjects which are referred to elsewhere, and did not get through until 12.45 this morning.

Hamilton Notes.

HAMILTON, June 18.—Four members of the family of Wm. Scott were taken very sick on Sunday after partaking of some corned beef which Mr. Scott purchased in the market on Saturday.

A fire occurred in the stables of Duffy's Hotel, just before midnight yesterday. Wm. Smith was nearly suffocated before he was aroused from a drunken sleep in the burning building.

Hackman Cline, charged with careless driving in running over a boy named John Kavanagh on Saturday, was remanded until next Monday at the Police Court this morning.

The Mate of the Tradewind Drowned.

OSHAWA, June 18.—John Rolland, mate of the schooner Tradewind, was found drowned this morning. He left the schooner last night to come up town, and not returning last night or this morning Captain John Shaw sent his men in search, and after grappling for some time his body was discovered in the lake. It is supposed that, returning to the schooner in the dark, he missed his footing after getting aboard, as his body was found near the taffrail of the schooner. [illegible] was sent this evening [illegible] to Port Hope for burial.

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PARKDALE'S BOTHERSOME BUDGET.

A Special Meeting of the Town Fathers that Did Not Materialize.

The Parkdale "town fathers" are perplexed. A month ago they concocted their annual budget. Owing to its importance its consideration was postponed. And since then postponements have been the order of the day. "Why is this?" is the general question which is more easily put than answered.

A synopsis of the year's financial statement was published in The World, and at first sight 'twas of a favorable nature. The general assessment only amounted to 12½ mills against 13 in the previous year. It was in fact a lower rate than had of late prevailed. But a change came o'er the spirit of the Finance Committee's dream when some influential property holders arraigned the Council on the ground of illegally appropriating local improvement debenture premiums for general improvement purposes, thereby diverting funds from the benefit of the property-holders in order to show a lower rate of taxation.

So outspoken were the memorialists for reform that they threatened an injunction against the Council, and intimated that not only was the body corporate liable to prosecution, but individual members of the Council were liable to make good the amount so diverted from its legal uses.

This is the stumbling block in the way of the passing of the annual budget, and, ostrich-like, the Council postpones the inevitable day of reckoning. Last week, through an informality, the consideration of the financial statement was deferred. An adjourned meeting was held when procrastination again prevailed. Last night was the time appointed for a special meeting on the subject. It had been duly proposed, seconded and carried, but it was not to be. Some discontented members found a "mare's nest"—the clerk had not made a minute of the motion, nor had the Council when it adjourned in the "wee sma' hours" specified the date at which its deliberations would be resumed. Hence, at the eleventh hour, obstruction prevailed and no meeting was held.

At the time duly appointed The World's young man was the sole occupant of the well-furnished Council Chamber. The gas was lighted, and all preparations for the night's conclave ready, when the janitor entered, turned out the gas and said there would be no meeting. Some disappointed councillors came upon the scene. It was a question with them who was to blame, some alleging it was the Clerk's fault, others that there was a design to prevent a quorum being present, whilst others alleged it was desired to have the estimates passed at the end of next Monday's regular meeting without discussion. But it was the general opinion of the townspeople with whom The World talked that the assessment will have to be revised—that the influential petitioners will gain their point and prevent the local improvement debenture proceeds being applied to the maintenance of either waterworks or street railway.

Mayor Lynd expressed his regret at the collapse of the proposed meeting and said that steps would have to be taken to convene another. The subject and its issues were too important to be burked. The opinion of the Town Solicitor would be had on the question and would doubtless have great effect. What was complained of had been the annual custom, but the Council must set an example of obeying the law. Councillors Hall, Threlkeld, Hewish, Tait, Sinclair and one or two others expressed regret that nothing was to be done that night. The end is not yet.

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REARRANGING THE SALARY BYLAW.

Ald. McMillan's New Scheme—It is Read a Second Time and Referred.

Ald. McMillan last night at the City Council introduced a bylaw to regulate the increase of salaries and fix the status of civic officials. The first clause arranges that all employes or persons in the employ of the city at the time of the passing of the bylaw, or who may in future be appointed, shall come under its provisions. Clause 2 provides that all employes who have been engaged for a period of five years and upwards, or so soon thereafter as a period of five years of their service shall have expired, shall have their names entered in the salary bylaw and shall be paid monthly at a fixed rate of remuneration per annum.

Clause 3 sets down that the maximum salary to be paid any clerk or employe (other than the head of a department, the deputy head and the chief clerk of a department) shall not exceed $1000 per annum. There shall be no increase of salary for any clerk or employe until he shall have served at least two years for the salary fixed at the time of his appointment. After that period the increase shall not be more than ten per cent. of such salary per year, if such salary at the date of appointment has been less or has not been subsequently raised to $1000; and if the salary at the time of the appointment equals or has been subsequently raised over $1000, the rate of increase shall not exceed 5 per cent. for each year.

Clause 6 stipulates that there shall be no deduction of salary for loss of time on account of sickness by any clerk or official who has served the city for a period of five years, and whose name is entered on the salary bylaw, unless such sickness is caused by improper conduct, always provided that such sickness does not extend beyond three months, at the expiration of which time the salary shall cease, and should the city dispense with his services through personal disability or death, a gratuity of three months' salary shall be given for each five years' service with the corporation. All employes of the corporation under the salary bylaw shall have such holidays as the committee under whom they are shall think proper, and in the case of heads of departments the Mayor shall fix the period. In the case of vacancies the rule of promotion is to be carried out, merit being considered.

The last clause provides that, notwithstanding the provisions of the bylaw, it will be in the power of the Council to give or forbid the increase. The bylaw was duly introduced, read a first and second time, and referred to the Executive Committee.

FRENCH POLITICS.

An Election Which Must be Fought Over Again—A Close Vote.

PARIS, June 18.—In the election yesterday for member of the Chamber of Deputies for the department of the Charente, Gellibert (Bonapartist) received 31,401 votes, Weiller (Republican) 23,989, and De Roulede 20,651. Another ballot will be necessary.

MARSEILLES, June 17.—Premier Floquet, addressing the Municipal Council here to-day, said it was the ambition of the Government to maintain a peaceful policy abroad and to effect internal progressive reform. It was unjust to accuse the Ministry of desiring war while they were making preparations for an international exhibition.

Indiana's Plague.

JASPER, Ind., June 18.—Myriads of grasshoppers have appeared in many parts of Southern Indiana, and are devouring all vegetation as they go. They destroy meadows first, then the foliage of trees, and next corn, oats and garden vegetables. Thousands of acres of meadows have been devastated.

Iron Workers to Strike.

PITTSBURG, Pa., June 18.—The wage scale of the Amalgamated Association of Iron and Steel Workers has been rejected by the manufacturers, and a strike is now certain.

The K. of P. Chancellor Sustained.

CINCINNATI, June 18.—The report of the committee of the Supreme Lodge Knights of Pythias is said to sustain Chancellor Douglas in suspending the Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania.

Six Months for the Dis De Bars.

NEW YORK, June 18.—Madame and General Dis De Bar were this morning sentenced to six months' imprisonment each in the penitentiary.

Smoke the old reliable brand, "[illegible]," over a quarter of a century in the market. Demand larger than ever.

THE EMPEROR'S FUNERAL.

AN IMPRESSIVE CEREMONY AT THE FRIEDENSKIRCHE.

Emblems of Grief Visible on Every Hand—Volleys and Minute Guns Fired by the Troops—The Dowager Empress' Farewell Look at Her Dead Husband.

POTSDAM, June 18.—Prince Bismarck and Count von Moltke and a number of foreign princes arrived here this morning. The railway stations at Berlin and Potsdam were closed against the public. Crowds gathered outside these buildings, and soldiers and police were posted around the stations to keep back the crowds. The Friedrichskron palace was guarded like a fortress. At 9 o'clock this morning the bells were tolled and the ministers who were to officiate at the Emperor's funeral took their places around the coffin in the palace. The choir sang the hymns "Soon Thou Callest Me to Higher Joys," and "Jesus is My Trust." Chaplain Koegel blessed the corpse and the mourners, after which the choir sang, "If I Am to Die." The commanders of twelve regiments, of which the late Emperor was the chief officer, carried the coffin to the hearse. Eight majors then took the horses by the bridle and the procession started for the church.

The second mortuary service over the remains of the Emperor was held at Friedrichskron Castle last evening. Dr. Koegel, court chaplain, officiated. Emperor William and the Empress, the Dowager Empresses Augusta and Victoria, all the members of the German Imperial and Royal families and the entire household were present. At the conclusion of the service the coffin was closed in the presence of the Emperor, Count von Stolberg-Wernigerode, court chamberlain; Dr. Friedburg, Prussian Minister of Justice, and the others who had been bidden to the ceremony, and was then placed on the same state bier used at the funeral of Emperor William.

At 9.15 o'clock this morning Potsdam was in mourning and emblems of grief were to be seen everywhere. All the way from the castle to the Friedenskirche, where the funeral was to take place, torches and cressets were seen illuminating with their pallid flames the morning light. Every here and there rose huge flagstaffs and poles bearing banners with mourning devices. The troops which were to take part in the funeral ceremony were already mustering. They comprised the entire garrison at Potsdam and a portion of the Berlin and Spandau garrisons. They consisted of one combined infantry battalion, two combined cavalry squadrons, two combined batteries of artillery, a regiment of the guard corps from Berlin and similar combined battalions and batteries from Spandau. At 10.30 o'clock the troops assumed their positions and the various dignitaries, deputations and associations proceeded to their places.

The ceremonies at the Friedrichskron Castle began with the performance of Bach's "Bald Rufst Du Mich zu Hohern Frieden." Then the chorale "Jesus Meine Zuversicht" was sung. As the last strains died away Chaplain Koegel arose and offered a prayer, in which he alluded in feeling terms to the double grievous visitation upon the Imperial house and upon the nation. He thanked God for all He had done for the departed monarch, and implored heavenly consolation for the sorely tried members of the Imperial family and for the nation. The chorale "Wenn Ich Einmal Soll Scheiden" was then sung, after which the coffin was removed from the castle and placed on the funeral car, the choir meanwhile singing, "I Know That My Redeemer Liveth."

The procession was then formed and moved to the church. Upon arriving at the church the mourners took the seats assigned them. After the service Chaplain Koegel pronounced the benediction. There was no sermon. After the firing of volleys and minute guns by the troops the mourners took their departure. Before leaving the widowed Empress bent over the coffin and took a solemn farewell look at her dead husband's face. Court Preacher Persius repeated the closing prayer and the choir intoned a dirge.

In the procession from the castle to the church the Prince of Wales walked with the Emperor and the King of Saxony. Among those who took part in the procession were Prince Henry, second son of the deceased Emperor, the hereditary Prince of Saxe-Meiningen, and the generals of the army, headed by Count von Moltke, who carried a marshal's staff. Bodies of the Prussian corps of the guard and the dragoon guard brought up the rear of the procession. The funeral ceremonies ended shortly before 1 o'clock.

William's Proclamation.

BERLIN, June 18.—The Emperor's proclamation was published to-day. It is as follows:

PROCLAMATION TO THE PRUSSIAN PEOPLE.

The grave had scarcely closed over William before Frederick was called away. Frederick bore his hard fate with heroic Christian resignation, and remained faithful to his kingly duties. In the few months allotted to him to rule he exhibited all the noble qualities of his mind and heart. His virtues, his victories in the battlefield, will be remembered as long as German hearts continue to beat.

I have taken the government upon myself, looking up to the King of all Kings for aid. I pray God that, like my beloved father, I may be a just and clement prince, that I may foster piety and the fear of God, that I may guard the peace and promote the welfare of our land, and that I may be the helper of the poor and distressed, the firm guardian of the right, and that I may ever thrive in the execution of my kingly duties in unison with my people, who in good and in evil days have stood true to their king. I count upon the fidelity of my people in the consciousness that I shall return it heartily as a true Prince to a true people, both equally ready to make sacrifices for the Fatherland. I derive confidence from this belief.

I pray God to lend to me strength and wisdom to discharge my kingly office for the welfare of the Fatherland.

Mr. Gladstone's Tribute.

LONDON, June 18.—In the House of Commons to-day the rising of Mr. Smith was the signal for the uncovering of all members. Mr. Smith moved that an address be presented to Queen Victoria and the Empress of Germany, expressing, upon the part of the House of Commons, deep concern and condolence on the death of Emperor Frederick. The late Emperor, he said, had faced death in battle with the greatest courage, but that quality was common compared with the fortitude with which he faced the progress of the terrible disease.

Mr. Gladstone seconded the motion. He said that the trial that had befallen the German Emperor was probably the greatest that could happen to any human being. Was there any case in which one of so exalted a rank and station had earned such claims upon the admiration and sympathy and pity of the world? It was touching to reflect upon the enhancements of the great trial, due to the circumstances under which it occurred, and the peculiar slowness but certainty of the disease; the extraordinary strength of the sufferer's constitution and the marvelous additions to the resources of the medical art which enabled its most skillful professors to secure for the patient a considerable prolongation of life. The English recollection of Emperor Frederick reached back over a long series of years. It was in the first period of his married life that he made a deep impression on the minds of the people of England. Since then they have felt that their interest in him was a personal interest, not alone founded upon his relations to their sovereign, but upon the high quality of the man, the bright intelligence, wonderful simplicity, gentleness of character and kindliness which gave him open access to all men. Those qualities, [illegible] went on, were destined to [illegible] followed by the development of others, and when the Crown Prince came to England after the war of 1870, it was impossible not to be profoundly struck by the fact that one who in youth displayed in so peculiar a degree all the modesty of youth, was [illegible] among the heroes of the world, still [illegible] as if all were conscious of his supreme worth except himself.

Lord Hartington thanked Mr. Gladstone for the eloquent expression he had given to the sentiments that prevailed throughout the House.

In the House of Lords the Marquis of Salisbury moved a similar address of sympathy.

THE SECOND WITHIN THE YEAR.

Condolence on the Death of the Late German Emperor.

For the second time within the year the City Council was last night called upon to pass a resolution of condolence with the citizens and Imperial family of Germany. It was moved by Ald. Carlyle (St. Thomas) and Ald. Gibbs "that the Council desires to record the feelings of profound sorrow with which they have heard of the death, on June 15, of His Imperial Majesty Frederick William, Emperor of Germany, in the 57th year of his age, and within the brief space of three months since he succeeded his illustrious father, the late great Emperor William I. Inheriting the highest intellectual and administrative abilities, and giving evidence of a desire to follow in the footsteps of one whose highest achievement was the consolidation beneath his sway of the vast German empire, and inheriting also that which is of still higher personal worth, the love and veneration of his countless subjects, which was extended lovingly to his august consort, the eldest daughter of our beloved Queen—his early death is regarded as a national calamity, calling forth the sympathy and condolence of all communities by whom these eminent qualities are held in estimation." The resolution was carried unanimously.

THE MANITOBA ELECTIONS.

Nominations Will Take Place on July 4 and Polling on July 11.

WINNIPEG, June 18.—The writs for the general elections were issued to-day. Nominations will take place on July 4 and polling on July 11. Nearly all enumerators have been appointed returning officers.

The weather is oppressively hot, 93° in the shade to-day.

The rivers are still rising.

The early closing movement has fallen through temporarily owing to a defect in the law.

The Chicoutimi and Saguenay Contest.

QUEBEC, June 18.—In the Chicoutimi and Saguenay election to-day for member of the Local House Dumais (Lib.) was returned by about 400 majority over Marcotte (Nat.).

Elected by Acclamation.

HALIFAX, June 18.—This was nomination day in Pictou for the House of Commons. Hon. C. H. Tupper, the new Minister of Marine and Fisheries, was elected by acclamation.

A SHOOTING GALLERY TRAGEDY.

Martin Foyle, Aged 25, Receives a Probably Fatal Wound at the Island.

The commencement of the summer season at the Island has been marked by a tragedy which in all probability has ere this proved fatal. At Hanlan's Point is a shooting gallery, run by a well known Toronto man named Martin Foyle for the proprietor, Charley Huber. The hot weather attracted a large number of visitors last night, and at the shooting gallery trade ran brisk. Late at night shooting was still going on. Foyle, who is a young man of 25, was managing the discs when he was accidentally shot. Whilst picking up something in front of one of the discs a bullet struck the carotid artery, almost severing it, and lodged in the throat. Foyle bled profusely and spit large quantities of blood. Some time elapsed before medical assistance could be procured. Drs. Bingham, Butcher and Ewing attended and probed for the bullet. They, however, failed to locate it. Foyle's sufferings were intense, and he was quite violent for a time. Dr. Macdonald also arrived, and at 11 o'clock it was the opinion of the medical men that the sufferer would not live more than two hours. When The World made inquiries at 1 o'clock this morning Dr. Macdonald was still at Hanlan's Hotel attending to the wounded man. It was feared from the first that the wound would prove fatal.

It was not learned who fired the shot which struck the unfortunate man.

For the Benefit of Idiots.

The "idiotic doctors," as they are called by some people humorously inclined, or the "Association of Superintendents for the Training and Education of Idiotic and Feeble-minded Persons," as they term themselves without the slightest regard for the convenience or time of people who may have occasion to refer to them, were to have commenced their twelfth annual session at the Rossin House yesterday afternoon. They did meet according to announcement, but the meeting was of a decidedly informal character and was held in the lobby of the hotel just as chance arranged. It was evident that the business to be transacted was not of a very important nature, and by its postponement for a day nobody was seriously discommoded. During the afternoon the doctors enjoyed a drive around the city, and in the evening were entertained at the residence of Dr. W. T. O'Reilly, Inspector of Asylums and Prisons for Ontario. This morning they will leave for Orillia, where they will be received by Dr. Beaton, Superintendent of the Orillia Institute. It is proposed that at Orillia several papers on subjects of interest to the association will be read, after which the learned gentlemen will "go fishing."

The Early Closing Bylaw Squelched.

There was a two hours' fight over early closing in the City Council last night, Ald. Shaw moving that the whole bylaw be repealed. He flourished four grocers' and one hardware petition before the eyes of the Council, and made things lively for Ald. Baxter in a 30-minute speech. Ald. Baxter spoke in turn for another half an hour, and was in turn dressed down by Ald. Galbraith, who said if his advice had been followed all would have been well. After every alderman had something to say about the matter, the bylaw was repealed by a vote of 18 to 5, Ald. Boustead, St. Leger, Macdougall, Macdonald and St. Leger voting against repeal. The action of the Council therefore permits every business man to keep his store open as long as he likes.

The General Assembly.

HALIFAX, June 18.—In the General Assembly to-night Prof. Scrimger presented the report of the Board of French Evangelization, and made a strong appeal for support and sympathy from the whole Presbyterian Church. Rev. Prof. Armstrong, Rev. C. A. Doudiet and Rev. Mr. Chiniquy also spoke on the subject.

The scheme to purchase the Ottawa Ladies' College, to be under the control of the board, was endorsed by the assembly.

"Derby" cigarettes (5c.) are superior to any ten cent package manufactured by any other firm.

The Polsons Go to Owen Sound.

The town of Owen Sound have offered the Polson Iron Works Company of Toronto a free grant of ten acres of land, tax exemption for ten years and to dredge a channel in front of the property if they will establish a slip yard in that place. The offer has been accepted, and the new iron boat for the C.P.R. will be erected there. Work on the buildings will be commenced at once.

Another Action for Damages.

In a letter to the City Council last night Mr. Joseph Patrick Burke informed that body that he proposes to issue a writ against the city for damages sustained by injuries received by his wife and child in being thrown out of his buggy on King-street, owing to defects in the roadway.

Referred to the Executive.

On motion of Ald. Gillespie, the bylaw providing for the issue of debentures to the amount of $250,000 for the extension of the parks system was read a first and second time in the Council last night and referred to the Executive Committee.

Fires at Guelph.

GUELPH, June 18.—Fire at Kennedy's lime kiln did $150 damage on Saturday night. Joseph Hefferman's stable, on the Elora road, was burned down this morning.

TALK FROM THE CAPITAL.

Rejoicing Over Charlie Tupper's Election—Murray Dodd Gets a Judgeship.

OTTAWA, June 18.—General satisfaction is expressed here to-night at the news from Pictou that "Charlie" Tupper, the new Minister of Marine and Fisheries, has been elected by acclamation, and dozens of congratulations were wired to him. He is expected to come to Ottawa at once.

There are now eight cruisers in commission in the fisheries protective service in the maritime provinces: the Acadia, Le Canadienne, Dream, C. H. Tupper, Advance, Critic, Vigilant and C. J. Brydges. The cruiser recently purchased from Col. Allan Gilmour is now in the canal basin undergoing repairs and will shortly proceed to Georgian Bay.

The Department of Fisheries is now in receipt of daily reports from the commanders of the cruisers, which are so far highly satisfactory. American fishermen are freely taking out the licenses permitted to them under the modus vivendi and everything appears to be working smoothly.

County Court Judge Tremaine of the 9th district, Cape Breton, has been placed on the superannuation bill, and Mr. Murray Dodd, ex-M.P. for the county, has been appointed his successor. Mr. Dodd was one of the Conservative whips in the House from 1883 to 1885, and made himself evidently popular. He was not a candidate at the last general election.

It is understood that the Department of Fisheries will repeat this summer the exploratory surveys made last year of the deep sea fisheries of the Pacific. Mr. Mowat, Inspector of Fisheries for British Columbia, will be in charge of the expedition, and the special subject of enquiry will be the black cod fishery banks.

The mounted police seized a number of horses near Lethbridge, N.W.T., which had been smuggled into Canada. On examination by a veterinary surgeon the horses were found to be suffering from glanders, and the customs officers at Lethbridge ordered all the animals shot.

ARE THEY BURGLARS?

The Police Make a Strange Capture—A Gents' Furnishing Store Visited.

At 12.30 this morning the police discovered the door of Taylor & Wilson's cigar factory, in Bay-street, open. They went in and instituted a search of the building, and discovered two men and a woman concealed in the top story. They were taken to Police Headquarters, where the men gave their names as James Armstrong and John Sawden. Armstrong claimed to be foreman of the factory and Sawden a packer employed under him. The woman's name is Annie Morton and she told the sergeant in charge that she had met the male prisoners on the Island that evening, and had accompanied them back to the city. The men gave as their excuse for being in the building that thinking it was going to rain they had entered the factory to close down the windows to prevent the tobacco getting wet.

At 1 o'clock this morning Policeman Walker, while on beat on King-street east, discovered the grating of Alfred White's gents' furnishing store, at No. 65 in that street, removed. He went through the place and found a large quantity of the goods lying scattered around on the floor, and in a corner the hatchet and chisel the burglars had used in effecting an entrance. Owing to the absence of Mr. White it was impossible to learn whether any goods had been carried away.

Ald. Gillespie and Friend Cooper.

Among the many incidents which enlivened the business of the City Council last night was the crossing swords between Ald. Irwin and Gillespie. The latter wanted to know the cost of the civic deputations to Montreal and Ottawa, and appeared anxious to be informed as to what benefit had resulted to the city from them. Ald. McMillan of the Executive flatly refused to give the desired information, and then the member for St. George's Ward "went for" Ald. Baxter and sought to know from him if he intended to pay the costs incurred by the city in the matter of the Early Closing Bylaw.

Ald. Baxter jumped to his feet at once. "I am ready," he said, "to pay it when you undertake to pay the cost of the works investigation. Then you and Friend Cooper can go to Chicago."

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Barrister Hands' Case.

J. Baldwin Hands said to The World yesterday, with reference to the case that the Discipline Committee of the Benchers of the Law Society have before them:

"I have never refused to give Miss Crain her bank stock. I not only never refused to give it up, but I have offered in writing to give it up upon payment of my bill. I have made that offer several times. If my bill is too large there is a well known remedy, viz.: to have it taxed. She, however, wishes to repudiate my bill entirely, and takes the course she has in her endeavors to, by any means fair or foul, beat me out of it. For your benefit and for the benefit of your readers I wish to repeat that I have the lien on her bank stock, and when it is paid, and not till then, will I release or give up the stock. I regret that you published the statements you have. Don't be the slightest alarmed about my name being struck off the solicitors' roll. Any crank can lay a charge against a solicitor before the Law Society. But you know the evil effects of such unfair comments, and I trust you will put the matter right."

That Special Audit.

Ald. Maughan again saw fit to attack Ald. Boustead in last night's council meeting over the waterworks special audit. He asked: "So it is true that Mr. Crosbie, one of the clerks employed to make the special audit of the waterworks books, has been again employed to finish the work, and the other, Mr. Wilson, has been left out?"

Ald. Boustead: "It is quite true."

Ald. Maughan: "Then I say the principle is wrong and should not be allowed. Both ought to be employed."

Subsequently Ald. Maughan handed in this notice of motion: "That the Waterworks Committee be requested to supply to this council a full and final report from Messrs. Wilson and Crosbie of their special audit of the books of the Waterworks Department."

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A Mad Local Assembly.

This communication was read at the City Council last night:

I am instructed to forward the following resolution to you which was passed unanimously by L. A. 2622, K. of L., on June 5: "We, as an assembly of the Knights of Labor, cannot allow the cowardly action of the City Council in repealing the Early Closing Bylaw to pass without giving expression of our disappointment of such action, believing as we do that the gas and electric light monopolies in our city were the prime movers in the agitation for repeal."

HUGH McCAFFREY, Recording Secretary.
GEORGE BRADLEY, Master Workman.

The New Tribunal.

Ald. McMillan, seconded by Ald. Boustead, attempted last night to get a resolution through Council appointing a new court comprising ex-Judge Boyd, ex-Mayor W. H. Howland and Mr. Beverley Jones for the purpose of hearing complaints against juvenile offenders. Ald. Galbraith, Harvie, Macdougall, Maughan and Shaw led the fight against it, the motion being defeated by 18 nays to 10 yeas. Later Ald. Hallam brought in a motion referring the matter to Ald. McMillan, Gilbert, Macdougall and Boustead as a special committee.

Smoke "La Princessa" and "Chip of the Old Block" Cigars. Made by Union men since the strike. 36 246 246

Personal Mention.

The City Council last night gave Ald. Galbraith two months' leave of absence to allow him to travel for his health.

Flora West, second daughter of Sir Lionel Sackville-West, was married yesterday to Mr. Salanzon, recently an attache of the French legation at Washington.

Right Rev. Dr. Medley, the Metropolitan Anglican Bishop of Canada, is 84 years of age and has been 43 years a bishop. He will be a venerable figure at the Lambeth Synod.

Miss Eva M. Kennedy, daughter of Mr. Warring Kennedy of this city, won the prize for an essay on "Domestic Economy" at the Wesleyan Ladies' College at Hamilton. Miss Kennedy is a member of the alumni of the college.

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THE RESOLUTION PASSED.

REV. MR. WILSON'S CASE AGAIN BEFORE THE CONFERENCE.

Dr. Dewart Gets His Motion Through After a Lively Discussion—The Matter Brought Up at the City Council—No Charge Has Been Preferred Against Officer Jarvis.

Rev. Dr. Dewart called up the motion which he moved on Saturday respecting Mr. Wilson's arrest, in the Methodist Conference yesterday. The resolution had been referred to a special committee, and the committee submitted it to Conference after it had been trimmed down as to the number of words used, but all its strength remained. There was practically no difference in the meaning of the resolution as it was printed in The World of yesterday. Dr. Dewart and Mr. Thomas Thompson, the introducers on Saturday, moved for its adoption.

Senator John Macdonald rose to protest against the passing of such a resolution, especially as the case was to go to a higher court and before men who were utterly incapable of doing anything but what was right in the matter. Whilst they should give every possible aid to Mr. Wilson, he thought they should be careful as to the kind of resolution they passed.

Rev. Dr. Parker claimed the right of the conference to express its opinion on the case.

Rev. John A. German opposed the resolution, and said the conference should not waste its breath over one little police magistrate.

Rev. Dr. Shaw deprecated the passing of the resolution. He sympathized with Mr. Wilson, and if he had been near Mr. Wilson at any time when the exercise of a little Christianity were necessary he would have given it.

Rev. LeRoy Hooker suggested the reference of the whole matter to the circuit Mr. Wilson traveled.

Dr. Stone went for the devoted heads of Policeman Jarvis and Col. Denison. He said Mr. Wilson was arrested and charged as a disorderly ruffian, and if all were true that he had heard they should take steps to give the Magistrate an opportunity of explaining his conduct to the Attorney-General, and they could secure that if they acted right.

Then there were loud cheers.

Rev. Thos. Manning characterized the whole affair as a tempest in a teapot.

Rev. Dr. Pirritt and Rev. Mr. Brown supported Dr. Dewart.

Rev. Mr. Wilkinson thought it was a good thing to wait. Had he voted on Saturday he would have voted with Dr. Dewart, but now he thought they should allow the case to go to the courts and give Mr. Wilson every support in his endeavor to get justice. He would subscribe $10 for the purpose.

Mr. Daniel McLean in a racy speech supported Dr. Dewart.

Rev. J. F. German moved as an amendment and Rev. Wm. Galbraith seconded, "That this conference has heard with the deepest regret of the arrest and condemnation of one of its honored members in a Police Court in this city, but as the case is still sub judice the conference awaits with confidence the final results of the judicial proceedings now pending, and expresses its fullest confidence in the Rev. Mr. Wilson as a christian minister and a law-abiding citizen."

Rev. Dr. Briggs, in a vigorous speech, declared that as The Globe, The Empire and The Telegram had each gone for the policeman and magistrate, consequently the conference should not mince or mouth over the matter, but decide at once, and express its opinion on such an important subject.

A minority report was read but through an informality it could not be put, so the conference voted down by a very large majority Mr. German's amendment, and by an equally large majority carried the committee's resolutions.

NO CHARGE MADE YET.

Mayor Clarke Talks of the Arrest at the City Council Last Evening.

A gentleman high up in the confidence of the Police Commissioners told The World last night that it was not probable that Policeman Jarvis would be asked to appear before that body in connection with the arrest of Mr. Wilson, seeing that the Police Magistrate in fining Mr. Wilson had declared that Jarvis acted within his rights in arresting him for disorderly conduct. If a complaint was made against the officer, the commissioners would of course consider it on its merits.

At the City Council Ald. St. Leger said: "I see by the city press, Mr. Mayor, that two arrests have been made during the last few days which have created a good deal of comment. I would like to ask if an official inquiry is to be made into the cases?"

The Mayor: "No charge has been made against any of the policemen. I may say that the Board of Commissioners will meet on Wednesday, and anyone wishing to make a charge may do so."

Ald. Fleming: "Has anyone made a charge?"

The Mayor: "Certainly not."

Ald. St. Leger: "That's what I wanted to know."

The Missionary Meeting.

A large congregation assembled in the Metropolitan Church last night. Mr. Warring Kennedy presided. Addresses on missionary work were delivered by Rev. Dr. Hunter, who dwelt on the church's need of missionary effort, and by Rev. Y. Hiraiwa of Japan, who gave numerous instances of the marvelous change in the daily life of men and women in that country as soon as they embraced Christianity. Other addresses were given, and during the evening Rev. R. L. Bowles presented his own portrait and the portraits of Revs. Messrs. Stewart, C. Wright and Wm. M. Pickard, the three ministers ordained on Sunday, to Dr. Stafford, president of the conference. The portraits were well executed and set in a beautiful gilt frame.

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A More Thorough System Wanted.

Ald. Jones in Council last night moved a resolution that the Committee on Works be requested to consider and report on a more thorough system of keeping the roadways, etc., in repair than the one at present in practice. The motion was carried.

A West End Ambulance.

Ald. Johnston got a motion through the Council last night that the Police Commissioners be requested to place the old ambulance wagon in St. Andrew's Market Police Station for the convenience of those requiring its services in the West End.

City Briefs.

In the absence of Ald. Galbraith Ald. Jones will act on the Executive Committee; and Ald. Macdonald on the Property and Fire and Gas Committee.

On motion of Ald. Baxter the City Council last night ordered that a Lambeth lamp be placed in front of St. Patrick's Church, in William-street.

Horse owners and carters will be glad to see that Mr. Sam Richardson has turned the water into the most popular horse trough in the city—at his own expense.

The house burglarized on John-street on Sunday morning is not C. R. Winters, but Mrs. E. A. Winters. The property, however, belongs to the gentleman mentioned.

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Steamship Arrivals.

Date.	Name.	Reported at.	From.
June 17	State of Georgia	Glasgow	New York
"	Werra	Southampton	[illegible]
"	Parisian	Rimouski	Liverpool
"	Corean	Glasgow	Montreal
"	Polynesian	Liverpool	Quebec
"	Anchoria	Moville	New York
"	Ems	London	[illegible]

WEST ENDERS AND THE FERRIES.

A Complaint that Seems to Hold Water—The Burdens of Married Men.

The West End has, by the extent to which it has grown, and the proportionate increase in the population of that part of the city, acquired an importance which is not always fully recognized. For instance, it is clearly overlooked by the steamboat companies whose ferries run to and from the Island. The nearest point of embarkation that the West Enders may use is the wharf at the foot of Brock-street, and then the ferry will carry them to Hanlan's Point only. If they desire to reach the Centre Island Park or Ward's Hotel they must take another boat at Hanlan's and pay for a second time.

It may be argued that by using a street car they can readily reach either the Yonge-street or Church-street wharves. True; for a single man the extra 5 cents would be a trifling addition to the expense of an afternoon's outing on the Island. It must be remembered, however, that in the West End, which can be said to extend from Spadina-avenue to the western terminus of the street railway, the married man is in a great majority. He went west in order that he might build a home for himself where property was still comparatively cheap. Therefore, when he goes out to enjoy a Saturday afternoon holiday he has to take his family along with him, and car fare thus becomes an important item.

If it is Sunday he must stay at home, or else take a three or four mile walk under a broiling sun. Now, there is no reason why one of the ferry companies should not build a wharf at some point more convenient to the West Enders than the Brock-street dock. A little enterprise in this direction would doubtless be rewarded by increased traffic between the city and the Island, and certainly the company which first endeavored to accommodate the citizens from the far west would profit by its attention to the wants of a very deserving portion of the community. Strachan-avenue has now been opened from King-street to the lake shore. Would not the foot of this thoroughfare be an excellent spot from which to start a line of ferries to the Island? Brock-street wharf could be called at en route.

OUR WEST ENDER.

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$1000 FOR BREACH OF PROMISE.

Miss Jennie Brennan Wins Her Suit Against George R. Henderson.

A breach of promise case was heard in the Assize Court yesterday before Justice Falconbridge and a jury. It was a remanent from the last court. The plaintiff is Miss Jennie Brennan, a nurse by profession, 26 years of age and rather intelligent. The defendant, George R. Henderson, is a machinist in Taylor's safe works, is a young man, sports a heavy dark-brown moustache, and behaved in such a manner during the trial as to give the impression that he rather enjoyed the experience of having the story told in court than otherwise. Mr. Carson (Badgerow & Carson) appeared for plaintiff, and Mr. N. Murphy for defendant.

Miss Brennan's evidence was clear and concise. She said she had been introduced to defendant sixteen months ago, and that shortly after making his acquaintance he had offered his hand in marriage. She had accepted the offer, the ceremony to take place within six months. Later on he renewed his promises, but finally broke with her, telling her that he wanted nothing to do with her, not however before he had despoiled her under the promise of marriage and after the birth of a child.

The defence acknowledged the intimacy with the plaintiff, but denied in toto that any promise of marriage had passed. Letters were produced which the defendant had written to the plaintiff inferring the existence of an agreement of marriage. The case went to the jury at 5.50, and they returned a verdict for plaintiff for $1000, the full amount sued for.

Miss Brennan, the plaintiff, is an orphan, coming to Toronto from Meaford just before her misfortune. As she could not bring an action for seduction herself, she was successful in mulcting her false lover on a breach of promise of marriage suit.

An Important Sale.

Very attractive sale of valuable residence and grounds, situated on one of the handsomest streets of the city, being number 375 Jarvis-street, the residence of Mr. S. H. Janes, who is about leaving the city with his family for an extended tour through England, Ireland, Scotland and the Continent, of some 2 or 3 years. It is Mr. Janes' intention building a magnificent residence on his new purchase on his return, and he has given instructions to the well-known auctioneers of the city, Messrs. Oliver, Coate & Co., to conduct this sale, which will take place to-day, Tuesday, 19th, commencing at 11 o'clock. The residence and grounds will be offered at 12.30, and furniture at 11 o'clock. To those wishing really good articles this sale presents an excellent opportunity to secure bargains. The furniture, carpets, etc., being all of the very best manufacture, and will be sold without any reserve.

Hon. G. W. Ross' Trip.

Hon. G. W. Ross, Minister of Education, will leave town to-day at 12.20 o'clock on a jaunt through the New England States, accompanied by Prof. Galbraith, of the School of Practical Science. He will visit several seats of learning with the object of transplanting some of the educational methods in vogue there to the Ontario educational system. Higher branches of engineering are to be added to the curriculum of the School of Science and it is probable that a class of manual training will be started in connection with the Model School. Hon. Mr. Ross and Prof. Galbraith will be absent for two weeks.

Extension of Island Park.

The arbitrators in the matter of the Island Park extension held a preliminary meeting in the City Council chamber yesterday afternoon, adjourning after organization to meet again at the call of the chairman. The arbitrators are J. Enoch Thompson, chairman; J. J. Withrow, for the city, and D. M. Defoe, for the lessees. City Solicitor Biggar conducts the case for the corporation, and ex-City Solicitor McWilliams looks after the interests of the five parties interested in the arbitration as lessees. The names of the latter are David Ward, lessee of the south-easterly half of lot 25; John Gray, lessee of lot 24; and H. L. Hime, J. T. Matthews and George Jackson, joint owners of lot 15.

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Dineen's Corner.

The rush for summer head coverings was something tremendous all day Saturday and yesterday. Members of Parliament, judges, lawyers, merchants, mechanics and the working people all seemed bent on the same thing—cool hats, or hats to keep the head cool. Dineen had extra clerks, and the whole staff had all they could do to wait on the crowd. Straws, light felts, Zephyrs and manillas were handed down and as readily purchased. Children's hats were picked up very fast. They have in stock all the New York novelties. The better class of gentlemen are buying light color soft or slouch hats. The latest imported fashions are showing in this line.

A City Case Adjourned.

The case of Campbell v. Toronto, to have been called yesterday, was postponed by consent until the Fall Assizes. It is an action to recover $1000 damages caused by the plaintiff slipping on an icy sidewalk and sustaining a fracture of the arm.

An Adjourning Arbitration.

It was the intention of the arbitrators in the matter of the Don improvement to hold a lengthy session yesterday, but they were compelled to adjourn until to-day, the city not being ready with its witnesses.

The Pharmacy Examinations.

The thirty-fifth semi-annual examination in connection with the Ontario College of Pharmacy opened yesterday forenoon. Ninety-nine candidates wrote. B. Jackes, C. R. Smith, R. R. Fraser, A. W. Ball, D. S. Sager and T. Holman are the examiners.

Grimsby Park.

It has been arranged for the steamer Hastings to go to Grimsby Park on Wednesday next in place of the steamer Greyhound. She will leave Bailey's Wharf, foot of Church-st., at 8.45 a.m. sharp, calling at Geddes' Wharf, foot of Yonge-st., at 9 a.m.

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"You're engaged. Cashier, pay this gentleman $300 a week and give him an order on Harris & Co., 99 Yonge, for one of those fine Mackinaw, or a Miller stiff felt, hats."

THAT BUFFALO MATINEE.

MR. CAMPBELL MAKES A REPLY TO SOLICITOR FOSTER, Q.C.

He Declares That He Never Saw the $8000 Deposit Receipt Held by the Bank Ville Marie Until After the Central Failed—Then He Saw It in Toronto.

Much interest was excited in banking and commercial circles and amongst those who have followed the story of the wrecking of the Central Bank by the exclusive announcement of The World yesterday that Ex-Liquidator Campbell's name had at Buffalo been freely mentioned by Solicitor Foster in connection with the issue by Cashier Allen of what are known as the "Cox deposit receipts."

The World had an interview yesterday with Mr. Archibald Campbell on the subject, when the ex-liquidator said: "I read in The World your report of the examination of Mr. E. S. Cox at Buffalo on Saturday, in reference to a deposit receipt for $8000, given by the Central Bank to E. S. Cox in July last, on which the Bank Ville Marie are now claiming as creditors on estate of the Central Bank, that an attempt was made to bring in my name in connection with the transaction. I wish to state that the first I knew of the existence of the receipt was after the failure of the bank, and the only time I ever saw it was in the hands of one of the officers of the Merchants' Bank of Canada here in Toronto seven months ago. This was after the bank had failed. I never had anything to do with negotiating it. Cox never asked me or spoke to me about negotiations of anything in my life, nor was I present when he ever at any time referred to negotiating any security. I never paid him any money, nor did he pay me. In fact I never had any approach to a transaction with him. I think Mr. Foster unwarrantably brought my name into this matter, when it was not in the slightest degree pertinent to the question at issue. I consider Mr. Foster's bringing my name up thus as only the outcome of his virulence against me, which he has exhibited since Jan. 21 last. It is one of his persecutions against me since we had our differences in the liquidation proceedings."

In this connection it is interesting to know exactly what took place at the Genesee House parlor on Saturday. The World therefore subjoins a verbatim report of that portion of Mr. Cox's examination in which Mr. Campbell's name was mentioned.

Mr. Foster (to Mr. Cox): Didn't Mr. Baxter tell you to get this money ($8000 on a Central Bank deposit receipt at the time there was no deposit in the bank) from Mr. Campbell?

Mr. Cox: What money are you referring to?

Mr. Foster: Any money—$8000.

Mr. Cox did not answer.

Mr. Foster: You know he told you to get it from Mr. Campbell.

Mr. Watson (interposing): It is hardly right to go into this matter.

Mr. Foster: I think it is.

To Cox: Were Baxter and Campbell together when it was negotiated?—No.

Did you see Campbell there?—I don't remember.

Did you get the money from Baxter or from Campbell?—I got it from Baxter.

Was Campbell there at the same time?—I don't remember.

At the time Mr. Baxter handed the money to you was Mr. Campbell present?—He was not there.

Did you get the cash?—I won't swear whether I did or not.

Did you not meet Campbell and Baxter together during the day?—That is part of the thing I said I would not go into.

Mr. Foster: It affects these receipts. I submit to the Examiner that it does. I am not wantonly asking this question. It affects those deposit receipts but not Mr. Campbell in any way.

After some further discussion Mr. Cox said warmly, "I decline to answer. It relieves you from any responsibility."

Mr. Foster: When the actual cash was handed over to you on this transaction were not Baxter and Campbell both present?

Mr. Cox: I decline to answer that question because I do not think it affects me at all.

Mr. Foster: You are not competent to decide that. I ask, Mr. Examiner, whether he must not answer. I cannot understand Mr. Cox sheltering a man who did not seem anxious to shelter him.

The Examiner: Mr. Cox has objected personally, and I do not know that it lies in my power to coerce him.

Mr. Foster pressed the question and Mr. Cox positively refused to answer.

THE STAYNER CASES.

Mr. H. P. Dwight on the Stand in Connection with Central Bank Matters.

The Master-in-Ordinary yesterday resumed the consideration of the "Stayner" list of cases in connection with the Central Bank. The only witness examined was ex-Director Harvey P. Dwight. He deposed that until these proceedings he never heard of money being borrowed from Cassels, Son & Co. or from the North American Life Assurance Company. He attended the board meetings regularly. He knew nothing of Cashier Allen buying shares on behalf of the bank. Allen had no authority to make the Cassels loan. Cross-examined: Mr. Dwight said he never heard of any loan until Allen pledged some securities to obtain a loan from the Dominion Bank. These securities, witness believed, were papers of the Niagara Central Railway. This was a week or two before the suspension. There was no minute in the books of the bank as to the transaction. Allen had previously obtained money from the Standard Bank, the manager of which assisted him "in a neighborly way." This was not considered to be of such importance as to require the formal consent of the board. It was a loan of $15,000, and was barely mentioned at the board meeting. Witness did not subscribe for any of the trust stock. It was a nominal subscription by the directors to comply with the letter of the law. Mr. Dwight added that he subscribed for $5000 stock for his wife. He got this stock from Mr. Allen. For part of these shares President Blain undertook to indemnify him respecting the paying up of calls. He agreed to pay up the stock to qualify witness as a director. The directors' issue of stock was not bona fide. He knew nothing whatever of any shares being "dropped out" of the stock list by Allen. Witness gave details of loans and other transactions of which as a director he had cognizance.

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Goldsmith's Poems.

To me more dear, congenial to my heart,
One native charm than all the glare of art.

He had evidently not seen Shannessy & Hall's photos at 258 Yonge-st. 624

The Editor and the Policeman.

The Editor of The World went over to the Police Court yesterday morning at 10, having received a note from Mr. Cheesman, who is a Butter Reformer of some importance, that he wished to see him there. The Editor was not known to the policeman on duty at the head of the stairs. As the Editor approached him, and a small boy was also ascending *pari passu*, the officer, in an uncivil way, inquired: "What do you fellows want? You can't get in here unless you're a subpœna." Inside the court room another officer told the Editor as he stood by the box looking around for Mr. Cheeseman: "You can't stand here, or you'll be taken for a prisoner." Notwithstanding the slight reflection contained in this remark its delivery was fairly civil and therefore beyond cavil, but the Editor didn't altogether like being called a fellow in that kind of a way by the first officer, especially as he pays $500 to $600 a year taxes, (a considerable portion of which goes to support the force) and has often gone out of his way to say a good word for the police. Nor can he deny that the police have done many good turns for him on various occasions. All the Editor has to say under the circumstances is that it costs nothing to be civil toward the meanest as well as toward the highest, and that Chief Grasett might inculcate the idea in all of his men.

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Continued Warm Weather.

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