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## GEORGE McARTHUR SUED FOR \$10,000 FOR SLAMMER

A. G. Eggecombe, Plaintiff in the Case, Tells of the Incident in Queens Rink Which Has Resulted in the Present Action

The circuit court resumed this morning, Judge Landry presiding. The following jurors were chosen to hear the case in which Albert G. Eggecombe sues George McArthur for \$10,000 for slander. George E. Smith, Thos. Logan, G. Hober Arnold, Francis Ritchie, J. P. Williams, Jas. L. Carmichael and Charles H. Brennan. Mr. Eggecombe gave evidence that on April 29th he was at the Queen's Rink with Mr. Frank Kinsner. They were returning from Rev. Mr. Kuhring's Bible class and met George McArthur and W. G. Scovill in the Queen's Rink. McArthur then remarked to Mr. Eggecombe that he was one of six who had signed a paper to put Mr. McArthur and Mr. Campbell out of the company. Witness denied any such intention. McArthur used bad language, called him a thief and spat in his face. McArthur then struck him a few times and said: "All you have got you stole from other people," and added that, "if you are worth \$2,000 I am worth \$125,000." He also charged that he had set fire to his premises and got \$1000 insurance. Mr. Eggecombe said that after being hit he went into the rink office to clear of McArthur. He had had satisfactory business transactions with Mr. McArthur for a year. He denied that he had been any negotiations between himself and Mr. McArthur for the purchase of the Campbell rink stock or that he told J. W. Russell or Earl Fleming that he would buy that stock. He denied opening the conversation with Mr. McArthur on the night of the assault. W. G. Scovill was called and gave evidence that he heard Mr. McArthur call Mr. Eggecombe a number of names and saw him spit on the rink floor. The court adjourned until 2:30 o'clock this afternoon.

## CANADIAN DAY AT THE BUFFALO CELEBRATION

BUFFALO, N. Y., Sept. 4.—Today is officially known as the Old Home programs as "Canadian Day." Thousands of visitors are expected from Canada, including two regiments of Canadian soldiers, the Royal Fusiliers, London, Ont., and the Thirtieth Regiment of Hamilton. The soldiers will parade this afternoon, escorted by a battalion of the 12th U. S. Infantry and the officers of the 5th and 7th Regiments of the New York National Guard.

"Canadian Day" in other respects will be full of entertainment. There will be a lacrosse game between the Tecumseh Club of Toronto and the Buffalo Club; motor boat races and other sports, closing this evening with a grotesque parade made up of maisters and barbuters.

## NEW ZEALAND STRIKE IS DECLARED ILLEGAL

LONDON, Sept. 4.—Despatches from Wellington, N. Z., state that the court of appeal there has finally declared that the strike of the slaughterhouse and their sympathizers is illegal. The working men who are participating in it, the court holds, are violating the law and may be fined and in case of non-payment of the fine may be imprisoned for a term not exceeding one year.

## ONTARIO FARMER USED A KNIFE ON HIS THROAT

KINGSTON, Ont., Sept. 4.—Samuel Beerman, aged 65, a farmer residing three miles from Morton, cut his throat with a pocket knife on Tuesday evening. He had been in poor health for a year or more which accounts for his rash act. Dr. Ferguson, of Lyndhurst, dressed the wound putting in sixteen stitches and at last reports he was still alive but in a low condition.

## NEW YORK ARTIST TO PAINT KING'S PORTRAIT

MARIENBAD, Sept. 4.—King Edward has commissioned Mrs. Leslie Cotton, a well known painter of New York, to paint his portrait. Two sittings have already been given and the results are most satisfactory.

ROME, Sept. 4.—Pope Pius is greatly interested in a proposal to bring about the beatification of Marie Seton, founder of the American Christian Charity Schools. He has reserved the American ecclesiastical authorities the matter will be placed before the competent congregation as soon as possible.

## EFFORT TO MAKE UP TIME COST SEVEN LIVES

Further Particulars of the Awful Wreck Last Evening at Orangeville—Train Was an Hour Late—Too High Speed on Dangerous Curve.

## ITALIAN BANKER LIVED LIKE A MILLIONAIRE

Toronto Embezzler Who Recently Suicided Had a Great Time on Other People's Money.

TORONTO, Sept. 4.—Edmund D'Amato, M. P., returned from his trip to New York where he had gone on behalf of creditors of Banco Giannetti. No money was found there by him, but inquiries he made were fruitful as to Giannetti's life and business methods. One of the results of the inquiry was to make it clear that various sums which were shown on American express companies forms in Toronto office, as if money had been transmitted to their destination by the company, had merely been made out on express company's forms for convenience in Giannetti's office, and that the money was actually sent to New York by cheques drawn on the Merchants Bank. When the money had arrived in New York, instead of going direct to Italy it was drawn by Giannetti, usually in very large sums. What Giannetti did with these sums is still a mystery, but it is supposed that he spent it in various forms of extravagance. He arrived in New York from Toronto in the early part of May and took an expensive flat at 248 Madison Avenue, one room of which he used as an office, corresponding his mornings in dictating correspondence to two clerks. Towards the last he grew very extravagant and in three weeks which he spent at Bay Shore immediately before leaving for Toronto, he wasted money like water, lost large sums in gambling and got the reputation of being a millionaire. Significantly enough he left his apartments there without paying his board bill.

## NORMAL SCHOOL OPENS WITH AN ATTENDANCE OF 250

English Prelate Enjoying a Trip on the River This Afternoon.

FREDERICTON, N. B., Sept. 4.—The provincial Normal School opens this morning. Principal Bridges presiding. There were about 250 students enrolled and the morning was taken up with organization. Miss Lynde and Dr. D. W. Hamilton, were present.

Rev. Dr. Jacob Bishop, of St. Albans, London, who has been visiting the city left by this morning's boat for a trip down river. His Lordship before coming to Fredericton was the guest of Earl Grey, at Ottawa, and it was upon the latter's advice that he visited the capital. The bishop is much pleased with his trip and fully corroborated the governor general's praise of the beauty of Fredericton.

## FUNERALS

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## SYSTEMATIC PLAN OF DEVELOPMENT ARRANGED FOR ST. JOHN HARBOR

Important Proposals by Chief Engineer Were Heard Today—Dr. Pugsley Wants a Definite Plan to be Embodied in a Bill—John Sealy Appointed to the Committee.

An important meeting of citizens and aldermen was held in the mayor's office this morning to discuss harbor improvements with Hon. William Pugsley, Minister of Public Works. A meeting of the harbor improvement committee was first called. The resignation of Hon. Mr. Pugsley as a member of this committee was received and John Sealy was appointed his successor. Mayor Sears was also appointed an ex-officio member of the committee. This board is now composed of John E. Moore, chairman, W. H. Thorne, P. H. Estabrooks, J. B. M. Baxter, John Sealy and Mayor Sears ex-officio. Eugene Lafleur, chief engineer of the public works department, was then heard in connection with the West Side improvements. In answer to Dr. Pugsley Mr. Lafleur said he considered the dredging of the existing berth sites as the most important work to be done. Secondly he would urge the removal of the wharf at the entrance to Sand Point slip to make easy ingress and egress for the steamers. Thirdly, he would urge the clearing up of the Sand Point channel. The minister suggested that the city proceed with the clearing up of the berth sites and he would impress on the Government the desirability of covering this expenditure in the next year's appropriations. He also suggested that the city appoint a director of public works or a city engineer to advise with the officers of the public works department from time to time as to the portions of dredging most required, and also in regard to the safety of northern Railway wharf to the street railway tracks.

Ald. Baskin brought up the question concerning the dumping of dredging material inside the limits prescribed. The minister promised to have an inspector sent down with each scow-load of material to see that it was placed outside the limits.

Those present at the meeting today were: Hon. Wm. Pugsley, minister of public works; His Worship Mayor Sears, W. E. Vroom, John Sealy, J. H. Armstrong, T. H. Estabrooks, R. H. Emerson, A. H. McGoldrick, Bullock, Baskin, Holder, Pickett, Baxter, Geo. Robertson, M. P. P., D. J. Purdy, M. P., E. P. Sheehan, C. E., J. K. Seammel, C. E., J. H. McRobbie, president of the Board of Trade, and Eugene Lafleur, chief engineer of the public works department.

## STRIKING TELEGRAPHER WENT INSANE, SUICIDED

No Money Came to Him from the Benefit Fund and He Became Despondent

NEW YORK, Sept. 4.—A despatch to the World from Pittsburg says: Harry Iden, of Long Island, N. Y., a telegraph operator, died in the Alleghany General Hospital last night. He tried twice to hang himself then he took carbolic acid. Although not a union man, Iden, who was 40 years old, quit work when the strike was declared. He said it would not last long and came here with his wife and two children. He was a stranger in Pittsburg but Mr. and Mrs. John McMillan took the Iden family home. Both McMillans are telegraph operators and are on strike. No mail came to Iden from the strike benefit. He grew moody then despondent and behaved so strangely that yesterday he was arrested.

## CHRISTIE-BELL

The wedding of Miss Abbie M. Bell, daughter of Charles W. Bell, 355 College street, to Dr. W. A. Christie, will be celebrated at the residence of the bride's parents this afternoon at four o'clock.

Rev. Gordon Dickie will officiate and will be assisted by Rev. Dr. Morrison, of the First Presbyterian Church, Chicago.

Mrs. John B. Roberts, sister of the groom, will be matron of honor. Stuart Bell, brother of the bride will be groomsmen. The bride will wear a tailor made suit of navy blue. Miss Jean Roberts will act as flower girl. The home of the bride has been beautifully decorated for the happy event, and a profusion of wedding gifts have been received. The happy couple will leave on the C. P. R. this evening for a tour through upper Canadian cities.

## NO OPPOSITION TO HON. GEO. GRAHAM

MONTREAL, Sept. 4.—Brookville despatches announce that Hon. Geo. P. Graham, the new minister of railways, will not be opposed.

The county court, Judge Forbes presiding, this morning adjourned until tomorrow morning at 10:30 o'clock, when the case against Mary Deegan for perjury will be tried. After that the Sheffield robbery case will be taken up.

Miss M. W. Stewart, of this city, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stewart, Yarmouth, N. S.

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