

JUMPED TO DEATH FROM HIGH BRIDGE.

Young Woman, Partly Dressed in Man's Attire, Deliberately Committed Suicide at Early Hour This Morning.

Plunging over a hundred feet; dropping from the High Level bridge to a thin sheet of ice on the Desjardins Canal, an unknown young foreign woman came to her death this morning a few minutes after 8 o'clock.

fifty yards north of the High-Level bridge and saw a woman, whom he had been watching as she came towards him for some time, stop near the centre of the bridge.

and had to be hauled around from the side of the canal up the old gravel road on the west side.

The spot the young woman jumped from can be described only as a dizzy height. It is over a hundred feet from the flooring of the bridge to the water below, and even at the highest water mark there is one hundred feet of space.

The high level bridge has been the scene of several fatalities, but this is the first time in the memory of the police that any person has ever jumped from the terrible height to end life.



MISS MARGARET HERON.

Miss Heron is a Pittsburgh girl who made her debut this season. She is considered one of the pretty girls in Pittsburgh.

LONG RECORD OF MYSTERIOUS CASES.

Many Deaths in Hamilton in Recent Years Have Never Been Explained.

Hamilton and district has an unenviable record as a centre for crime. There have been over a dozen cases where violent deaths have resulted within a few years and three murderers have paid the penalty for their crimes on the scaffold in the yard at Barton street jail.

Annie Griffin out for a drive one Sunday evening. The girl was shot while in the rig, and Pearson drove to a farmhouse and told with pathos of the fight he had with highwaymen who had killed the girl.

Half a score of years have failed to erase the memory of the case of Ben Parrott. A simple-minded sort of fellow, Benjamin Parrott took to drinking. On the ninth day of February, ten years ago last month, Parrott went on a spree and, going to the home of his parents in the afternoon, split his aged mother's head open with an axe.

The next crime of serious nature was September 24, 1900, a little over a year later than the murder of Mrs. Parrott, George Arthur Pearson, a young man of respectable family, took

CORROBORATES HER STORY OF THE MURDER

This is Miss Florence Kinrade's View of Shooting of P. C. Smith-- Detectives Taking Photos To-day.

The Kinrade murder mystery, which has captured public interest as no other crime has done since the celebrated Birchall-Benwell case, near Woodstock, twenty years ago, will be more than a nine days wonder. It is just nine days ago since Ethel Kinrade, the daughter of a wealthy and prominent citizen, was foully slain in her father's home in the heart of the city's fashionable residential district, and the interest that prevails in Hamilton and the surrounding country, is, if anything, more tense now than the afternoon the details of the shocking tragedy were first given to the public.

fact, the men who are working on the case declare that little or no progress has been made. They are still busy threshing out clues, but have as yet discovered nothing that justifies a statement that there will be any developments before the inquest. The police are hopeful that some light may be thrown on the mystery then. There has been talk of a further adjournment, but it does not look as if this would be necessary.

the tragedy. It is expected that by Wednesday night she will be prepared to tell the story of the affair. Mrs. Kinrade is also said to be recovering nicely. She had not been bothered by the detectives yet and it is expected she will have sufficiently recovered her composure by Wednesday evening to answer questions for the crown attorney and the jury.

The presence in the city yesterday afternoon of Provincial Detective William Greer and another stranger, said to be a Pinkerton detective, gave rise to a report that the police were about to take some action and that developments would begin to-day. As matter of

fact, the men who are working on the case declare that little or no progress has been made. They are still busy threshing out clues, but have as yet discovered nothing that justifies a statement that there will be any developments before the inquest.

He added that this morning the family were given courage by reason of the affair in Hamilton last night, as this would go far to establish beyond doubt the truth of Miss Kinrade's first and authentic account of the murder, the tramp story.

WELL! WELL!

Value of Springer Estate Increased by Millions Again.

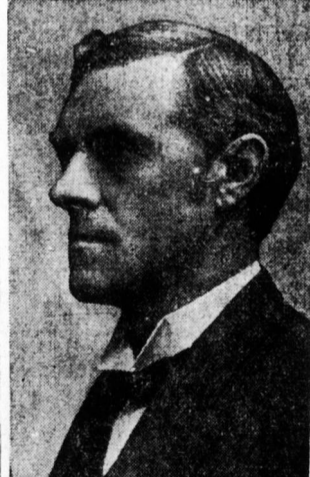
Newburyport, Mass., March 6.—There will soon be formed an association of members of the Springer family who are claimants to \$80,000,000 worth of property now held by the city of Wilmington, Del., and to estates and cash in Sweden to the value of \$40,000,000.

IRISH NIGHT.

Victoria Avenue Baptists Had a Good One.

The regular meeting of Victoria Avenue Literary Society was held last night in the school room, Mr. J. Peebles presiding. A very enjoyable Irish programme was contributed by several of the members which consisted of the following numbers: Comic Irish recitation, L. Hartley; selections by the orchestra; solo, "Dear Little Shamrock of Ireland," A. S. Newlands; solo, Mr. Ayliffe. Rev. S. B. Russell, of Erskine Church, gave a very interesting talk on Ireland, which was appreciated very much by the society, and a vote of thanks was tendered him.

SAFETY DEPOSIT BOXES To rent at \$2 a year and upwards, for the storing of deeds, bonds, stocks, wills, silver and other valuables. TRADERS BANK OF CANADA.



WARDEN GAGE, Denies liability of county for poor in jail.

TELEGRAPH TICKS. Nine Chinese students to study in U. S. and Europe.

Seven U. S. railroads agree not to change freight rates.

Berlin, Ont., farm hand has been taken back by U. S. officers.

Proposal to change date of inauguration of U. S. Presidents.

The situation between Austria and Serbia is again disquieting.

Mrs. Clara Lendrum, of Toronto, poisoned herself in Buffalo yesterday.

Village of Pradel, Italy, destroyed by avalanche. Fifteen persons killed.

Feminine Notables.

Mme. Schumann-Beink, the American singer, appeared before a most distinguished small audience the other day in Berlin, where at the Imperial Palace she sang for the Emperor and Empress of Germany and King Edward and Queen Alexandra of England and a few other notable people.

The Viennese essayist, Dr. Stephanie Weiss-Eder, writes: "Women are more exacting than men in so far as they demand good husbands, who are much rarer than good wives sought by men."

Lady Winifred, sister of Lord Denbigh, of London, is to accompany her husband, Gertrude Elwes, a noted English tenor, who is coming from England to sing in two oratorio performances with the New York Oratorio Society.

Mrs. H. L. Tibets has just been appointed chairman of the Board of Charities in Lowell, Mass. She is a woman of means and social position and has for several years devoted much of her time and her wealth to Charity Work.

Mrs. Arthur W. Bryant, second vice-president of the Chicago Woman's Club, went before the Public Service Commission a few days ago to ask that special cars, exclusively for women, be placed on all elevated trains during the rush hours.

Miss Estella Finch, an American, who has been for a long time connected with the women's missions at Yokosuka and other naval bases, has been granted naturalization by the Japanese Home Department. This is the first instance in Japan of the naturalization of a woman.

John S. Sargent has accepted a commission to paint a three-quarters length portrait of Mrs. Whitelaw Reid.

A school for domestic servants has been started in Hamburg.

THE MAN IN OVERALLS

Don't get rattled. Lieut.-Gov. Gibson has invited the Man from Manitowish to dinner. Where did the money come from?

Situation Wanted—free ad. in the Times. Put one in. Costs nothing.

But promiscuous pistol practice by the police might be dangerous.

The Citizens' League is not so sure about the bona fides of the Collegiate Institute dance. Perhaps they were out of step.

Read Mr. Tobey's letter in this evening's Times. There is a lot in it to think over and also to act upon. I don't see why Hamilton can't do just as he says. There's no use in going to sleep.

Whitney has made up his mind again to spend all the money he can collect, and more. He is certainly a good spender.

If I were a tramp I wouldn't wait to be put out of town. I would get right out.

I feel sorry to think that Hon. Mr. Hendrie is under the weather and hope the rest and sea voyage will make a new man of him.

What kind of a friend Whitney is to the temperance cause. Well, from the way Hon. G. W. Ross was treated I can't say I feel sorry.

Keep cool. Every man you meet is not a burglar.

Hamilton is getting more like New York every day. It is New York becoming more like Hamilton.

T. J. Stewart has not yet upset the Laurier Government. He hasn't even caught the speaker's eye. Isn't he feeling well?

To timid householders—Don't shoot until you are sure you know what or whom you are shooting at. A fatal mistake of that kind would be deplorable for all concerned.

Harrow their feelings as much as you please, make as ugly insinuations as you can, hold up their private affairs to public view, pry into their domestic life, make misfortune as bitter to them as possible, question their truthfulness, and doubt their innocence. Never mind as long as you get a good story—one that will sell the paper. Is that the principle the Herald works on?

After all, I am afraid the policemen's lot is not a happy one.

Hamilton is having its full share of tragedies. The tragic suicide of the young woman at the high level bridge this morning makes the third almost within a week. Let us hope this is the last for a long time.

Air Pillows. We have just received a lot of inexpensive air pillows, which are on sale at 50 cents each. We have only a limited number at this price. If you are intending to go camping this summer get one of these pillows; they are a lot of comfort.—Parke & Parke, druggists.



MRS. JOHN A. MCGOGLAND.

She has separated from her husband, who is several times a millionaire, because of the latter's friendship for too many women. Mrs. McGoogland, before her marriage to Hon. McGoogland, was Miss Weir, of Hartford, Conn., and was a singer in Holy Trinity in Brooklyn.

SMITH'S CONDITION QUITE FAVORABLE

Hopes Are Now Entertained That Thursday Night's Shooting Will Not be a Murder.

P. C. Harry Smith, who was shot on Thursday night at E. W. Kappelle's home, Ray street, has a fair chance for recovery. At 12.30 this afternoon the City Hospital authorities declared his condition to be quite favorable.

MRS. SMITH BREAKS DOWN. Mrs. Smith, wife of the wounded constable, is in a serious state of nervous breakdown. The news of the shooting was first conveyed to her by a reporter on a local paper, and he didn't "break" the information, he simply smashed it and walloped it home to her.

The murderous burglar is still at large. Early yesterday afternoon P. C. Smith was removed to the office of Dr. S. Cummings, Main and Wellington streets. This course was rendered necessary because of the deplorable fact that there are no X-ray appliances at the City Hospital. Dr. Cummings is radiographer of the hospital. The X-ray disclosed very clearly the bullet split in two, one piece lodged under the skin just near the right ear, and the other, and smaller piece in the brain at the back of the head.

There was considerable excitement among the sisters and scholars at the Lenox Concert yesterday, due largely to the fact that Constable Smith and a citizen had been shot near the grounds of the institute the previous night. There was really no cause for the commotion, however, which came about in this way: Some days ago the young lady attended a "masquerade" party, and rented costumes from a downtown dealer. When the costumes were returned a soldier's sword was overlooked, and yesterday the owner sent a man to the concert to get it. He was abrupt and had a deep voice. When his knock was answered by a sister he said, "I want the sword," or words to that effect. The sister immediately ran through the corridor and called for help thinking the man was about to do some harm. As the man made no move, the excitement soon subsided, and an explanation of his visit was made.

Smith was then returned to the hospital and operation was performed by Dr. Cummings, assisted by Dr. Bingham, the family physician, and other city doctors and members of the hospital house staff. The removal of the larger piece from beneath the scalp was an easy matter. The bullet had struck the bone, near the temple in a glancing position, and had been divided on the bone. The smaller piece penetrated the skull and followed the inside of the skull around to the back of the head. It had not entered the brain deeply at any point. The piece was successfully removed, and what seemed to be perfect drainage of the wound was established.

Delivery men throughout the city say that it takes them much longer than usual to make deliveries. Many householders are slow to open their doors.

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WESTMOUNT. WAS HASTY.

Fine Building Survey Placed on the Market.

Farmer Had Man Who Found Two Dollars Arrested.

W. D. Flatt makes a specialty of building lots. Now that he has placed Westmount survey on the market, this, combined with his Beulah survey, gives a range of prices of \$5 to \$20 per foot. The Beulah survey has already stamped itself as a desirable residential district, from the fact of the class and number of homes built upon it. Considering that all city improvements have been placed upon Beulah survey and paid for by Mr. Flatt, that survey should appeal to any one intending to build in the immediate future. Westmount survey is most attractive as an investment at present. In order that one may fully understand and appreciate the location of these surveys, call at Mr. Flatt's office, Room 15, Federal Life building, and get plans of them, and take a stroll at leisure and one will observe that building lots on these surveys are destined to bring a high price. The district is most popular for good residences, because of the restrictions on the class of homes to be constructed. These will keep it for all time to come as such. Its natural beauty cannot be excelled. The further fact that it will be many, many years before desirable dwellings will be built west of Westmount survey will also be noted, as there is not a large amount of land available for building purposes in this favored district. Within a few years frontage from Bay street to Garth street and Aberdeen avenue, south to the mountain, have increased \$5 to \$20 per foot. With the average growth there should be very few lots left vacant in five years' time in the district mentioned.

There was one case of importance in the Police Court this morning and its importance was in the fact that it showed the foolishness of people. George Weener, Burlington, was arrested this morning by Constable Nichol on complaint of Josiah Lamphire, a farmer, who alleged that Weener stole \$2 of his money. Weener pleaded not guilty and elected for a summary trial. The complainant's story was a peculiar one. He said that he was getting change from a man and putting his money in his pocket when he saw the prisoner pick up a \$2 bill. As soon as he saw the man pick up the money he had him arrested. He stated later that he was not sure whether he lost \$2 or not. The magistrate dismissed the case at once and remarked on it being "preposterous fiction."

Genuine Briar Pipes. Some fine briar pipes with long amber mouthpieces in handsome cases are offered at peace's pipe store. You can make a good selection now at the headquarters, 107 King street east.

Genuine Squabs. Large, tender squabs, also about fifty pair plump pigeons. We pluck them, if you wish. Marmalade oranges are selling splendidly, quality first class, the use of our slicers, also a splendid recipe for the asking. Tettley's tea is being demonstrated at our store all of this week.—Bain & Adams, 89-91 King street east.

MASONIC VISIT. Temple Lodge, No. 324, A. F. and A. M., paid a visit to Barton Lodge, No. 6, last evening, when the officers of Temple worked the first degree. After the meeting an informal supper followed, at which Aubrey and Harold Hamilton and Charles Servos sang. There were no speeches.

Nature never did betray the heart that loved her.—French. My poverty, not my will, consents.—Shakespeare.

Never ask pardon before you are accused.—German.

The Herald seems annoyed to think that any consideration should be shown the Kinrade family in their sorrow. They seem to be fair game for the yellowest kind of journalism. Heaven help them!

The Ontario Alliance can now see