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## WHO SWIPED THAT \$400?

The Money Disappeared from the Ontario Treasury Department on August 31.  
**DETECTIVES HAVE GOT NO TRACE**

## Liberal Wolves are so Thick in Waterloo that the Government is in a Quandary.

Shamrocks were plentiful in the Legislature yesterday, particularly on the Opposition side; but on the Liberal benches Mr. Douglas waved up the honours by flying an Irish flag from his buttonhole.

## Who Stole \$400?

Mr. Thompson asked: When was the sum of \$400 lost in the Treasury Department? The Premier replied that the money was lost on the 31st August. The loss was discovered within a few minutes. The money was in the custody of the bank messenger. The matter is still under the investigation of the Treasury Department.

## Many Thirsty Liberals.

Mr. Kibbe's question concerning the vacant offices of sheriff and registrar of Waterloo were answered by Mr. Gibson, who said it was a matter of difficulty to make a choice among a great number of applicants. He denied that the Government had promised the registration to J. D. Moore.

## Prevention of Tuberculosis.

Mr. Barr moved for copies of all correspondence between any member of the Government or official and any parties respecting the prevention of tuberculosis. He pointed out that responsibility in this matter rests with the Provincial Government.

## Beet Root Sugar.

Mr. Dryden gave notice of motion yesterday that, with a view to encourage the establishment in the Province of Ontario of the beet root sugar industry, he would introduce a bill to amend the Beet Root Sugar Act.

## Legislative Notes.

Mr. Hill, West York, yesterday brought in a bill proposing to amend the Municipal Act, and to give the mayor and council the power to acquire water rights.

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to educate the farmers of the province as to the danger of the disease. He took no notice of the alarm about an outbreak of the disease in the province. He had been drinking milk all his life, and certainly must have consumed a great deal of milk from diseased cows without fatal results. This was in open question. The Government could do as much to educate the people and supply them with milk as to order that they could test their own herds.

## Insurance Was Shown.

Mr. Kibbe said the Ontario Government had been acting ignorantly and mischievously with regard to the insurance score. They had sent an inspector round the country who had not the slightest qualification in his favor, but who succeeded well enough in scaring the farmers and public. Later the Hamilton Government had proved its capacity for even greater mischief than the Ontario Government, and had authorized an Ottawa veterinary surgeon to test and kill an animal after finding a large crowd of citizens to the function. The result was that the people were panic-stricken and believed they were being diseased by the milk they were consuming.

## Dr. Dryden's Motion.

Dr. Dryden moved for a return stating the number of hours female employees in the province have to work each day. Also the minimum amount of wages paid per day to female employees under the Factory Act. Also, whether separate sanitary conveniences are supplied where male and female employees are working, under the Factory Act. And showing as well what system of Government inspection the factories are now under.

## Dr. Dryden's Motion.

Dr. Dryden said the Government had not attempted to limit the hours in certain cases, such as restaurants. If the act were enforced everywhere no female should work more than 60 hours per week. But in some cases to which the motion possibly referred, if the limit were strictly observed, the result would be that the female employee would be replaced by men. The wage was not fixed. The female inspector looked after the point of sanitation as far as possible, but in certain cases a measure of latitude had to be allowed.

## After some discussion, the motion was withdrawn.

## Insurance Legislation.

Mr. Hill, in moving the second reading of a bill to amend the Ontario Insurance Act, said his object was to make the insurance law more workable in its constitution for the five years.

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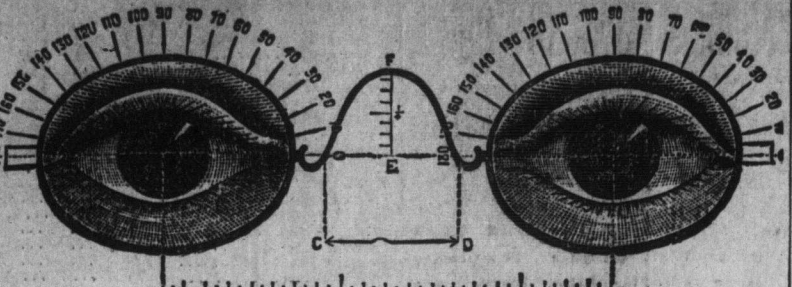
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Those who attended the fancy drill entertainment given by the pupils and ex-pupils of Phoenix-street school in the Pavilion last night were treated to an excellent display of drill, and a very enjoyable evening. The drill was given by the pupils of the Phoenix-street school, and was a very successful one. The pupils were very well drilled, and their drill was very good. The pupils were very well drilled, and their drill was very good.

# Entertained by the Grenadiers.

The sergeants of the regiment and their friends were royally entertained by the Grenadiers in their mess room, 77 West Queen-street, last night. The party was very large, and was a very successful one. The Grenadiers were very well entertained, and their entertainment was very good. The Grenadiers were very well entertained, and their entertainment was very good.

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# Your New Spring Hat.

A choice of all the proper new shapes and becoming styles for \$2.00 and \$1.50. We have them in higher prices, but you'll say these look as well as any hats you ever saw.

Men's Square Crown Stiff Hats, fine grade fur felt, Christy's celebrated English make, light and very easy fitting, unlined, color black only. 2.00

Men's Fine Fur Felt Soft or Stiff Hats, newest American and English styles, of crown and brim, pure silk linings, with calf leather sweatbands, special price elsewhere for these three \$2.95, our price. 1.50

Men's Hoodlums Caps, in shepherd plaid, fancy checks, or navy blue serge, with or without bands, plain and glazed leather peaks, special. 35

60 CAPS FOR 60-Men's Choice and Select Beaver Caps, rich heavy, dark fur, full wedge shape, best brown satin lining, good value at \$8.00, Monday reduced to. 6.00

# The Children's Shoe Day.

Another nice list for Monday that will aid many a mother in providing for the small folks' feet at small cost:

Children's Best Quality Spring Heel Rubber shoe, sizes 12 to 2, at 30c. 25

Children's Black or Chocolate Color Fine Dongola Kid Button Boots, vesting top, spring heels, turn soles, sizes 3 to 7, Monday, special. 90

Children's Fine Box Calf or Dongola Kid Button Boots, vesting top, spring heels, turn soles, sizes 3 to 7, at \$1.25, sizes 5 to 7, at \$1.00, day, special at. 1.00

Misses' Choice Dongola Kid Spring Heel Button Boots, vesting top, spring heels, turn soles, sizes 11 to 7, Monday, special. 1.25

Two Extra Monday Morning Bargains: 60 pairs Misses' Dongola Kid Button and Lace Boots, vesting top, spring heels, sizes 11 to 7, at a splendid value at former price, \$1.25, Monday, 8 a.m. 75

60 pairs Boys' Splendid, Calf or Lace Kid Button Boots, vesting top, spring heels, sizes 11 to 7, regular price \$1.25, Monday, day. 1.00

# Pretty Shirts at a Popular Price.

Men's Fine Zephyr Shirts, laundered fronts, open back, cuffs attached, in neat light blue checks, the best wearing shirt to be had, size 14-17. 1.00

# Two Underwear Suggestions

Men's Natural Wool Shirts and Drawers, random shade, spring weight, overlook seams, ribbed cuffs and ankles, warranted unshrinkable, all sizes. 1.00

Men's Medium Weight All-Wool Shirts and Drawers, double-breasted, ribbed cuffs, skirt and ankles, satin facings, medium sizes. 50

# Curtains.

Saturday will be a profitable day to buy Swiss Net Curtains. Fifty pairs of our handsome \$6 and \$7 ones for \$4-75.

These are fine quality Swiss Net Curtains, 50 inches wide, 34 and 4 yards long; these are very artistic goods, and are worth from \$6.00 to \$7.00 per pair, Monday. 4.75

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Half Price Curtain Poles.

100 Curtain Poles, 2x5 feet, trimmed with heavy brass trimmings, complete with pins in all colors of wood, regular price 1.00, Monday. 50

# Ladies' Cashmere Hose.

Ladies' Ribbed Black Cashmere Hose, double heel and toe, seamless or fashioned feet, made of good pure wool yarn, soft and smooth, sizes 8 1/2 to 9 1/2, extra value at. 25

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# Wallpaper Bargains.

Particularly seasonable news that provides very economical buying for those who have spring papering on hand.

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