HAMILTON HAPPENINGS

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DOMINION POWER CO. HAS $100,000 SURPLUS

This After Paying Dividends—Chairman Beach Commission Dead.

HAMILTON, Feb. 14.—(Special.)—The annual meeting of the Dominion Power and Transmission Co. will be held next Monday. The earnings of the various companies controlled by it amounted to a little over $1,700,000 for the year. There is a surplus of $100,000 after enough to pay dividends at the rate of six per cent. on the preferred Dominion Power and Transmission Co. stock, and five per cent. on the stock of the Cataract Power Co. was set aside for capital expenditure. The payment of the dividend is deferred, but will be made later. The company has about finished a new switching station at Bartonville, with a transmission line to Brantford, at a cost of $150,000. The annual meeting of the Cataract Power Co., one of the subsidiary companies, was held this morning and the following directors elected: J. R. Moodie, president; Jas. Dixon, vice-president; John Knox, treasurer; W. C. Hawkins, secretary; J. W. Sutherland, John Dickenson, Alex. Bruce, K.C. (Toronto), and E. Rundell.

Rev. C. S. Applegath has been invited to remain another year as pastor of the Ryerson Methodist Church.

On and after March 1, the Hamilton office of The Toronto World will be located at 18 East Main-street. John S. Scott, agent. Phone 1946.

Death of Eli Van Allen.

Eli Van Allen, chairman of the Beach Commission, died suddenly this morning, at his residence, 163 West Main-street, at the age of 69 years. He retired in his usual health last evening, but was seized with apoplexy about 5 o'clock, and died in less than an hour. For four years he was a member of the city council. He is survived by a widow, one son, Edward, and one daughter, Alma. The funeral will be held Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The Lord's Day Alliance claims that the T., H. and B. was violating the Lord's Day Act two weeks ago Sunday, when a yard engine and train was wrecked on the spur line in the east end of the city, and there will likely be a prosecution.

Over 20,000 drop letters were collected from the post boxes last evening.

Maggie Stewart, 125 East Jackson-street, caught in a raid on a disorderly house, was sent down for three months this morning.

No Legs or Arms.

An infant that appears to be healthy was born at the city hospital Saturday night, without either legs or arms.

Rev. Canon Abbott, rector of Christ Church Cathedral, has received and declined another call from a Chicago church. The second call came from the Oak Park Church.

The board of control decided this morning that the task of enforcing the orders with reference to the muzzling of dogs would have to be left to the board of health.

The widow of Thomas Lee Sing has married another Celestial at Haileybury, named Wong Hong.

LAUDER IS TICKLED

Naming of Dovercourt Street After Him Results in Telegram to Mayor.

Just before the city council adjourned yesterday, Mayor Geary read the following momentous telegram:

"Boston, Feb. 14.—Hear you have christened an avenue in my name. Consider it highest compliment. Give my love to Toronto.—Harry Lauder."

A second wire was from William Morris, Lauder's manager. It came from New York, and read: "Have just heard news of prominent street being named after Harry Lauder. Accept my sincere thanks for this great compliment."

The avenue in question is in Dovercourt. It is now known as Murray-street, and a change is necessary because it conflicts with the name of another street. Thus far it is only a recommendation by the civic street-naming committee, but will probably be adopted if the residents don't kick. Ald. Maguire is the proud author.

Exemption of Dry Dock.

KINGSTON, Feb. 14.—(Special.)—Property owners will be asked to vote on giving exemptions of taxes to a company leasing the dry dock. The government paid no taxes, whereas the company will pay school taxes on an assessment of $50,000.

Bridgework, per tooth	$5.00
Gold Crowns	5.00
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UNHOLY ALLIANCE OF POLITICS AND LIQUOR

Hamilton Alderman Hands Out Hot Talk to Premier Whitney—Licenses Reduced.

HAMILTON, Feb. 14.—(Special.)—The council this evening, after voting down a motion of Ald. Morris and Duff to reduce the number of tavern licenses from 66 to 60, passed a bylaw reducing the number that may be issued from 68 to the number now in force, 66. Those who voted for the cutting off of six licenses were: Controller Cooper and Ald. Morris, Duff, Anderson, Milne, Robson, Forth, Ald. Morwick, one of the temperance men, was absent, but he paired with Mayor McLaren, who got out of voting in that way. In speaking in favor of cutting down the number of licenses, Ald. Morris criticised Premier Whitney for not carrying out his promise to appoint non-partisan boards of license commissioners. He said that Ald Birrell, ex-license commissioner, could tell them things about the unholy alliance between party politics and the liquor interests that would make their blood run cold. Henry New had lost his official head because he dared to cut off some licenses. The mayor, while speaking in favor of the motion to fix the number of licenses at 66, said that it would be easy to find six hotels that were not needed, and he said he would be prepared to consider the question again if the commissioners did not cut off some of the licenseholders who were known to be violators of the law.

All of the committee reports carried with the exception of one recommendation of the board of control, that City Clerk Kent should have the whole say as to the appointment of election officers, and a clause in the committee reports recommending that the east end incline railway be paid $150 a year to keep up steam at nights so that the firemen can get up the mountain in case of fire in the mountain annex.

All the changes in street names were approved of, including the rechristening of Fearman-avenue, which will in future be known as East-avenue. Three lots, at a cost of $1440, on the east side of Sherman-avenue, north of Barton-street, were bought for the site of the east end police station. The reorganization of the city engineer's department was also approved of.

The board of health had a special meeting this evening to consider what steps should be taken to carry out the dog muzzling orders, and agreed to insert advertisements of the government's orders in the papers Tuesday. On Wednesday Chief Smith said he would instruct his men to report all cases of violation of the order. If the order is not obeyed, an inspector will be appointed, and those who do not observe the order will be prosecuted.

George Henderson, 27 East Barton-street, was seriously injured at the Sawyer-Massey Company's factory this afternoon.

While the public school rate is climbing up year by year, the separate school board is reducing its rate gradually. It was agreed at a meeting of the separate school board this evening to reduce the rate from 4 9-10 to 4 4-5 mills. The estimated expenditure of the year is $22,775.

Mrs. Margaret Reid, widow of Alex. Reid, died to-night at her residence, 1049 York-street, at the age of 82 years. She came here when she was 7 years of age, and lived in Hamilton for three-quarters of a century.

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Couple Die in One Day.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mearns died within a few hours of each other at the residence of Daniel Doyle, 1 Sunnyside-avenue, Sunday. They had been married for 45 years. Mr. Mearns died of acute pneumonia, and Mrs. Mearns of heart failure.

Mr. Mearns served in the Indian mutiny and was wounded twice. For 21 years he served in the army. He was pensioned off and came to Canada about 27 years ago. He was born 78 years ago, in Nana, Tipperary, Ireland.

The funerals will take place Wednesday at 9 a.m., from Holy Family Church to St. Michael's Cemetery.

Settled Out of Court.

A settlement was announced in the non-jury assize court yesterday of the action of Glanville v. Glanville. The action was originally brought by John Glanville against his daughter, Elizabeth Maud Glanville, Elizabeth Glanville, his wife, and John and James, his sons. The amount involved was about $20,000, being real estate on Vaughan-road and Bloor-street.

The father claimed he made a conveyance of all his property to his daughter, with certain trusts entailed. Later the father claimed the daughter laid claim to the whole property. The father died about a month ago, and since his death the settlement was brought about, the children taking each a third and agreeing to provide a home for the mother.

"Bob" Cook on Trial.

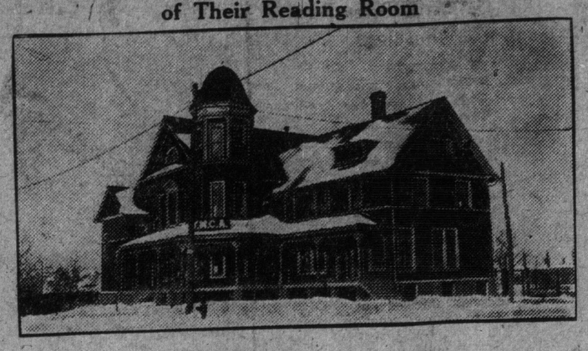
ORANGEVILLE, Feb. 14.—(Special.)—The hearing of Bob Cook, the desperado, on the charge of wounding Constable Halbert, on Oct. 30 last, when Halbert was attempting to arrest him, was begun this morning before Police Magistrate Pattullo. The evidence of Constables Halbert and Speers was taken, and the hearing adjourned till next Monday.

Complimentary Banquet.

A complimentary banquet was given last evening to Lodge Surrey, No. 11, S.O.E.B.S., by the Canadian Shredded Wheat Company, Limited, in Broadway Hall. B. Hinchcliffe, supreme grand treasurer, presided. An interesting program was provided.

Y.M.C.A. Closed and Dark Crisis at East Toronto

Heroic Effort Being Made To Re-open the Institution on March 1—Young Men and Boys Deprived of Their Reading Room



EAST TORONTO Y. M. C. A.

The thriving community of what was East Toronto, but is now part of this prosperous city, is facing a crisis. One of the institutions which should be a centre of light, life and activity, is dark and dormant. It displays the magic letters, "Y. M. C. A." across its portals, but they are retro, tho possibly prospective. The retrospect is bright. The prospect hangs in the balances.

Two months ago the lights went out, and the doors were locked. A change had been made incumbent by the Grand Trunk Railway Co. removing its support to the Mimico Railroad Y. M. C. A. The action was in consequence of the divisional terminal being transferred from East Toronto to Mimico.

As a railroad Y. M. C. A. the East Toronto branch had been one of great unselfishness. It afforded a haven for the traveling railway men to stay at over night, a pleasant reading room, with frequent opportunity to attend entertainments and attractive meetings in the assembly hall. It was also of general benefit to the community.

When the Y. M. C. A. committee was notified that the Grand Trunk Railway Co. would discontinue its financial support, amounting to about $2000 a year, the matter was considered by the board of management of the Toronto Y. M. C. A.

The board, on investigation, ascertained that East Toronto urgently required such an institution as a Y. M. C. A. for the resident young men and boys of the locality, who have no institution of the kind in their midst. The central board authorized the secretary of the Railroad Y. M. C. A., C. J. Bell, who had charge of the East Toronto branch last year, to organize a branch of the Toronto association.

The central board agreed to be responsible for $500 for a year, commencing March 1, if 125 members were enrolled, and a maintenance fund for the year of $150 a month for 12 months was subscribed.

A canvass for members was begun with good results, and a committee has solicited subscriptions. Encouragements have been received, and discouragements encountered. The time for the effort to be made, when business was dull in the retail trade, made it uphill work.

A crisis has now been reached and it is for the friends of Y. M. C. A. work at East Toronto speak quickly if the institution is to be opened at the date set, or the movement for that purpose to fail.

The building itself is almost ideal. It is well situated at the corner of Main and Gerrard-streets. Its assembly hall seats 400, and the reception and reading rooms are spacious. The grounds have an area adequate for bowling lawn, tennis courts, and a gymnasium.

The lease of the property for a long period, on generous terms, from the railway company, is at the disposal of the Toronto Y. M. C. A.

In view of the approaching new building campaign it is most important that the East Toronto Y. M. C. A. effort to open on March 1 should be crowned with success.

HEROIC SAILORS RESCUED 200 FROM WRECKED SHIP

Four Lost Their Lives in the Attempt to Get Off Remaining Passengers on the Lima.

ANCUD, Chile, Feb. 14.—The Chilean cruiser Ministro Zenteno and five steamers of the Pacific Navigation Company are racing south to-day in the desperate hope that they may save the 88 persons who when last heard from were clinging to the stern of British steamer Lima as the vessel was pounding herself to pieces on a reef in the Huamblin Passage in the Strait of Magellan.

Two hundred and five persons were taken from the wreck by the British steamer Hatumet under difficulties which finally compelled the Hatumet to abandon the work of rescue. Four of the Hatumet's crew sacrificed their lives before their captain commanded his crew to cease their efforts.

The Hatumet has arrived here and to-day her captain told the story of the wreck and rescue. He said:

"When we sighted the wreck we put out small boats which closely approached the stern of the Lima, where passengers and crew had gathered. We made connection with the two vessels with 500 fathoms of cable and were successful in lowering 205 persons into our small boats and in getting them upon the Hatumet. Heavy seas were rolling, which made the work of rescue perilous, and finally the Lima's end of the cable slipped from her stern and became entangled in the rocks. The Lima threw out another line, which our chief mate made a daring attempt to pick up. The second connection was eventually made, but the line, suddenly tightening, upset one of our small boats and our chief mate, the ship's carpenter, the fourth engineer and a Spanish steward were drowned. My boat rescued the others of the small boat's crew.

"I signalled the captain of the Lima that we had but one small boat left, and that as this was badly strained we had better proceed to Ancud for further assistance. Unfortunately we were delayed off Ancud by a dense fog. The Lima has a strong list to starboard and her port quarter is under water. She has 17 feet of water in her engine room. When we last saw her, she lay in a dangerous position and was striking hard.

"She struck during a heavy fog and in a stormy sea and will be a total loss."

A Bribe From Carnegie.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Feb. 14.—The Rev. Sylvanus Haupert, pastor of the Westminster Presbyterian Church, in a sermon Saturday on "Our Denominational Colleges," characterized as a bribe the proposal of Andrew Carnegie to pension college professors upon retirement, and said that it was "commercialism's blow at the church," because of the conditions upon which the pension must be accepted.

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CAMPAIGN LAUNCHED FOR VARSITY Y.M.C.A.

University Men of All Faculties Foregathered to Advance New Building.

The University Young Men's Christian Association held their inaugural campaign luncheon last evening at Albert Williams', when about 300 representatives from the different years of the various faculties were present. Gordon Jones of last year's Rugby "fifteen" presided. Others at the head table were: President Falconer, John A. Paterson, K.C., C. K. Calhoun, secretary Canadian Section International Council; F. H. Billings, International College secretary; Paul Brechin, C. M. Wright.

President Falconer stated that the purpose of the meeting was the inauguration of a movement for adequate Y.M.C.A. quarters for the students in the University of Toronto. Speaking of the wonderful growth of the university in every one of its various department, he said: "There is another department in which expansion is necessary. No one can look around the university without realizing that the greatest demand is coming from the Y. M. C. A. where the student mind is developed along the most wholesome lines."

He emphasized the point that university life did not consist only in going to lectures and writing off examinations, but that the social intercourse which a student gained was no small percentage of the benefit received by him. The Y. M. C. A. offered facilities for the working out of this side of student life as nothing else could.

"You are tackling an immense problem," he said, "but you will find that in the working out of that problem a spirit of appreciation of what the university means to each one of you will be formed."

"If we forecast the years," said John A. Paterson, K.C., "and measure up the importance of this meeting we will find that on it swing the destinies of this university of which we are all so proud."

"TALKED TO DEATH"

Epitaph Over Grave of Farmer's Wife Puts Blame on Friends.

CARLYLE, Ill., Feb. 14.—In the local cemetery, Thomas Philip, a farmer, has just erected over the grave of his wife a tombstone bearing this epitaph:

Alice Philip.
Born April 10, 1861; died Nov. 15, 1909.
Talked to Death by Friends.

Mrs. Philip was an invalid for years and, according to her husband, every acquaintance in the county offered her suggestions on how to get well. She was the subject of much solicitude and, according to Philip, was literally talked to death.

Ellridge Has a Record.

OTTAWA, Feb. 14.—From information given the Ottawa police it appears that Charles Ellridge, who is wanted here on a harge of forgery, and whose wife died on a train at Toronto a few days ago, has a record. E. L. Spence of the mines department and formerly of the Northwest Mounted Police, is authority for the statement that Ellridge, or Eschwedge, as is claimed to be his real name, served three years in the Dawson penitentiary on a charge of obtaining money under false pretences.

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IS CANADA INCLUDED IN MINIMUM TARIFF?

Germany and Brit in Are Mentioned But Not Their Colonies.

OTTAWA, Feb. 14.—(Special.)—When the commons met to-day, a number of interesting questions cropped up.

Hon. G. E. Foster enquired of Mr. Fielding when the promised amendments to the banking act would be introduced.

Mr. Fielding replied that the amendments were engaging the attention of the officials of the department, but he hoped to make a statement in the course of a few days. In view of the large amount of business before the house, no harm would result from a little delay.

Mr. Foster enquired as to the inclusion or otherwise of Canada in the operation of the United States minimum tariff. He noted that Great Britain and Germany were included, but not their colonies.

Mr. Fielding expressed the opinion that Canada was not included in the proclamation which had been issued in respect to Great Britain, but would be dealt with separately.

Mr. Foster wanted to know if any negotiations were going on.

Mr. Fielding said that nothing more was known than what appeared in the press. There had not been any negotiations.

Haughton Lennox (South Simcoe) asked when the committee which had been named to deal with the Lumsden charges would commence to sit.

Sir Wilfrid said there was no reason why it should not proceed with the enquiry on Tuesday or Wednesday.

R. L. Borden remarked that it was curious the committee had not been called together before.

Purchase of Niobe.

Mr. Foster said that it appeared from a statement made by Sir Frederick Borden in his speech in the house that the government had actually purchased the cruiser Niobe at a cost of over one million dollars without consulting parliament, which had been in session for three months. He did not think the government should spend the money of the people without consulting the house.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier said in reply that when the correspondence was laid on the table, which might be to-morrow, it would be seen that the purchase was made subject to the approval of parliament.

R. L. Borden asked if the government had anything new to announce in respect to the international waterways treaty.

Sir Wilfrid replied in the negative.

Had No Funds.

Hon. G. P. Graham informed Mr. Lennox that at the time of the collapse of the Quebec bridge there were no funds in the hands of the Quebec Bridge Company.

Col. Hughes was informed by the minister of militia that it was not proposed to sell the government military barracks at St. Johns, Quebec.

Col. Worthington was told that the government was considering the question of erection of barracks and other buildings for military purposes at or near St. Lambert, that the government was not considering the question of removing the Royal Canadian Dragoons from St. Johns to some other point, and that the question of transferring the barracks at St. Johns to Merivale College was not under consideration.

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PERILS OF THE ANTARCTIC

Difficulties and Dangers Encountered by Charcot Party.

PUNTA ARENAS, Chile, Fev. 14.—Further details have been received here of the voyage of the Pourquoi Pas, which is now returning with Dr. Jean M. Charcot's Antarctic expedition. The Pourquoi Pas, on reaching the region of ice on her trip to the south, stranded on the coast of Graham Land, but was refloated after three days.

On the resumption of the voyage the steamer met with a long series of accidents. She was in collision with a number of icebergs and lost her rudder owing to the pressure of the ice. The crew, however, managed to construct a jury rudder.

There was considerable suffering among the men during the many months in the Antarctic regions, scurvy and heart disease being the chief ailments.

Numerous journeys were made over the ice, but it was impossible to use automobiles on account of the bad condition of the ice fields.

The stranding of the Pourquoi Pas and the collisions with bergs caused a serious leak at the outset of the expedition, which proved impossible of repair. Water flowed in at all times and the pumps were in constant use until the end of the voyage. The steamer was exposed to violent storms on the return trip as far as the Strait of Magellan and was compelled to put into an obscure harbor for two days to repair the engines. A scarcity of provisions and coal, the damage to the ship and the exhaustion of the crew necessitated the return.

Girl's Body Found—Police Search for Two Men.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Feb. 14.—A country-wide search has been instituted for William Zyler and his brother, Arvis, who are wanted by the police to clear the mystery surrounding the death of Jane Adams, the 18-year-old girl of this city, whose body was found on the beach Sunday morning. William Zyler was the last person seen with Miss Adams on the night of Feb. 4, when she disappeared. He is 28 years old and has a wife and two young children in this city, who are in almost destitute circumstances. His brother is 18 years old.

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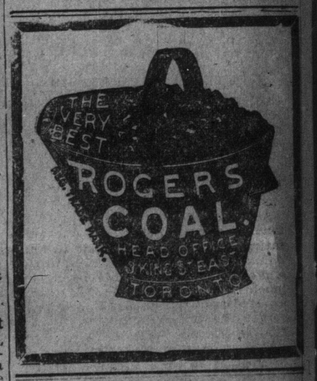

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MAY BE A CLEVER SWINDLE

Rochester's Chief of Police Investigating a Lyons Exhibition.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Feb. 14.—Chief of Police Quigley has communicated with Secretary of State Knox in reference to an alleged exhibit by American manufacturers at Lyons, France. Several weeks ago two men appeared in Rochester and called on manufacturers here soliciting articles for this exhibit. Leading manufacturers, they said, in all the large cities of the country were to be represented at the exhibition, which they claimed had the sanction of the French Government. They told manufacturers here that gold medals and diplomas would be awarded to the best exhibits sent; winners of diplomas would be required to pay a fee of fifty dollars and of gold medals $200.

As the result of their canvass it is claimed they secured about 50 exhibits, which were taken by them to New York City. A few weeks after this the same men appeared here, bringing with them many gold medals and diplomas, and they collected on them. So far as known, no one who sent an exhibit failed to secure either a medal or a diploma. The two men collected about $10,000 in Rochester.

Some of the manufacturers became suspicious and Chief Quigley called the men in and had a talk with them. They showed him credentials which purported to show that there is such an exhibit at Lyons and that it is maintained the year round.

Chief Quigley sent a letter to Secretary of State Knox, asking him to secure information in regard to the exhibit from the U. S. consul at Lyons. An answer to this letter has not yet been received by him.

It is thought that the diplomas and gold medals were fixed up in New York City.

Libel Suit on Wednesday.

The action brought by Hon. George E. Foster against J. A. Macdonald of The Globe will likely be heard before Justice Magee in the non-jury court. The ex-minister of finance is suing the editor of The Globe for $50,000 damages for alleged libel.