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"POOR BOY, POOR BOY,"

Said Mrs. McKinley When Told of Her Husband's Death.

Buffalo, Sept. 17 .- The condition of | An interesting legal battle may arise Mrs. McKinley has at all times been slowly.

She was prepared by the use of opiates to receive the news of the ference. shooting from Dr. Rixey and since On Se addition to many others of the household and official connection, who have ! should sleep she was taken to her room, and if necessary given an opiate. The quantity of drugs used on In this case the next

her has not been nearly so heavy as some have supposed. Mrs. McKinley is an invalid, a fact which has not been concealed.

One of the effects of her illness is

to render the nature at most times mild and tractable. Operating on so inherently superior a woman as Mrs. McKinley, it has robbed her of sentiency without removing the expressions of sentiment. She has retained her sweetness and tenderness without being subject to a woman's injuries

Dr. Rixey, Dr. Park, and Dr. Wasdin examined her carefully on Friday afternoon and again in the evening beore she was admitted to the presi-ent's room. She was told that there was absolutely no hope and that he visit to his bedside would be the last in all probability. CHILDLIKE GRIEF.

A pathetic light came into her eyes, Her grief was like the wide-eyed grief of a child who is afraid to cry. She was led in by Miss Hunt and Dr. Rixey, and given a place on the side of the bed, where she fondled the dying president's hand. This was shortly before 8 o'clock. For a while they were left alone together and in that interval he spoke briefly to her and she answered. She was speaking when the doctors re-entered. What was said to her in that period and what her answers were are secrets that may never be revealed.

She sat in the same place at the time he spoke his last words and was there at 9:30 when the curtains of his mind were drawn down, the light of intelligence extinguished and only the animating spark flickered in the fitful gusts of the breath of death for hours as the passing drew near.

As soon as it was seen that the president was unconscious, Miss Hunt, Dr. Rixey and Dr. Stockton released her clasp of the president's hand with infinite tenderness and supported her while she bent over him and left the last kies on his lips ere life floated out and then they led her away.

It was after 3 o'clock that Dr. Rixey, accompanied by her sister, went to her and awakened her. She was told that the president had died and her answer was a deep sigh and the words "Poor boy, poor boy."

You Are Tired

Your color is not good. Restless one moment, fretful and blue the next. The world's out of joint. You're out of joint with the world. Not temper, not feeling but weakness. Neglect is unwise. You grow steadily worse. Get good rich blood, then feel new vigor, strength, buoyancy. You'll see a dozen things to do; you will do them, too, if you use Ferrezone. It sharpens the appetite, and you enjoy your food; you get color and you enjoy your food; you get color and old time strength comes back. That's because Ferrozone aids digestion, makes red blood. Ferrozone is strength for the nerves and vigor for the brain. Be sure of the name, Ferrozone. Sold by Strong.

AN EXPLANATION.

Uncle Josh-What do they mean by sayin' "Principles, not men?" Uncle Hiram-Well, that's an expression the politicians use when they're tryin' to git yer to vote fer

MADE SEVERAL WILLS

Eleanor Garrett, of Essex. Left Them and a Fight Over Property Is Likely.

over the manner in which the late the matter of great concern and of Miss Eleanor Garrett, of Essex, diseven those nearest to her. Now the posed of her property. She and her physicians and nurses, if not the rel- brother lived together for many atives, fully believe that she will sur- years, both never having been marrivive the ordeal, and that there is no ed. When the brother died he willed real danger of a nervous breakdown, his share to the sister. In June last which would prove fatal. Realization | Miss Garrett made a will bequeathing of the loss of her husband will come half of her property to the superannuation fund of the Methodist Church, and the other half to the London Con-

On Sept. 6 she made a new deed of that time she has shown little change in her demeanor. Miss Elizabeth Hunt, her nurse, brought with her tion that the property or its proceeds Hunt, her nurse, brought with her tion that the property or its proceeds from San Francisco, and Dr. Rixey have watched over her constantly in the House of Refuge at Leaming-

ton, where she wished to go.
Within a week after this she died, shown her the greatest consideration. without having gone to Leamington.
Whenever it was expedient that she It is not likely that the town will make any endeavor to hold the property un-

be the Methodist Church, and it is a ship, particularly in relation to our own question, whether under the statute of mortmain, passed in England in the mortmain, passed in England in the reign of George II., and which has been held to apply to Canada, the church would not be barred from taking the legacy, the statute requiring that the bequest must be made six the beautiful care for the partner of his life's joys and sorrows, by his calmness and solicitude for all in the days of his affliction, and by his noble example of Christian resignation when in the very that the bequest must be made six the beautiful care for the partner of his life's joys and sorrows, by his calmness and solicitude for all in the days of his affliction, and by his noble example of Christian resignation when in the very that the bequest must be made six the beautiful care for the partner of his life's joys and sorrows, by his calmness and solicitude for all in the days of his affliction, and by his noble example of Christian resignation when in the beautiful care for the partner of his life's joys and sorrows, by his calmness. months prior to death. Other former wills have been made leaving the pro-perty to different heirs who may make a fight for their claims.

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NECESSITY.

Lord Naryared-Yes; I committed pigamy, but I was driven to it. His Counsel-Driven to it? Lord Naryared-Yes. I had spent all my first wife's money.

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LIKE A PEACH. "My!" he exclaimed, admiringly, "you look like a peach."
"Well, really!" she replied, noticing

a restaurant in the middle distance: "I do feel like something to eat."

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COUNCIL **EXPRESSES** SYMPATHY.

The City Aldermen Pass Strong Resolution

Eulogizing McKinley and Condemning the Assassin.

Comprehensive Report of Municipal Convention-Other Matters New and Old. Considered.

The sympathy that Londoners feel for the people of the United States in the loss of their loved president was expressed last night by the members of the city council. Had it not been that a regular meeting of the council was to be held so soon after the lamented event of Saturday, Mayor Rumball would assuredly have followed the historical precedent of 1865 and called the aldermen together in special session to take action regarding the great sorrow that has befallen the neighboring nation and the whole civilized world. In no sense was the adoption of the resolution a matter of form-it was an expression of true sympathy and of a sorrow that lived heart-deep. The aldermen stood in passing it, and a deep silence came upon the council chamber. The resolution, as follows, was moved by Ald. Winnett and seconded by Ald Green-

whereas, the United States of America are at present bowed beneath the weight of an overwhelming sorrow, consequent upon the death, by the cowardly hand of a murderer, of William McKinley, its noble and universally beloved president.

"Be it therefore resolved by this munise it therefore resolved by this municipal council that an expression of our sympathy be tendered the grief-stricken people of our neighboring nation, and that we record our feeling of horror at the treachery and wanton wickedness of the assassh and those associated with him in his awful crime. This council at the counc would be applied to her maintenance in the House of Refuge at Leamington, where she wished to go.

Within a week after this she died, without having gone to Leamington. It is not likely that the town will make any endeavor to hold the property under the circumstances.

In this case the next claimant would be the Methodist Church, and it is a thoughtful care for the partner arms of death, he has brought his great life more closely in touch with the hearts not alone of his own countrymen but likewise of all people in all lands."

Other Matters.

The aldermen went to last night's meeting with the knowledge that there was very little business of more than ordinary importance to transact; yet they knew also that there were one or two things that might give them what they are pleased to term "a little bit of fun.'

THE MUNICIPAL CONVENTION. Before arriving at this interesting stage in the proceedings, they listened to the following comprehensive and interesting report of the Ontario Municipal Convention, prepared with his usual care, by City Clerk Kingston: To his Worship the Mayor and Members of the Municipal Council:

Gentlemen,—In obedience to a resolu-tion of this council, adopted on the 12th day of August last, I attended the con-vention of the Ontario Municipal Asso-ciation in the city of St. Catharines on the 11th and 12th insts., and beg leave to report for your information the followto report for your information the following summary of the proceedings:

1. It was decided, in order to protect municipalities in cases where a walk had been advertised on the initiative and successfully petitioned against, to recommend a further amendment of section 677 of the municipal act, so as to authorize of the municipal act, so as to authorize municipal councils, by a two-thirds vote, on the recommendation of the engineer or other person having the superintendence

other person having the superintendence
of streets, to lay a cement walk instead
of plank, gravel or cinders, which the act
at present specifies—the opinion of the
association being that the former is the
better and cheaper walk.

2. The attitude of the association with
regard to what is known as the "scrap 2. The attitude of the association with regard to what is known as the "scrap iron" assessment was again reaffirmed, and a resolution adopted with the view of making plainer the meaning of the legislation of last session in the matter of the assessment of the property of street railway and similar companies.

3. Section 39, sub-section 2, of the assessment act, which provides "that the personal property of a bank or of a company which invests the whole or the principal part of its means in gas works, water part of its means in gas works, water works, plank or gravel roads, railways and tramroads, harbors or other works requiring the investment of the whole or principal part of its means in real estate, principal part of its means in real estate, shall be exempt from taxation," met with the strong disapproval of the convention, and a resolution was passed recommending that all such personalty except the personal property of chartered banks should be liable to assessment to the same extent as that of a private individual or partnership.

dividual or partnership.

4. Recommendations were likewise made having in view the protection of municipalities in the matter of the sale of lands for taxes in arrears, and the charging of the taxes of indigent persons against the

land.
5. It was decided to again ask the legis-lature to simplify the voters' list by authorizing the making of a single list for municipal purposes, and requiring all manhood suffrage voters, whether house-holders or otherwise, to register their qualification to vote at parliamentary elections

elections.
6. It was again recommended that municipal councils be given the power to regulate the salary of the police magistrate, unless the body that appoints the magistrate pays his salary.
7. The association protested against municipalities being required to pay any part of the expenses of provincial elections, and will ask that the election acts be changed accordingly. tions, and will ask that the election acts be changed accordingly.

8. In the matter of the acts relating to public libraries and public parks, where park commissioners have been appointed, it was decided to ask for a reduction in the statutory limitation which specifies the rate that may be demanded to meet expenses under these acts, or that discretionary powers with regard to the same shall be conferred on municipal councils.

same shall be conterred on municipal councils.

9. Section 706 of the municipal act enacts that municipalities shall keep the highways, etc., in repair. The association will ask the legislature to define the meaning of the words "keep in repair." so as to limit the now almost unlimited liability of municipalities the eunder as interpreted by the courts at various times.

times.

10. The association adopted suggestions offered by myself relating to the following matters, and will embody same in the legislation to be asked for, viz.:

(a) That section 574. sub-section 5. of the municipal act, relating to shade trees, be amended so as to provide that in cities and towns municipal councils shall be given power to trim trees or cut down

doing.

(b) That sub-section 4 of section 7 of the municipal act be amended so as to provide that incorporated institutions of learning, not being denominational colleges or seminaries, maintained or supported by a religious body, be made liable to assessment and taxaffon.

(c) That in view of the judicial decisions based on the meaning of section 128, subsection 3, of the municipal act, relating to the time for receiving neminations for the offices of mayor, etc., that the legislature be asked to define the limit within which the clerk may receive such nominations.

nations.

11. The association considered and affirmed the various recommendations adopted by the Union of Canadian Muniadopted by the Union of Canadian Municipalities, which was recently organized at a meeting held in the city of Toronto.

12. I have endeavored, as above, to outline as briefly as possible the matters considered and adopted by the convention. Expression was, however, given by these in a position to be well informed, of the fear that the commission appointed by the government to consider and revise the assessment laws, would provide for a greater burden of municipal taxation than at present being borne by real estate, and a corresponding release of personalty from assessment. Having this in mind, the association empowered its executive committee to summon the

its executive committee to summon the general body to meet in Toronto, if desirable, as soon as the report of the commission is published.

I have the honor to be your obedient servant, C. A. KINGSTON, City Clerk. The report was received and will be

AS FOR THAT CIRCUS FEE. The city auditors' letter, drawing the council's attention to the irregularity of accepting \$50 as the fee for Ringling Bros.' circus, was the inspiration of a clause in No. 1 committee's report, which referred the matter to the council, and when it was read an expectant smile wreathed the lips of the aldermen who had not had a hand in the matter. It will be remembered that a majority of the aldermen agreed to accept the sum mentioned, and signed a requisition to that effect, empowering the city treasurer to issue the permit for the circus. Most of the aldermen who did this took a hand at explanations—some were busy at the time, some didn't think, some didn't know of a bylaw, and so on, all agreeing in con-demning as untrue and unfair the statement that they had done it to get passes. They had learned subsequently that their action was irregular, they candidly acknowledged their mistake, and if the council desired it were will-

or remove trees growing on streets or public places, without becoming liable to the owner of adjoining property for so doing. ed for the yeas and nays, and he alone of all the board considered the offense, unintentional as the other members he lieved it to be, of such a nature that he could not allow it to pass without the stigma of his righteous condemna-

INEVITABLY, THAT TAR MAC-ADAM.

That King street tar macadam mix-up has been heard of so frequently, that the public, patient and long sufferting as it is, must now be pretty well tired of it. However, it has not yet ended its career as a fruitful source of talk, aldermanic and otherwise. It was hoped last night that it had resolved it-self into a condition sufficiently definite to allow action to be taken one way or the other, either pass the bylaw for the pavement's construction, or put it off until such a time that it might come back with at least the semblance of freshness. The bylaw did get as far as its first reading, but it was blocked there by aldermen, who, though not obstructionists, did not wish it to ap pear that it was being rushed through with undue haste.

The council was able to get so far by reason of the five accommodating citizens who have been busily and dizzily signing petitions of contradictory kinds, since the subject was first brought forward. It is useless, and would be tiresome, to tell of the petitions these mercurial individuals signed or didn't sign, according to the controlling influences of the petition ped-Suffice it to say that their names, having been signed and repudiated until nobody knew just where they were at, these five, about whom the war between Messrs. Graydon and McMechan centered, became finally of the opinion that tar macadam was what they wanted, and agreed to let their names stand on the original petition for it.

in the opinion of the city solicitor, to pass the bylaw authorizing the construction of the pavement. Ald. Cronyn, Ald. Parnell, Ald. Jolly and Ald. Cooper objected to this being done immediately, and after being given its first reading it was laid over, a majority voting against having it pass the second. Ald. Cooper's motion, to have all ce ment driveways constructed paid for by the parties interested aroused the attention of the aldermen to a condi-

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tion that many had not known existed -the construction of these driveways at half-cost to the city-and No. 2 committee will investigate. Ald. Beattie gave notice of motion to have a bylaw passed enforcing the rules of the road for bicyclists, and making the carrying of bells and lanterns com-

A number of communications were referred to committee, and the recommendations of committees as previously made public were adopted.

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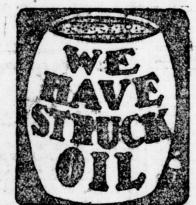
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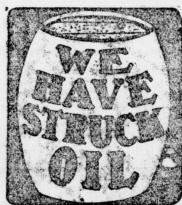
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