

TORONTO COUNCIL VISITS HAMILTON

Big Delegation, Including City Hall Employees, Attend Big Picnic.

Hamilton, Aug. 18.—Members of the Toronto council and city hall employees with their wives, to the number of about 150, had a taste of Hamilton hospitality today when they were the guests of the civic fathers at a picnic at Oaklands Park. The Toronto delegation proved themselves to be good sports, even if they did not know much about baseball. In the first game the Hamilton city employees trimmed their Toronto brethren 7-5, and then the Hamilton councillors nosed out the Queen City fathers 12-11 in a game that contained everything but baseball.

Booker and Cameron Speak. A short program of sports was run off and Caterer Crawford, in the pavilion, looked after the wants of the inner man, a delightful luncheon being served. Mayor Booker extended Hamilton's welcome to the visitors, and Controller Cameron promised adequate revenge when the Hamilton councillors paid the return visit to Toronto.

BURSTALL BECOMES INSPECTOR-GENERAL

Ottawa, Aug. 18.—(Canadian Press).—Following upon the resignation of General Sir Arthur Currie, inspector-general of the Canadian forces, and chief military counselor, to assume his appointment as principal of McGill University, reorganization and rearrangement of duties, has been effected at military headquarters. New appointments to the posts of general officers commanding military districts Nos. three and twelve have also been made. Major-General Sir S. E. Burstall, K.C.B., K.C.M.G., A.D.C., becomes inspector-general with the rank of lieutenant-general in the Canadian militia.

The Truth About Telephone Profits

IN 1879 the telephone business in Canada was disjointed.

In 1880 a number of men determined to link up the scattered companies, improve their equipment, standardize their methods and give better telephone service. This was the Bell Telephone Company of Canada.

Like Christopher Columbus in his quest of a new road to Cathay, like most leaders of great enterprises, the new company was moved by the ancient and honorable desire for profit.

And it made a profit.

But the venture was new, the future so uncertain, that the company decided that adequate provision must be made for replacements, for emergencies and the requirements of an ever changing art.

Surplus earnings were re-invested in the business and a margin of safety built up.

The wisdom of creating this fund was soon apparent. The constant demands for replacements and extensions were met without too frequent appeals for new capital.

Not unnaturally the shareholders expected—and with good enough reason—that the earnings of these new extensions of service would be added to their own profits—that their self restraint would bear fruit.

But as a matter of fact the benefit did not go to the shareholder but to the subscriber. The increasing costs of operating the telephone system ate up all the profit there might have been on the newly extended plant. The re-investment merely enabled the company to continue its moderate dividends on the shareholders' initial investment without any increase in telephone rates commensurate with the increase in costs.

That is the story of the Bell Telephone Company's profits. Every cent of its surplus and reserve amounting to over \$20,000,000 is re-invested in the business.

This then is the answer to those who say, "Let the Company use its Surplus and Reserve if it wants new capital!"

It has already used these funds!

The only hope of obtaining such sums as the \$10,000,000 essential this year for extensions, lies in the sale of new securities.

These cannot be sold unless they bear a good interest rate.

Last year telephone rates yielded barely enough to earn 4% on the company's telephone property. This year they will earn even less!



The Bell Telephone Company of Canada

HAMILTON

Hamilton, Aug. 18.—Harry Morrison, 19 Smith avenue, while riding a bicycle this afternoon, was knocked down by an automobile in charge of Ralph Nurruccio, 387 East Barton street. The automobile passed over Mr. Morrison's legs and also damaged his wheel. His legs were slightly cut and bruised.

In a Howard Cup game tonight Westinghouse defeated Rowles 2 to 1 but they were tied 1-1 at the end to state of the determined attack of the losers.

John Dorman, for over sixty years a respected resident of this city, died at his home, 222 Colborne street, this afternoon. He was 75 years of age. Hamilton, Aug. 18.—Albert Farmer and James R. McKay, both from London, Ontario, were arrested at the main park here this afternoon. They had been charged by the police with disorderly conduct. The outcome of the case will be announced when the London-Allen lawyers were administering another beating to the signpost.

SIR GILBERT PARKER VISITS BELLEVILLE

Honors Paid by Masons of His Home City—Is Tendered Banquet in Temple.

Belleville, Ont., Aug. 18.—(Special).—Sir Gilbert Parker who accompanied the Imperial Press representatives to Canada, is spending a few days in his home city here. This evening a reception in his honor was tendered him at the Masonic Temple. Sir Gilbert being a member of the Masonic Grand Lodge of England. At the conclusion of the lodge meeting a luncheon was held presided over by Bro. S. S. Lazier.

DIES PLAYING GOLF.

Whitby, Ont., Aug. 18.—(Special).—J. E. Boswell, formerly of Toronto, while playing on Oshawa golf links this afternoon, swooned and shortly after died in Oshawa Hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Boswell came to Whitby about a year ago, buying a fine residence on Byron street. One of Mr. Boswell's two sons was lost in the war.

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KITCHENER BOARD BUILDING CONVENT

Kitchener, Ont., Aug. 18.—(Special).—It was announced here today that the separate school board had appointed Charles Knechtel architect in connection with the erection of a handsome convent to house the sisters of Notre Dame, who comprise the teaching staff of the St. Anthony School in the north ward. It was also announced that the board had decided to go ahead with the construction of another separate school in the south ward. These decisions were arrived at today.

The annual horticultural show of the Kitchener Horticultural Society opened here tonight to an unprecedented crowd. Entries this year are fifty per cent in excess of any previous year in all departments.

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MURDER CHARGES AGAINST BASSOFF

Bandit Must Stand Trial at McLeod, Alberta, in October.

Lethbridge, Alta., Aug. 18.—Thomas Bassoff, the train bandit was committed for trial at noon today by Magistrate Burrell on two charges of murder and he will stand trial at McLeod at the criminal assizes which open there on October 12.

The chief witness this morning was Constable Brown, of the Alberta provincial police, who had entered the Bellevue cafe, identified the two bandits in the booth and ordered them to put up their hands. Akroff, he said, reached for his gun but the witness started to shoot. He emptied his gun into the bandit and retired in favor of Constable Bailey, who came on the scene from the back door of the restaurant.

Heard Fusillade. While he was dealing with Akroff, Constable Bailey had been ordered by a witness said that, so far as he could remember, there had been no other shooting while he was in the restaurant but what he did himself. After he went out to reload his second gun, however, he heard a fusillade inside the restaurant, and the next thing he saw was Bailey and Usher mortally wounded in the doorway. He was hurrying to the aid of the two men, who were lying on the floor, and then Bassoff appeared, coming out the back door with both hands. He shot at both the constables as they were lying in the doorway.

FOUR AMENDMENTS TO THE COVENANT

Scandinavia Proposes Changes For Consideration at First League Meeting.

London, Aug. 18.—Headquarters of the League of Nations announced today that four important amendments to the covenant have been suggested by Denmark, Norway and Sweden for consideration at the first meeting of the league assembly on November 15. The four proposed amendments were announced as follows:

(1) Providing for a fixed annual meeting of the assembly and proposing that ten members of the league can demand and secure a special meeting at any time at the seat of the league.

(2) Seeking to regularize the method of selecting the four non-permanent members of the council. It is proposed to accomplish this by providing that the assembly, after making the first selection of four to serve respectively three, four, five and six years, shall name a new state yearly after the third year to serve four years and not subject to re-election for the following period. It is suggested that this method would secure successive representation on the council of a large number of states and would maintain continuity in the composition of the council.

(3) Making the obligation of arbitration more absolute by omitting the word "general" from Article XIII in the paragraph beginning "disputed" and ending "submission to arbitration."

Permitting the council to authorize a state in the vicinity of a state against which an economic blockade is in force, to maintain a degree of intercourse with the latter, provided the council considers this necessary in order to prevent the blockaded state from attacking its neighbor.

FAILED TO AGREE ON MINERS' WAGES

Cleveland, Aug. 18.—The joint scale committee of operators and miners of the central competitive bituminous coal fields, comprising Ohio, Indiana, Illinois and western Pennsylvania, adjourned here tonight after midnight without reaching any agreement after having been in session five days. Following adjournment of tonight's conference it was announced that the miners would hold a separate caucus here tomorrow morning, when a tele-gram was prepared and sent to President Wilson, informing him of the failure of the conference to reach any agreement in line with his request.

SEEKING TO CURB IMPORTS OF IRON

Canadian Press Despatch. Sudbury, Aug. 18.—Exploring the unfavorable trade balance existing between Canada and the United States and providing by statute that the major portion of this adverse state of affairs was due to Canada's tremendous importation of iron ore and iron and steel products, the Ontario Mining Association today appointed Col. R. W. Leonard, Geo. E. Cowie and A. J. Young, a committee to represent the views of the mining industry of northern Ontario before the government commission now investigating the possibilities of the iron ore industry in Canada. A resolution urging the appointment of a mining man on the tariff committee is an advisory council to the tariff commission of Canada, who is acquainted with the mining industry, was adopted.

READY TO PROCLAIM AMENDMENT

Washington, Aug. 18.—Prompt promulgation of the federal woman suffrage amendment should action of the Tennessee legislature be confirmed was promised by Secretary of State Colby when word of the vote at Nashville reached the state department. He was prepared, Mr. Colby said, to issue the necessary proclamation immediately on receipt of official notice that Tennessee had ratified the amendment.

I. O. F. ELECTIONS.

London, Ont., Aug. 18.—H. O. Zimmerman, Hamilton, was chosen high chief ranger of the I.O.F., at the annual meeting today. B. F. Lancaster, St. Mary's, is vice-high chief, and J. H. Hamby, London, secretary, and E. S. Hogarth, Hamilton, treasurer. The next meeting, in 1923, will be held in Hamilton.

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DESERONTO INDIAN BOY ENTICED TO BRANTFORD

Brantford, Ont., Aug. 18.—(Special).—Claiming that he had been enticed away from his home in Deseronto by a stranger, a description of whom he gave to the police, a little nine-year-old Indian lad, who gave his name as Alec Serrett, was brought into the local police court this morning. Constable Howling found the lad on Coborne street. A wire was sent to the lad's mother in Deseronto. The little fellow said he had had nothing to eat since Tuesday morning except a few apples.

EMPLOYE ELECTROCUTED.

Windsor, Aug. 18.—Leo Goyer, an employe of the Copeland Motor Company, was electrocuted this morning.

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(Continued From Page 1). has been spent in renovations. Many of the stones were thrown by persons from outside the municipality and beyond the reach of the Thorold rate, and will not be called upon thru ordinary channels to bear their share of the damage done. May Be Toronto Trial. There is a possibility of the trial of David McNeal being held in Hamilton or Toronto. Mr. Peterson had not definitely decided today to apply for a change of venue, but intimated that the chances were that he would ask that trial take place in either York or Wentworth counties.

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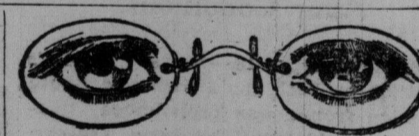
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Rev. L. Kuntz of St. Jerome's College, of which Dr. Fischer was a graduate, interment took place at Waterloo Cemetery.

KILLED IN COLLISION

Port Arthur, Ont., Aug. 18.—Basel Gurard, a member of a well-known family here, was killed when his automobile, traveling at a high rate of speed, collided with a street car.



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COMMISSIONER CLASH WITH

Ross Takes Ex Paying Out Ground of Ill

Finance Commissioner his first clash with the troj yesterday about \$2,500 to a soldier's certain visiting V.C. been authorized by the last meeting. Mr. Ross stand that he had n pay the money until council, and he submit ing letter from City ston in support of his "In reply to your let inst. I beg to say that of the municipal act a city has power to reception or entertain of distinction, or the events or matters of est or importance, ex exceeding \$20,000 per "The grant may, come within the objection. The power, how in the council and n of control. Until the ther confirmed by th not think the money over."

Getting Over D business, not the sol the mayor with som hearing the solicitor's Commissioner Ross about having no desir thing that wasn't jega mayor replied. "I am responsible, not going to take on about this. You instructions to issue th will be issued."

Mr. Ross then with a representative of t parment appeared o asked that the aud be protected in the word "notwithstanding the new resolution, which was that the c

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