

M'CONKEY APPEAL WAS DISMISSED

Judge Denton Says Conduct
Was Disorderly on New
Year's.

GOT BEYOND CONTROL

Mr. McConkey Planned It and
Must Be Held Re-
sponsible.

"The whole affair was a revelry by night, an orgy, a disgrace for such a well-known establishment as McConkey's," said Judge Denton, in dismissing the appeal from the decision of the police magistrate in suspending the license of McConkey's Hotel, on account of the disorderly conduct which occurred there New Year's Eve and morning.

"Coupled with the flagrant breaches of the Liquor License Act, the whole affair may well be said to constitute that kind of open and disorderly conduct which the legislature had in mind when it authorized the magistrate, by section 81, to convict for having a disorderly house. I prefer to believe in justice to Mr. McConkey that when he planned this affair he did not expect that it would develop into such a disorderly one. The gathering probably got beyond his control. This, however, is no answer to the charge; he planned it and must be held to have intended the consequences of his act. This is something that the license commissioners may think fit to take into their consideration at the proper time. The appeal will be dismissed and the conviction confirmed with costs," concluded Judge Denton.

WELSH COAL BARON INTERESTED IN B.C.

Options on Rich Anthracite
Fields Said to Have
Been Secured.

VANCOUVER, March 16.—Options were reported today as having been taken by Mr. D. J. Thomas, the Welsh coal baron, now en route to Vancouver from the east, on claims of anthracite coal lands controlled by a British Columbia syndicate syndicate and a company of prominent Quebec financiers, who hold charters from both Dominion and provincial governments for constructing a railway from the mouth of the Naas River into the Groundhog Coal Fields, a distance of 140 miles.

The head of the Cambrian Coal Co. has announced his intention of safeguarding British coal interests in the north, and it is said he is acting under instructions from the B. I. fish ministry. The product of the Groundhog district is said to be of the same quality as the Welsh coal, and the world, besides that found in South Wales, Pennsylvania and western Virginia.

TWO WORKMEN KILLED BY PREMATURE BLAST

SHERBROOKE, Que., March 16.—A. R. McDougall was instantly killed and a pupil at Rose avenue school, the girl was seriously injured, when a premature blast in the mine of the Weedon Mining Co. at Lake Wee-wood, on Saturday afternoon, exploded took place just a few minutes before the workmen quitting for the day. McDougall lived at St. Stephen, Ont., and Lake at Pountney Mills, Que., and each leaves a widow and family.

SCHOOL BOARD SUE FOR GIRL'S INJURIES

A curious claim for damages has been made against the board of education by the parents of Bertha Taylor, a pupil at Rose avenue school. The girl was jumping from a spring-board over a "German hare," and fell, breaking an arm. Principal Carr states that the girls were forbidden to jump in the way causing the accident. The claim has been sent to the board's solicitor.

ALIMONY WAS GRANTED.

On the application of Mrs. E. A. P. Skeff, wife of John S. Skeff, of the bank of Toronto, interim alimony at the rate of \$20 a week, has been allowed by Master in Chambers Cameron, at Osogood Hall, Mr. Skeff's income is given at \$5000 a year.

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DOUBLED NUMBER OF O. M. L. MEMBERS

Oliver Hezzelwood's Year as
President Was Fruitful
of Results.

GIVEN A LOVING CUP

Members Paid Tribute to
Good Work of Retiring
Executive Head.

Oliver Hezzelwood, retiring president of the Ontario Motor League, was presented with an illuminated address and a loving cup by his fellow directors, at a meeting held yesterday afternoon. William Stone presented the cup on behalf of the directors, and A. E. Chatterton presented the address. Mr. Hezzelwood replied in appropriate words.

Mr. Hezzelwood's year at the head of the league was noteworthy for the work accomplished. During it the membership was increased from 2000 to 4000; the Canadian Automobile League was not under way, and now has 40 affiliated motor organizations; the examination for motor car drivers was instituted by the government, and much aid given the Ontario Safety League.

Women will find more news of interest to them in The World's magazine, page every morning than in any other paper.

W. J. BRYAN ASKED TO PROTECT STANDARD OIL

WASHINGTON, March 16.—Texas and California oil producers have addressed a number of communications to the state department in regard to the bill pending in the German Parliament to establish a German oil monopoly and eliminate the Standard Oil Company from the German business. Secretary Bryan has referred all these to the bureau of trade relations without comment. Today, however, he said:

"This government will not assume that the German Government intends to do injury to American property or interests there, or to discriminate against Americans in the purchase of oil, unless the language of the measure would, under reasonable construction, imply injustice. If the law is passed and under its operation any injury is done or threatened we will make such representations as the situation requires."

REV. FREDERICK GREUL TO MAKE HIS DEFENCE

"Democracy a Present Requirement of the Christian Church," will be the subject of a lecture by Rev. Frederick Greul, D.D., in the Parkdale Baptist Church, West Queen street, on Wednesday evening, March 18, at 8 o'clock. Mr. Greul has during the past few days been criticized by some Toronto Baptists for his action in speaking at the induction of Rev. H. A. Stander-son to the only Unitarian pulpit in the city last Friday evening. His lecture will probably be in some measure a justification of his conduct.

TRUE BILLS.

The grand jury yesterday afternoon returned the following true bills in the general sessions: Richard Clough, for engaging in business of betting or wagering on horse races; Charles Turner, seduction; David Deutch, forgery and uttering.

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SUFF. CAUGHT IN LOBBY CARRIED A DOG-WHIP

LONDON, March 16.—A suffragette giving the name of Catherine Wilson was arrested in the lobby of the house of commons tonight. She was dressed in male attire and had a dog whip secreted in her sleeve. It is supposed that she was waiting to attack members of the government.

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