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HAMILTON, CANADA TUESDAY \PRIL 6, 1909

THE OLD OLD

Disappointed in Love, Young Woman Spicides

Left Letter to Man of Whom She Was Too Fond.

Had Taken Hypodermic Injections to Cause Death.

Albany, N.Y., April 6.-Disappointed over a love affair, Ethel Shaw, an attractive woman about 28 years old, was found dead in her room in the Ten Eyck Hotel this morning Death was due to an overdose of morphine and strychnine hypodermic-ally administered. Miss Shaw was a

dresser were several letters

BATH FOR ROY

And He Will Have to Go to Jail to Get It.

Roy Ross, Wood street east, was arrested by Constable Brown last night, rested by Constable Brown last night, charged with vagrancy. He appeared at court this morning and his appearance suggested his first treatment. "Til remand him to jail to have a bath," said Magistrate Jelfs, after one look. Ross was accordingly remanded a few days.

It was the first time this year that Dr. A. J. Case was drunk. Constable Campaign, jun., arrested the doc. last night for the offence. He was allowed to go this time, as it was his first time. or the offence. He was allowed to go this time, as it was his first time, and he was profuse in thanks. Thomas Street, Vinemount, saw his chance in this decision "This is the first time this year," he said. He was also allowed to go.

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tion which went to Toronto yesterday

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MAY BE SUBMITTED

IN JANUARY NEXT.

City Has Assurance That Board of Contro

Mayor McLaren and the civil deputaion which went to Toronto yesterday
o try to get the municipal act amendd so as to permit Hamilton to elect a
Board of Control, received what practi-

cally amounts to an assurance that the request will be granted. His Worship is "the things of the council will deal with the matter."

Legislation Will be Passed.

NO COURT.

SAD STORY. Nothing Ready For County Court Ontario and Quebec Manufacturing Session This Morning.

> When Court Crier Jos. Greenfield called for order this morning in the County Council 'Chamber, where Judge Snity Council Chamber, where Judge Snider was to have held County Court,
> there were three lawyers before him,
> and none wished to proceed with their
> cases. There were but four cases on the
> list, and one was settled, that of Biggs
> vs. Gilbert. Two more were postponed,
> Bradley vs. McDonald, and Siderski vs.
> Granatstein, and one was not ready,
> Hammond vs. Kittson. The adjourned
> cases were laid over until the June sescases were laid over until the June ses

EVA FAY IS REMARKABLE

ally administered. Miss Shaw was a nurse and registered from New York City. She has a brother living in Montreal. The woman left several letters, including one addressed to Dr. G. Scott Towne, health officer of Saratoga, in which she said:
"My Dear Boy,—Unfortunately have become too fond of you, so the breaking of our engagement means to me complete wreckage. Don't get any other girl to love you. Yours, "Ethel C. S."

The postscript read, "No mother has a right to spoil a son's life. When answered their questions frankly. Her The postscript read, "No mother has a right to spoil a son's life. When two people marry they should be given a chance. Every woman knows this." Miss Shaw evidently had made all preparations for her death. When found she was lying on the bed with a silk robe wrapped about her and her arms folded on her breast. A hypodermic syringe and a box containing morphine vials, one of which was empty, were found at her side. On the dresser were several letters.

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The woman came to Albany yesterday. During the night groans were heard coming from her room, but it was believed the woman was ill. Several hours later an attempt was made to enter her room, but the door was locked and there was no response to repeated raps. A bell boy finally crawled over the transom and discovered the body.

Among the letters was one to Mrs. McKenzie, Free Delivery ...oute, White Plains, in which Miss Shaw wrote:

"I am frightened and lonely, but it seems to me so much worse to go on. Love to all of you, Isabelle and others. Ethel."

Other letters were addressed to Mrs. Samuel Carey, No. 38 West 46th street, New York; Allen C. Shaw, care Dale & Co., Montreal, Canada, a brother, to whom she left all her possessions, and directing the payment of \$1,000 to Mrs. Samuel C. Carey, and an "Easter greeting note to Miss Kitty Riley, of Roosevelt Hospital, New York, containing a \$10 bill.

A bank book on the U. S. Savings Bank of 606 Madison avenue, New York she inglined to the several letters are received to the same to be shought the several countries of the she torror of taking life. She claims no supernatural power, and asserts that she arrives at her answers by mental telepathy and purely scientific means. On her programme she admits that the intended to answer some plied that she intended to answer some means. On her programme she admits that she is not infallible, and leaves it to the audience to guess or figure out for themselves her methods. When asked if she thought she could throw light on the recent murder mystery, she replied that she intended to answer some questions at the theatre later on, and intimated that there might be developments in the case within the next tendays. Mrs. Fay gave as evidences of her power the foretelling of Roosevelt's election and many other things. She expressed her delight with Hamilton, its discussion strongly in favor of stern measures against motors.

Section two of the report declares that all drivers of motor vehicles for hire or pay must, on the request of a constable, produce a license.

Section 2 declares that no automobile shall pass a stationary street car at more York, containing a \$10 bill.

A bank book on the U. S. Savings
Bank of 606 Madison avenue, New
York, was found, showing that the woman had made a deposit of \$25 in
that bank yesterday. Her total deposits were \$489. Several valuable
pieces of jewelry also were found.

her power the foretelling of Roosevelt's election and many other things. She expressed her delight with Hamilton, its beauty, and was much pleased with the appreciative audiences that attended the theatre. The conversation then drifted along on commonplace things until Richard Harding Davis' book "Vera, the Medium," was mentioned. Mrs. Fay claims that this book is a portrayal of herself and her work, and objects to the conclusion of fraud and fake. In the book Vera gives a long engagement on Broadway, New York, and Mrs. Fay is the only mental telepathist who has ever appeared there, she says. Mrs. Fay is gathering evidence now, and expressed her intention of starting a suit for libel against the author.

SAFETY DEPOSIT BOXES

To rent at \$2 a year and up yards,

altogether, so that farmers could market and clurch without being of Offences under the act are divided in

Every member of the regiment should have a swagger stick for next parade, some fine swagger canes with the regu-ation crest are offered for 25 cents at heace's cigar store, 107 king street east. Offences under the act are divided into two classes, major and minor offences. The major offences are: Racing for a wager, inflicting a serious injury, or driving away without furnishing the name. Prior convictions shall be kept track of by the entering up on the driver's license by the convicting magistrate of the date and nature of the conviction.

When the driver comes up on his third conviction, the license will be cancelled for three years. If the driver does not hold a license at the time of the conviction he shall not be allowed to take one out for a period of time which shall be determined by the magistrate.

The motors shall be taken into custody for three months, and the costs of storage shall be charged against it.

If the owner can guarantee that the car shall not be driven for three months he may keep it, but if operated in the meantime it shall be considered to be without a license. The chauffeur and employer are both liable if the chauffeur works for hire. The employer is liable for the conviction along with the chauffeur.

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Centre of America.

WATER POWER.

Our Merchantable Timber Less Than That of States.

(Special Despatch to the Times.)
Ottawa, April 6.—Mr. R. E. Young, superintendent of Dominion railway lands, at the Commons committee on forests, waterways and water powers, this morning made the remarkable statement that the merchantable timber of Canada, was very much less than that of the United States. He said the forest area of the Dominion had been variously estimated at from eight hundred million to a hundred million acres, and it was probable that the value would be less than any estimate which had been made. Regarding the water powers of the Dominion, he said that apart from Ontario information on the subject, it was very incomplete. However, he estimated the total horse power known to be available at 25.682,907, of this (Special Despatch to the Times.) to be available at 25,682,907, of this 17,075,939 was in Quebec and 3,129,168 in Ontario, exclusive of Niagara Falls. in Ontario, exclusive of Niagara Falls. British Columbia two millions, Alberta over one million, Northwest Territories six hundred thousand, Manitoba 504,000, Saskatchewan five hundred thousand, Yukon 547,000, New Brunswick 150,000 and Nova Scotia 54,000. The authorities, he said, were too conservative, but this was their purpose. Representing the water power on a basis of five pounds of coal per hundred per horse power, this represented 551,137,590 tons of coal per annum. Mr. Young said that Professor Shortt had recently declared that the territory in Ontario and Quebec where the water power mainly lies would be the manufacturing centre of North America. He endorsed this declaration.

THE AUTOS.

Municipal Committee Makes Rules for Them.

Restrictions Proposed With Pains and Penalties.

(Special Despatch to the Times.) Toronto, Ont., April 6.—The special report of the Sub-Committee of the Municipal Committee appointed to deal with the question of automobile legislation was read and adopted with very little discussion by the Municipal Committee this morning. Mr. George Pattinson, South Waterloo, said that the

WHO IS BUSH?

58 Ray Street.

sery enthusiastic over the proposition. At one time he thinks the public looked upon this as a move to create a job for someone, but he thinks that the great majority of the people now recognize the necessity of such a system of municipal administration. To have a live executive body on the job every day the Mayor thinks would make quite a change in municipal circles. He thinks that the cost would not exceed \$4,000 for four controllers, which, with the Mayor, would make a Board of five. This would not be very large remuneration for the right kind of men, but his worship thinks that later on, as the work grew, the amount could be increased. He would not exceed men to devote all their time to the work for such remuneration, The matter, of course, will have to be submitted to the people and Mayor McLaran is not sure whether it would be advisable to do this before the end of the year or wait until January to ensure a full expression of opinion. The Council this year, he believes, is composed of the control of the c

Freshman Drowned

Syracuse, N. Y., April 6 .- The Brooklyn, a freshman of the college of Liberal Arts, of Syracuse University, was found by Prof. Scott in the bottom of the swimming pool in the new gymnasium, at an early hour to-day. Prof. Scott had promised to teach the young man to swim this morning. Freeman went into the gymnasium last evening and was not seen

again When he did not appear at his boarding house the other men thought he had gone out to spend the evening and had been detained. The body was found in deep water, and it is thought that the young man, in trying to learn the stroke by himself, went in beyond his depth and was drowned.

Freeman was a member of the

THE MAN IN **OVERALLS** Lususususul

The missionary movement and the Marathon race are live topics. Which of them are you interested in?

The asylums are overcrowded, I am told. Still lots of the inmates are just crazy to get out, and others are crazy enough to be in.

Now that there is a building boom in the city, a lot of idle men should get to

If Andrew Carnegie's money is tainted the sooner it is taken from him the bet-ter.

At the rate things are going now, the Beach will soon be nothing but a rail-way route, with the dwellers routed off

Buffalo on Good Friday?

What would Arthur Heming, Jack Russell, Cory B. Kilvert and the other Hamilton celebrities in the artistic world think, if we allowed the Art School to go down?

Day by day I am beginning to see that the German panic scare in Britain is being worked and promoted as a Tory device to dish the Liberals. This has been about the poorest Lent

ever put in. Too much excitement and blic clamor for meditation or

It's certainly time the streets were scraped. Some of them are awful. Don't speak so loud. Carnegic may haul in his \$75,000 offer.

The Stanley Mills' excursions help us

I hope Dr. Lyle will show the Labor

men that it would be a crime to allow the Art School to go under. There seems to be no hurry to have

the vote upon the power question. Any old time, I suppose, will do. T. J. Stewart does not appear to b so ready to jump into a scrap down

I hope Mr. Jelfs will yet see what can be done to set young Bradley free.

Anybody any more complaints to make about the detectives or the police? Now would be a good time to take a crack at them.

Musician's Protective Association, have issued a writ in the County Court against Dr. William English, superintendent of the Asylum, William Yeates and Fred Harding of this city, and Dr. George Clark, of London, for \$273, for services rendered under a contract, on July 30th, 1908. Mr. Stares is suing the executive of the London Old Boys' Association for pay due the 91st Regiment Band, for the time the members put in at the head of the Hamilton Contingent. Considerable correspondence has passed between the parties, without an agreement being reached.

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(Special Despatch to the Times.)
London, Ont., April 6.—Thomas Harnan, a young man claiming to have worked as a cartoonist on Hamilton and Toronto papers, was sentenced to three months in the Central Prison this morning by Magistrate Love for entering the room of Philip Grove, a Montreal traveller, and stealing his grip and several parcels of goods that he had.

SAMPSON TRIAL.

Lyons, N. Y., April 6.—When the trial of Mrs. Georgia Sampson, charged with the murder of her husband, Harry Sampson, was resumed to-day, District Attorney Gilbert outlined the case for the

English capital is encouraging the sugar industry of Jamaica,

HAS SURPLUS. TWO FALL IN

No Running Rights Over Burlington Beach

BEACH SAVED.

For T., N. & W. Railway, at Least Not Just Now.

(Special Despatch to the Times.) Ottawa, April 6.—There was a Hamilton case before the Board of Rail-Commissioners this morning Allan Boyce, of Toronto, appeared before the Commission and pressed the application of the Toronto, Niagara & Western Railway for running rights

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Allan Boyce, of Toronto, appeared before the Commission of the on Burlington Beach, near Hamilton. While all of the line had not been definitely located the general route of the line had been decided upon, and it included the passage of Burlington Beach. "It has not been decided upon by me," remarked Chairman Mabee, of the Railway Commission. "If the application is granted it will mean that the sites of several summer cottages will be destroyed and the only breathing space in that

it will mean that the sites of several summer cottages will be destroyed and the only breathing space in that vicinity will be taken away."

The lands sought to be entered apon are owned by the Grand Trunk Railway Company, and on their behalf Mr. Biggar opposed the application. The matter was finally closed when Chairman Mabee remarked that it would be perhaps better to let the matter rest without granting the application for the present at least. He said, "We will let it stand until you are ready to build and probably we will all be dead by that time." He further stated that before the application was granted better cause would have to be shown than the Board had yet heard.

DEAR INDIANS.

How the Ontario Government Squanders the People's Money.

Paid \$100 Each For Fifteen Pictures of Indians.

Toronto, Ont., April 6 - Fifteen Indian portraits, which cost the Ontario Government one hundred dollars apiece and for a while decorated the corridors in front of the Prime Minister's office, out have since been relegated to a more obscure portion of the building, were the

I feel lonesome these days, missing the learned newspaper disduisitions on A. M. Lewis Fighting License and color. It won't delay ordering what Reduction in East Toronto.

Mr. A. M. Lewis, of this city, at Tor nto yesterday morning, argued an ap peal on the part of John Brewer, hotelkeeper, in what was East Toronto, from the decision of Chief Justice Meredith on March 3rd, refusing to quash the license reduction by-law passed by the license reduction by-law passed by the Toornto City Council, before a Di-visional Court composed of Chief Jus-tice Mulock, Mr. Justice Maclaren and Mr. Justice Clute. Mr. Lewis objected that the Council was not empowered to pass a by-law for more than one year. They ought, he said, pass a by-law for the then ensuing year "or" for any fu.

Charge of Highway Robbery Registered Against Thos. Freel.

Constable Gibbs saw a little act be ing worked in an alley about 1.30 to-day which led him to arrest two men. In an alley near Vine and Macnab streets he saw what he considered a highway robbery. One man, who was sober, appearto him to be rifling the pockets of the drunken one, and transferring the contents to his own. Thomas Freel, 34 Kent street, is the name of the man who was sober, and the charge against him is highway robbery. The other man was still dead to the world at press time, and the police do not know his name yet. The case will be called to-morrow. saw what he considered a highway rob-

Annual Meeting of Twentieth Century Club Last Night.

The annual business meeting of the Twentieth Century Club was held last night. The financial report showed that the assets of the club are \$3,343 in excess of the liabilities. The following were elected directors for the ensuing year: Messrs. J. W. Lamoreaux, D'Arey Martin, Henry New, C. H. Peebles, Thomas Fanning, W. J. Easterbrook, Richard Jose.

ARE BUSY ON BAY FRONT.

This Season Promises to be Busy One on Water.

There is an air of activity along the vaterfront these days that promises the busiest season Hamilton harbor has experienced in years once navigation is in full swing. In addition to the annual hustle and bustle among boat builders and owners, the work at the revetment wall and the scheme of the Mutual Steamship Company to increase the docking facilities at the foot of Catharine street to handle the passenger and freight service of the eleven boats that will run from here this year, the Hamilton Ferry Company is arranging to begin work on the docks it will build for its boats. Soundings were taken this week, and actual building operations will be begun within a few days. For this season at any rate there will be only one dock on this side of the bay. It will be at the foot of Hughson street, in front of the old street railway power house. On account of the shallow water there it will probably be necessary to build a dock over two hundred feet in length. usiest season Hamilton harbor has ex-

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On the north shore of the bay docks will be constructed half a mile below Brown's Wharf, at the Holy Sepulchre cemetery, at the powder magazine, Bay View, and probably at Carroll's Point. A fast service to all these points will be given, and other docks will be built along the bay later at points where business justifies it.

WHAT WILL

weapon as hasn'k Davidson's sunk Davidson's su

You know that the first run of sap makes the best syrup. We have about one hundred gallons, all first run, maple syrup that has that fine delicate flavor and color. It won't last long, so don't Sold only by Bain & and killed Constable

PISTOL DUEL.

NO 82.

Ohio Dry Leader Shoots Down Twe Assailants.

Fire From Behind Poles-One May Die.

Dentist Drops Two While He Escapes Unhurt

Wellsville, O., April 6 .- A tragic limax to the bitter struggle between the wet and dry forces of this place came to-day, when, in a duel, with the opponents using telegraph poles as barri-cades, two men were shot down and one

of them probably fatally hurt. The participants in the battle were Dr. Hamlin Barnes, a dentist and a leader of the drys, and William Zellars and Ben Davidson, who had been dishering on a houseboat on the Ohio River. Zellars and Davidson were wounded by the dentist, who escaped without a scratch, and it is stated that Davidson

may not recover.

Dr. Barnes, who is a member of the Good Citizens' League and a strong enemy of the liquor element, recently has been threatened with death, and in view

noon on the Cincinnati and Pittsburg Railroad tracks near the Ohio, and not

strolled near the bailiwick of his foes.

While passing he was accosted by Zellars and Davidson. The dentist, knowing the antipathy the men held for him, tried to get away and told them he wanted no trouble.

"Let me pass," he said, and stepping around them he walked rapidly down the track.

The men followed, jeering. Then they picked up stones from the track and hurled them at him. Barnes, dodging the missiles, took refuge behind a telegraph pole. Then, it is alleged, Zellars' drew a pistol and fired two shots. Neithers shot took effect.

Barnes, the instant his enemy opened

Barnes, the instant his enemy fire, whipped out his revolver and re-taliated. His first shot hit Zellars in eapon as he sank.

Davidson, seeing his companion down, grabbed the abandoned gun, himself

LID LIFTER KILLS POLITICIAN. St. Louis, Mo., April 6.—Fred Mohrle, who runs a Sunday lid-lifting liquor club

GORDON WILSON'S BILL GOT KNOCKED.

Board of Health Cannot Compel Council to Give It Whatever Money It May Want.

(Special Despatch to the Times.) Toronto, Ont., April 6.—The Act to amend the Public Health Act, introduced by G. C. Wilson, of South Went worth, was considered at some length dr. George Lynch-Staunton spoke for he bill, drawing attention to the proosed amendment whereby the Provin-ial Board of Health is to be allowed

o act irrespective of the outbreak of

my specific epidemic. At present the poard has to wait till its assistance is sked for. "At present it means we tave to wait till the epidemic has spread all over," said Mr. Staunton. The clause which would have compelled councils to vote such money as the Board of Health may dem necessary was withdrawn after considerable discussion. "The question simply is, shall the Board of Health be in the same position as the trustee board of a school?" asked Chairman Hanna, who did not think the clause at all advisable. "Well, hasn't the Board of Health the right to spend such money as it."

thinks necessary now?" asked Mr.
Neely.
"No, only in epidemics," was Mr.
Staunton's reply.

Was Mr.
under the preport system a mun never got any notification at all, but was simply arrested.
"You want the County Judge to do Staunton's reply.
"I don't think we have any right to

use such language to a council elected by the people," objected Mr. Neely.

"It simply gives the board a free hand; they need have no regard for expense, and the council has no discretion," was Mr. Hanna's summing up.

"Lost," was the cry, and the clause goes out.

Nuisances and the abatement of nuisances was the next consideration. It was proposed that any one not satisfied with the action of a Board of Health might appeal summarily to a county judge, and the proposal was fought out to a vote and finally lost.

Mr. Lynch-Staunton explained that a Board of Health might hold that a slaughter house, for instance, was not a nuisance and the proposal was that any one suffering might in two or three days' notice appeal to the judge. "We just want the present proposal simplified," Mr. Lynch-Staunton explained.

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