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### TWEED TRAIN BLOCKED.

Passenger train blocked by C.P.R. at  
Traffic Not Affected Otherwise.

Passenger traffic on the C.P.R. was not seriously affected yesterday by the blockade arising out of the wreck at Bethany siding near Peterborough, Ont., last night according to Superintendent Osborne.

Mr. Osborne says that the only passenger train affected was the Tweed local in the morning, due in Toronto at 10:15 a.m. It was necessary to transship the passengers at Bethany, but only 20 minutes time was lost in so doing. The tracks were in shape for resumption of traffic by the afternoon, and the regular schedule was resumed.

### Goes on To-Day.

The action of Foley, Lock & Larson of Winnipeg against the defunct Distributors' Company and its promoter, T. H. P. Carpenter, will be continued to-day. The first witness for the defense was placed on the stand for a few minutes, prior to adjournment yesterday afternoon.

### Fourteen Million Bushels.

KINGSTON, Dec. 1.—The season of navigation is practically over. During the time some 14,798,054 bushels of grain were hauled here from western points and transhipped into barges for Montreal. This is but 500,000 bushels less than in 1907, and regarded as a fine record in view of the very dull marine season. Coal received here from New York ports reached 37,933 tons.

### HURT IN SAVING OTHERS.

Brakeman Crawled Over Tender to  
Warn Engine Crew.

PETERBORO, Dec. 1.—Brakeman Irwin of West Toronto, and until recently of Ottawa, the hero of last night's C.P.R. wreck at Bethany, was in the first engine of the eastbound train, and, seeing the danger, jumped as the crash came, but was caught by the falling tender and imprisoned. He sustained a compound fracture of the left leg.

He was riding in the cab of the first engine of the double-header, and when he saw that a crash was inevitable, instead of jumping, as did the fireman and engineer, he hurriedly made his way back over the tender and the engine to warn the crew of the second locomotive of the danger. He managed to inform them before the collision came, and they escaped by jumping.

### Want to Be Canadians.

There were 100 applications for naturalization papers presented in the sessions yesterday. Of these 97 are citizens of Toronto, one from Sault Ste. Marie, one from Orangeville, and one from Vivian, Ontario. The following applied for repatriation: Geo. Wm. Armour, 702 Spadina, mining engineer; Stuart Campbell, Traders Bank agent; Henry Ritchie, 36 Elm-street, machinist; William Fred Robertson, 276 West King-street, merchant. All four were American citizens.

## SIXTEEN P.C. DIVIDEND RESERVE SHAREHOLDERS

Cobalt's Bonanza Mine is Making  
Fortunes for Fortunate  
Stockholders.

MONTREAL, Dec. 1.—The Crown Reserve Mining Co., to-day announced a dividend for the half year of 12 per cent. with a bonus of four per cent. payable on January 15th to holders of record Dec. 2nd.

This is the information that was handed out at the opening of the Montreal Mining Exchange to-day. Which means that in this one payment alone, which will be made on January 2nd, many of the holders of this stock will more than get their money back.

In the future, the Crown Reserve dividend will be paid quarterly and the stock will sell ex-dividend on December 15th.

While there are a few much larger and possibly wealthier mines in Cobalt than Crown Reserve, yet this 22-acre sensation has been the topic in Cobalt for some time.

### GENERAL SESSIONS.

Four True Bills by Grand Jury—  
Judge Winchester's Comments.

Four true bills were returned by the grand jury yesterday and the cases, will be tried in the general sessions to-day. They were:

Alice Shaw charged with theft of a pair of shoes, one half dozen collar buttons, a lace collar and other articles from the T. Eaton Company. Chas. Baldwin and Edward Moran, charged with stealing manicle sets from H. J. Allsopp. J. W. Barnard, theft of \$8 from Benjamin J. Miller. Jos. F. Foster charged with wounding Alex. Macdonald.

A bill charging H. E. Meunier, a conductor, with the theft of \$25 from the Toronto Railway Company was thrown out. It was a case where the conductor had been taken suddenly ill one morning after he had received his assignment of small change. He took his pouch home with him and a few days later was arrested on the street. When his room was searched the money was found, practically intact. In his address to the jury Judge Winchester urged them to investigate the question of children's court; also to take steps to prevent the indiscriminate sale of opium and to investigate the anti-cigarette laws and find if they are adequate.

There are only 18 or 19 cases to come before the grand jury this session. Most of them are trifling, such as shoplifting and aggravated assault. The five persons accused of distributing obscene postcards will be tried. The grand jury will not inspect the public institutions this session.

### APPOINTED AFTER ALL.

N. B. Colcock to Be Ontario's Em-  
igration Agent.

N. B. Colcock, it is announced, has been placed in charge of the Ontario emigration office in London, as The World stated some time ago. In accordance with a suggestion by Hon. Nelson Monteith no change will be made in the staff at present. As soon as Mr. Colcock assumes charge in London the Liverpool office will be closed and all emigration business will be done in the metropolis. He will have two other men in England besides the London staff.

An office has been taken in London in the Hambury American Building close to the other colonial offices and the headquarters of the Grand Trunk and C. P. Railways.

### Bitten by Dog.

Rev. J. D. Morrow of St. Mark's Presbyterian Church was badly bitten by a collie dog yesterday. He was wheeling on Queen-street near Simcoe when the dog rushed at him, making a dash for his throat. He was in his leg. The wound was cauterized. Inspector Davis located the dog, which will be destroyed this morning.

## Cobalt Talks

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## FIAT ARGUMENT HEARD PREMIER TO CONSIDER

Counsel for W. D. Beardmore Asks  
That Commission Be Made  
Party to Power Suit.

"Well, gentlemen, I'll go into this as fast as I can. That's about all I can say now," was Sir James F. Johnston's remark at the end of the hearing of an application for a fiat in the electric power bylaws case yesterday morning.

The application was made by E. F. B. Johnston, K.C., on behalf of W. D. Beardmore, Henry O'Brien appearing with him; by T. G. Meredith in the London case; J. M. McEvoy, K.C., and H. E. Rose for the plaintiff in Smith v. London. J. S. Fullerton, K.C., appeared for Toronto and A. F. Johnston for the Hydro-Electric Power Commission.

Legal Argument.  
Mr. Johnston's argument was purely a legal one, and he disclaimed any intention of dealing with the merits of the case.

"I am not at all concerned with the merits of the parties," he remarked in closing his argument. "His client had not cause of action against the commission in the sense that the plaintiff had no contract with the commission and was only acting as a ratepayer. But it was necessary to have the commission as a defendant in order to have the case settled."

"Will the government say that Mr. Beardmore is to be denied justice if he is entitled to it simply because he cannot make the commission a party to the trial?" was his main plea.

J. M. McEvoy, K.C., argued along with Mr. Johnston that the ratepayers had been deluded into passing the by-law, and that the contract was made on quite different terms.

J. S. Fullerton, K.C., pointed out that if there were variation this had been covered in the validating act.

Contracts Made Binding.

"What you are being asked to do here is to undo what you have done, to take back the contracts you intended to validate," he said. "The statute made the contracts legal, valid and binding. The one thing necessary to this was that a contract should be entered into. Justice Anglin had added another thing which was not in the statute at all, that the by-law should once more be submitted to the people. Courts were meant to interpret laws and parliament to make them."

Figures Not Final.  
Mr. Lobb showed clearly that in every instance the figures submitted by the commission were submitted as estimates and not as final figures. In quelling the act of the bylaw Mr. Johnston had omitted to refer to the schedules or the preamble. No figures in bylaws were ever taken as final, and he insisted that a waterworks bylaw. It was well known and published in the press that unless all the municipalities joined together power could not be obtained the price estimated by Mr. Johnston.

Not Fair Argument.

Mr. Johnston, speaking again, held that the in terror was not a fair or honest argument. They were there to assert their rights. If it was decided

## CANADA PERMANENT MORTGAGE CORPORATION

### HALF-YEARLY DIVIDEND.

Notice is hereby given that a dividend of three and one-half per cent. on the paid-up capital stock of this corporation has been declared for the half-year ending 31st December, 1908, and that the same will be payable on and after Saturday, the second day of January next.

By order of the Directors.  
GEO. H. SMITH, Secretary.

Toronto, November 25th, 1908.

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The Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders will be held at the Company's offices, 108 Bay-street, Toronto, on Wednesday, 17th February, 1909. Chair will be taken at noon.

By order of the Directors.  
E. B. WADSWORTH, Manager.

Toronto, December 1st, 1908.

they had none no one would accept the situation more gracefully than himself and his client. The attorney-general might think the intention of the act was otherwise, but he did not sit in his office to amend the law. The whole policy of the commission had been absolutely and radically changed by taking power at Niagara instead of Toronto.

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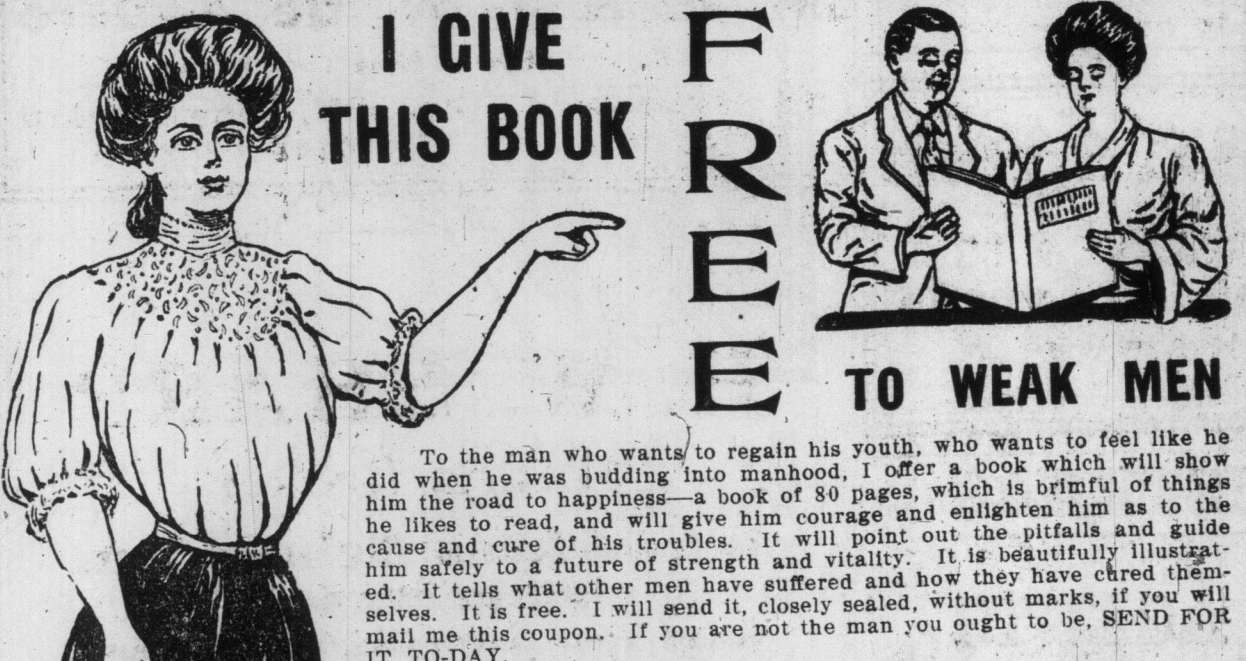
Had Keys to Office and Was After  
Cash Box.

GALT, Dec. 1.—For the past six months petty thieving of cash has been going on at Bell Telephone Co.'s office here. Last night about midnight Chief Gorman arrested Earl Licht, aged 18, a former employee of the company. In the act of taking the cash box containing about \$20 from the safe. Young Licht gained access to both office and safe by keys in his possession. On being searched he was found on him. He appeared before

Police Magistrate Blake this morning and pleaded guilty. He was remanded till next Monday.

The Music of Twenty Nations.

The choir of Chalmers Presbyterian Church last night provided a unique concert of national airs and folk songs. The soloists were: Mrs. A. C. MacDonald, soprano; Miss Elsie Burkholder, contralto; Bernard Rickman, tenor; James Morgan, bass and Ernest Johnson, L.R.A.M., violinist. Miss Lulu Calder acted as accompanist. Edmund Hardy, F.T.C.M., Mus. Bac., is the organist and choir leader. A large audience enjoyed the various numbers, which were excellently rendered.



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