

TITLED LADIES GO TO PRISON.

Two Get Two Months, Others Go For One Month. Lady Constance Lytton a Prisoner Among the Others.

About Thirty Women Suffragettes Were Sentenced.

London, Feb. 25.—Refusing to give security for their future good behavior, the women suffragettes who were arrested last night while attempting to reach Premier Asquith, to present him with a petition in the interests of the cause, were today sentenced to imprisonment.

Most of the terms were for one month. An exception was made in the case of Mrs. Pedrick Lawrence, who, having a previous conviction against her, was sentenced to two months' imprisonment. Miss Lawless was given one month.

Lady Constance Lytton, sister of Lord Lytton and daughter of the former Viceroy of India, warned her friends that if they secured her release by providing security she would repeat her offense.

Sentences were imposed upon thirty women, including, in addition to the foregoing, Miss Strachan, Dugdale, daughter of Commander Dugdale, and cousin of the Hon. Wm. R. W. Peel, who was elected Tuesday in the by-election as a member of the House of Commons for Taunton, Miss Solomon, daughter of the ex-Premier of Cape Colony, and Mrs. Catharine Elizabeth Corbett, an aristocratic supporter of the movement. All these women are of high social standing. ADD SUFFRAGETTES.

Mrs. Lawrence made a brief address on behalf of her fellow victims. She asked the magistrate to note that the arrested women did not belong to the disorderly or law-breaking classes, but were women of honorable reputation, and that many of them had done service for the welfare of the community. They would not consent to be bound over to keep the peace, Mrs. Lawrence declared, and she claimed that they were entitled to be treated as political prisoners.

Most of the twenty-three women sentenced took their punishment in dignified silence. One asked not to be given the insulting alternative of being bound over, because that would be, she said, "simply suggesting that I am a coward, not a woman at all."

All of the women were committed to the "second division," which in the case of the present batch of prisoners, who belong mostly to the educated classes, entails drastic changes in food and method of living.

They will be paraded in the rough and unsmooth ready-made prison gowns, spotted with a broad arrow, and their food will be the ordinary prison fare of thin porridge, watered cocoa and a small allowance of meat and potatoes once a day. They will not be allowed to communicate with other prisoners, and they will be obliged to exercise in single file in the prison court yard. In spite of this far from alluring prospect all the women went off to their unenviable captivity giving outwardly signs of the utmost cheerfulness.

FELL THREE STOREYS

Went Down Elevator Shaft and Only Broke a Finger.

(Special Despatch to the Times.) London, Ont., Feb. 25.—Charles Hodson, aged 16, fell through three storeys down an elevator shaft at Perrin's biscuit factory this morning, and escaped with a broken finger. The boy was looking over the railing of the elevator shaft when it broke, and he plunged downward. He landed in a pile of waste paper, and hurried upstairs to meet those who were hurrying down, expecting to find him dead.

WON'T HAVE IT.

Kingston's Mayor Suffered From Vaccination in His Youth.

(Special Despatch to the Times.) Kingston, Feb. 25.—In regard to Mayor Couper's stand as an anti-vaccinationist, his Worship remains firm in his position, and has issued a statement to the press in which he denies that he is guarded against prosecution by a doctor's certificate describing him as physically unfit. Mayor Couper's reason for his stand is that he suffered facial disfigurement from vaccination while a young man.

FOR EASTER.

Cabriolets to be in Style as Well as the Merry Widow.

Chicago, Feb. 25.—"Get a cabriolet and be in style," is the advice of the National Association of Retail Milliners, which has one on exhibition at its semi-annual opening. It is said to be the very neatest of hat constructions, and partakes of the dominant characteristics of the cab family, yawning in front and flapping at the sides. The Merry Widow, according to those in charge of the opening, is to remain, and the tendency in the hat extremes is to meet. The missing link is the Dutch bonnet of the mushroom type.

\$2,000 FOR FINGER.

Kerr & Thomson, acting on behalf of R. A. Brown, have issued a writ for \$2,000 damages against the Canadian Fruit Company, whose factory is in the east end of this city. Brown was employed on the barrelling machine, and in some manner the little finger of his right hand was taken off. He alleges negligence on the part of the company in not having the apparatus in proper repair.

10,000 VOLTS WENT THROUGH WORKMAN

James Sayers, a Power Line Patrolman, Was Instantly Killed Yesterday Afternoon.

The life of James Sayers, 316 Wilson street, was cut off with startling suddenness yesterday afternoon, when 10,000 volts of electricity passed through his body, throwing him from the top of a high pole he was working on and killing him instantly. Sayers was working on the high voltage line between the transforming station and Devere Falls, where it passes through the street, on the Grand Trunk right of way. Sayers was employed by the Dominion Power & Transmission Co., as a patrolman. He was sent to the spot where he met death to connect or splice a high voltage wire. He had not taken the precaution to call up the transforming station to see if the current had been turned off, as is usually the case when repairs are necessary on the heavy power line. He was in company with several other workmen, who were working on nearby poles, and suddenly his companions were startled to see him fall from his high perch. They rushed to his assistance and found him lying on the ground, dead. Having seen no flesh, the men did not think he had been electrocuted till they noticed the smell of burning flesh. Looking over the body they found that one hand had been burned to the bone. The dead man was wearing gloves, but they were of ordinary leather and when

he had grasped the wire the current had passed through him, grounding by means of the wet pole. The dead man must have been killed instantly, for he relaxed his hold and fell at once. He was dead before his companions reached him. They at once telephoned from the Petrie Manufacturing Company's office to the police and the body was brought to the city. Dr. Anderson made an examination and the body was taken to Blackford's morgue, to be prepared for burial.

Dr. Anderson consulted with Crown Attorney Washington and an inquest was decided on. It was opened at noon today. The dead man was a brother of Detective Harry Sayers, of the local police force and was 33 years of age. Eleven months ago he married and in addition to his young widow leaves a child only a few weeks old.

Deceased was a favorite among all his companions and was a member of the Canadian Order of Oddfellows. He was a fine, upright young man and a member of Victoria Avenue Baptist Church.

The inquest was adjourned till next Tuesday evening. The funeral will take place on Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, from the residence of his brother, Harry Sayers, 171 Robinson street.

WILL BE NO STRIKE AMONG MOULDERS.

International Advises Men to Go to Work Pending Further Negotiations.

The officers of the International Iron Moulders' Union have hopes of a peaceful settlement of the trouble between the local union and the foundrymen. In any event, they will take steps to arrive at a settlement before giving the men here permission to strike. At the meeting of the union last night a telegram was read from headquarters to the effect that the men were to go to work as fast as they were required, and that another international officer will come here and try to effect a compromise, and that the board will consider the case.

If the board had declared that the men were locked out or had given them permission to strike, they could draw strike pay.

Work was begun in the Gurney-Tilden shop this morning. The firm has no outsiders at work; it requires only a few men at the start, and anticipates no trouble in getting others as fast as it requires them. Other firms are likely to start soon.

The men have no desire for publicity. They will be satisfied to carry on the negotiations quietly and hope for a reasonable settlement.

About fifteen moulders went on strike yesterday at Guelph. They want \$2.50 for an eight-hour day. That is the day scale here, but in the past the men have been getting a bonus as well, equal to from 10 to 25 per cent. more.

CIVIL SERVICE.

Outside Officials Want More Pay and Ask For It.

Premier Said There Would Be Reform and Re-Organization.

(Special Despatch to the Times.) Ottawa, Feb. 25.—A deputation representing the outside civil service waited on Sir Wilfrid Laurier this morning to ask for a general increase of salaries and the reorganization of the outside service along similar lines as those effected in the inside service by the act of last session. The deputation included Mr. Barrett, of the Inland Revenue branch at Winnipeg; Mr. Frank Adamson, Immigration Agent at Winnipeg; Inland Revenue Inspector Freeland, Ottawa, and a number of others from Ontario points. They were accompanied by Messrs. Turfill, Ralph Smith and Dr. McIntyre, M.P.'s.

COBOURG FLOOD.

Families Driven to Second Storey--\$10,000 Damage.

Cobourg, Ont., Feb. 25.—For the first time in twenty years the creek which runs through the town and under King street overflowed yesterday, causing a great amount of damage by flooding the cellars of nearly every business place on the street. The heavy rains and the giving away of a dam north of the town were the cause of the flood. On Covent street some families had to take shelter in the second storey of their homes, the lower flats being entirely under water. The financial loss will amount to fully \$10,000.

BREAK IT UP.

That cold that is just beginning. Get after it now and break it up. A 20c box of Parke's Laxative-Quinine Cold Cure will break up an incipient cold in twenty-four hours. These are chocolate coated and easily taken.—Parke & Parke, druggists.

TORONTO CAUCUSES.

(Special Despatch to the Times.) Toronto, Ont., Feb. 25.—A Conservative caucus was held this morning. Mr. Grigg (Algoma), in the chair. No definite announcements were made, beyond that which had been discussed on law reform and education. Liberal caucus is to be held this afternoon.

HORSE RAN OFF.

Man Seriously Hurt at St. Catharines—Now in Hospital.

(Special Despatch to the Times.) St. Catharines, Feb. 25.—A. D. Servor and wife, of the township of Niagara, had a narrow escape from serious injury yesterday afternoon. They were driving along Niagara street in this city, when a freight train frightened at a G. T. R. freight train standing on the crossing, which they were approaching. The animal ran away and both occupants of the vehicle were thrown to the ground. Mrs. Servor escaped without injury. Mr. Servor was kicked in the forehead by the horse. He was picked up and carried into the office of the Wilson Contracting Company. Dr. Joy was summoned and the patient was removed to the General Marine Hospital, where it was found necessary to put ten stitches into the wound. He will be unable to leave the hospital for some days. The horse was caught some miles away in the township of Grantham.

FOR RECIPROCITY.

Detroit Conference to Consider Canadian Preferential Tariff.

Detroit, Mich., Feb. 25.—The Detroit Board of Commerce has issued invitations for a Canadian reciprocity conference, to be held in Detroit, April 22, 23 and 24. Invitations were sent to civic organizations of St. Paul, Minneapolis, Duluth, Chicago, Milwaukee, Toledo, Cleveland, Buffalo and Rochester. It is pointed out by promoters of the conference that the Canadian preferential tariff law opens the way for reciprocity, if the Congress can be induced to take action in the matter.

GRAND JURY.

The Grand Jury for the coming Assizes, which opens on Monday before Justice Latchford, is composed of the following gentlemen:—Ald. William Appleghat, John L. Reeves, Walter E. Bishop, Hamilton; John Boyer, West Flamboro; Robert Cook, Beverly; Edward Crawford, Hamilton; Fred (Jarring) Howell, Hamilton; Denis Dwyer, Beverly; Daniel C. Platt, West Flamboro; John F. Trison, West Flamboro; John Moodie, Barton; W. G. Mason, Dundas; Samuel Tweedie, Binbrook.

The Krinton Patent Pipe.

Krinton pipes have a flat vent hole which extends the smoke and is always cool and dry. They are sold in all shapes for 50 cents at peace's pipe store, 107 King street east.



EX-CHIEF OF POLICE MALONE, Of Simcoe, sentenced yesterday to life imprisonment for attempted murder of Ex-Constable Wilkins.



EX-CONSTABLE WILKINS, Who was shot by Ex-Chief Malone.

THE MAN IN OVERALLS

New story to-night. See it.

I am only sorry that the Westinghouse Company did not get the whole of the Hydro-electric contract.

If I had a vote you may be sure it would be cast for Dr. Lyle for Moderator.

A Board of Control would be a good thing for Hamilton if it drove politics out of the municipal arena.

Did you read the report of those speeches at the Canadian Club banquet which appeared in the papers last night? They were all right.

The ladies will be pleased to know that another of Chantclair's chatty letters from Paris will appear in Saturday's Times.

It has just occurred to me when it is too late that Mr. Zimmerman would have been a fine man to put on the Industrial Committee.

I am surprised that Mr. Studholme has not yet made a move to have a commission or something appointed to find out if our dues are all right.

Our Industrial Committee will have to hustle to get ahead of the Welland boosters.

It seems so easy for a young fellow to go down the toboggan chute when he once starts, and the excitement is quite terrific. But if these chaps could see their finish in the police court it might keep them from starting.

Oh, don't worry. I've seen beautiful ice harvested in the month of March.

John S. Gordon, the artist, has been honored by having one of his pictures chosen by the executive of the Ontario Society of Artists for the Provincial Government. This is pretty good evidence that Mr. Gordon is an artist of considerable merit, and I take this as the first opportunity to congratulate him. Had he been a crack shot, a Marathon runner or a champion sprinter, brass bands and fireworks and a cheering crowd would have acclaimed him the idol of the hour. As it is, he must be content with a few lines in the newspapers and the congratulations of his own immediate friends.

If I were to summon all the people who have borrowed books from me and forgotten to return them, the Police Court dock would have to be lengthened and widened.

It looks as if some of the City Hallers thought the shake-up in the Engineer's department would be in the nature of an earthquake.

You will notice that Sir James P. Whitney is spending much more money than did Hon. Geo. W. Ross. He excuses himself by saying that he has more to spend. But where did the money come from? to borrow the query of the monomaniac of the Toronto Telegram.

Still nothing doing about the west end market. Hon. Mr. Hendrie is certainly slow to move in the matter. Why all this delay?

ARCHBISHOP DEAD.

Toledo, Spain, Feb. 25.—Cardinal Seneca, Archbishop of Toledo, died today.

INDIAN LIST DOES NOT HOLD GOOD.

Separate Legal Notice Must be Given in Each Case—Three Girls Sent Down.

Police Magistrate Jelfs granted a request to one hundred and fifty thirty souls this morning at Police Court, when he declared that a hotelkeeper selling liquor to any of the men on the so-called Indian list could not be prosecuted if it was not proven that a legal form of notice had been served on the hotelkeeper in that particular case. "There is no Indian list," said Magistrate Jelfs, and this news was received with different emotions by many. Some "Indians" in the court started to feel once more for the elusive nickels in their pockets and smiled as they saw in their mind's eye a tall schooner waiting to be put into its allotted dock. Inspector Birrell received the news with a disgusted look, and felt disheartened. His pet, that dear little list, is no more, and the list is consequently not good. The startling information was brought out in the case of the Commercial Hotel. George Goldberg, proprietor, was charged with selling liquor to John McKeever, whose name was on the prohibited list. He pleaded not guilty. Inspector Birrell was called, and swore that he served a

notice on Goldberg to the effect that McKeever was not to be served with liquor. He said that he served this personally. The method was, he said, when asked by the Magistrate, to typewrite the names, go to the hotels, and paste them on the ends of the lists already posted there. This was all under the heading as provided by law. McKeever said that he got six drinks in Goldberg's and none at any other hotel. He said he was served with a printed form and understood that it was from Inspector Birrell. Magistrate Jelfs listened to all this evidence, and then calmly announced to Crown Attorney Washington, "Well, Mr. Washington, you have failed to make out a case."

"Why?" asked the Crown. "Simply because these hotels were not served with proper legal notices. The statutes provide a special notice which is to be served in every case for each man. This was not done, and the list is consequently not good."

His Worship said that Inspector Birrell had thought he was doing right in changing "person" in the form to plural, "persons," and using just the first notice sent out. He thought the names were all right if tacked on below this (Continued on Page 10.)

Double Tragedy

London, Feb. 25.—John Tempest Dawson, 75 years old, shot his wife while they were together in the National Portrait Gallery yesterday, and then committed suicide. Mrs. Dawson died in a hospital soon afterward. The couple were believed to be from Montreal. Mr. Dawson was a wealthy retired business man, and he and his wife had lived for the last ten years at Brighton. Papers on the man's body show that the act was pre-meditated.

ARTILLERYMEN.

Meeting of the Dominion Association in Ottawa To-day.

Address by Minister of Militia—Corps of Guides.

(Special Despatch to the Times.) Ottawa, Feb. 25.—The annual meeting of the Dominion Artillery Association was held in a House of Commons committee room this morning, and was presided over by Colonel Davidson, of Prince Edward Island. The Governor General and Sir Frederick Borden were among those present. Colonel Grant suggested that the executive look into the advisability of sending a Canadian team to Great Britain in 1910 to compete in the National Artillery Association competitions.

In his annual report Colonel Davidson called attention to the difficulties involved in transporting artillery detachments to the central camp at Petawawa. He suggested that the Militia Department should consider the advisability of establishing a camp on the St. Lawrence, east of Montreal, for heavy artillery.

A vote of thanks to Earl Grey for his interest in the artillery was proposed by Major Harrison and seconded by Major O'Dell.

Earl Grey, in reply, referred to his visit at Petawawa, and declared that the camp was an admirable one. He

FLOODED.

Family in West End in a Bad Way.

Rain and thaw have made a bad mess in the west end, completely flooding the flat region west of the T. H. & B. spur line. A small house that was recently moved there and in which a family is living, was entirely cut off by the flood on Tuesday and Wednesday, and is not much better today, although the frost has helped some. The Board of Health has used the surrounding land for dumping purposes and that has aggravated the trouble, clogging the channel and culvert, so that trouble is certain whenever there is a flood.

FOR MISSIONS.

Methodist Laymen to Have a Strong Organization.

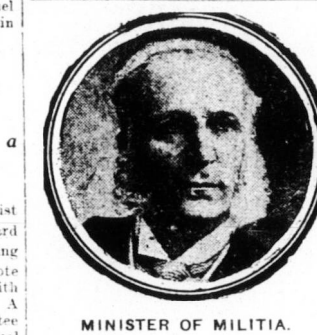
Representatives of all the Methodist churches in the city met in the board room of Centenary Church last evening to organize in a movement to promote missions and work in connection with the Laymen's Missionary Movement. A resolution was passed that a committee be appointed to assist the individual churches and look after the matter of organization. A meeting will be held next Tuesday in Centenary Church to appoint officers and take up the work actively.

Mr. C. W. Graham, chairman of the Laymen's Missionary Movement in this city, and Mr. William Somerville, attended the meeting and gave valuable information in regard to organization.

DELIGHTED.

Paderewski Greatly Pleased With His Visit to Hamilton.

Paderewski, who scored such a success here last night, has the reputation of being somewhat particular about the stage settings, etc., where he plays, and when his manager saw how Miss Jeanette Lewis had handled the stage at the Grand adorned with some palms set well back so as not to interfere with either the view or the music, some fine paintings and a Polish flag on a bust of one of the great masters of music, he said they must all come out at once and when Miss Lewis stood firm he predicted that the pianist would order them all out before he went on. But Paderewski didn't. Moreover, he was delighted with the artistic effect, and congratulated Miss Lewis upon it. He added the compliment that he never felt so much at home—as it was if he was playing to a company of his own personal friends. He spoke in the highest terms of the Hamilton people he had met; also Paderewski insisted that Miss Lewis should accompany his party to Toronto and he said his guest at the concert there to-night.



MINISTER OF MILITIA.

approved of Colonel Davidson's suggestion that another camp should be established in the east.

Major Morrison proposed and Major Smith seconded a vote of thanks to Sir Frederick Borden for his interest in the Canadian artillery.

Sir Frederick Borden said that the militia feature of last year which had pleased him most was the showing made at Quebec by the Canadian militia. When in England recently he had heard the work of the Canadian militia referred to on that occasion in terms of the highest praise. Sir Frederick referred to the need for economy in the public service at present, and expressed the belief that the militia would recognize this and bear with patience any temporary reduction of appropriation. He promised there would be no curtailment which would injure the efficiency of the militia. He thought there might be fewer men sent through the training camps, but this would be only temporary. He promised to have the question of another camp in the east looked into.

The officers elected for the ensuing year were: President, Lieut.-Col. E. Corrigan, Montreal; Vice-President, Lieut.-Col. E. M. Remond, Montreal; Lieut.-Col. J. A. Hall, Fifth B. C.; Lieut.-Col. H. McL. Davidson, Charlottetown; Major S. B. Smith, St. John; Secretary, Major Arnold, Ottawa; Treasurer, Lieut. Col. Hardman.

CORPS OF GUIDES. At the annual meeting of the Dominion Corps of Guides, this morning, General O'Ror stated that it was his intention at some time in the near future to arrange for the gathering of all Corps of Guides at Petawawa at one time for a period of practical training.

ELEVEN CATTLE BURNED.

Tweed, Ont., Feb. 25.—Fire last night destroyed the barn, together with eleven head of cattle, belonging to Mr. L. Ketcheson, of Thomaburg, about five miles from here. Partly insured. The origin of the fire is unknown.

SAFETY DEPOSIT BOXES

To rent at \$2 a year and upwards, for the storing of deeds, bonds, stocks, wills, silver and other valuables. TRADERS BANK OF CANADA.

EMPLOYEES ARE UNEASY

But Assistant City Engineer Has Not Resigned.

Power Vote Likely About Middle of April.

Flood and Frost Interfere With Sewer Operations.

The City Council's action in the case of City Engineer Barrow has caused all sorts of rumors as to the resignation of other city officials and a general clean up in the department. Although Assistant Engineer Hedde has not tendered Mayor McLaren his resignation, a report to the effect that he had already started a lot of wire pulling for his job. Mr. Hedde heard that the new engineer, A. F. Macallum, had a man picked out for the position of assistant engineer, and he went to the Mayor and told him what he had heard. He also said he had been informed that his Worship was after his scalp. He requested that he be given a recommendation, as he intended applying for a position in Brandon, Man. Mr. Hedde has no assurance that he will get the position, and it is said that he is very much annoyed over the report that he has resigned here.

Toronto will be unable to send the \$5,000 it voted to the Sicilian earthquake sufferers until the Ontario Legislature passes a special act authorizing it. Hamilton is making no contribution. The aldermen last year talked of sending \$1,000, but after thinking it over decided that it was not necessary.

Mayor McLaren and City Solicitor Waddell, who were in Toronto yesterday in connection with the legislation authorizing Hamilton to submit the power phobias, have been assured that the bill will receive its third reading at once. This will permit the ratepayers to vote on the question about the middle of April.

The big thaw in the early part of this week, followed by the cold weather of last night and today, promises to tie up work on the mountain sewer system. Some of the trenches contain several feet of water, and the cold weather has put a solid crust on it. It is expected that the agreement with George E. Mills for a right of way over his property will be signed this week.

City Engineer Barrow declared today that one of the first things that should be done under the new Engineer is to rearrange the offices. He says the draftsmen are hampered in their work by being placed in a general office, where they are always being disturbed.

REV. REMBE

Remembered by the Ladies' Aid On His Birthday.

The members of the Ladies' Aid Society of the German Lutheran Church surprised their pastor, Rev. H. Rembe, last night, on the occasion of his birthday, by going to his residence in a body and presenting him with a fine new service gown and Mrs. Rembe with a bouquet of flowers. Pastor and Mrs. Rembe are deservedly very popular with the members of his flock and nearly every member of the society was present. Although taken by surprise the pastor acknowledged the gift in appropriate terms and soon made his guests feel perfectly at home. A very enjoyable evening was spent with songs, recitations, etc. Refreshments were served by the ladies. The gathering broke up about midnight, every one wishing their beloved pastor many years of happiness among them.

BELL PHONES.

Government of Saskatchewan Want to Buy Plant.

Montreal, Feb. 25.—At the annual meeting of the shareholders of the Bell Telephone Co., held today, it was announced that negotiations are in progress between the management and the Government of Saskatchewan looking to the purchase by the latter of the telephone plant of the company in that Province. Representatives of the Province have been in Montreal conferring with the company. The transaction is along pretty much the same lines as the purchase of the Bell plant in Manitoba by the Government of that Province.

CHILD MURDERED.

Montreal Babe Stabbed and Strangled to Death.

(Special Despatch to the Times.) Montreal, Feb. 25.—The most brutal case of infanticide ever known in this city was discovered in Quebec street today. The deed was done on Tuesday. The physicians found twelve stab wounds, one under the eye. The rope used for strangling the infant was still around its neck.

BURGLAR GOT JEWELRY.

Last night, during the absence of the family, the house of J. R. Stewart, 107 MacNab street south, was entered and a number of articles of jewelry stolen. A ladies' gold watch and long chain and three rings are among the missing. There is no clue to the burglar who got in by forcing a side window.

Gentlemen—Our Store Window

Will be worth your attention the next few days. The sweeping reductions on suits, overcoats and hats will wind up this sale in ten days. Be sure and see the bargains.—Fralick & Co., 13 and 15 James street north.