SHOW AT COBOURG ATTENDED BY FIVE THOUSAND HORSE LOVERS

Visitors on Second Day Included Many Americans and the Keenly-Contested Events Were Enjoyed — Kilkenny, Owned by T. J. McCabe, Toronto, Captured Honors in Steeplechase.

By a Staff Reporter.

COBOURG, Aug. 13.—(Special.)—All previous second-day attendance records were broken here today at Cobourg's ninth annual horse show, when fully 5000 people crowded the park stands and enclosures to view the events. The town itself is bedecked on all thorofares with Union Jacks and bunting, extending a welcome to the thousands of visitors from all over Ontario.

Hotels and lodging-houses are crowded, and accommodation is at a premium. All are packed up to the limit now, and every train brings a fresh load. Private house owners are reaping a harvest, supplying temporary accommodations.

That the fame of Cobourg's great annual horse show is widespread is evidenced in the fact that American horse lovers arrive by boat by the score daily. Today the mid-day Rochester ferry landed over fifteen hundred Americans, many of whom attended the show.

Favored by Weather.

"Cobourg always has a splendid horse show, but never before anything like this promises to be," enthusiastically declared Secretary John H. Davidson to The World after today's exhibition. Splendid weather greeted the exhibition on its second day, and all events being well handled, were carried out without mishap of any kind. The splendid display of horses, which yesterday numbered 150, was augmented by fresh arrivals today. Officers are delighted with the looks of the horses exhibited, and declare them the equal of any horses shown anywhere in the country.

Hon. Clifford Sifton as usual made a splendid showing on the day, taking all three places in the open performance for pairs, and accomplishing the same feat in the heavyweight hunting class. Jones & Bate of Ottawa also showed a good day's record, landing first and second in the cob class, first in the harness mares, first in the harness pairs, and first and second in the open runabout class.

Steeplechase Big Event.

The particular event of the day was the two-mile steeplechase, won by Kilkenny of the Two Elm Stables, and owned by T. J. McCabe, Toronto. The gray gelding, ridden by Gordon Miles, negotiated the jumps, one of which was an eight-foot water jump, in fine style, and in a spectacular finish just managed to nose out Lyman Gooderham's Hampton Prince.

The judges were: Reginald Vanderhill of Sandy Point, N.Y., on harness horses; Lew Waring of New York and Dr. Grenside of Guelph, on hunters, and Dr. Sinclair of Cannington on trotters.

The Winners.

The following were the awards:

Open performance, pairs—1, Col. Hon. Clifford Sifton; 2, Col. Hon. Clifford Sifton; 3, Col. Hon. Clifford Sifton.

Cob class, mare or gelding—1, Going Some, Jones & Bate, Ottawa; 2, So Am I, Jones & Bate, Ottawa; 3, Fanny Mary, J. Gordon McPherson, Toronto.

Draught, two years old—1, Kate, Fred Parker, Cobourg; 2, Prince, Hon. J. G. Oliver, Cobourg; 3, Ruby Gay, D. H. Taylor, Centerton.

Farmers' single roadsters, 14.1 and over—1, Lyla, Thos. Cowan, Orono; 2, The Sweep, W. F. Staples, Cobourg; 3, Prince, G. Howson, Peterboro; 4, Wild Fern, J. F. Staples & Son, Ids.

Foal of 19.13, sired by Clydesdale, Shire or Percheron—1, A. G. Williams, Port Hope; 2, H. McLaren, Cobourg; 3, Jas. Bray, Cold Springs; 4, R. J. McKnight, Millbrook.

District saddle class, over 14.1 hands—1, Charlie, Henry Fitzhugh, Cobourg; 2, Sophie, Chas. E. Speer, jr., Cobourg; 3, Brookfield Nellie, Miss Laura Mitchell, Orono.

Light-draught mare or gelding, three years old and up, weight under 1500 lbs.—1, Bessie Chancellor, Wm. Lingard, Port Hope; 2, Polly, R. J. McKnight, Millbrook; 3, Jess, Hon. G. T. Oliver, Cobourg; 4, Bill, Hugh Holligan, Bewdley.

Standard-bred stallion, in harness—1, Lord Beechly, R. F. Massie, New Lodge Farm, Cobourg; 2, McMartin, Ashley Stock Farm, Foxboro.

Heavy-draught, three years old and up, exceeding 1500 lbs.—1, Lady Chancellor, H. McLaren, Cobourg; 2, Madge of Springvale, S. T. Redmond, Peterboro; 3, Black Diamond, A. G. Williams, Port Hope; 4, Molly Hilliard, McAllister, Bewdley.

Half-bred hunter race, about 2 miles—1, Kilkenny, Two Elms Stable, T. J. McCabe, Toronto; 2, Hampton Prince, Lyman Gooderham Toronto; 3, Venture, D. C. Dick, Cobourg. Amazement, W. L. Rawlinson, Toronto; Black Knight, W. M. Buckle, Toronto, also ran.

Harness mare or gelding, 15.2 and under—1, Aeroplane, Jones & Bate, Ottawa; 2, England's Pride, C. N. McLean, Pointe Claire; 3, Eye Opener, Miss E. Viau, Montreal.

Mare for breeding purposes—1, Madge of Springvale, S. T. Redmand, Peterboro; 2, Topsy, H. McLaren, Cobourg; 3, Black Diamond, A. G. Williams, Port Hope; 4, Molly Hilliard, McAllister, Bewdley.

District ladies' or gentlemen's single outfit—1, Lady C., W. J. Crossen, Cobourg; 2, Prince, Chas. E. Speer, Cobourg; 3, Trivalous, J. T. Staples & Son, Ida.

Harness pairs, over 15.2—1, Aeroplane and Biplane, Jones & Bate, Ottawa; 2, High Lassie and Perfection, C. W. MacLean, Brockville; 3, Sir Wilfrid and Earl Grey, Miss E. Viau, Montreal.

Championship class—1, Lady Chancellor, H. MacLaren, Cobourg; 2, Maggie of Springvale, Thos. Davidson & Sons, Camborne.

Open runabout class—1, Soami, Jones & Bate, Ottawa; 2, Going Some, Jones & Bate, Ottawa; 3, Silver Heels, W. J. Davidson, Port Hope.

Heavyweight, up to carrying over 190 lbs.—1, Rovella, Col. Hon. Clifford Sifton; 2, Paddy, Col. Hon. Clifford Sifton; 3, Dorchester, Col. Hon. Clifford Sifton, Ottawa.

"LONG LIVE CANADA" TOAST OF GEOLOGISTS

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fare not only of Canada but of the whole world."

When Mr. Coderre sat down Mr. Black sang "Oh Canada" in English, and Hon. W. H. Hearst then rose to reply to the toast to "The Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario," Sir John Gibson, who was busy celebrating the centennial in Hamilton.

Mr. Hearst explained the Canadian constitution to the foreign geologists, and after paying his hearers many compliments he turned his thought to Ontario and her unbounded resources.

"In Ontario," said the minister, "we feel that there is a great field for research—that no place holds greater rewards for the seeker after truth than our own Province of Ontario. The doors of the Province of Ontario will ever be open to you, and on behalf of the province I wish you a happy time during the remainder of your congress."

Quebec's Resources.

Hon. Charles Devlin, minister of colonization, mines and fisheries for Quebec, said that it was the first time he ever attempted a speech in French in Toronto, and then went on to show "en Francais" that Quebec's mineral resources were as world-renowned as those of Ontario. He was confident that the geologists had not been disappointed in their visit to Canada, and in closing expressed the regret that the nevt visit to Canada would likely be kept back for years.

After Mr. Devlin came Dr. Frank D. Adams, the president of the congress, with three brilliant speeches, the best in English and the other two in French and German. In English he glorified Canada as the "paradise for geologists."

There were virgin fields in this country for every branch of geological research, and the rocks of the Dominion contained every constituent member of the geological column. The adequate study of the subject would occupy the present generations and many of the generations which would follow the present tribe. The monograph prepared on coal resources of the world showed that the United States was first in this line; but, better than that, it showed that Canada occupied the proud position of being second, and a fighting second, at that.

Our Silver Camp.

Besides coal, the Dominion had the greatest silver camp, in Cobalt, and some of the greatest copper camps. He referred to the annual immigration of 300,000, which, he said, was double the immigration of the United States in her palmiest days, and concluded by prophesying that the future development of the country would be greater than the imagination of the biggest optimist in the country.

Possibly the most wholesome speech of the whole evening was that of G. G. S. Lindsay, K.C., of the coal resources committee. Mr. Lindsay responded to the toast to the visiting delegates and members, and was most happy in his remarks. After opening with a humorous reference to Prof. Coleman of the "coal age," he dealt with the subject which was dear to the hearts of all those present—the subject of geology.

A Century Ago.

One hundred years ago the science was just beginningto walk, but today it boasted a voluminous literature and a brilliant assembly of the clever men of the world. At the banquet 46 different countries were represented, he said, and never before had so many men and women of high distinction been gathered on this continent.

"To these," he said, "this toast is proposed. Your attendance here tonight shows the international importance of Canada. Canada is now a nation, and she has opened her heart and her resources to you."

All Responded.

Mr. Lindsay then called upon representatives of the different countries to reply to the toast, and among those who responded were Dr. Aubrey Strahan of London, England; Dr. Steinman of German, Dr. Termier of France, Dr. Tiesze of Austria, Dr. Chogran of Sweden, Dr. Renier of Belgium, Dr. Fermer of India, Dr. Tchernyschen of Russia and Prof. Chamberlin of the United States. The different speakers spoke in their mother tongues, and also in English, and it was after one o'clock this morning before they ended in their extolation of Canada.

CENTENNIAL NOT LACKING IN INTEREST

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was crowded to the running boards. Those who possessed motor boats had them out on the bay early, and the white wings of yawls and catboats were everywhere as they loafed along in the light breeze. No point of vantage on the shores was unoccupied, and it was as if not a soul remained uptown.

They Like It.

The carnival centre told a different story. Centennial ardor increases as the week passes. By Saturday night the citizens will be clamoring for another week of it. The pavements, carefully swept clean this morning, were a tangle of paper, ribbon and holiday relics once more this evening. Newcomers who have not tasted the fun, provide a fresh stimulus and the diablerie is constantly reborn.

A tally-ho crowded with pretty girls and bearing a huge banner, "Votes for women," drove about all evening. If the occupants were militants their most effective weapons were laughing faces and ready tongues. They took the crowd by storm and drew in their wake an ever-charging crowd of enthusiasts, and who rallied to the color.

The midway is the backbone of the festival and so liberally have the concessions been dealt out that a show stands directly in front of the city hall entrance, providing a curious contrast in styles of architecture. At one of the shows a man last night forgot to collect change for five dollars. Passing that way tonight he asked for his change. The girl remembered him and passed over eight silver half dollars. But he only took six.

Keep the Change.

"Keep the other two," he said. "I need the lesson more than the money."

Conspicuous among today's pleasure seekers have been the firemen, who disbanded after the parade in the morning and in full dress uniform dispersed about the city. A delicate situation arose this morning when the St. Mary's fire department refused to march because their band is non-union and the union bands of Hamilton would not march with them. The St. Mary's delegation threaten to carry the matter to Colonel Sam Hughes. They took part in the sports of the afternoon, however, and there was little friction.

House in a Day.

Altho the work on the twenty-four hour house was six hours late at daybreak this morning, the house stood finished before the sun completed his revolution. Two hundred men helped build it, working all night in four hour relays. When the electric lights failed for two hours early in the night it looked for a time as if the proposition could not be carried thru, but it was.

Firemen There.

One of the greatest sights of the week's centennial celebration was the gathering together yesterday of the long roll of brotherhood firemen from the various towns in the province and the enormous parade which they constituted to the jockey club. There was a continuous arrival from an early hour yesterday morning of the different companies from Plymouth, Welland, Trenton, North Toronto, Richmond Hill, Niagara Falls, Milton, Thorold, Oakville, Paris, St. Mary's, Bhampton, Burlington and Glen Williams.

The first to arrive were the Plymouth brigade and the Cordage brigade from Welland, who were met at the Grand Trunk station by the Band of the 13th Royal Regiment.

The celebration, which was under the auspices of the Hamilton Veterans' Association, was unique in its entirety and everything went off well.

Over Two Thousand.

Exactly at 1 o'clock over 2500 firemen together with bands, which accompanied the brigades from the various towns, formed up in the big procession to the Jockey Club. The parade was headed by local Chief TenEyck, who was in his big red automobile, accompanied by Wm. Birrell, president of the local veterans' associations, and they were immediately followed by the band of the 91st Highlanders. Then came the brigades headed by their own bands in the following order: Hamilton Veteran Firemen, Glen Williams, Welland, North Toronto, Richmond Hill, 13th Royal Regiment Band, Thorold, Trenton, two companies from Niagara Falls, Oakville, Paris, Brampton and Burlington.

The line of route was along Main to John, north on John to King, west on King to James, north on James to Barton, and then east on Barton to the Jockey Club. Thousands of spectators thronged the streets and uniforms of the firemen aroused the admiration of the spectators, and the whole procession from start to finish was a picture. One of the most interesting features of the parade was the inclusion of the first hose reel which was ever used by the veterans and which was lavishly decorated.

Program of Sports.

At the Jockey Club, a fine program of sports was run before a large crowd of spectators. The grand stand was packed and hundreds were unable to find seating accommodation. The band of the 13th Royal Regiment was in attendance. Every event was run off in fine style and some of the races were won by very narrow margins. The list of events and results are as follows:

250 yards hose reel race—North Toronto and Milton tied, prize $80 each. Time 40 2-5 sec.; 3, Paris, prize $40. Time 42 min.

250 yards hook and ladder race—1, Milton, time 39 3-5 sec., prize $100; 2, Alert, time 40 sec., prize $60; 3, North Toronto, time 40 1-5 sec., prize $40.

Fancy drill—1, Thorold, prize $100. 220 yards open—1, George Harris, Niagara Falls, prize $5; 2, J. Finnon, North Toronto, prize $3; 3, J. O'Neill, Hamilton, $2. Time 22 4-5 sec. 100 yard sopen—1, George Harris, Niagara Falls, prize $5; 2, W. R. Patten, Richmond Hill, prize $3; 3, J. O'Neill, Hamilton, prize $2. Time 11 sec.

100 yards, firemen—1, W. R. Potter, Richmond Hill, prize $5; 2, Geo. Harris, Niagara Falls, prize $3; 3, Cameron, prize $2. Time 10 4-5 seconds.

75 yards—1, W. Galley, Niagara Falls, prize $5; J. Cavin, Paris, prize $3; 3, H. Webber, Niagara Falls, prize $2. Time 11 2-5 seconds.

75 yards, firemen, between the age of 40 and 50—1, J. Lyon, Oakville, prize $5; 2, McIntish, prize $3; 3, Dunn, North Toronto, prize $2.

Torch boys' race—1, L. Cousins, prize $3; 2, Thompson, prize $1.50, tie; 3, Smith, prize $1.50, tie.

Firemen boys' race—1, C. Cousins, prize $3; 2, R. Cousins, prize $2; 3, McKay, prize $1.

Firemen girls' race—1, Clara Lake, prize $3; 2, Ruth Weaver, prize $2; 3, Agnes Lake, prize $1.

Special Features.

Company coming longest distance, Trenton.

Special prize—Oldest apparatus in parade, West end, Hamilton.

Special prize—Largest chief in parade, Frank E. Ekius, Thorold. Smallest chief in parade, E. F. Millon and Murphy of North Toronto both tied in decision of judges.

Special prizes—Best appearing company in parade, Brampton.

Visiting mayors and presidents of Ontario boards of trade sat down to luncheon with the reception committee at noon. Samuel Landers, second vice-president of the Centennial Association, presided. The mayors of Chatham and Brantford, and the board of trade presidents from St. Thomas, Belleville and St. Catharines were present. Simultaneously with the luncheon, the much advertised firemen's parade took place, and the speaking was cut to a minimum so that guests and committee men might get away to see it. The week's climax is expected tomorrow, which is Civic Holiday and listed on the program at Citizens' Day.

Three parades embracing the labor organizations and delivery wagons, the boy scouts and the militia, will enliven the day. Three thousand soldiers will march in the morning to the Jockey Club, where they are to be reviewed during the afternoon. In the evening, interest will shift to the cricket grounds, where a military tattoo on the most elaborate scale has been planned.

Up on the Mountain

Every inch of space inside the grounds has been sold and the majority of Hamilton overflow population intend to climb the mountain and watch the spectacle from up above. Hamilton's mountain has been joked about ever since Hamilton was first noticed; of late residents, in a spirit of compromise, have called it the escarpement. But it is coming into its own at last.

Whenever anyone gets lost here and forgets the way to his hotel, there is one sure way of finding the way back. First find the mountain, then climb it. Then look around; the whole city lies beneath, easy to see in the clear smoke-less air, and the perplexed one simply picks out his objective point and heads down in that direction. Tomorrow night there will be more people on the mountain than were ever there before, even when it was the shore of Lake Iroquois and mound builders erected their cities there.

Birdman's Bad Luck.

There will be no more aviation, for Carlstrom, the airman, has had another accident. He it was who fell 700 feet near Oakville some weeks ago and escaped without a scratch. A few days later he fell into Lake Erie. This morning, just as he touched the ground after his flight, a rough bit of ground jolted the machine so roughly that a connecting rod broke under the strain. The nearest repair shop is New York.

In the absence of more thrilling attractions the industrial exhibition had its full quota of visitors today. The exhibits fill the big armories and overflow the drilling yard.

Every article is Hamilton-made and the exhibitors number 168.

Centennial headquarters in the old public library building are a Mecca for homecomers who want information about their friends. "Nearly three thousand have left their names and more are coming in all the time," said one of the attendants.

PAIR OF OLD BOYS.

Among the old boys who visited Hamilton this week was Mr. Edward Halloran of Toronto and Guelph, now the head of the Kloepfer industries and businesses o fthese two icties.

LOST GIRL IS FOUND AT LAST

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practically all hope was abandoned of ever finding the child on the island dead or alive, and the general opinion was that she must have been drowned in the lake.

The south end of the island had been scoured on Sunday by hundreds of people, and it was thought useless to conduct a search in that quarter and the afternoon was devoted to searching the western shore in both directions and to dragging and dynamiting for the body. Meanwhile Messrs. Burton and McLennan had quietly made for the other side of the island on their own account, and in searching around the s they found little Grace at the foot of a cliff about two feet from the water. A gasoline launch arrived most opportunely just as the child and her rescuers returned to the main party, and she was rushed back to Haileybury for medical attention with all expedition.

Grace looks none the worse for her terrible experience, and Dr. Arnold says that all she requires is careful nursing. How the child reached the other side of the island and was found alive is a mystery. The bush in many places is almost impenetrable to a strong man, and want of food and the wet and cold weather might have caused the death of many a seasoned bushman lost for such a period.

RENEGADE'S WIDOW SUES BENEDICTINES

Romantic Tale of Elopement With Religious Told in Paris Court.

PARIS—An extraordinary narrative of a monk's marriage and subsequent return to his monastery, was related before the Sixth Tribunal, here when Mme. Tremblay de la Houssaye, his widow, sued the Benedictines of Solesmes in connection with a check for $1250.

The woman admitted eloping to New York in 1897 with Houssaye, then a nineteen-year-old student at the monastery. In 1900 the couple returned to Europe, the husband preceeding to attempt to regain by degal process his fortune of $1,500,000, which he had made over to the order on taking his vows as a youth. Half way thru the litigation, he was persuaded to abandon the suit and actually re-entered the monastery.

The sequel came a year later, when one night, according to the widow, young Houssaye arrived at her house on Rue Yavin here, murmured a few words and expired.

Then trouble began. The monks refused to continue the widow's small allowance and ultimately she was compelled by circumstances to accept a lump sum of $1250. But certain conditions were imposed by the monks, the most important being that certain compromising correspondence written to her husband from the monastery at the time of his marriage should be returned. This Mme. Houssaye claims she complied with, but the monks say she has kept back the more important documents. Hence the present suit, which is likely to drag on, in the French way, for many months.

GLASGOW OFFICIALS COMING TO LEARN

Will Look For New Ideas For New Bridge and Electric Power Plant.

GLASGOW, Scotland.—Three important and influential officials will arrive in New York from Glasgow within the next few days.

One is Mr. Lockie, the chief of the electricity department of Glasgow corporation. He is to inspect electric power stations in New York and Chicago. Particularly does the latter new station interest him. It cost a large sum of money and therefore may fitly be taken as a model and an example for the great city on the Clyde.

Fully $1,250,000 will be spent on the new power station for Glasgow, and the town council has decided to send the engineer to acquire all that can be learned about the most up-to-date of municipal installations. So the engineer from Glasgow, equipped with a valise and a portly notebook, is to study the plant of large units in America and thereafter prepare designs and plans for the really good site in Glasgow that awaits the buildings. That new station will be of lordly dimensions, but electricity is much in use now in Scottish cities for all purposes.

To Examine Bridges.

On the Anchor liner Cameronia, due in New York Aug. 17, goes the master of works of the City of Glasgow, Mr. Nisbet. He has an onerous duty to perform and will have a theodolite and a steel tape with him. A new bridge is urgently desired across the Clyde near Glasgow Bridge, in the centre of the city, where traffic of recent years has quadrupled.

The master of works is to examine bridges in New York and elsewhere. He is to select the type best suited for a busy river where ships pass up and down. His task is to solve the problem of what design to adopt—drawbridge, raising or turning, bascule or transporter, swing or high level with lifting roadway. It is not a light task, especially as various members of the town council will find fault with anything that may be suggested. Reinforced, however, by the precedents to be found in the bridges of the United States, the Glasgow city official hopes to convince the critics. He certainly will inspect the Brooklyn Bridge.

At present, street and passenger traffic is assisted from one side of the Clyde to the other by a bridge and a tunnel. One goes down into the tunnel in an elevator, proceeds along a dank and mouldy passageway and ascends on the opposite shore, the charge being one halfpenny. Strangers to Glasgow can never find this tunnel. Its entrances and exits are carefully hidden away.

Along with the master of the works goes also by the Anchor liner James Dalrymple, the chief of the Glasgow corporation tramways department. He is to prepare a report on the latest methods of tramway working in the United States. Glasgow is quite prepared to adopt American ideas, if it will pay to do so, and the improvement and development of the tramway service on American lines to be done, cautiously at first perhaps, but effectively.

Leg Was Broken.

Albert Trebilcock, 41 Albert street, was taken to St. Michael's Hospital yesterday afternoon with a broken leg. Trebilcock fell while getting off a car several days ago, and limped around on the leg until forced to go to bed.

WHITE GIRL KEPT BY RICH NEGROES

Discovered to Be a Niece by Woman Who Sues For Possession.

MUSKOGEE, Okla., Aug. 14.—Mrs. N. J. Thompson has commenced action in the Muskogee juvenile court to get possession of Viola Brown, sixteen years old, a white girl who has been living with a wealthy negro family in Muskogee for thirteen years. She has discovered that the girl is her niece.

When the girl was three years old, and after the death of her mother, the father, "Cokkie Brown," gave the child to Mrs. Wiley Jones, a negress, to keep until he made a trip to Pennsylvania. He died in the north.

The child has been brought up and educated by her negro foster parents. She and Wiley Jones' son have been sent to Kansas to school, where there is no discrimination between the white and black races.

It is charged that there is grave danger of the girl marrying Jones' son, a negro, and on this ground the removal of the girl is sought from the negro home.

The Joneses, as stated, are wealthy and will resist the taking of the girl, who they declare was given to them by the father.

STEAMER RUNS ON SHORE IN MUD LAKE

SAULT STE. MARIE, Mich., Aug. 13.—(Can. Press.)—The steamer Lakeport, upbound with a cargo of cement, ran ashore this morning on Frechett's Point in Mud Lake. Two tugs went to her assistance from the Soo, but returned this afternoon and reported that they were unable to release her. The Lakeport has a few passengers on board, who are in no danger, however.

FOREST NOTES

A Russian scientist claims to have discovered an inoculation for use against forest insects.

There are nearly six thousand professional foresters in Germany who are associated with various technical societies.

The University of Washington has secured the use of two sections of land on the Snoqualmie national forest in connection with its forestry courses.

A tool used to fight fires on the California forests combines a rake, spade and hoe. It is compact, so that it can be carried on horseback, and weighs less than 5½ pounds.

In an increase in timber sales this year, and in a decrease in receipts from timber trespass, as compared with last year, national forest officers see a growing use of the forests, and respect for the federal forest policy.

POLICE LOOKING FOR RELATIVE OF MARTIN

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Beatty, who married Miss Hannah Grieve, an aunt of the milliner.

Beatty and his three sisters, Dougherty learned last night, came to New York from Toronto after the death of the father. Beatty's mother, the deputy commissioner was told, died in this city two months ago, and her body was sent to her birthplace for burial.

"I just met Frank Beatty. His mother is dead and he moved down town," Martin told his friend, Mrs. Anna Barrett, just before he left her home, No. 355 West 58th street, where he had taken a room on Monday evening at 7 o'clock. "Beatty lives around the corner and I will be with him a short time. Then I will come back and go to a show with you and the young ladies." He referred to Miss Bessie Collins and Miss Margaret Graham, buyers, who are staying at the Victoria Hotel.

At 10 o'clock on Tuesday night Martin's body was found lying crosswise on a bed in one of the furnished rooms, first by Theodora Jones, wife of a steamboat engineer. A man and a woman, who a week before paid $4 as an instalment of the $5 demanded for the place, had vanished. Two men had frequently visited the pair.

Tracing Lodgers.

The police have secured good descriptions of the people who were the last known occupants before the body of Mr. Martin was found. The room was rented on Aug. 5. On that day two people called on Mrs. Theodore Jones and told her they wanted to hire a room. One was an undersized and dandified youth; the other a woman whose hair was so light she might almost be taken for an Albino. The youth introduced himself as Mr. Johnson, said the woman was his brother's wife, and that when they had picked out a room the brother would come with their effects later in the day.

They chose the rear parlor on the ground floor. Near night a tall, slender man with black hair and a thin, drawn face came with two grips. He said he was Mr. Johnson, husband of the woman who had already installed herself in the room. The dapper youth in the flashy clothes left when the older man came.

Heard Pounding on Door.

Nothing occurred in the rear parlor to break the even tenor of the rooming house until last Thursday night. Then, near midnight, Mrs. Jones, who sleeps in the front parlor, was aroused from sleep by the noise of a fist banging on a door. The bang-bang continued uninterruptedly. Mrs. Jones, going to the wall which separates the front from the back parlor, heard the noise of whispering in the room occupied by the Johnsons. Then she heard Johnson open the door and call:

Notified to Leave.

"Beat it, you. We won't let you in and we don't want you around here."

Mrs. Jones opened her door and saw a stranger leaving the hall, while Johnson peered thru the partly closed door. She demanded of Johnson an explanation of how the man got in the house. Johnson declared he had not admitted him, but the next day, Mrs. Jones notified Johnson that on Monday he would have to give up his room. Monday she saw Johnson and his wife leave the room, but carrying no baggage.

She did not enter the apartment until Tuesday night, when she discovered Mr. Martin's body and notified the police.

Short after 4 o'clock Monday afternoon a young woman and a five-year old girl, who was dressed in white, came to the lodging-house and enquired for the Johnsons.

"Step into the rear room," Mrs. Jones told the visitors. George Needham, 14 years old, who lives with his parents on an upper floor of the house, stood in the vestibule. After a half hour the young woman and child left the house with the woman lodger and her husband. They walked toward Ninth avenue and that was the last time they were seen by members of the Jones household.

"At 7.30 o'clock Tuesday night I saw one of the men enter the room with a friend and lock the door," George Needham said last night. "The first man I think was the one who rented the place. I'd never seen the other man before."

From Mrs. Jones, Deputy Commissioner Dougherty learned that a tall, roughly clad man, who looked like a laborer, also entered the room Monday night. He walked into the hallway without ringing the bell. When challenged by Mrs. Jones he said he had permission to visit his friends.

"Have you the key to the house?" she demanded.

"I have not, but everything is all right," he replied and entered the room.

A Slight Clue.

The detectives today found in the closet in the room a photograph of a chauffeur who was a former roomer at Mrs. Jones' house, with whom Johnson, on one occasion, claimed acquaintance. This chauffeur was identified as Joseph Smith, who lives at Coney Island. Smith said he had formerly occupied the room, and had probably left the picture behind when he moved. He admitted knowing a man named Johnson, who described himself as a writer of vaudeville sketches and who used to call on a pronounced blonde girl rooming at Mrs. Jones' house, known as Miss Rosy.

The police incline to the belief that Martin was lured to the room in West 57th street and refusing to submit to blackmail without a fight, was murdered and robbed.

Smith told the police a Mr. and Mrs. Rose knew the Johnsons better than he did, and he did not know their address, and the police cannot locate them as yet.

The autopsy, which was performed under the directiof or Coroner Winterbottom, showed that the man probably was drugged and then a towel was tied about his throat and used as a garrite.

Marton was probably dead before 10 o' clocek Tuesday night.

"We are ambitius to find Beatty to learn if Martin met him earlier in the day as Martin told Mrs. Barre he did, or if he gave that as an excuse to cancel the theatre engagement and go to the West 57th street house with the woman who lived there," said Deputy Police Commissioner Dougherty tonight.

It is possible he met her by chance and that when he reached the place he was set upon by the men who frequented the room.

Deputy Commissioner Dougherty tonight ordered the police thruout the city to ask furnished room housekeepers to watch for a couple resembling the young man and woman who were in the West 57th street house.

Miss Collins and Miss Graham told the deputy commissioner that they had waited for Martin until Mrs. Barrett telephoned them on Monday night. He had known Mrs. Barrett for many years and spent his vacation at her home last July when he came to New York with William L. Mortimer.

Last Saturday Mortimer and Martin started for New York, but Mortimer left the train at Buffalo to see Niagara Falls. Martin continued the journey alone, and at 7.30 o'clock when he left the Grand Central station he at once send his hand bag to Mrs. Barrett.

"I have known Mr. Martin for many years and he always stopped at my home," said Mrs. Barrett. "He never drank to excess. On Monday afternoon I and several friends had luncheon with him. He provoked much laughter when one of the young women in the party asked for a powder puff.

"Here, use mine," Mr. Martin said, as he offered the puff which he generally carried. "This puff was found in the roof alongside his body."

Mr. Martin's father and Mr. Mortimer came to Manhattan at 10 o'clock last night to claim the body They were stil conferring with Mr. Dougherty at midnight.

NOT FOLLOWED FROM TORONTO

There is absolutely no foundation for the statement that W. Grieve Martin, the Toronto man who was murdered in New York, was followed from Toronto by his slayers. Investigation in the city points to the fact that the parties responsible for the murder, met the young man after he reached the American side and not in this city.

One detective, in commenting on the case to The World yesterday, said that the crime was evidently the work of criminals who thoroly knew their ground.

As for the woman in the case, it is believed that she struck up an acquaintance with Martin on the train, and then under some pretext got him to the room where a male companion was in hiding.

Martin had a habit of showing money about carelessly. It is believed by those in Toronto who have studied the case, that he produced his roll of bills and the woman saw it. She then arranged with other members of the gang to be at the hotel.

J. G. Martin, 48 Concord avenue, father of the murdered man, left for New York yesterday morning, accompanied by W. L. Mortimer.

Mrs. Martin, step-mother of the victim, said that he carried a large amount of money with him in a loose roll, as he represented not merely himself, but a large local wholesale millinery concern. Mrs. Martin was unable to remember the name of the firm.

Mr. Martin was well known in Stouffville, where he spent twenty years of his life. He left the village to settle in New York, and latterly returned to Canada and started business for himself in Toronto.

BEAVERS TRIUMPHANT

Persistent Builders Compel County to Construct a New Road.

DEADWOOD, S. Dakota, Aug. 12.—Persistence on the part of a colony of beavers in Spearfish Canyon in several times rebuilding a dam in the river at a point that invariably flooded the road has triumphed over the efforts of the county, and County Commissioner Malkson, who has charge of that section, has decided to let the beavers have their home and the county will build a new stretch of road.

Commissioner Malkson some time ago determined to prevent the beavers from flooding the road. Three times he had the dam torn down, but within a couple of days the hard-working little animals had rebuilt it, and each time the road was washed out.

CANADA STANDS WELL IN EUROPE

Can Get All the Money She Wants For Legitimate Ventures, Says William Wainwright.

MONTREAL, Aug. 13.—(Can. Press.)—"Canada stands well in the European financial world and will be able to get all the money she wants," said William Wainwright, vice-president of the G. T. R., on his return from England today. "The British investor, however, will ask higher rates of interest for his money than formerly and will scrutinize more closely the class of securities brought under his notice. Wildcat schemes are barred, but anything gilt-edged will command all the money necessary.

"The Grand Trunk credit stands, as is shown by the manner in which the million and a half sterling notes were taken up, the issue being largely oversubscribed and going to 1¾ premium before I left.

"Financial men believe that prospects are much brighter, and that this fall the purse strings will be loosened and money become more plentiful. I found many over there who had invested in lands in the west disappointed with the setback that has taken place. I advised them, however, to stick to their investments, and they will surely realize handsome profits. If the crops are good this year Canada's continued prosperity seems assured."

GRAFT CHARGED TO MONTREAL POLICE

Twelve Members of the Force Involved in Investigation Now Proceeding.

MONTREAL, Aug. 13.—(Can. Press.)—As a result of an independent enquiry, which has been carried on quietly under the auspices of an organization high in the counsels of the board of control, a police scandal is about to break. Affidavits have been obtained from keepers of houses of ill-fame averring that certain members of the police force have been frequent visitors at their houses and have indulged in drinking at the expense of the houses. Other affidavits are of the effect that policemen have been levying a toll on vice and have been promising protection in return for a consideration.

The enquiry, which is progressing in secret, has already involved twelve members of the force.

As the city attorney has declared there is sufficient ground to justify the city asking for a judicial enquiry in the Frisco soda water case and also in view of the fact that Chief of Police Campeau requests that he be given the opportunity before the courts of replying to all the charges alleged against him and his department, it was decided by the board of control today to accede to his request. The details of applying to a judge of the superior court and the requisite procedure to follow to carry out the wishes of the controllers, were all left in the hands of the city attorney.

LOST HER LIFE IN GALLANT EFFORT

Seventeen-Year-Old Girl Made Valiant Attempt to Save Others From the Flames.

MONTREAL, Aug. 13.—(Can. Press.)—Flora Mercier, aged 17, and Lee Colson, 15 months old, were burned to death, and Mrs. Madere and Mrs. Colson, mother and grandmother of the dead child, are in a serious condition in Notre Dame Hospital following the explosion of a coal oil can used in lighting the kitchen fire.

Mrs. Madere poured oil on a smouldering fire. The can exploded, scattering oil and flames thruout the room, setting fire to the women's clothing. The baby also was a victim of the flames and was burned to a crisp in the excitement. Miss Mercier lost her life in an effort to save the others. The tragedy took place at the home of J. A. Colson, assistant superintendent of the Soulanges Canal, Cascade Point, yesterday.

INDIANS AND THE IRISH.

When the Tecumsehs line up against the Irish-Canadians at the island on Saturday they will likely be without the services of both Bert Green and Manager Querrie. The rest of the team are in good condition, tho, and were all out to practice yesterday. The players are keen on taking the Irish into camp and thus giving themselves a chance for the championship. They, like the Irish-Canadians, realize that the Nationals will be a stumbling block to the other teams from this out, with Newsy Lalonde on the home, and, therefore, both will make strenuous efforts to win the game here Saturday. These two teams have furnished not only the best, but the cleanest lacrosse here this season, and if they only live up to their former games the enthusiasts can count on seeing a great game.

The City Hall maintained their lead in the Civil Service League by beating the Post Office yesterday. The features of the game were the great all-round work of Lackey at short for City Hall, the fine work by Farley of City Hall and Ross of the Post Office, and a very fast double play, Millen to Thompson to Millen for the Post Office. The P. O. lost many chances by bone-head plays. Score:

		R.	H.	E.
City Hall	1 2 0 1 0 1 0	5	4	4
Post Office	0 0 0 1 0 2 *	3	9	3

Batteries—Post Office—Barry and Millen; City Hall—Whalen and Dey.

The following players of the F. N. Burt C. B. C. are requested to turn out to practice Thursday evening at Bayside Park for their game Saturday at 2 o'clock with the Albert Welsh Co., at the Beach: Michell, Chatfield, Folyer, Edwards, Sutton, Boyce, O'Neill, McGarry, M. O'Connor, Connors, J. O'Connor.

The annual field day of the City Amateur League will be held at Dufferin Park on Saturday, in conjunction with the regular league games.