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YOUNG GIRL'S PATHETIC SUICIDE FOR HER LOVER BROKE HER HEART

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Fifteen-Year-Old Lila Silverthorne Swallowed Carbolic Acid as the Result of a Quarrel—Made a Last Appeal for Reconciliation and Left a Note Behind.

A lover's quarrel led Miss Lila Silverthorne, 15 years old, who until a week ago lived with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harper, at 16 Clinton-street, to end her life yesterday afternoon by swallowing a dose of carbolic acid. The girl took the poison at the home of Charles W. Landon, 159 Euclid-avenue, where she was stopping, and where, from all accounts, she was well liked.

Lila Silverthorne was a well-developed girl for her years, with pretty features, and had a pleasing manner. She left her home on Wednesday, Sept. 18, and went direct to the residence of Mr. Landon, where she asked to be allowed to remain until such time as she could secure a position as a domestic. Only two days elapsed, however, before Mrs. Landon learned that the girl had a lover, who called on her frequently. On Wednesday night Miss Silverthorne went out, and on her return confided to Mrs. Landon that she had quarrelled with her young man. She felt very bad about it, and sobbed bitterly, but said nothing about ending her existence.

Visited Parents in Morning.

Yesterday morning the girl appeared as usual downstairs, and was more than ordinarily cheerful. She sought permission to visit her parents, and returned in about two hours. Mrs. Landon subsequently left the house to go downtown, and left Lila Silverthorne to mind the children. The former reached the house again a little after 4 o'clock, and was surprised to find the girl missing, and her eldest child crying. The youngster complained to his mother that he had drunk some water out of a cup on the table, and it had burned his mouth. She questioned the child closely, and was informed that the girl had gone out into the yard.

Found Bottle of Poison.

Mrs. Landon, after finding a 2-ounce bottle labelled "poison," with the druggist's name removed, became alarmed, and on going out into the shed at the rear of the house found the girl in an unconscious condition. She secured the assistance of neighbors, and Dr. A. Clouse of College-street was sent for. Policeman Moffatt, who arrived a few minutes later, sent for the police ambulance, and the girl, accompanied by the physician, was removed to the Western Hospital. There Dr. Clouse and the hospital doctors used the stomach pump and administered antidotes to counteract the effects of the poison, but despite their best efforts the girl died a little after 6 o'clock. Coroner W. H. B. Aikins issued a warrant for an inquest, but it will probably be withdrawn, as everything pointed to a case of suicide. The body was afterwards removed to Miles & Mann's undertaking rooms, 282 College-street and prepared for burial.

Left Pathetic Note.

About an hour before Coroner Aikins commenced his investigation last night, Mrs. Landon found on a table in her home a note in an envelope, addressed, "Percy." It set forth that the person to whom the note was directed had by his actions broken her heart and that he had been her only comfort. In a closing paragraph the girl expressed the hope that she would meet him in Heaven. A broken heart was depicted in one corner of the letter.

It also developed last night that the girl, after visiting her parents' dwelling yesterday morning, had called on a physician and used his telephone to speak to her lover, who is a bookkeeper in a downtown business house. The girl on that occasion referred to the occurrence of the previous evening and asked him when he would call on her again. Whatever answer was given is known only to the young man himself, but it is known that the girl declared over the phone that "it would be too late."

Depression Affected Her.

Lila Silverthorne, on leaving the doctor's home, was apparently depressed at the result of her attempt to make up, and, believing that she had nothing more to live for, determined to end her life. The girl, it is thought, swallowed the poison about 2 o'clock, when she was seen by Miss Strickland, daughter of a resident of Euclid-avenue, entering the shed, and where she was eventually discovered in an unconscious condition.

The child of Mrs. Landon, who drank the contents of the cup, which proved to be a mixture of carbolic acid and water, was slightly ill last night, but no serious results are anticipated. Arrangements for the funeral of the dead girl will be made to-day.

SMALLNESS OF ONTARIO'S YIELD MAY RAISE THE PRICE OF APPLES

Reports From All Over the Province Indicate That Less Than 25 Per Cent. of an Ordinary Crop Can be Counted On—Growers Holding for a Rise.

The World yesterday published an article dealing with the apple industry, citing the views of a number of prominent commission men, and soliciting an expression of opinion regarding the matter from grower and dealer alike. We supplement this to-day with the views of a number of dealers, men calculated to speak with authority regarding this most important branch of Canadian trade.

Besides, below will be found reports from all over Ontario showing that the supply of apples is unusually light, and hinting that by the law of supply and demand the price to the grower should go up.

The King-Darrell Produce Company are among the largest dealers in apples in Canada, and Mr. King, president of the company, cordially offered to provide The World with any information within reach. Mr. Darrell stated that, while his firm have in other years shipped to Great Britain from 30,000 to 50,000 barrels, his shipments this year would fall below 5000. Mr. Darrell's conclusions are so logical that a brief reference to his figures will be found most interesting and instructive:

	Per Bbl.
Cost of apples in orchard	$2.00
Cost of barrels	.30
Cost of picking, packing and buying	.30
Average freight rates and insurance to London, Liverpool or Glasgow	1.00
	3.60
Sales expenses	.36
	3.96

Average Price in British Market.

During the past 15 years the price in the British markets for the best quality of Canadian fruit has averaged 15 shillings per barrel. While prices have on many occasions advanced much beyond this point, and at others fallen below, the average quotations are as given. Added to the above rates, which are under existing conditions imperative, Mr. Darrell states that many unforeseen causes frequently arise to diminish the value of the shipment on its arrival in the British market. It will readily be seen, with the high prices at present prevailing in Ontario, and the risks incidental to a trans-Atlantic trip, that the Canadian producer is at present receiving a fair price for the product of his orchard.

A careful estimate submitted at the National Apple Dealers' Convention in this city on Aug. 7 placed the entire output of apples in Ontario at 85 per cent. of an average yield. Unfavorable weather conditions have since reduced this estimate to 30 per cent.

Mr. Darrell, while recognizing the general scarcity of apples, is not prepared to admit the wisdom of any advance over current rates, in view of the unstable nature of the foreign market.

Same Conditions in N.Y. State.

Mr. Cleghorn of Cleghorn, Smith & Co., while not in direct touch with the apple growers, has just returned from New York State and represented conditions there as similar to Ontario—a largely reduced yield, amounting to a complete failure. While not hazarding an opinion as to the general situation, Mr. Cleghorn could only say that conditions were favorable to firm prices along this line.

APPLE CROP REPORTS.

Ontario Pretty Well Covered Showing Yield is Unusually Light.

Bowmanville, Sept. 26.—Apples are very scarce in Durham County, the crops being variously estimated at from 15 to 25 per cent. of last year's. Two dollars is being freely paid for winter varieties, spies, Baldwins, russets, etc. Shippers are paying from 5 to 10 cents per barrel more for packing, owing to thin crop. When apples are few on a tree, pickers fall short of the usual number of barrels in a day. Last year the evaporators were crowded with fruit not up to the standard for shipping. This year they can barely get enough to keep their machines running. Windfalls and culls are selling in stores at from 5 to 75 cents per bushel. Last year in West Durham the two townships of Clarke and Darlington produced between 25,000 and 30,000 barrels of marketable apples. This year buyers do not expect to ship more than 4000 to 5000 barrels. Prices are expected to advance considerably. Even now for very choice spies growers are asking $4 to $4.50 per barrel. Pears are a very fair crop.

UNSATISFACTORY YIELD.

Woodstock, Sept. 26.—The apple crop in this section is not what the farmers would have it. On the whole, it is going to be very slim, and the apples are said to be threatened with a worm. The buyers are offering $2 per barrel, but in a good many cases farmers are refusing to sell at all, as they claim to be holding off for the later local trade, when they anticipate a scarcity and can realize more. Some, however, are selling by the orchard and the buyers accepting all risks. The general impression seems to be that apples will be culled very closely, and when the firsts are shipped there will be found to be left an unusual quantity of seconds. The best quality of apples seems to be the northern spy, the some of the other hard winter varieties are equally as good. None of the varieties are up to their usual size.

WENTWORTH UNFORTUNATE.

Hamilton, Sept. 26.—The apple crop throughout Wentworth is a failure, all varieties

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STOPPED BUYING WHEAT.

Elevator Men Urge Farmers to Dry It in the Shock.

Winnipeg, Sept. 26.—The following statement was given out for publication today by an elevator man:

In view of the wet weather, the enormous quantity of wheat still in shock and the limited facilities of treating same by drying, the elevator companies have decided to stop buying for a time in the hope that farmers will abstain from threshing till the grain has had an opportunity to dry in the shock, which it will do more quickly than in any other way, and will secure better prices to the producer and less risk to the dealer. The elevator companies, however, are prepared to receive and ship for farmers at their own risk of grade and condition.

Pember's Baths and Sleeping Accommodation. 129 Yonge.

ALBERT STANTON DEAD.

London, Sept. 26.—Albert Stanton, a prominent merchant, died this morning after a brief illness.

$500,000 CONTRACT.

Niagara Falls, Ont., Sept. 26.—The Canadian Niagara Power Company to-day awarded the contract for the tunnel and portal to Contractor A. C. Douglas, the price is over half a million dollars and the work is to be completed by Jan. 1, 1903. The tunnel will be 2200 feet in length and 19 x 21 feet in diameter. It will be bricked without the same as the tunnel on the American side. Contractor Douglas has the shaft sunk to the required depth and will immediately commence the work of drilling the tunnel.

Temple Cafe, Temple Building, corner Bay and Richmond Sts., city, acknowledged by all the finest restaurant in the Dominion. No place in Toronto can you secure the same service. Everything in season. Why? We have our own cold storage plant. Our charges are just as cheap as any of our competitors. A pleasure to show you through our dining rooms at all times. Open from 6.30 a.m. until midnight.—T. G. Davey, Manager.

Edwards and Hart-Smith, Chartered Accountants, offices Canadian Bank of Commerce Building, Toronto.

AT THE YACHT CLUB DINNER

SIR THOMAS: Here's to the race to follow, and, to quote me good friend the Bobcaygeon Independent, may there be no slip 'twixt the Cup and the Lipton that occasion.

YORK'S WORDS TO THE WEST

Finds a Village Hamlet in a Solitude Become Grain Centre of the Empire.

REJOICES IN COUNTRY'S PROSPERITY

May Years to Come Show No Diminution in the Energy Which Characterized the Pioneers.

Winnipeg, Sept. 26.—In reply to three addresses presented at the City Hall, the Duke made the following reply:

"Gentlemen,—Your kind and touching reference to the Duchess is especially gratifying and in her name, and on my own behalf, I wish to acknowledge most sincerely the hearty greeting and affectionate prayers which are expressed in your addresses. The pleasant associations which you hope we shall derive from our visit will be emphasized by the interesting experience of our first acquaintance with the Canadian west and by the memory of to-day's welcome to its chief city.

"During the long and memorable journey to the extreme eastern and from thence to the far western limit of our vast Empire, we have seen everywhere many and varied proofs of its steady but certain progress, material and political, but I doubt whether in the whole course of that experience a more striking example is to be found than in the comparison of the Fort Garry of our childhood with the Winnipeg of to-day.

"Then, as you say, 'A village hamlet in a solitude,' broken only by the presence of 'the passing hunter and fur trader,' to-day the busy centre of what has become the great granary of the Empire, the political centre of an active and enterprising population in the full enjoyment of the privileges and institutions of British citizenship.

"I rejoice that we come amongst you at a time when we can join in the congratulations of your fellow subjects in a year of unprecedented prosperity which you are enjoying, and we pray that years to come may show no diminution of the prosperity or of that energy and determination which characterized the pioneers and settlers of the province."

VICTORIA IS READY.

Victoria, B.C., Sept. 26.—The British war ships Amphion, Warspite, Condor, Phaeton, Sparrow Hawk and two torpedo boats will act as convoy to the steamer Empress of India, on which the Duke of Cornwall and York is coming to Victoria on Tuesday next. The ships are brilliantly decorated and illuminated. Elaborate preparations are being made here by the Dominion, provincial, civic, naval and military authorities for the reception.

The Elboner, 99 King West; finest Bar and Buffet on King. Call.

ANARCHISTS IN ROME.

Rome, Sept. 26.—The Russian Prince Makachidze and his wife have been arrested as Anarchists, and will be conducted to the frontier. They entered Italy in defiance of the anti-Anarchistic regulations. The Prince was condemned to death in Russia in 1887 for conspiracy against the Czar and was expelled from France in 1886 for making bombs.

Perfection smoking mixture, cool and fragrant. Try it. Alive Bollard.

TO-DAY IN TORONTO.

Old Halton Boys' excursion to Milton, 1 p.m.
Special meeting St. George's Society, 8 p.m.
48th Highlanders parade, at Armouries, 8 p.m.
Open meeting Y.W.C.G., 8 p.m.
District W.C.T.U. Convention, Western Congregational Church, 10 a.m.
Princess Theatre, "Dolly Varden," 8 p.m.
Grand Opera House, "M'Liss," 8 p.m.
Toronto Opera House, "Lion's Heart," 2 and 8 p.m.
Shea's vaudeville show, 2 and 8 p.m.
Star Theatre, "Trocadero Burlesquers," 2 and 8 p.m.
Woodbine, Hunt Club's fall races, 2 p.m.

HAS KITCHENER RESIGNED?

London Paper Says He Has Owing to Disagreements With Brodrick.

London, Sept. 27.—The Daily News publishes an unconfirmed rumor that Lord Kitchener has resigned the post of commander-in-chief in South Africa, owing to disagreements with Mr. Brodrick, the War Secretary.

WILL NOT CONTRIBUTE.

Chinese in Montreal Will Not Help Pay China's Indemnity.

Montreal, Sept. 26.—With reference to the Pekin despatch stating that Chinese residing in foreign countries would be called upon to contribute towards paying the Chinese indemnity, Rev. J. Thomson, missionary to the Chinese in Canada, states this evening that the scheme is probably a bluff on the part of the Chinese government to make foreigners help in the payment in question. He says the Chinese here are all from Canton Province and will not pay a cent.

THE VICTOR LAST.

Shape of the Famous $3.50 Shoe for Men Anatomically Correct.

A great deal of pains was taken with the Victor Shoe in regard to its shape in relation to the wearer's foot. Many boots are not the partial result of any such consideration. Comfort in many lasts is sacrificed to style. This is a great mistake, both for manufacturers and wearers. Comfort should be the first thought in the designing of a new shape for men's shoes. The wearer that sacrifices this quality to achieve some impression of appearance will seldom be satisfied with his bargain. The makers of Victor Shoes have refrained from entertaining any such false ideal. "Comfort and appearance must go together in the Victor Shoe," was the primary order to the designers. If anything was to be sacrificed it should not be ease and freedom. As it happened, however, nothing has been sacrificed. The Victor is a happy combination. Comfort, ease, freedom and coolness go down on one side of the Victor list of qualities, while grace, style, up-to-date lines, finish, color go down in the next column. A third column might be filled with its good wearing qualities. The whole might then be totalled up and balanced with the price of the finest five-dollar shoe made. Victor versus five dollars? And the Robert Simpson Company exclusively sell the Victor Shoes for $3.75.

A DISCLAIMER.

Editor World: You find in an American paper a report that I have made an extravagant statement on the subject of union with the United States, and you at once attack me on the assumption that the report is correct. Had you first asked me, as you easily might, whether I had made the statement ascribed to me, you would have learned that I had done nothing of the kind.

I frequently receive visitors from the other side of the line, and I am unable to recall the particular conversation in question. But I have no doubt I said, as I habitually do, that, notwithstanding the efforts made, in certain quarters, to keep up anti-American sentiment here, the feeling of the masses of our people towards their kinsmen in the United States was entirely kind and favorable to close commercial relations. Goldwin Smith.

Toronto, Sept. 26, 1901.

Palm Garden open all winter. Delicious Hot Soda with Whipped Cream and Ice Cream Soda. Bingham's Drug Store, 100 Yonge Street. ed

BOWMANVILLE BOY HONORED.

London, Sept. 26.—The Western University has appointed to its staff W. F. T. Tamblyn, Ph.D., of Harriston High School. He is a brilliant graduate of Toronto University of 1895, and a post graduate of Columbia University. He will have charge of the History and English Department of the University. He is the eldest son of W. W. Tamblyn, M.A., of Bowmanville.

Go to James Harris, manufacturing furrier. First-class work at moderate prices. Refitting a specialty. 71 King West, first flat. ed

The Rainy Season.

The rainy season is practically upon us. Don't forget your umbrella. Dineen Company, corner Yonge and Temperance-streets, have the latest New York umbrellas in best silk.

CZOLGOSZ HEARS HIS DOOM

Will Pay the Penalty in the Electric Chair in the Week Beginning October 28.

WAS UNMOVED BY THE SENTENCE

Said No Other Person Knew About Commission of Crime But Himself.

Buffalo, Sept. 26.—Leon F. Czolgosz, the assassin of President McKinley, was this afternoon sentenced to death in the electric chair in the week beginning Oct. 28.

To the question put by the clerk, "Have you any legal cause to show why sentence should not be pronounced against you?" the assassin replied: "I have nothing to say about that."

Turning to the prisoner, Judge Titus held a brief conference, then to the court counsel for the defendant said:

"He says no other person had anything to do with it; that no other person knew of his commission but himself. His father or mother, or any one else, knew nothing about it."

The prisoner closed his lips, stared straight ahead of him, and awaited the court's pronouncement of his doom.

The sentence was brief.

"Czolgosz," said the court, "you have committed a grave crime against the State and our Union in the assassination of our beloved President. After learning all the facts and circumstances in the case, 12 good men have pronounced you guilty of murder in the first degree. You say that no other person abetted you in the commission of this terrible act. The penalty is fixed by statute, and it becomes my duty to impose sentence upon you. The sentence of this court is that in the week beginning Oct. 28, at the place designed, and in the manner prescribed by law, you suffer the punishment of death."

Czolgosz stood erect, looking straight at the judge. He did not tremble, not a muscle quivered. As soon as the death sentence was finished he took his seat in the same indifferent manner that has characterized him thruout the trial. He was brought to his feet quickly by the officers at 2.20. They shackled him and led him away to the jail.

FAIR PRESIDENT KILLED.

Charles Lawrence of Collingwood Meets With Instant Death.

Collingwood, Sept. 26.—Charles Lawrence, president of the Great Northern Exhibition, also president of the West Simcoe Farmers' Association, and a highly respected farmer and breeder of high class stock, met with a fatal accident while leaving the Exhibition grounds at 11.30 tonight. His horse taking fright at a hand organ which was passing at the time, threw him from his buggy against a tree, breaking his neck and fracturing the skull. Death was instantaneous.

Business men's quick lunch, 11.30 to 2.30. Thomas' Chop House.

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Cook's Turkish and Russian Baths Bath and bed, $1. 202 and 204 King W.

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STEAMSHIP MOVEMENTS.

Sept. 26.	At.	From.
Deutschland	New York	Hamburg
Servia	New York	Liverpool
Belgenland	Queenstown	Philadelphia
Columbia	Plymouth	New York

Cook's Turkish and Russian Baths, Bath and bed, $1. 202 and 204 King W.

LOYAL WINNIPEG RECEIVES DUKE DAY UNIQUE IN ITS BRIEF HISTORY

Royal Train Arrived at Noon, and the Procession Thru the Streets Provoked Scenes of Great Enthusiasm—Chorus of School Children a Splendid Feature—Departure for Coast.

Winnipeg, Sept. 26.—Winnipeg to-day participated in a demonstration unique in its history. Her citizens in tens of thousands lined the streets, and with enthusiastic loyalty cheered the future King and Queen of the British Empire. From the C.P.R. station to Government House, the procession was one continuous ovation. In the brilliant sunlight of a Manitoba autumn, with flags fluttering gaily from every staff, and bunting of the national colors, draped and festooned everywhere, with call of bugle, roll of drum and boom of artillery, and all the pomp and circumstance of war, the heir apparent visited the Hub City of the Dominion. He was received with the same scenes of loyalty and attachment that have marked his progress thru all the stages of his globe-encircling tour. Subjects of the Empire, few of whom have had an opportunity of setting their eyes on their rulers, joined in with enthusiastic acclaim in demonstrating their loyalty to monarchy as an institution as well as to the person of their future sovereign.

Then and Now.

It is 41 years since the heir apparent, now His Majesty King Edward, visited Canada. At that time Winnipeg was a fur-trading station, situated many days' journey from civilization. To-day it is one of the leading cities of the Empire. Then it was the home of the Indian and the half-breed. To-day it is inhabited by a population whose loyalty to British traditions received abundant proof in the reception they gave their royal visitors.

The weather, upon which the success of an out-of-door demonstration depends in so great a degree, was all that could be desired. After three weeks of rainy or capricious weather, which had moved pessimists to gloomy prophecies, to-day dawned sunny and warm and remained so during the whole of the morning ceremonies.

Arrival of Royal Train.

The route of the procession was early crowded with pedestrians commenting on the decorations and marking the various stages of preparation for parade. By 11 o'clock everything was in readiness, and public expectation was high. Punctually on time the Vice-Regal train pulled in and His Honor and party awaited in the marquee the arrival of the Duke and Duchess, occupying the interval in being introduced to and chatting with the gentlemen having charge of the reception.

The arrival of the royal train was the signal for an outbreak of cheering from the thousands without the barriers; a cheer that was repeated and re-echoed all along the route, for Winnipeggers knew that royalty had entered their gates. The acclamations burst out afresh as the royal party drove to the City Hall, in front of which were formed the veterans of the Transvaal, who under other skies had worthily upheld Canadian valor and Imperial unity. These were presented with the medals they had won on African veldt and kopje, His Royal Highness saying a few words to each; words that will long be remembered and cherished by those to whom they were addressed.

Address of Welcome.

The citizens of Winnipeg, thru their civic officials, then presented a loyal address, to which His Highness gave a simple and suitable reply. The royal party then entered their carriages and drove to Government House, where they were entertained by His Honor and Mrs. McMillan. The same signs of affectionate loyalty that had characterized their progress to the City Hall followed them thruout the route, salvo after salvo of cheers and the waving of flags accompanying the whole way.

The Duke formally opened the University this afternoon, the thousand children sang national airs, and altogether the event was one of the greatest interest. A member of the royal party said the display of the children was one of the finest features of the Duke's entire tour.

Route a Blaze of Light.

The dinner at Government House was a brilliant function. The route to the station for a mile and a half was a blaze of light, and 25,000 or 30,000 people cheered the royal couple for the entire distance. The illuminations were excellent, considering the short notice the citizens had to make preparation.

The royal party left for the West at 10.30. Their visit had given unbounded satisfaction. After the ceremony at the hall to-day, of presenting medals, the Duke personally pinned on Col. Evans' breast his C.B. decoration. The Duke, at the University building, sat in a chair which his father had similarly occupied 41 years ago.

MORDEN STRONG AGAINST SIFTON MAKES A SENSATIONAL WITNESS

Tells of a Horrible Proposition Made to Him to Assist in the Killing—Mrs. MacFarlane Testifies That Prisoner Threatened to Put an End to His Father.

London, Sept. 26.—At the Sifton murder trial this afternoon, Rev. Mr. Cooper, Methodist preacher at St. John's, a mile from the Sifton homestead, told the court that Gerald Sifton stated to him he had given Dr. MacNeil, the coroner, $1000 in notes not to hold an inquest on the body of his father. The funeral had been advertised to take place on Monday, and on the Sunday previous Sifton told him there was money in this thing for him, and that unless Gerald paid him $1000 he would stop the funeral procession and order an inquest.

Sifton told the clergyman he was feeling very miserable; that he had suffered loss of sleep and was grieving over his father's death, and would not have had the scandal of an inquest for $1000. So he reluctantly signed notes which MacNeil drew up for two of $250 denomination and one for $500. He said he was going to take legal proceedings against the doctor, and the clergyman advised him to wait until he obtained a receipt for a part of the money.

Mrs. MacFarlane's Story.

Mary MacFarlane and the mother were among the witnesses, and on the stand during the afternoon. Mary said Gerald told her he had a revolver to be used if Morden tried to put up a game on him. Mrs. MacFarlane stated that on the morning of the tragedy, an hour before it occurred, she was at Gerald Sifton's. Gerald said he was going to the minister's to find out if the marriage had taken place, and, if it had not, he was going to put his father where he would not be married that day. When Gerald heard he was going to be arrested, he asked the witness not to tell of the threat he had made.

Morden's Testimony.

Next to the evidence of Walter Herbert, the confessed accomplice, the story of James Morden, as told in the witness box to-day, was the most sensational in a trial noted for its many startling features. Morden is a respectable looking young farm laborer, and related his story in a manner that did not break down before Mr. Johnston's severest cross-examination.

He said that on the evening preceding the tragedy Gerald Sifton came to the place, a mile and three-quarters distant from the prisoner's home, and said: "There is hell to pay at our place. The old man is going to marry Mary MacFarlane. He drugged her and got her into trouble in such a way the law can't take hold of him. I will give you $1000 to come with me and we will smash the old man on the head on the road and nobody on Christ's earth will know anything about it." Morden said he would do nothing of the kind.

Proposed Choking.

Gerald then proposed that they should jump into the old man's house, choke him to death and hang him up in the barn, and say it was suicide. Morden did not go to warn the older Sifton, because if anything happened he would have been mixed up in it. He told Gerald not to do it; that he would be hanged himself, or get an innocent man hanged.

Ten days after the tragedy Gerald told the witness his father's body was going to

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SOON "PRINCE OF WALES."

Duke of York to Receive New Dignity When He Returns.

New York, Sept. 26.—The Herald's London correspondent wires: I have just heard on most excellent authority that all the details in connection with the creation of the Duke of Cornwall and York as Prince of Wales are completed, and that the dignity will be conferred immediately on his return.

It has always been anticipated that this would be the case, and I am now in a position to say it is an accomplished thing.

CALLED TO THE OLD COUNTRY.

A letter has been received in this city from Rev. William Patterson, formerly pastor of Cooke's Presbyterian Church, announcing that he has been cabled to go to the Old Country immediately, owing to the critical illness of Mrs. Patterson, who was on a visit to friends there.

Visitors to Toronto will not see the city without they visit the Temple Building, the finest Cafe in America. Everything in season.

BIRTHS.

HALLAM—At 167 Bleecker-street, city, on Sept. 19, to Mr. and Mrs. John Hallam, a son.

MARRIAGES.

BERRIE—VINNELS—On Wednesday, Sept. 25, at 142 Broadview-avenue, by the Rev. John McP. Scott of St. John's Church, Nellie Berrie, fourth daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wilson, to Charles H. Vinnels, both of Toronto.

SYMONS—BOND—At St. George's Church, Guelph, Thursday, Sept. 26, 1901, by the Right Rev. the Lord Bishop of Niagara, assisted by Rev. Gilbert F. Davidson, M.A., acting rector, David Thourburn Symons of Osgoode Hall, barrister-at-law, to Frances Rebecca, eldest daughter of John M. Bond, Esq., of Guelph, Ont.

DEATHS.

BRYANT—Early on Thursday morning, Sept. 26, 1901, at Grace Hospital, John Bryant, in his 76th year, a native of Monaghan, Ireland.

Funeral from his son-in-law's residence, Mr. George Cattle, 720 Ontario-street, at 3 p.m. on Friday, Sept. 27. At rest.

The Newest Hats Only.

This is the proper weather for dark felt Derby hats. You can't very well get along with your last spring hat, because it looks shabby and it's also somewhat "off style." Dineen Company, corner Yonge and Temperance-streets, have every new fashion known in London, Paris or New York, by all celebrated makers. Remember also that they are sole agents in Canada for Henry Heath of London, Eng., and Dunlap of New York—the greatest hatters of two continents. Dineens' will remain open until 10 o'clock Saturday night. You know their reputation for "your money's worth in style and quality."

FINE, POSSIBLY WARMER.

Meteorological Office, Toronto, Sept. 26. (8 p.m.)—The weather to-day has been fine and the temperature a little higher than yesterday in nearly all parts of the Dominion. Present indications seem favorable for warmer weather from Ontario to the Maritime Provinces, but in the Northwest Territories and Manitoba conditions are not promising.

Minimum and maximum temperatures—Victoria, 50—58; Kamloops, 46—62; Calgary, 32—46; Prince Albert, 30—46; Qu'Appelle, 28—40; Winnipeg, 32—56; Port Arthur, 36—60; Parry Sound, 42—62; Toronto, 40—64; Ottawa, 34—62; Montreal, 36—56; Quebec, 32—54; Halifax, 38—60.

Probabilities.

Lakes and Georgian Bay—Moderate to fresh easterly to southerly winds; fine, with a little higher temperature.

Ottawa and Upper St. Lawrence—Moderate southerly winds; fine, with a little higher temperature.

Lower St. Lawrence and Gulf—Southwesterly winds; fair.

Maritime—Moderate winds; fine; stationary or higher temperature.

Lake Superior—Fresh to strong easterly to southerly winds; fair.

Manitoba—Unsettled; cool and showery.

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