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SEVEN

GIRLS WHIPPED FOR BEING LAX IN STUDIES

San Leandro Parent Makes Vigorous Protest Against Corporal Punishment

SAN LEANDRO, Cal., April 29.—That school girls who have reached the age of 15 or 16 years are too old to suffer corporal punishment because they fail to master the intricacies of grammar, is the opinion of E. D. Demont, vice-principal of the San Leandro Grammar School, because they failed to have their grammar lessons. Demont has lodged a vigorous protest with the trustees about the action of Demont, who does not deny that he punished the girls by striking them on the hands with a strap.

He does say, however, that the girls had plenty of time to prepare their lesson, and that they were warned in advance of the penalty that would be inflicted unless they mastered the task given them.

What, if any, action the trustees propose to take has not yet been announced, although Demont, in making his complaint, asked that Demont be summarily dealt with.

KERR COMMITTED FOR TRIAL

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given to Chapin. The ticket purchased was for Boston. He did not give Chapin money, as he had some money. Witness did not know where he got it; he had some bills.

Witness did not know of anyone else giving him money.

Edward Anger, manager of the Eastern office of the Kinograph Company film exchange, said Mr. Kerr succeeded witness as manager of the Oulmose Company. Witness has no interest in that company, but he has his office in the building. He did not know if the Oulmose Company was a corporation or not.

Witness has been here nearly two years. He leased a room in the Elbow building last June and opened his office in October. Kerr was hired by witness about a year ago. He did not know if Mr. Kerr had any electricity. Witness did not pay for the current in the building. He had nothing to do with it. It was Mr. Kerr's business. He did not know where Chapin got the money to go out of town. Witness had nothing to do with the matter.

Witness said he was tested in the next room by Mr. Kerr. Witness did not pay for the current. There was no connection between witness and Mr. Kerr. He did not know how long the testing machine has been in the room.

Walter Ladner, the Bijou sinner, said he has been employed there nearly five months. He did not know anything about the wiring of the building. He knew Chapin, but he did not know anything about Chapin leaving town.

Mr. Taylor said that the case closed for the crown. It was the intention to have all of Mr. Kerr's employees, but unfortunately one has left the country and is now in the States. The defendant pleaded not guilty and Mr. Grew asked for a dismissal on the grounds that there was no evidence against the defendant, that he was an employe of a man in Montreal, he was only the manager and no evidence of his intention of wrong doing had been produced.

Mr. Taylor said that the defendant signed a contract for the supply of electricity about six months before the wires were tapped. His attention was called to the tapping and he said it would not occur again. Last week employees of the company found that the wires had been tapped in two places and the current used did not pass through the meter.

Mr. Taylor said it was estimated that about \$500 worth of electricity had been consumed.

The magistrate said that if he was trying to discharge him, but as it is a preliminary hearing there is evidence of the wires being tapped and electricity being consumed and the defendant was the manager.

The defendant was sent up for trial but was admitted to \$3,000 bail, himself or \$1,500 and three securities of \$200 each.

FATHER OF CAPTAIN HAINS ON THE STAND

FLUSHING, N.Y., April 30.—Cross-examination of General Peter C. Hains, father of Captain Peter C. Hains, Jr., on trial here for the killing of Wm. E. Annis, was resumed by District Attorney Dewitt, when court opened today. The district attorney picked up the thread of the witness' story where he dropped it yesterday, and asked him about the alleged confession of the captain's wife to her husband.

Referring to some of the exclamation the witness testified the captain had made showing his irritation, the district attorney called the General's attention to a variance in some of them from the way the witness repeated them yesterday. Mr. McIntyre interposed an objection at this point and said "It is not what a crazy man says but the way he says it that is important."

Investigations have been issued for a dinner in honor of H. R. Ross, manager of the N. B. Cold Storage Company. It is to be given by friends in celebration of his approaching marriage. Many comrades of Mr. Ross from St. John and other places in the province will participate. The dinner is to be given at the Golf Club tomorrow evening.

BREAKING NIAGARA'S ICE JAM.



EXPLOSION OF DYNAMITE IN NIAGARA BREAKS THE WATER AND ICE WHICH HAD BUILT UP A DAM AT THE FALLS.



STEAM ENGINEERS PLACING 300 POUND CHARGE OF DYNAMITE IN THE ICE PACK, NIAGARA FALLS.

EXECUTED IN QUICK TIME

New Sultan to Take Oath at Once

ASSEMBLY MEETS Abdul Hamid's Favorite Son One of the Chief Conspirators

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 29.—The Constitutionalists have lost no time in bringing the conspirators in the recent trial to trial. The military court, sitting in the War Office today, condemned about 250 prisoners to death and they were executed, Nadir Pasha, the second son of the Sultan, whose sentence was pronounced yesterday, was hanged at dawn on the Galata Bridge and his body was viewed by thousands in the early morning hours.

The national assembly, which met today under the presidency of Said Pasha, decided that the Sultan, Mahmud V, should take the oath of the constitution within a week. The assembly also ratified the deposition of Abdul Hamid to Saloniki. It is not expected that the new cabinet will be completed before Saturday. The difficulty at present consists in finding suitable men for the ministries of finance and interior. Tewfik Pasha, who will be the grand vizier, has sent a communication to several provincial officials on this subject. The government has decided to send a commission to Adana to try by court martial the instigators of the massacres and the commission is authorized to act with the utmost severity.

It is alleged that the chief authors of the recent mutiny were Abdul Hamid's favorite son, Prince Mehmed Burhaneddin Eddin, rear admiral, Said Pasha, son of Kamal Pasha, the former grand vizier, and Nadir Pasha, who were engaged for a long time prior to the rising in corrupting the troops. The two former have fled.

An accident which may have a fatal termination occurred at Johnson's, Queens county, on Sunday. While driving to church on that day with her family, Mrs. Dennis Cochrane was thrown from the carriage and seriously injured. The horse took fright and ran away. None of the other occupants of the carriage was injured. Mrs. Cochrane's right wrist was broken and she was injured internally. Her condition is such that her daughter, Miss Edna, was summoned from New York, and another daughter, Mrs. Stanley Rose, of this city, is also with her mother.

The death took place last evening of Henry Gibbons, at his home, 80 Moore Street. A wife, two daughters and four sons survive. The deceased was well known.

DRURY-RICHARDSON WEDDING AT LONDON

Former Resident of St. John Married to Sister of Mrs. L. P. D. Tilley

LONDON, Ont., April 29.—The pretty little church of St. Luke's, Broadside, London, was the scene of a fashionable wedding Tuesday afternoon, when Miss Helen Beatrice Richardson, youngest daughter of the Venerable J. B. Richardson, Archdeacon of London, was united in marriage to Henry Arthur K. Drury, civil engineer of the railway commission at Winnipeg, and second son of the late Ward Chipman Drury of St. John, N. B. Sharp at 3:30 the carriage bearing the bride party arrived at the church, where the guests had already assembled.

Most beautiful was the appearance presented by the little church, the interior of which was completely enshrouded in palms and spires. The head of each pew was adorned with branches of shell pink carnations, while the communion table was beautifully decorated with calla lilies.

Every oriental satin was the material of the exquisite gown worn by the bride. It was made with a panner effect at the sides, with a Watteau plait from the shoulders which formed the long train. Pearl embroidery elaborately enriched the handsome gown.

The front and back panels of the gown were studded with seed pearls, while her handsome veil was beautifully trimmed with orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of English rosebay, white rosebuds and lilies of the valley.

The maid of honor, Miss Beatrice Richardson, sister of the bride, and the bridesmaids, Miss Helen Porteous of Montreal, Miss Dorothy Chipman of Winnipeg, Miss Margaret Merritt and Miss Madeline Pavey, were all beautifully gowned in shell pink French crepon, made in plastron lun-

PERSONAL

C. S. Hannington came in on the Atlantic express at noon today. W. B. Copp passed through the city going east on the C. P. R. express today.

Miss Nella Wilson and Miss Gertrude Williams left today for Halifax where they will enter the Military Hospital as nurses.

CZAR OF RUSSIA IS FOND OF PADDLING.



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CLOSING THE SEASON; ERIE SAILS TOMORROW

The Victorian, Last of the Allan Lines, Sailed This Morning.

The Allan Royal Mail Steamer Victoria, the last boat of the Allan service here this season, sailed this morning at 1:30 o'clock for Liverpool via Halifax. She took away a general cargo and a large number of passengers. A special train carrying passengers and a heavy mail will connect with the Victorian at Halifax. The Victorian was given a fine send off by the tug Quizer and Kitchener as she left the harbor.

The P. R. steamer Lake Erie, Capt. Carey, the last of the season, will sail for Liverpool Saturday morning. She will carry a large number of passengers and a general cargo.

HEART DISEASE HEADS FRISCO DEATH LIST

In Los Angeles Tuberculosis Was the Most Fatal Malady of Last Year

SACRAMENTO, Cal., April 29.—Heart disease was the principal cause of death in Los Angeles during 1908, while in Los Angeles tuberculosis was the most fatal malady of the year, according to statistics announced recently by the state Board of Health.

Of San Francisco's 6,500 deaths last year, 1,064 were brought about by heart disease and 845 by tuberculosis. Tuberculosis and lung troubles caused 1,175 of Los Angeles' 6,011 deaths, while deaths from heart disease numbered 877.

The leading epidemic in both cities was typhoid fever, 81 deaths resulting from it in San Francisco and 83 in Los Angeles.

DELAYED WEDDING TO FIX TROU BEAU

CINCINNATI, April 29.—Spire Michael Muller has officiated at a large number of weddings but never before at one where the bride delayed the ceremony until her trou beau had been properly fitted. Shortly after noon a couple walked into his office. When the bride asked them the cause of the delay, the bride-to-be, Mrs. Ann Seery, of 4022 Galloway street, said that her trou beau had not been fitted to her satisfaction and on account she postponed it until yesterday.

However, after she found that when she tried it on it was almost too large according to her style of dress, she did not care to delay the ceremony longer.

Miss Muller, tied in the arm of her brother, who with County Detective George Ryan, witnessed the wedding. Spire Muller, tied the knot which made her the wife of George Seery, a carpenter, aged 33 years, who resides at 32 Conroy street.

TERRIFIC TORNADOES SWEEP LARGE AREAS IN THE WEST

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LINER SUNK.

SAULT STE MARIE, Mich., April 29.—While it is the general opinion in marine circles today that it was the Corwin Line steamer Aurania which Captain Boyce, of the Peav, saw sink yesterday in White Fish Bay, nothing definite has yet been learned. A ferocious storm is raging today over the upper lake region and it may prevent any boats getting down from Whitefish Bay today. If so, however, there may be no confirmation of the boat's identity nor details of the accident for 24 hours. Blinding snow accompanied the gale which is blowing.

Six persons were killed and fifty injured in Chicago and environs during the storm last night, according to reports received today by the police and coroner.

NEW MARKET, April 30.—The 1,000 guinea stakes of 100 sovereigns each for three year old fillies, was run here today and won by Electra. His Majesty's Princess de Galles was second, and Ferola third.

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COMMERCIAL

NEW YORK STOCK QUOTATIONS

Chicago Market Report and New York Cotton Market.
(Furnished by D. C. Clinch, Banker and Broker, St. John, April 30, 1909.)

Amalg. Copper	76 7/8	76 7/8	77 1/2
Anaconda	76 1/2	76 1/2	77 1/2
Am. Smelt. and Rfg.	89 1/2	89 1/2	90 1/2
Am. Car Foundry	11 1/4	11 1/4	11 1/2
Alchison, ex div. 2 1/2	100 1/2	107 1/2	107 1/2
Am. Locomotive	56	56 1/2	56 1/2
Brook. Rfd. Trst.	78 1/2	78 1/2	79
Balt. and Ohio	114 1/2	114 1/2	114 1/2
Ches. and Ohio	70 1/2	70 1/2	70 1/2
Can. Pac.	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2
Colo. F. and Iron	39 1/2	39 1/2	39 1/2
Consolidated Gas	137	137 1/2	138 1/2
Den. and Rio. G.	15 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2
Gen. Electric Co.	158	158 1/2	159 1/2
Erie	31 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/2
Erie, First pd.	47 1/2	47 1/2	48 1/2
Erie, Second pd.	39	39	39
Kansas and Texas	48 1/2	48 1/2	48 1/2
Great Northern	143 1/2	143 1/2	143 1/2
Louis and Nashville	139	138 1/2	138 1/2
Missouri Pacific	73 1/2	73 1/2	73 1/2
N. Y. Central	129 1/2	129 1/2	129 1/2
North West	139	139 1/2	139 1/2
Peo. C. and Gas Co.	116 1/2	116 1/2	116 1/2
Reading	147	148 1/2	147 1/2
Republic Steel	244	244 1/2	244 1/2
Pennsylvania	138	138 1/2	138 1/2
Rock Island	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2
St. Paul	149 1/2	149 1/2	149 1/2
Southern Ry.	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2
Southern Pac.	69	69 1/2	69 1/2
Southern Ry.	118 1/2	120 1/2	120 1/2
Northern Pac.	143 1/2	143 1/2	143 1/2
National Lead	87 1/2	87 1/2	87 1/2
Union Pacific	137 1/2	138 1/2	138 1/2
U. S. Rubber	33	33	33
U. S. Steel	54	54 1/2	54 1/2
U. S. Steel, pd.	111	111 1/2	111 1/2
Wabash	19	18 1/2	18 1/2
Wabash, pd.	49 1/2	49 1/2	49 1/2
Western Union	70 1/2	71 1/2	71 1/2

Total sales in New York yesterday, 768,000 shares.

CHICAGO MARKET REPORT

Thurs. P.M. Op. Noon.

May corn	71 1/2	71 1/2	71 1/2
" wheat	123 1/2	123 1/2	124 1/2
" oats	56 1/2	56 1/2	56 1/2
July corn	71 1/2	71 1/2	71 1/2
" wheat	111 1/2	111 1/2	111 1/2
" oats	48 1/2	48 1/2	48 1/2
Sept. corn	67 1/2	67 1/2	67 1/2
" wheat	103 1/2	103 1/2	103 1/2
" oats	42 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2

MONTECAL QUOTATIONS

Thurs. P.M. Op. Noon.

Dom. Coal	68 1/2	68 1/2	67 1/2
Dom. Iron and Steel	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2
Dom. L. and S. pd.	114	113 1/2	113 1/2
Nova Scotia Steel	69 1/2	69 1/2	69 1/2
C. P. R.	177 1/2	177 1/2	178 1/2
Twin City	103 1/2	103 1/2	103 1/2
Montreal Power, ex div. 1 1/2 per cent.	117	115 1/2	115 1/2
Ill. Trac. pd.	96	96	96

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET

Thurs. P.M. Op. Noon.

May	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
July	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
October	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
December	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2

J. M. ROBINSON & SONS, Private Wire Telegram.

April 30.
Crown Reserve—3,202,285, 1,000,000 286.
3rd. for installation of officers. All Shawlinian—306,934.
Montreal Power—109,118, 15,011, 25 0/119.
C. P. R.—569,174, 128,017, 925,017, 445,018, 226,018, 60,018.
Nov Scotia—59,224.
So. Rights—35,074.

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