# TRUE BILL AGAINST **GUISEPPE GRECO**

For Murder of Antonio Rieszo.

Kirkpatrick Case Under Consideration.

Four Courts Going on at Once.

The Court House presented an unusually busy scene this morning, when there were four courts sitting at one time within one building-the High Court, sitting in the court room upstairs; the non-jury sittings in the County Council chambers; criminal court in Judge Snider's chambers. and the registration court. The advent of two High Court judges' sitting in the Court House is something unprecedented in the history of law circles in this city, and it has been keeping the lawyers on the hustle all morning trying to keep their eyes on both courts, so that they will not miss any of their cases as they come

up.
It is expected that a bar dinner will be tendered to Chief Justice Mulock and Justice Riddell, it being Justice Mulock's first visit to this city, on the bench. The date has not been settled yet.

True Bill Presented.

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The grand jury brought in a true bill this morning against Guieseppe Greco, charged with the murder of Antonio Riezzo. His Lordship asked that the prisoner's counsel be notified and to have Gueseppe arraigned this afternoon, and it is expected "at he will come up for trial on Wednesday morning. M. J. O'Reilly, K.C., is the counsel for Greco. If the charge of murder is proven against Guieseppe, his brother Bruno will be inducted as an accessory after the fact. It will depend largely on the length of the trial whether Bruno Greco would be indicted at this court as the grand jury wishes to get through its labora as soon as possible.

sible.

The grand jury was about half way through the evidence in the Kirkpatrick case at time of adjournment, and its decision as to whether a true bill will be entered against the prisoner or not will be received this afternoon. The action of Howell vs. Hamilton (Continue) on page 5.)

### POLITICAL NOTES.

### Registration In Progress --- Regan Had a Meeting.

Registration continued fairly brisk for the second day of the registration of manhood suffrage voters and the reports from the ten booths confirm the pelief that the total registration will reach about 3,500. As an instance the registration at the Court House up till moon to-day totalled about 225, This is a fair indication of the registration all cation of the registration all city, although it is heavier in

r. McClemont will speak again to-night at the Liberal Ward Comnvited to attend, no matter what cal party they lean towards. the meeting held the Conservative candi Regan, last evening at lotel. Benjamin Hunt occupied and introduced a number of

number of who tried esides Mr. Regan, who tried the promises the were made Government those who spoke were Ald. Farmer, Ald.
Farrar and Wilson Crockett.
Mr. Regan occupied the better part of

cour trying to show how the Ross overment had failed to do this, that or the other thing, but he carefully avoided going into any of the work of the Whitney Government during its regime. He pleaded for election on the ground that the Whitney Government was an honest Government and had an honest leader, in whom there was go guile. He admitted that he had a worthy opponent in Dan Reed, the present M. P. P.

Mr. W. H. Wardrope, the popular Lib-ral candidate for West Hamilton, will eral candidate for West Hamilton, will speak at No. 5 Ward rooms, corner of James and Strachan streets, on Thurs-

### **CANNON CASE**

#### Judgment Reserved on Motion to Quash Extradition.

Toronto, Ont., May 19 .- Mr. Justice Clute reserved judgment on the applica-tion of Mr. M. J. O'Reilly, of Hamilton, tion of Mr. M. J. O'Reilly, of Hamilton, for an order quashing the warrant of extradition granted by Judge Snider against Nelson Cannon, this morning. Mr. O'Reilly argued that the alleged bribery was said to have taken place on July 12, 1906, while the amendment to the treaty with the United States, including bribery, did not go into force until Dec. 31, 1906, and was not retroactive. Mr. Lynch-Staunton, for the town of Columbus, Ohio, took an opposite view of the scope of the amendment.

### SOUTH AFRICA VETERANS.

### Three Drowned

Watertown, N. Y., May 19.-Three men, one an American, and two Hungarians, were drowned in west of this city, last night. The victims were: Frank Ellis, aged 25, unmarried; Frank Povelish, aged 22, and Joe Mulach, aged 33.

All the men were employees of the Dexter Sulphite, Pulp & Paper Co., and in company with John Povelish, started across the river in a small rowboat. The current at that point is very strong, and the overloaded craft capsized in midstream, throwing the occupants into the water.

John Povelish clung to the upturned boat and was rescued soor after. The bodies have not yet

### WOULD NOT STRIKE

Montreal C. P. R. Men Will Stay at Their Work.

#### Tried to Get Them Out to Help Western Brakemen.

Montreal May 19 -- An effort wa as a protest against the decision of the Arbitration Commission sitting at Winnipeg to take up only the claims of the western section of the company's emwestern section of the company's employees, Representatives of the western labor organization, interests labor organizations interested in the fight against a reduced schedule proposed by the company, have been at work, and it was stated to-day that a strong appeal was made to the men to strike for the purpose of strengthening their western allies. The Angus shops men, however, decided that while they were in entire sympathy with their were in entire sympathy with their western allies, it would be prejudicia to their interests to strike at present. In to their interests to strike at present. In the first place, it would separate them from their interest in the company's pension scheme; in the second they would be violating the apirit and the let-ter of the Lemieux Act, and at the same time would be prejudicing their case before the arbitration commission. In consequence the men decided not to lis-ten to the appeals to lay down their tools.

### TO SEE RACES.

### Six Boys Ran Away-Three Arrested Here.

Last night the local police were ask ed to look out for six small boys who ran away from their homes in Niagara way. Later they received a message that four boys had been put off a freight train at Stoney Creek. About 7 o'clock this morning Constable Harry Smith saw four boys on MacNab street near Merrick, and he took after them. He soon rounded them up, but one of them got away. The three he arrested said their names were James Steven, Ernest England and Gord 1 Changer. The one who escaped is said to be a boy named Johnson. The three were locked up and are waiting in the cells now till the police at the Falls can take charge of them. When in the cells this morning the trio did not seem especially depressed, and told the reporters they had run away and come here to see the races. They intended to go direct to Toronto and join some stable at the Woodbine, but the police stopped their little game, In age they range from eight to fifteen years.

When arrested they all denied they four boys had been put off a freight ward last Friday night has caused favorable comment through the

Wears.
When arrested they all denied they were the boys wanted, and said they lived near the lake. When questioned as to street names and numbers they admitted who they were. Constable Smith arrested them on the description telephoned here.

## BELLEVILLE POWER.

#### Mayor Refused to Sign Application For Development Rights.

Relleville Ont. May 19.-Mayor Mc Fee last night refused to sign an application made by the Council to the Ottawa Government for the sole right to tawa Government for the sole right to develop power on dams 3, 4 and 5 on the Trent Valley Canal. He said it would commit the city to an expenditure of \$300,000. The city solicitor said that it would not, but the Mayor refused to sign. Warm feeling was displayed, but the Mayor stubbornly held out against all the aldermen.

### FOR BATTLEFIELDS.

#### School Contributions to be Gathered on Friday.

Mr. S. F. Lazier, K. C., President of the local Battlefields' Association, met the principals of the city schools yesterday at the City Hall and discussed with them the arrangements for taking up the school children's battlefields' sub-scriptions. Friday of this weak was All officers, non-commissioned officers and men of Hamilton and vicinity, who saw service in South Africa, are requested to parade at the Drill Hall on Monday morning, the 26th inst., at 10.30 shap, for the purpose of taking part in the unveiling of the menument erected to have a cantata prepared for presents. The menument erected to the memory of the late Queen Victors, Dress Rhaki, with war medals.

All officers, non-commissioned officers against Mr. Booker on the ground of alleged slanderous statements against Mr. Booker on the ground of alleged slanderous statements agreed upon as the time. The contributions will be taken in all the purpose of taking part in the string of the Board of Education of the Board of Education was brought against Mr. Booker on the ground of alleged slanderous statements agreed upon as the time. The contribution of the Board of Education was brought against Mr. Booker on the ground of alleged slanderous statements agreed upon as the time. The contributions will be taken in all the purpose of taking part in the string of the Board of Education was brought against Mr. Booker on the ground of alleged slanderous statements agreed upon as the time. The contributions will be taken in all the purpose of taking part in the schools District opened in Gore Street Order now when the quality is piest. We have several hundred, all sizes and they will be. Order now when the quality is piest, they are as cheap as they will be. Order now when the quality is piest, they are as cheap as they will be. Order now when the purpose of taking part in detailed. The anticipation of ruber pouches are sold at peace's piest, they are as cheap as they will be. Order now when the district opened in Gore Street Order now when the purpose of taking part in detailed. The street of ruber pouches are sold at peace's piest. The contribution of ruber pouches are sold at peace's piest. The contribution of ruber pouches are sold at peace's piest. The contribution of ruber pouches are sold at peace's piest. The contributi

### NATURAL GAS.

# Big Strike at Innerkip-May be

(Special Despatch to the Times.) Woodstock, May 19.—A great strike of natural gas has ben made at Inerkip, and the whole countryside is nerkip, and the whole countryside is in a state of excitement over it. Gas was struck at a depth of 460 feet a week ago by a Petroiea company, which is drilling and since the flow has been steadily growing stronger. The gas is coming out through a pipe and the pressure is strong enough to move a fifteen hundred pound weight. The gas was located in a strata where it is said gas was never found before If the flow promises to be permanent the gas will promptly be piped through the village and to Woodstock which is only seven miles away.

### FIGHT TO A FINISH.

Tory Caucus Decides to Block All Supply Business.

#### Government Will Not Yield and Long Struggle Expected.

(Special Despatch to the Times.) Ottawa, May 19 .- A Conservative eaucus held this morning resulted n a decision of the Opposition members to fall into line behind the Rob-lin-Rogers standard and join that no surrender, lodge. The alovan scients ender lodge. The slogan adopted fight and no compromise. The condition on which they will let business of Parliament proceed the busifiess of Parliament proceed is the complete capitulation of the Government to their election bill demands. If the Government attempts to get supply the Opposition will block the attempt by again bringing up the Ames timber limit charges. The Government, of course, has no intention of capitulating to such a factious Opposition and present indications point to a long and bitter made to-day to get the men at work at cations point to a long and bitter the C. P. R. Angus shops to go on strike fight. A significant side light on the ngnt. A significant side light on the present situation is the arrival of D. D. Mann in the capital simultaneously with Premier Roblin and Hon. Robert Rogers. The influence of the Canadian Northern magnates with the Manitche spiriture is well become and Manitoba ministry is well known and corridor talk here connects Mr. Mann's visit with the attempt now being made to embarass the Govern-ment and force a dissolution, failing the granting of certain desired con-

### TO WRONG COURT.

#### Mary Vodyck Kept Judge and Lawyers Waiting.

William O'Connor was before Judge Snider this morning on a charge of assault and robbery. There was consider able delay, owing to the fact that the complainant, Mary Vodyck, could not be found, when the court was ready to proceed. Mr. F. R. Martin, acting Crown Attorney, then moved for an enlarge-ment, for a week, but His Honor could Attorney, then moved for an enlargement, for a week, but His Honor could not see how he could let the case go over, as the prisoner had elected to be tried to-day, and there was no alternative. Mr. J. L. Counsell, who acted for the prisoner, said that his client did not properly understand what Judge Monck had said to him last Friday, when he was asked what he wished to do, and Mr. Counsell wanted time to file an application to have the action tried before a jury. It had almost been decided to grant the enlargement, when Mary turned up, bright and smiling, and when asked where she had been all the time, she said she had been down at the Police Court, waiting for the case to come up. Mr. Martin stated that the complainant wished to go to her relatives in Berlin, Ontario, as soon as possible, and His Honor decided to try the case this afternoon at 2.30.

Ross Wallace, who for the past two or three months has been remanded from time to time on a charge of aggravated.

ross warrace, who for the past two or three months has been remanded from time to time on a charge of aggravated assault on Charles Rongey, was discharg-ed, the Crown stating that the com-plainant had left the country, and could not be found.

### BUY JOBS.

### Why Foreigners Are Preferred to British Born Men.

Toronto, Ont., May 19.-One reason why foreigners are preferred on public and other works to English, Scotch or Irish, was given by Crown Attorney Cor ley, in the Police Coart to-day. William ley, in the Police Coart to-day. William Plewes, a foreman for Kelly & Company, contractors, was charged with fraud in having accepted from a number of Italians a dollar each to give them work and then having discharged them after they had worked a short time. Crown Attorney Corley said that all foreigners were in the habit of paying the foreman to obtain their jobs, and that it was a regularly recognized practice. Men of the British race would not do this, so that the foreigners secured the preference in work. The case was remanded to secure further evidence, Magistrate Kingsford remarking that it looked very crooked.

### THROWN OUT.

### Action Against Charles Booker Dismissed To-day.

Mr. George C. Thomson, of the firm of Kerr & Thomson, moved before Judge Snider this morning to dismise the action against Charles Booker, brought by the Hamilton Amusement Company, for want of prosecution. His Honor dismissed the action after waiting a reasonable time for the lawyers on the other side to put in an appearance. The action was brought against Mr. Booker on the ground of alleged slanderous statements made at a meeting of the Board of Education, resarding the pictures shown at the

# REGISTRATION IN BRANTFORD

Brantford May Not Contract For Hydro-Powe

### No Reduction In Plane Rates Strike Matters Quiet.

(Special Despatch to the Times.) Brantford, May 19.—The Court Brantford, May 19.—The Court of Registration opened yesterday for a four-day aitting, and by 9 s'clock last night 398 votes were registered. If the average is kept up the total will be greater than that of previous registrations in this city. In 1902, 1904 and 1905 the totals were 1,375, 1,504 and 1,320 are timble were 1,375, 1, 342, respectively. It is expected that about 1,500 votes will be registered this

about 1,500 votes will be registered this week. The following were the figures yesterday: District 1, J. T. Hewitt, 118; District 2, A. Graham, 116; District 3, Judge Hardy, 102; District 4, W. G. Livingaton, 63. The registrars were busy in the evening, but the registration is light to-day.

The Citizens Committee and the committee of the City Council hold a joint meeting to-night, when the Hydro-Electric contract will be taken up. Well-informed authorities here are of the opinion that the scheme as far as Brantford is concerned will not go through, although if feasible there is a willingness to enter into an agreement with the Commission. It is the spinion of many, however, that better figures than quoted by the Government can be secured from the private companies now offering power to Brantford. The committee to-night will go into the whole question thoroughly.

Manager Dixon, of the Bell Telephone

thoroughly. Co., has announced that there will be no reduction in the Bell Telephone rates in this city, consequent upon the Canadian Automatic Machine 'Phone Co. putting

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## THE MAN IN OVERALLS

REGISTER. DO IT NOW.

If you don't register you can't vote. Hear McClemont to morrow night,

Yes. Whitney gave (en. Booth \$6,000 or was it \$10,000 to help him send

Mr. Hendrie is still accepting threents an hour for prison labor.

The Mayor seems to be always in trouble, always in hot water, always slangwhanging about something. 1ry the rest cure.

Is the trade school another hobby of

Advise your friends to get the Time I hope this warm spell won't kill the Christmas trees.

Mr. McClemont has a plan on hand to lift the liquor licenses out of politics. Hear him to-morrow night. Sure, Whitney has agents in the

country drumming up immigrants for Ontario—not the Northwest, mind you. Now, dear sir, go and register. Onla day or two to do it. Do it to-night.

Mr. Hendrie's precious Government spends about twice what Ross spent, and the debt has been increased from \$1 a head to \$3 a head. What do you think

I wonder if English is back at the

When the Times objects to the city with the Hydro-Electric Com with the Hydro-Electric Commission, without knowing what it is going to cost us, and being responsible for all the mistakes and blunders that the Commission may make, some people seem to imagine that the Times is sticking up for the Cataract Company. That's a mistake. The Times is only trying to protect the city's interests and the interests of the taxpayers. taxpayers.

Ham. Regan had a meeting up on the mountain last night. But he was unable to throw any fresh light on the Barton

Commissioner Van Allen has returned.

How would Mr. Hendrie like to be joint meeting with Mr. Wardrope?

Although the sandsucker has not go to work yet, I don't hear of anybody be ing poisoned through water.

The Jolley Cut is gradually settling down upon the city. But Chairman Sweeney just laughs. When Rev. Mr. Hossack wrote his

Ross letter the Tories patted him on the back and called him a high principled minister of the gospel. But since he back and called minister of the gospel. But since me whitney one they say he is a Be sure your name is on the voters list. If it isn't, see that you register.

Every Smoker Needs One.

A rubber tobacco pouch saves mu aste and keeps your tobacco in go

# FEAR SMALLPOX.

#### St. Catharines Board of Health Petitions Council.

(Special Despatch to the Times.) St. Catharines, May 19.—That St. Catharines is in danger of smallpox is shown by the fact that Chairman Carlisle, of the local Board of Health, has written to the City Council ask-ing that steps be taken to prevent the ing that steps be taken to prevent the epidemic. The communication was read at last night's meeting of the council, but no action was taken. A lengthy discussion took place over James street pavement, a number of prominent residents by petition opposing the laying of vitrified brick on that thoroughfare on the ground of expense.

### JENNIE OLSEN.

Her Body Identified as One of the Victims of Mrs. Gunness.

#### The Murderess Now Said to be the Daughter of a Norwegian Laborer

Laporte, Ind., May 19.—The issuing of a certificate of death of Jennie Olsen and the turning over of the body by Coroner Mack to her relatives in Chicago puts the official stamp of identifi-cation upon one of the bodies found at the Gunness farm, regarding which there has been much controversy.—Although identified by the brother and sister, many refused to believe that the girl was dead, as Mrs. Gunness had informed a number of persons that Jennie had gone to Los Angeles to attend school, and had arranged little incidents that would help to make this point strong. A letter was received saying that a girl answering her description had been seen in a convent near Los Angeles. This, however, was not substantiated.

The grand jury resumed its sessions to-day. The seven undentified bodies, one female and the other males, exhumed from Mrs. Gunness barn, yard, were to-day buried in the Potter's field.

Who Mrs. Gunness Was.

Trondhjem, Norway, May 19.—Mrs. the Gunness farm, regarding which there

Who Mrs. Gunness Was.

Trondhjem, Norway, May 19.—Mrs. Bella Gunness, the Laporte, Ind., alleged murderess, is believed here to be a daughter of Paul Petersen, who was a farm laborer and quarryman at Storsethgjardet, on Lake Selbo. She was born in 1859, and emigrated to the United States about 25 years ago. Her brother, Peder, a stonemason at Selbo, said she gave evidence of bad character when young. According to the foregoing the previous statement that Bella Gunness was the daughter of a travelling conjurer and magician is erroneous.

### BROKE HIS ARM.

### Charlie Hurton Met With Severe lajury Yesterday.

The host of friends of Charlie Hurton, ember of the Veteran Firemen and caretaker of the City Hall, will be griev ed to learn of a severe accident that wil put him on his back for some time Charlie was cleaning the City Hall direc-tory, just inside the main doors, when Unarie was cleaning the City Hall direa-tory, just inside the main doors, when he fell from a ladder and in the fall to the hard floor sustained a compound fracture of his left arm. Both breaks are between the shoulder and the el-bow. Charlie was taken to his room, on the top floor, where his injuries were at-tended to and he was resting easily this morning.

morning.

About thirty-five years ago Charlie fell a short distance from the Jarvis fell a short distance from the Jarvis building, at King and Jarvis streets which was on fire, and broke one of his legs in two places. He subsequently had another fracture of a leg, and suffered an injury to his back in the City Hell

At his age this accident is rather seri

### out, but his many friends hope for speedy recovery. **VIOLET MARCY SHOT**

### Hamilton Girl Has an Experience Pennsylvania.

On another page of to-day's issue ap pears a story of a young woman who was shot in Greensville, Pa., by an ad mirer. The name given is Violet Marcy, mirer. The name given is Violet Marcy, and it is said she had three bulle's extracted from her arm in Jamestown, to which place she was removed. Missi Marcy gave her address when in Jamestown as Greensville, but Violet is a home brew. She lived on Barton street, this city, for some time, until the police raided the place and Violet went away. She left the city some time ago and has not been heard of until this despatch turned up, saying that she had been turned up, saying that she had beer shot by an admirer because she insisted on leaving Greensville. After the bullets were taken from her arm she continue on her way to Buffalo, and it is likely on her calendar to visit Hamilton again

### TRIED SUICIDE.

#### Preferred Death to Four Years In the Penitentiary. New York, May 19 .- Jennie Blunt

the young woman who yesterday was the young woman who yesterday was sentenced to four years in the penitentiary by Judge Dike in Brooklyn for shooting Charles M. Sanford, a lawyer, attempted suicide to-day. She was found unconscious in her cell in the Raymond street jail from inhaling illuminating gas. Her life was saved by the prompt action of a physician who was hurriedly summoned.

### Selling Well.

# **MUST BE MONOPOLY** OR DEAD FAILURE.

### Poisons Him

New York, May 19 .- Fleeing from plague-stricken Venezuela Edwardo de Erazo, a coffee planter and reputed multi-millionaire came to his death in a fashionable New York hotel early to-day through taking what he believed to be a harmless tonic. His wife, who also took some of the medi cine, is in a serious condition, and the remainder of the party is without a directing head. Whether they will now continue their journey to Europe, where they had planned to remain until the danger from the plague has passed, is yet to be determined. It is alleged that a drug clerk, who prepared the medicine for Mr. de Erazo made an error in compounding the drugs, using atrophin, a deadly poison, instead of aspertein, which the prescription called for.

### ..... DYNAMITED CAR.

Rioting at Cleveland Over the Street Railway Strike.

#### Woman's Jaw Broken and Man's Head Cut.

Cleveland, Ohio, May 19.-Shortly after 1 o'clock this morning a Detroit avenue car was dynamited near 100th street. The trucks were badly damaged, but the single passenger and the crew were not injured. At 12.30 o'clock a small box which the police say contained deadly explosives was found on the tracks at Broadway and East 55th street. The box was discovered with a car less than 50 feet away. Rioting began near the Windmer

Rioting began near the Windmer barns in East Cleveland early this morning, when strikers cut six trolley wires. Linemen for the Municipal Traction Co. turned out in force to repair the dam-age, but were driven back by a gang of 300 men. A brick was thrown at, a Woodlawn car while it was passing east-ward at East 104th street and Wood-lawn avenue. David Benjamin and bis

lawn avenue. David Benjamin and Dis wife, who were on the car, were both struck by the missile. Mrs. Benjamin's jaw was broken, while her husband's face was laid open by the brick. A mob stoned a Woodlawn-Loraine car at 9.45 o'clock and seriously injured the only passenger, Mrs. Edizabeth Meiser.

More Cars Running. More Cars Running.

Nitwithstanding the widespread disorder which prevailed in various parts of the city last night, the Municipal Traction Co. to-day claimed to have more cars in operation than at any time since the strike began. With the approach of daylight the lawlessness had in a large measure ceased, and cars were run on all lines without molestation. No one was seriously injured, so far as reported, during last night's disturbances, although many were slightly hurt.

# HAS 755 MEMBERS.

### Wesley Church Has Had an Encouraging Year.

Wesley Church Official Board held its closing meeting for the conference year last evening, the pastor, Rev. I. Tovell, D. D., presiding. The reports from the different branches of the work were very encouraging. The membership is now 755, an increase over last year. The amount contributed from all sources was \$9,222. W. J. Waugh and S. H. Kent were elected representatives to the district meeting, which is being held in Gore Street Church to-day.

# **KNOWS GOOD THING**

### Brantford Visitor Who Has Read Times 39 Years.

Mr. Thomas Gordon, of Brantford, and subscriber to the Times for 39 years, fice to-day. Mr. Gordon, although 80 years of age, is hale and hearty and takes a deep interest in the affairs of the world. He subscribed to the Times 1869, when he came here to work in the old G. W. R., when Mr. Thos. Swinthe old G. W. R., when Mr. Thos. Swin-yard was general manager, and has tak-en it ever since, although he removed to Brantford twenty years ago. Mr. Gor-don is a Scotchman, from Aberdeen, and knows when he gets his money's worth. He is always well pleased with the Times' news service.

### WILL BE DEPORTED.

Edward J. Kelly, an habitual drunkard for vagrancy a few days ago, will be deported in the course of a week or so. Magistrate Jelfs got the order this morn. ing and signed a paper for Kelly's re-lease, to take effect when the deporta-tion officer presents it at the jail. Kelly will not work, and all he does is drink and sponge lodging at No. 3 police sta-

### DISTRICT MEETING.

### ...... Is London's Opinion of Power Scheme.

### Beck's Home Cold on the Proposition.

### Special Meeting of City Council Called.

Mayor Stewart, acting on the request of twelve aldermen, has been forced to call a special meeting of the City Council for noon to-morrow to consider the proposition to have the site of the Consumption, changed from the Copeland avenue property to the northeast corner of the hospital grounds. Residents street are making a strong fight to have the location changed. The twelve aldermen who signed the request for the special meeting are Lewis, Anderson Sweeney, Guy, Gardner, Farmer, Clark, A. J. Wright, Hennessey, Jutten, Howard and Crerar. Ald, Jutten and Farmer, at the last Council meeting against changing the site and Ald. Clark was absent. One storey of the building is up already, and the Mayor is quite is up already, and the Mayor is quite confident that at the meeting to-morrow a majority of the Council will vote against changing the site. The nine aldermen who voted against the change before were Nicholson, Jutten, Dickson, H. G. Wright, Peregrine, Evans, Farrar, Farmer and Bailey.

Marking time, waiting for the settlement of the power question, the city for six months has been holding the cheques of the firms tendering on electric pumps. Each cheque is for \$1,000 and there are ten tenders. In one or two cases the firms have apparently become disgusted with the city's action and have demanded that their cheques be returned. The Fire and Water Committee to-morrow night will discuss the matter and it is expected will order the return of the cheques of those firms, whose figures are considered too high. The committee will also deal with the application of the firemen for more time off, the report of R. L. Atkin, who has been investigating damage done to the water pipes by electrolysis and other small matters.

#### (Continued on page 5.) M'PHAIL KILLED.

### Member of 77th Regiment In Railway Accident.

The remains of Robert McPhail arrived from Smith's Falls on Saturday even-ing, and were taken to the residence of his father-in-law, John McPherson, two miles above Freelton. The funeral took place Monday at 2 o'clock, and was very largely attended from all parts of the county. Deceased was killed in an accident on the C. P. R. at Kemptville by falling from a ballast train. He was born in Beverly 36 years ago, and leaves a widow and two daughters, Marion and Annie, to mourn his loss. Rev. Charles Ashdown, Kirkwall, and Rev. A. R. Gregory, Toronto, officiated at the house, and Rev. Charles Ashdown at the grave. The pall-bearers were: Sergt. Wilkinson, K. McDonald, A. Valons, A. McKeller, J. Hood and E. McGeahie. The floral tributes were: Wreaths, family, Masonic Lodge, Guelph, mother and brother, bory sof No. 8 company of 77th Regiment, Freelton, of which he was a member, Our Comrade, from 77th Regiment, sprays, two daughters, Marion and Annie, Mrs. Monk, Mrs. Preciouses, Guelph, Mrs. Daly and others. miles above Freelton. The funeral took

## CHINESE TAX.

### Only One Chinese Immigrant Came to Ontario Last Year.

(Special Despatch to the Times.) Ottawa, Ont., May 19 .- The poll tax of \$500 on each Chinese immigrant coming into Canada brought the Federal ing into Canada brought the Federal treasury no less a sum than \$690,000. The total arrival of Chinese was 1,380 each paying \$500 on entry. Under the terms of the act, half the tax goes to the Dominion and half to British Columbia, where nearly all the Celestials remain. To-day the Finance Department is forwarding a cheque to the Provincial Government for \$345,000, being half the total amount received. Entries of Chinese in other provinces were as follows: Ontario. 1; Saskatchewan, 1; New Brunswick, 4; Nova Scotia, 3; Quebec, 74.

### CANNOT GO.

#### Three Men Not Going to Bisley-Their Substitutes.

(Special Despatch to the Times.) Ottawa, May 19.—Capt. T. J. Mur-phy, of the London 7th, has notified militia authorities that owing to ill-health he will not be able to go

ill-health he will not be sole to go to Bisley this year.

Sergeant Richardson, of Vancouver, and Major Bethune, of Montreal, have sent word that they will not be able to go. The men who take their places are Sergeant Martin, of Calgary, Major Jones, of Prince Edward Island, and Private Williams, of Nova Scotia.