

OFFICE HELP AT CITY HALL STAGE 'AT HOME'

Civic Employees Turn Municipal Offices Into Ball-room.

GIRLS PROVIDE SUPPER

City Clerk Baker Carries Off First Prize For Men in Card Playing.

A social event of high order was the little at home staged in the city hall on Monday night by the members of the staff and their friends.

To the women members of the staff of City Treasurer James Bell rests the responsibility for and the success of the event. It was held in the treasurer's office and was mirthsome and jolly from start to finish.

The treasurer's private office and the general office were given over to cards, twelve tables being engaged in a merry euchre battle. This had its surprises. Mrs. Garritt captured the ladies' first with the highest score of all. City Clerk Baker emerged at the head of the male cardplayers, while at the same time Mrs. Baker stepped to the fore and captured the ladies' consolation. In the meantime, in the auditor's office, a different story was being told. This is a new addition to the building and is provided with an excellent floor. Its true worth was well tested out by a merry throng of dancers urged on by excellent music. First the younger frolickers had their innings, then following the cards, some of the old-time square dances provided an irresistible call for the old members and they once again succumbed.

The girls in the treasurer's office had worked hard to decorate the hall up with the result that it was a regular bower of beauty. The decorations were dainty and attractive. Beautiful flowers graced the various vantage points. All the girls at the city hall had combined to prepare supper and this part proved as enjoyable as the rest of the program.

During the evening Mr. Edward Wood of the city engineer's staff, and Mr. William Saunders of the treasurer's staff, entertained with well rendered songs. Both proved pleasant singers, possessed of excellent voices. Following the declaration of the card prize winners, Mayor Wilson, on behalf of the staff, presented suitable prizes.

REPORTS SURRENDER OF MOORISH TRIBESMEN

London, Jan. 31.—An important surrender of Moorish tribesmen to the Spanish forces in Morocco is reported in a Central News dispatch from Madrid, relaying Melilla advice. These state that Chief Benecheal, with 3,000 Moors, submitted to Col. Riquelme, and handed over property that had been taken from General Navarro and other Spaniards held prisoner by the Moors.

BEGIN ANTI-BRITISH CAMPAIGN IN INDIA

Gandhi Lays Plan For Civil Disobedience Experiment.

London, England, Jan. 31.—Today having been fixed as the beginning of the "civil disobedience" campaign in India, several of the London newspapers discuss the outlook, which they regard with considerable anxiety.

The plan laid down by M. K. Gandhi, non-co-operationist leader, to try the disobedience experiment first in the two areas of Bardoli and Anand seems from various reports little likely to be observed, indications being that the scheme will be put into operation throughout a much wider area. The recent movement in the Guntur district is cited in support of this supposition.

Reports appear almost daily in the London press, showing that the non-co-operation propaganda is becoming intensified in the rural areas, where the peasantry is elated at the prospect held out by Gandhi's agents that they shall be exempt from taxation. There are also indications of serious unrest in some provinces, chiefly at Barabanki and Hardoi, in Northern Oudh, where it is reported with assertions similar to those which materially aided the cause of the Indian mutiny. Among these are statements that the British are mixing wines with the medicines issued at the public dispensaries, and are using pork fat in certain manufactures (both pork and wines are anathema to Mohammedans).

Similar stories affecting the religious prejudices of the Hindus are circulating with the purpose of inciting that section of the population. Official dispatches admit the seriousness of the situation, pointing out that "the mass of inflammable material is so great that the possibility of widespread disturbances in the near future cannot be ignored. The position for the moment is described by a writer in today's Morning Telegraph as "one of expectancy and preparation on the part of both the authorities and the extremists."

CLAIM BODY NOT FOUND AT SCENE OF SLAYING

Montreal, Jan. 31.—W. Amoyot, K. C., representing the provincial attorney-general's department, arrived here yesterday in connection with the inquiry into the murder of Raoul Delorme, the 24-year-old Ottawa college student, found dead in an outskirt of the city on Jan. 7 last. Mr. Amoyot at once got in touch with officials at work on the case.

Information obtained by detectives yesterday established proof that the murder did not occur near where the body was found. The discolored in the snow has been found on analysis to be animal matter and not blood, as was at first thought.

Efforts to have Rev. Father Delorme's automobile identified as the one seen on the night of the murder and claimed to have contained the victim and another man, broke down on Saturday, when the person who made the statement was shown the priest's car, and said it was a totally different make of machine.

DEBATE SCHOOL SALARIES AT SECRET SESSION

Board of Education Committee Closes Doors Against Press.

REASONS ARE OFFERED

Trustees Declare Opinions of Certain Teachers Not For Public's Ears.

The special salary committee of the board of education entered into business in real earnestness Tuesday morning. While the meeting was held behind closed doors and the press was promptly barred, it was explained by the department authorities that in the consideration of teachers' salaries, it must necessarily follow that personalities be indulged in, and naturally the trustees would not care to make public what might be their opinion of the respective teachers.

They assume this stand for obvious reasons, they assert. Principal W. H. T. Mooney of the Collegiate Institute and Principal H. B. Beal of the London Technical and Art School were both in attendance to submit the case for the various members of their staffs and offer suggestions, etc.

The committee is endeavoring to base its findings upon considerable data that was amassed by Secretary W. A. Tanner, revealing the various salary scales in the centers of comparative size throughout the province.

It is fully expected that Trustee Bice's committee will have a report to submit at the next session of the board. This group includes the Trustee Smith, chairman of the board, and the chairmen of the various committees.

HON. W. S. FIELDING HAS SEVERE COLD

Ottawa, Jan. 31.—Hon. W. S. Fielding, minister of finance, is confined to his home here with a severe cold, contracted last week while traveling in the east. His illness is not serious.

YOU NEED NOT HAVE A COLD if you will take Laxative BROMO QUININE Tablets when you feel the first symptoms of a Cold coming on.

DECIDE ON TEACHER'S PAY IN SWIFT CURRENT

Swift Current, Sask., Jan. 31.—School trustees and municipal officials in convention here have approved of the following schedule of pay as a just one in view of present financial conditions: For teachers with two years' high school and short normal course, \$800 to \$1,100; for teachers with second-class diploma and normal training, \$900 to \$1,200; and for teachers with first-class diplomas and normal training, \$1,050 to \$1,300.

ANGLO-SAXON IS LEADER IN THE MEDICAL WORLD

Famous British Surgeon Tells London Audience of Present-Day Needs.

CO-OPERATION ESSENTIAL

Albert Carless, Pleads For Closer Ideals Between Doctors and Public.

Education of the public to co-operate with the medical profession in an intelligent effort to ward off preventable diseases, was the keynote of an address delivered by Albert Carless, C.B.E., M.B., M.S. (London), F.R.C.S., medical director of Barnardo Homes, and noted English surgeon, before the Western Ontario Academy of Medicine and Faculty and students of Western University in the above institution Monday afternoon. The speaker is a Londoner in connection with his duties as medical director of Barnardo Homes, having given up the practice of surgery for charitable work.

Must Present Case. "I was horrified to come out to Canada and find you are just as bad as we are for tuberculosis," he informed his audience. "Until you doctors talk frankly to the people you are not going to get the death rate down. This might be said to be killing the goose that laid the golden egg, but so long as prejudice and ignorance live, so long will we have work to do."

In his opening remarks, Mr. Carless referred to "The Manual of Surgery," of which he is the author, and which is used as a surgical text book by medical students in all parts of the world. He traced its inception from the initial edition 23 years ago until the latest issue of 20,000 copies. He paid tribute to the late William Rose, his colleague, who assisted him in preparing the volume.

"I don't believe any of you have spent more hours over that book than I have," he said. "It had its defects and 'childish ailments' but was improved by degrees until it has attained its majority. It went to the war and came back all the stronger. It has become well established, and is forming ideas for the young British student."

Has Been Translated.

"For this reason I take pride in that book, which has been translated into Chinese, Arabic and other languages. That book is my introduction to you."

Mr. Carless then outlined his early days as a surgeon, when 42 years ago he saw his first operation. This operation was performed by Mr. Joseph Lister, pioneer of antiseptic surgery, who later became Lord Lister. He stated that Lord Lister's assistant at that operation was Sir St. Clair Thomson, noted British laryngologist.

"Many years I had the honor of working with him," continued the speaker, referring to Lord Lister, which was the opportunity of very few men.

"I am here to tell you the results of my observations that during that whole time only on one occasion was a wound infected, and that through the fault of a nurse. That is a record."

Mr. Carless contrasted the early days of his surgery, when the surgeon wore no gown, no mask and no gloves, but did operations attired in linen collar and frock coat, with a mild solution of carbolic acid as the sole antiseptic.

Man Alone Counts.

"The results were just as satisfactory as those of today without the appliances of today. The lesson I want to draw is that to you younger men is that it is not the gloves, or mask that is all important, not the white paint and marble which is essential in the long run; it is the man who stands behind these things, who is willing to give time to details and personal application to his work."

Mr. Carless stated that in his opinion the surgeon of today is apt to allow too much work to be done "out of sight," such as relying upon the X-ray or pathologist for a diagnosis, which he should make himself, and would make himself these modern methods not available. He warned his audience that he was not belittling the work of the pathologist or radiologist, both of which are invaluable aides, but merely indicating that they are burdened with work, which is not fair to them, the patient, or the surgeon responsible.

Need Public Education.

"We want more public education," he concluded. "The biggest triumph in the war was in the prevention of diseases. In other wars, such as the Peninsular campaign of Wellington, disease claimed ten men to one by wounds; in South Africa it was five to one; in the Russo-Japanese war the Japs lost more than two to one, while in Flanders during the great war there was a transformation, with only one death from disease to fifteen from bullets and shrapnel. That means practically nothing from disease in the great war."

Anglo-Saxon Leads.

During the course of his address, Mr. Carless mentioned the fact that the greatest progress in medical and surgical progress has been made by the Anglo-Saxons, with the Germans noted for exploitation of the discoveries of others. He pointed out the fact that the house occupied by William Hunter, a pioneer in medical research, which is located at Folkestone, England, is now tenanted by Dr. Walter Crawford, a former Londoner, and a graduate of Western University.

Director Carless interspersed his address with witty remarks and anecdotes. Other speakers at the session included Dr. John Wishart, Dr. A. J. Grant and Dr. C. A. Harris. Dr. E. L. Hodgins presided at the meeting.

In addition to being medical director of the Barnardo Homes, Mr. Carless is consulting surgeon to the Eastern Command of the British Army, emeritus professor of surgery



February Is Sewing Month

Tomorrow this store will emerge from the deluge of January sales, which has purified our stocks for a clean start on the new spring season's business. Visit the store tomorrow and you will find, like a night snowfall, the new spring fabrics are sparkling. February is the month for spring sewing, and our wash goods are arriving. New Gingham, Cottons, Lawns, Voiles, Dimities, Repp and Poplin, in many special qualities for the early season's selling. These early displays are an inspiring change and a relief from the sombre things of winter.

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- No. 18842—Just a Little Love Song, Fox Trot; Ty Pie, Fox Trot; Paul Whiteman and his Orchestra; 10-inch 35c
- No. 18843—Granny, Your My Mammy's Mammy, Club Royal; All That I Need is You, Fox Trot, orchestra; 10-inch 35c
- No. 18845—I Want My Mammy, Fox Trot; Stealing, Fox Trot; Jos. C. Smith and his Orchestra; 10-inch 35c
- No. 35714—Popular Song of Yesterday, Part 1; Popular Song of Yesterday, Part 2; Waltz; Hackel Berge's Orchestra; 12-inch \$1.50
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- No. 74724—Alice, Where Are Thou?, Mischa Ellman, 12-inch \$2.25
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- No. 74726—Fete Boheme, Foscanine La Scala Orchestra, 12-inch \$2.25
- No. 64955—Russian Dance, Eftem Zimbalist, 10-inch \$1.50
- No. 78840—Run, Run, Run, Waltzes 1, 2 and 3, Victor Orchestra, 10-inch 35c
- No. 216356—Guards' Brigade March; Military Cross March; Metropolitan Military Band; 10-inch 35c

CHAUFFEURS RIOT IN MEXICO CITY

Protest Requirement of Good Conduct Certificate Before Issuance of License.

Mexico City, Jan. 31.—Disturbances in Mexico City and suburbs, accompanied a series of demonstrations staged yesterday by chauffeurs against a recent order from the governor of the federal district requiring all automobile drivers to furnish certificates of good conduct before securing licenses. The order followed protests that numerous chauffeurs were in reality robbers or other criminals who plied their trade while driving taxicabs.

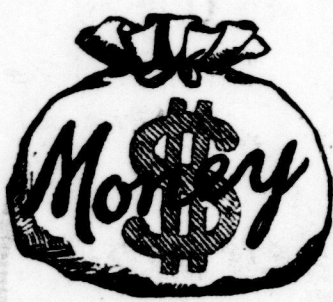
Hundreds of drivers were unable to show certificates yesterday and were deprived of their licenses. Wild street scenes followed, in which the unlicensed chauffeurs attacked other drivers and wrecked several automobiles. There were numerous arrests. A policeman was shot and seriously wounded last night when he attempted to break up a demonstration in front of the chauffeurs' union headquarters. The belligerent attitude taken by the protesting drivers intimidated those holding licenses to such an extent that the capital early this morning was virtually without taxicabs or jitneys.

SHIP REACHES ENGLISH PORT COATED WITH ICE

Plymouth, Eng., Jan. 31.—Covered from stem to stern with ice and snow, the American Line steamer Kronland, from New York Jan. 21 for Plymouth, Cherbourg and Antwerp, arrived here today after a tempestuous voyage. The Kronland was hoisted for ten hours last Tuesday when she ran into a hurricane, and for nearly a week she was obliged to buffet continuous gales, which sometimes blew at the rate of 90 miles an hour. Seas frequently swept the decks, and for days at a time they resembled raging torrents. No accidents on board, however, were reported. During her trip, the Kronland passed the Belgian steamer Samland, from New York, Jan. 20 for Hamburg and Danzig. The Samland reported she had been driven out of her course by the hurricane.

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