POSTPONEMENT OF CHURCH UNION URGED

STABBED TO DEATH IN MONTREAL APARTMENT Second-Year Course To Be

mous Hockey Player of Stratford, and Well Known Here. Victim of Quarrel.

TWO MEN, TWO WOMEN. ARE HELD BY POLICE

Police Find Bread Knife In Room Where Party Had Been Held.

MONTREAL, June 1-(Canadian Press Dispatch).—Cut to the bone at the elbow and wrist, following a quar-rel, the cause of which has not yet been ascertained, during which he was thrown through a glass door at the apartment house of J. B. Gunn, at St. Catherine street west, Dr. Ram-Rankin, of Stratford, Ont., died in sey Rankin, of Stratford, Ont., died in the Western Hospital early the morn-

Two men and two women were ing held this morning by the police for Ramsay Rankin was the son of

J. P. Rankin, at one time the mayor J. D. FLAVELLE, chairman of the of Stratford, and also a member of Ontario License Board, who retired Parliament for North Perth. He was a great amateur hockey player, figuring prominently on his home town team

and with McGill. PARTY INTERRUPTED.

From information gathered by the police it appears that a party took place at an apartment at 624 St. Catharine street west. Around 11 o'clock, occuin other apartments heard the front door bell ring. The doce was opened and almost immediately a quarrel ensued. A sound of crashing glass was heard and when an investigation was made Dr. Rankin was found lying on the stairs in a pool of his own blood. He was in his under-

It is thought that Dr. Rankin was Talks To Guards For Hours. first stabbed with a knife and then thrown through a door, the glass in which cut him in several places. Occupants of the building telephoned for the police and an ambulance was brought. At the Western Hospital where the wounded doctor was taken, the artery in his right arm was found to have been cut. He was partly conbut his talk was incoherent. Restrictions May Be Somewhat He died early this morning without having explained the affair.

When the police examined the S Catharines street premises they found glasses and two bottles of liquor. The furniture was knocked over as if a trugg'e had taken place there and on spent his second to last night on earth was found a large bread knife. practically the same as the many others

It was learned by the police that Dr. he has spent in Oxford County jail. He Rankin was staying in the apartment 624 St. Catherine street west. One man, minus his coat, left the house before the other dwellers had time to now what was going on, the witness eclared when questioned by Inspector

Detectives Crowther ur and Monarque ions from the inmates of the apart- hours from now I will be in heaven and cted the stabbing with the appearnce on the scene of a guest from the Hotel. It is believed that he is a position to explain what took place ire party at the apartment house.

When the fight occurred occupants of e other apartments in the house were the final parting. sed by the noise. On the third of the house, on the northeast le, is the scene of the fight. The parts.in the fight were in the apartnt of Gunn, and, according to what out as privately as possible, and no one detectives were able to learn after- will be present except those actually ards, the fight took place in the hail-ay outside the door of the apartment. This morning the p outside the door of the apartment. This morning the prisoner has not mation given to the detectives was changed one bit in his demeanor and at the door bell of the Gunn apart-ent had been rung and that someone lows to-morrow morning at 8 o'clock the ad gone to the door and opened it. It coolest one of those in attendance.

Dr. Andrew McLay has been appointed coroner for the inquest, and he same floor. The fight started quick y and was over almost as quickly. It thought that Dr. Rankin was first the body of Reginald Burchall, executed (Continued on Page Two) here 30 years ago.

Condemned Man Reads It. But

Pushes a Dozen Others Aside

Unopened.

WOODSTOCK, June 1 .- (Cana-

dian Press Dispatch).-The most

outstanding and dramatic letter of

outstanding and dramatic letter of all those received by Norman Garfield, perhaps, since he has gone back to his cell, was the one sent to him by John Tracey, the man who put the handcuffs on him while he lay pinioned on the ground at Stewarttown on Friday afternoon.

Received by an officer yesterday

morning, it was relayed by the sheriff to the death watch just be-

fore he took the provincial officers

terday afternoon. Letters, like all the things of life, that ordinarily are looked forward to with a thrill

of expectation, have no interest to the condemned man. "A dozen

more of them from the United States and Canada," he was heard

to say wearily and somewhat cyni-cally, yesterday morning as he brushed a pile of them, noticeably increasing since his recapture,

But John Tracey's letter was not

PRACTICAL SYMPATHY.

Man Who Captured Garfield

Writes Sympathetic Letter

QUITS LICENSE BOARD.

Ontario License Board, who retired

Spent Last Night Much As

Relaxed When Last Good-

Byes Are Said To-Day.

has taken a great notion to one of the

Last night he was in a very talk-

off duty at 10 p.m. he was still anxiou

Sheriff McGhee this morning intimat

one of these. It was brought to him unopened. It was sensible and sympathetic in a practical way, from a man whose sense of duty.

lively imagination to see into the condemned man's mind. Three

times at least, said Mr. Tracey, at Georgetown, he had been offered

the magistracy, but he had refus-

ed, "because I'm too chicken hearted."

Tracey's letter through to the end.

in your capture I hope you will not think that it was with any

feeling against you personally nor was it with the hope of re-

ward as I did not know that

there was one offered, but simply a sense of duty that actuated me. I am glad that

it was not necessary to injure

you in any way for I should

always have regretted that

Believe me that the prayers of

myself and wife will be with

you till the end, and, if there is

any way in which we can be of

any assistance to your young wife and unborn child, trust that we will, Good-bye, and

God sustain and comfort you. "Yours truly, J. Tracey."

Norman Garfield read

though dominant, yet reserves

him for hours.

NO OUTSIDERS

HE WILL DIE GAME.

Spread Over Two Years In

FOUR-YEAR COURSE FOR MATRICULATION.

Teach General Course That Will Lead To University Or Normal School.

Sweeping changes in the high school courses study will be announced within a few days and Principal W. H. T. Mooney, of the Collegiate Institute, today outlined some of the more important ones. These include spreading the was now assigned to the second year years. This will mean a compulsory four-year course for matriculation and Normal entrance, which will be effected by making both a junior and a senior ool in place of the present one-year middle school.

Mr. Mooney also pointed out that the Collegiate Institute, beginning next fall, will teach a general course, which will not lead either to university or Normal School, but will be complete in itself. In fact, a junior university course sufficient in itself to give young men and secondary to that acquired in universities. This general course will also be very practical in that the peculiar needs of the students taking it will be considered. A young man planning to be a master plumber will not be called on, in the general course, for proficiency in Greek; a young woman with an ambition to become a trained nurse or social worker would not be required to specialize in trigonometry.

WIDE LATITUDE. Wide latitude will be allowed principals in the shaping of this general course to meet local needs. But one of the most important changes to go into effect next fall is that all courses of study will be greatly simplified and that no student will be allowed to take more than eight studies at one time.

In the first year of high school only three subjects will be obligatory, name-

choose seven. The upper school course of study, which will occupy the fourth WOODSTOCE, June 1 .- (Canadian year of the high school course, will be Press Dispatch.) - Norman Garfield

Mr. Mooney stated that the would not come a moment too soon for the good of the pupils, teachers and course hitherto in force has worked a strain on pupils that several prominen provincial guards sent here by the those detailed as witnesses is provincial guards sent here by the local physicians have protested against own Gunn, of Apartment 12. Government and while he is on duty as harmful to the health of pupils.

sits at the cell door and chats with **ELECTION ACT BILL CARRIES IN HOUSE** ative mood and when the guard went

OTTAWA, June 1 .- (Canadian Press hours from now I will be in heaven and better off than you fellows," was one of his parting remarks to his guard.

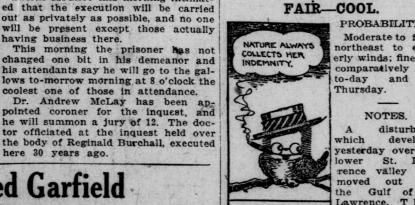
The condemned man speaks continually of his young wife and manifests.

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OTTAWA, June 1.—Canadian Press

Dispatch.)—At 2.15 this morning the Commons divided on an is to reduce the excessively high morning the One of the main objects of the work is to reduce the excessively high morning the Commons divided on an is to reduce the excessively high morning the Commons divided on an is to reduce the excessively high morning the Commons divided on an is to reduce the excessively high morning the Commons divided on an is to reduce the excessively high morning the Commons divided on an is to reduce the excessively high morning the Commons divided on an is to reduce the excessively high morning the Commons divided on an is to reduce the excessively high morning the Commons divided on an is to reduce the excessively high morning the Commons divided on an is to reduce the excessively high morning the Commons divided on an is to reduce the excessively high morning the Commons divided on an is to reduce the excessively high morning the Commons divided on an is to reduce the excessively high morning the Commons divided on an is to reduce the excessively high morning the Commons divided on an is to reduce the excessively high morning the Commons divided on an is to reduce the excessively high morning the Commons divided on an is to reduce the excessively high morning the Commons divided on an is to reduce the excessively high morning the Common divided on an is to reduce the excessively high morning the Common divided on an is to reduce the excessively high morning the Common divided on an is to reduce the excessively high morning the Common divided on an is to reduce the excessively high morning the Common divided on an is to reduce the excessively high morning the Common divided on an is to reduce the excessively high morning the Common divide ually of his young wife and manifests was lost by 11, the vote standing: For, deep concern over her future. This afternoon the final parting will take solidly with the Liberal Opposition in up to a year old have been exceedingly explanation as to the cause of the place between the members of the Gar-support of the amendment. Mr. Euler's ight or the identity of the other par- field family, who are all here, and the amendment provided for granting the

> The House adjourned at 2.20 a. m. FAIR-COOL.



third reading

rly winds; fine and Thursday. lower St. Law-

Toronto 84

Kingston

Ottawa

moved out over the Gulf of St. Lawrence. This movement has been derstorms in Eastern Ontario, the Ottawa and St. Lawrence valleys and And Offers Assistance showery weather now prevails in the Maritime Provinces. Cooler weather, with light showers, is settling over the West. Elsewhere in Canada, fair, cool weather prevails. TEMPERATURES

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Negroes and Whites In Fierce Fight; 75 Slain; Troops Are Called Out

Crosses Canada On Foot To Air His Grievances

VANCOUVER, B. C., June 1 .-Clad in khaki overalls, stout boots and a pack slung from his shoulder, W. H. Coulder left yesterday on a march to Ottawa, where he will lay a grievance as a returned soldier before the

Coulder served in the royal navy during his younger days, but was in Canada when the war broke out and joined up, although he was then 52 years of age. He was later invalided out of the Canadian army and joined the Royal Imperial Engineers.

He asked to be re-established as a navigator, but says he was informed he was too old to take a course and one of his com-plaints is that he was not too old to go to France. Another of his grievances is that he was given 42 days' field punishment while in France and lashed to the wheels of guns in action.

It is these matters he hopes call attention to by walking to

Service Council Stages men and a brakeman had been shot to been presented. Social Baby Weeks.

Child Welfare.

His majesty the baby is to be elevated to a pedestal and showered with all sorts of attention by the Social Service Council this year. More welfare weeks ly, English literature and composition, physiography and Canadian history, and will be held throughout the province physiography and Canadian history, and algebra and geometry. Optional subjects, of which only five may be taken, include arithmetic, grammar, art, geography, biology, Latin, French, Greek German, Spanish or Italian. Greek, German, Spanish or Italian.

In the middle school there will be only one obligatory study in one year. A large list of optional subjects will be offered from which the student will choose seven. The upper school course of study, which will occupy the fourth outstanding ability at the head of this important department, the work is bound to progress. I don't believe there is a man in the Dominion mor qualified to undertake the duties of di rector than Mr. Bryce, who has so suc cessfully extended the Mothers' Allow

ance Act throughout the province.' Propaganda of various sorts will b relied upon by the new director to focus the attention of the public on child wel fare. Literature and exhibits of an ap propriate nature will be supplied, whil educationists who are posted on the needs of the work will lecture at different centers, especially when weeks are being held.

SAVE THE BABIES.

doomed man. The restrictions imposed, it is expected, will be relaxed and it is just possible that the condemned man will be brought out in the corridar for the final parting. which has been held in this city and which will be introduced throughout Onmunity and to the individual parent By means of a concentrated week's at-tention on the child the individual citiity is roused to the claim of the baby and the child upon the municipality and the country. The effort also air to bring home to the parent the dignity and responsibility of parenthood and to widen the knowledge of the mothers comparatively cool in the care and the requisites of the

> TARIFF RESULTS IN DROP IN CATTLE PRICES

MONTREAL. June 1 .- As a result of the United States emergency tariff, cat- pulp and paper manufacturers, tle prices in the market here have fallen two cents a pound on account of the stopping of the exportation of stock per cent. cut in wages and the open to New York State.

Tulsa Center of Race Riots, Which Are Spreading

Through Oklahoma. 500 WHITES BATTLE WITH 1,000 NEGROES.

Trainmen Who Passed On Tracks Between Factions Among the Victims.

outbreak in Tulsa, acording to a telephone message to Governor Robertson here to-day from the chief of police

DISORDERS SPREAD.

ing since news of the race disorders at Tulsa was received here. 1,500 ENGAGED.

gunfire broke out shortly after daylight near the negro quarter of Tulsa, the TULSA, Okla., June 1.-Continuous of all-night race disturbances, in calling out of Oklahoma National Guard units to put down the disorder.

The firing came from a spot where throughout the early morning hours 500 white men and 1,000 negroes faced each other across railroad tracks. First bodies of from six to 10 negroes could be seen lying in a space described as "no man's land." The police also had a report that three railway switch-

THE REASON.

The trainmen were killed, it was reported to have escaped.

negroes appeared on the streets headed for the courthouse. A crowd of negroes surrounded the building.

Armed white men began to gather.

The armyde soon reached such proports to the courthouse of the building total. These amounted to \$2,619,176. tions that the authorities realized the

TROOPS SENT.

The governor directed Adjutant-Gennotice. None of the persons killed had and of \$160,437 over those of 1918 street fighting.

Occupants of the last car to go amounted to \$1,377,820, as compared with that at intervals gray-haired brethren

ing reported that fully 1,000 armed negroes were still to be seen?

left here to-day on board a special train which took one Oklahoma City machine gun company to Tulsa. of the situation until crowds are dis- First Prosecution Under Amendpersed, he said.

WORKERS AT HOSPITAL GO OUT ON STRIKE

HAMILTON, June 1 .- Because son onunion men were put to work, the on bricklayers, carpenters and plasterers employed at the Ontario Hos-pital for the Insane, in the rebuilding of the Orchard House wing, destroyed some time ago by fire, quit work this morning. Nelson Hicks, provincial arch-

itect, is being sent for. PAPER WORKERS ACCEPT CUT. Jonkiers plants of the Price Brothers, have accepted the firm's offer of a 20

TORONTO JOB PRINTERS ON STRIKE FOR 44-HOUR WEEK AND HIGHER WAGES ter all the manufacturers of sausage in my district and those who use dyes will be punished."

ployees Are Affected-Printing Houses Are Standing Firm. strike in 15 out of the 23 job printing TORONTO, June 1.—From 2,000 to About 300 members of the interna-

Between 2,000 and 3,000 Em- AT OTTAWA, TOO.

men are asking for a 44-hour week with a minimum wage of \$44, while the employers, represented by the Toronto Typothetea, made a final offer of \$36 for a 48-hour week or \$33 for a the wage of the union are employed. The international has called out Le Droit printers along with the job men, on the prominent citizens who were caught mixing their soft drinks at the Wood-bine race track with a little something the printers along the prominent citizens who were caught mixing their soft drinks at the Wood-bine race track with a little something the printers. Rev. S. W. Fallis, of the Methodist job printing work. Book Room, who has been appointed Le Droit in commenting upon the as chairman of the employers' defense situation says that, while the manage-

committee, said this morning that ment is ready and willing to negotiate there had been no fresh developments with its employees, it will refuse abso-over night. He said that the employers were resolved to stand firm in the belief that the industry would not bear any more costs than those at present shouldered.

The said that the country in the belief that the industry would not this country and which does not respect its engagements.

The main difficulty between the massers of \$147,172,375.

shops in this city to-morrow morning, 3,000 employees of printing houses here tional union are affected. The only are on strike to-day, as expected. The newspaper affected will be the French newspaper affected will be the French

OTTAWA, May 31.-Printers, press-

men, book binders and apprentices will

The employees are prepared for a protracted strike, having recently levied a 10 per cent. weekly wage as-

Church Union Committee Re port To Be Brought In This Week.

PROGRESS IS MADE: CO-OPERATION URGED.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., June 1.— Financial Report Shows PresbySeventy-five persons, whites and
negroes, have been killed in a race terians Had Record Year of Giving.

TORONTO, June 1 .- (Canadian Press Dispatch.)-Unanimous agreement rec-MUSKOGEE, Okia., June 1.-A riot ommending to the Presbyterian genercall was sounded here to-day. The al assembly further postponement of situation had been reported threaten- organic union with the Methodist, Congregational and Anglican churches has been reached by the church union committee which will report to the as

The report recommends, it is under steed, a constitution of co-operation and negroes took part and which resulted in the death and injury of an inknown number of persons and the opinion that the time is not ripe for actual organic union. though the committee has reached a report, it is said, will show definite progress toward that ultimate object-

Incidentally this is the first time that Presbyterian church union committee has reached a unanimous report on this contentious subject. At previous assemblies a minority report has always

THE YEAR'S GIVINGS

The grand total of the giving of the Presbyterian Church in Canported, because they refused to permit ada during 1920 for maintenance. Rev. Peter Bryce Director of the opposing crowds to equipment and extension reached the ride upon a switch engine passing be-record sum of about four and a half tween the lines. The engineer was remillion dollars, or to be more exact, orted to have escaped. \$4,464,566, the highest figure in the history of the church in Canada. This had its inception over the arrest late was the summary of the report prehad its inception over the arrest late was the summary of the resulting the sented by the treasurers, Rev. Robert Laird, D. D., for Western Canada, and Rev. Thomas Stewart, D. D., for East-Thomas Stewart, D. D., for East-T The negro was taken to the court house and lodged in the jail on the upper floor of the building. Early in the Forward Movement thank offerings

> totaled \$1.165.536. Contributions to the China famine situation was beyond their control and fund made up \$237,504, and the amounts Ministerial Session Appoints graduation. a call was sent to the governor for raised by the women's missionary so-cieties totaled more than \$400,000. Bequests to the church funds amounted

to less than \$100,000 The governor directed Adjutant-General Charles F. Barrett to take any steps necessary to handle the trouble. The adjutant-general ordered out three companies of Guardsmen here and sent companies of Guardsmen here and sent companies to comp instructions to commanding officers in \$4,000,000. The budget givings of the a number of nearby towns to be precongregations for the year showed an pared to rush men here on immediate increase of \$18,304 over those of 1919, notice. None of the persons killed had been identified to-day. Officials were The total amount received for the morning he carried his audience from

uncertain as to the exact number of maintenance of missionaries, educational laughter to tear-wet eyes and back persons injured last night, but they and benevolent work was \$1,872,663, as again as a master plays upon a church declared it probably would be large compared with \$1,611,055 in 1919 and organ. Laughter is not usual at the de-Many of the injured, it was said, were \$1,387,739 in 1918. What is known as votional exercises of London conferwhile engaging in hand-to-hand "budget revenue," including congrega- ence. That it is not incompatible with

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., June 1.— Adjutant-General Charles F. Barrett, In charge of Oklahoma National Guard, left here to-day on heard

ed Pure Food Act. The first proceeding under a recently added section of the Dominion Food and Drugs Act, which prohibits the use of artificial coloring matter or dyes in the manufacture of sausage, was taken by His Scripture lesson, the latter part of William E. Wilson, Dominion food inspector, against the St. Thomas Pack- from memory.

pany was fined \$25 and costs

of Mr. Robbins was the first and the ask: 'Did you receive the Holy Ghost PAPER WORKERS ACCEPT CUT. evidence on which he was found when you believed?'

QUEBEC, June 1.—The strike at the guilty was contained in samples of "When I go down sausage taken from the packing com-pany's plant by the inspector.

and they tell me there is a letter for me, I have no better judgment than to reach It was not charged that the coloring out and take it. Here is this promise matter was deleterious to the quality of 'I will come to you,' and come the goods, but the case was prosecuted He does, in the presence and power because the new section refuses to of the Holy Spirit.

permit the use of such dyes. Until the "Did you ever stand face to face with

> of sausage was permitted, and it is said that in the case of the St. Thomas Company there was no intention of violating the law.
> "There will be no excuse in future," said Inspector Wilson. "I am going af-

TORONTO, June 1.—Dr. John Noble, former "dean" of the Toronto Board of

DR. NOBLE FINED

Education, was to-day fined \$100 and costs or 30 days under the Ontario Temperance Act for "drinking liquor in a

NOTE CIRCULATION. OTTAWA, June 1.-Dominion circulation on May 26 totaled \$263,706,-491. It is covered by gold to the extent

VERA CRUZ, June 1.-A 24-hour Caserta.....New York Genoa sessment on its members. It is expected that the Toronto printers will Aquitania.....Southamp'n..New York week strike pay for single Mount Clay....Hamburg ...New York men, or \$22 for married men.

ASSEMBLY TOLD COMMERCIAL COURSE TO BE EXTENDED FROM TWO TO THREE YEARS

COMES TO LONDON.



REV. A. E. M. THOMSON, M.A., B.D., set down in the first draft of stations for Centennial Methodist Church Centennial Methodist London. He is completing his fourth year at Wallaceburg.

WASHINGTON PASTOR

Committees At Opening

Meeting. through the negro district this morn-\$1,153,710 in 1919, and \$1,005,436 in 1918. nodded sympathetically at the speaker's points and there were a few quiet

but fervent "Amens." CHURCH IS UNDIVIDED. Introducing Dr. Chappell, Rev. George to the forces already there. One plan which was said to be under considera-Jewitt, president of conference, com-mented upon the fact that the Washington visitor was here because of a to Basra and the organization of an States capital on the occasion of the recent brotherhood convention.

whatever political or other walls they may set up, we of the church of Jesus Christ are determined to keep close together.' votional exercises each morning, based his talk to-day upon Acts iv., 31-32.

ing Company and this morning William S. Robbins, the manager of that com-Inspector Wilson said afterwards that all violations of the act will be prosecuted and penalties imposed. The case church at Ephesus, I am sure he would church at Ephesus, I am sure he would "When I go down to the post office

"Did you ever stand face to face with assage of the section referred to the a sin that needed rebuking and not use of coloring dyes in the manufacture have the courage to rebuke it? I don't

Radical Change In High School Course Expected To Produce Good Results.

ADD THREE SUBJECTS TO THE CURRICULUM

Night School Classes Will Be Continued-New Teachers For Staff.

Headmaster J. A. Dickinson, of the commercial department of the Technical School, to-day announced that a sufficient number of his pupils had been enrolled to insure that a third-year class in his department will be organized at in his department will be organized at the opening of the fall term. This marks a distinct departure in educational system in the city and is probably the first third-year commercial high school class to be announced in the province. Mr. Dickinson also stated that the enrollment this year in the commercial section totals 190 pupils and that 66 will

Over 100 business houses in London, he stated, had their clerical staffs composed of graduates and that the number is growing. The young men and women turned out of the commercial high school classes are considered very efficient by employers, he stated, and the three-year course which will be in full swing next fall will guarantee the turning out of much more efficient graduates prepared to cope with the business problems of any office.

MORE TEACHERS. New teachers will have to be added to the commercial school staff, he point-

ed out, and one, at least, will be added for the fall term.

Three new subjects will be added to the commercial school curriculum. Eco-

to finish the high school commercial course in two years if they have the ability. Such pupils will be issued with certificates which will be known as "junior graduation certificates." Those be issued with senior certificates

Night school work will be emphasize as hitherto, which will put this form professional training at the doors of

BRITISH IN PALESTINE MAY WITHDRAW TROOPS

WASHINGTON, June 1.—The situa-tion of the British forces in Mesopo-tamia was reported to-day in official circles to be increasingly unstable. According to the latest reports it was represented that they were faced with the necessity either of withdrawing from the country or of adding reserves

Church Robbed A new cash box in the board room of Askin Street Church, where London Methodist Con-

Cash Box in

was pried partly open between morning and silver to the amount of three or four dollars taken The board room is used as quarters of the billeting committee phone station, and the money was taken in for stamps and long-distance calls. Several sheets of postage stamps were left. Inspector Nickle is investigating the affair, which is believed to have been the work of youths who wandered into the unlocked, or entered through one of several open windows.

THOUGHT HE WAS BEE AND PARKED HIMSELF IN CENTER OF FLOWER BED

A walk from Lambeth, an attack of "Cramps," a fondness for flowers and an hallucination that he was a bee "I."

an hallucination that he was a bee got Patrick Murphy into trouble early the cramps and couldn't make any this morning. In consequence he is a further."
tenant at the city jail until his "rent "But y bill' amounting to \$10 and costs, is were you doing at that time of Patrick parked himself in the mid-

dle of a flower bed in Victoria Park early this morning. A police officer saw the visitor enjoying his siesta on "flowery beds of ease," and naturally Patrick also said started to take the census. "What are you doing here?" asked fice yanked him from his flowery cou

After the bluecoat assured the slum- stock in that statement.

Patrick Murphy Tells Court He
Had Nothing In Him But
Cramps.

been taken ill. He was convoyed to the station to finish his nap.
In court this morning he told the magistrate that he had walked from Lambeth, starting from that village about 8 o'clock last evening.
"What were you doing in the flower

> "But you were there at 3.40. What night?

"Not much of a walker are you," ob-Patrick also said that he had heard a clock strike four just before the of-

ne officer.

but as it was only 8.40 when he was "G'way I'm a bee," was the response. arrested his honor did not take much berer that he was not as much in-terested in bees as in other bugs Pa- prisoner had not been under the in-

trick vouchsafed the information that fluence of liquor and the usual fin-he had walked from Lambeth and had was imposed.