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HAMILTON HAPPENINGS

KENNOUGH IS AGAIN PROCEDED UNDER ARREST. Charge is Conspiracy in Express Robbery Case—Works Committee Meets.

HAMILTON, Feb. 12.—(Special)—Geo. H. Kenough, former night clerk in the Hamilton office of the Canadian Express Company, was this morning arrested for the second time in connection with the \$2500 robbery of the company here last September. The charge against Kenough this time is conspiracy.

His former arrest was on suspicion of being implicated in the robbery. He was never charged, however, but was sent to jail for two months last fall for stealing \$15 from the express company.

Kenough's arrest to-day is the fifth that has been made in connection with the robbery of the Canadian Express Co. here on Sept. 29, 1911, when two parcels, containing a little more than \$2000 were taken from a room in the company's office. No one has yet been convicted of the theft of the money.

For a brutal beating and knocking out the eye of a horse which he was driving, Luke Clift was held in jail for a month without the option of a fine by Magistrate Jelfs in police court this morning. The offence was committed in this city last May, when Clift was arrested on a charge of assaulting a policeman.

Civic Laborers' Wages. The movement to increase the wages of laborers employed by the city from 20 cent to 25 cents a day has made progress before the city council to-night. Ald. Littlewood, seconded by Ald. Bird, introduced the motion, which previous notice had been given, but after reading a carefully-prepared speech in support of it, Ald. Littlewood was informed by the mayor that he was out of order, and that the matter being one of finance, would have to be first considered by the board of control.

Mayor and Alderman Clash. Mayor Lees again made a plea for a better system in buying municipal supplies, when the matter of pay-lists and accounts of the committees came up for consideration. Several items, chiefly in the works committee accounts, said the mayor, were beyond the knowledge of any member of the board of control, and he thought that the controller assigned to each committee should have personal knowledge of all accounts of the committees.

For Municipal Abattoirs. Ald. Davey, chairman of the legislation committee, whose recommendation that the city co-operate with Guelph in securing legislation for municipal abattoirs, was disapproved of by the board of control, though the failure of the city to act in the matter was a retrograde movement. It was a sad commentary, said the alderman, that the country should take such pains to see that meat, sent out of the country, was inspected before and after it was killed, while no such action was thought to be necessary for the protection of the home-consumer.

Inspection of Water Rates. A special committee to investigate water rates of the city, and to propose a more equitable system, was proposed by Ald. Milne Wednesday morning. The committee was adopted by the council. Under the present system, said Ald. Milne, householders were paying from three to four times as much for water as they should. He thought a meter system would be fairer than the present method of assessing water rates, according to the valuation of property. No change of the system is sought until the first of next year.

By resolution the works committee

was increased from nine to ten members, Ald. Horning being added.

Germany Hotel, John and Main streets, first-class table and rooming accommodation.

TO MAKE RADIAL SIT UP.

BRANTFORD, Feb. 12.—(Special)—For one month operations on the Grand Valley radial between Galt and Paris have been suspended, and the Paris town council have given notice to the company of an application to the Dominion Railway Board to force the running of cars regularly between the two towns.

BERLIN STREET FLOODED.

BERLIN, Feb. 12.—(Special)—A water main burst to-night on Main street and two blocks in the business section were without water for five or six hours. Stump's pool and tobacco store is inundated with water and the loss so far reaches \$6000. It will take at least 48 hours to repair the break.

NO NEW SCHOOL FOR JARVIS JUST NOW. Site Will Be Purchased This Year, But Building Will Not Go Up Till Next—Trustee Levee Opposes List of Doctors Recommended as Medical Inspectors.

"I consider the advisory industrial committee has gone crazy," was Trustee Levee's encomium for the technical school commission. Chairman Brown of the finance committee of the board of education at a prolonged meeting yesterday on the estimates took the view that the industrial education committee might have full power of its estimates.

Approval was general of the estimate of \$800,000 for the new central technical school building, but various members of the committee balked at \$20,000 each for sites for a branch school in the east and the west divisions of the city.

Trustee Levee considered that technical education in the east and west could be imparted thru night classes in the present collegiate institutes. The estimate was held over for fuller particulars by Principal McKay personally.

Trustee Levee said he was opposed to the list of new doctors appointed. According to rumor much better qualified men had been recommended, and the preference given to inexperienced medical men would be highly paid at the minimum of \$800.

Trustee Hiltz said that it would take a year to appoint a list of ten doctors which would please everybody. The estimate for \$175,000 for a new building for Jarvis-street Collegiate was struck out, as being unnecessary until next year, but the \$100,000 for the site was concurred in.

Building department estimates were passed: High school fire insurance premiums \$832.50; telephones \$383.50; Assistant Superintendent Warden's salary was increased by \$300 to \$2500. W. Webb, head draughtsman, by \$300 to \$1800. Supt. Bishop, who now receives \$4000, will, it is understood, be voted an advance.

HATE THE CIGARETS WORSE THAN LIQUOR. W. C. T. U. Will Send a Large Deputation to Ottawa on Thursday.

"We consider the cigaret habit far more injurious to Canadian young people than the liquor habit, for thousands more are addicted to the use of the cigaret. Several items, chiefly in the works committee accounts, said the mayor, were beyond the knowledge of any member of the board of control, and he thought that the controller assigned to each committee should have personal knowledge of all accounts of the committees.

Blew Up Barber Shop. CASSELMAN, Ont., Feb. 12.—An explosion of acetylene gas this morning, at the barber shop of J. Thefaud, a frame structure, one storey and a half in height, wrecked the place, blowing the roof off. The owner, J. Heuneault, was blown thru the door, but not seriously hurt.

Longshoremen's Strike Over. BOSTON, Feb. 12.—The longshoremen's strike, which began on Jan. 4, when 2500 men employed in handling the cargoes of foreign steamers in the port of Boston, walked out after demanding an increase in wages, was settled to-day and the men will go back to work on Wednesday morning. The terms of settlement are withheld.

Call to Toronto Pastor Sustained. BROCKVILLE, Feb. 12.—(Special)—At a meeting of the Presbytery, held here to-day, the call recently extended by St. John's Congregation of Brockville to Rev. S. S. Burns of Toronto, was sustained and arrangements were made for his induction on the 28th inst.

WOMAN SUFFRAGE. WOMAN SUFFRAGE. WOMAN SUFFRAGE.

Controllers Hocken and McCarthy Are Firm Believers in Equal Voting Powers for Both Sexes, and Promised an Audience of Women to Give Every Assistance.

Controllers McCarthy and Hocken have the greatest confidence in the mental powers of their wives. At a woman's suffrage meeting in the Margaret Eaton School of Expression yesterday afternoon, McCarthy said his wife was not only his inspiration regarding municipal affairs, but often got the better of him in arguments on civic affairs.

Another edict declared that the throne accepted the republic while a third, approved by the conditions agreed upon by Premier Yuan Shi Kai and the republicans.

The provisions and stipulations of the edict are said to be identical with those previously reported. The Mongolian princes, who have been leaders in the anti-abdication agitation at the court, have Sun Yat Sen, insisting that unless Yuan Shi Kai gets the presidency they will consider themselves entitled to take further measures against the establishment of the republic.

The momentous step by which the Manchū dynasty held up its power and agreed to change from an absolute to a representative form of government, was notified in three simultaneous proclamations.

Altho the final act of abdication had been awaited for some time, the publication of the edict with the declaration that it was an accomplished fact caused profound excitement.

Majority Want Republic. The edict says: "The people are in favor of a republic. From the preference of the people's hearts the will of the emperor is hereby declared to be the will of the people."

Speaking of getting the Ontario government to grant franchise to women, Controller Hocken said that he would do all in his power to bring this about. "If man cannot answer the arguments put forth by suffragettes, he should place the burden of responsibility on his shoulders and then show his manhood and prove himself as competent to undertake the responsibility of affairs as men are understanding them to-day."

According to Controller McCarthy, the man who can see equal suffrage coming is either a Rip Van Winkle or he is willing to keep his courage up. "When the rights of the country are taken into consideration, no argument against equal suffrage," said the controller, "is equal suffrage advisable to the government or the people? These are the only questions that need to be asked. If woman suffrage is advisable, it is a necessary and therefore a right question, and that is answered by another question, namely, are conditions to-day all that they should be?"

Would Be Advisable. "This last is a very easy one to answer. Conditions are not all that they should be, and therefore woman suffrage would be advisable."

"Nine-tenths of our government of to-day is confined to good food, health and the housing problem. Now, women know more about these subjects than men do, and what is more, they have time to think them out. The controller went on to show how the government was to-day licensing vice by petty fines. He referred to cases in the police court where women were given six months for standing in ten-cent broth, while men who lived on vice were fined ten dollars and costed 20 days in jail."

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THE SOCIAL EVIL. Miss Ratts Will Give an Address on the Subject To-Morrow.

Under the auspices of the Toronto Vigilance Committee, Miss Ratts of the Presbyterian department of Social Evil, will address a meeting in Browne's Hall, corner of Ossington avenue and College-street, to-morrow evening. Others will speak on kindred topics. Meeting with the hope of doing something towards the abolition of white slave traffic will be held in the same hall every second Wednesday during the winter.

Mr. Jack Cavthra is giving a small dinner on Thursday at the Hunt Club.

Miss Madeline Crawford, Miss Madeleine O'Brien and Miss Ratts have returned from Hamilton, where they attended the Wentworth Historical Ball.

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Mr. W. B. T. Amy will be the ten hostess at the W.A.A. gallery this afternoon, and Mrs. Carrill has arranged for the program for the Twilight Musicale and will be the hostess on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Galbraith are giving a tea on Wednesday afternoon at the Sandringham.

A delightful dance of last night, held at the Metropolitan assembly room, was that given by "a few of the girls," including some debutantes of this year and last year. The decorations were of daffodils and a very enjoyable evening was spent by the 150 guests.

Among those present were: Misses McKee, Misses Ellis, Miss Jessie Hope, Miss Coe, Misses Mills, Miss Ivy Knox, Miss Gladys Allen, Miss Kathleen (New York), Miss Teller (Collingwood), Miss Louise Bent (Memphis, Tenn.), Miss Mary Walton, Miss Jean Bellingham, Miss Cecil McLaughlin, Miss Kathleen Cosgrave, Miss Margarette Bigwood, Miss Kelly, Miss Irene Finn, Misses Brown, Miss Muriel Blockell, Miss N. H. Howie, Miss Howie, Miss McGregory, Misses Anley, Miss Marjorie Hutchins, Misses Mayne, Miss Ruth Jackman, Miss Hope, Misses Murray, Miss G. McMurphy, Miss Mary Tren, Misses Murray, Miss Marie Ayre, Messrs. Trece, Mr. J. Norton, Mr. W. Cox, Mr. J. Hope, Messrs. Murray, Mr. McVittie, Mr. Murray, Mr. Percy Millman, Dr. Sidney Wollast, Mr. George Alexander, Mr. Stridridge, Messrs. Allen, Mr. Harold Smith, Mr. Gordon Chaver, Mr. W. Clark, Mr. Carby, Mr. H. Wortz, Mr. Harry Latimer, Mr. Gordon Cowie, Mr. Rob. Ross, Messrs. Howe, Mr. Byrie, Mr. A. Gilmore.

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SOCIETY. The Bishop of Ontario, and Mrs. Lennox Mills are spending two weeks in Montreal.

Prof. and Mrs. Campbell gave a snowshoe party in Kingston last week for Miss Grace Hemming.

Col. and Mrs. Lyons Biggar are in town from Ottawa.

Mr. and Miss Strathy, Walmer-road, held a large reception yesterday afternoon in honor of the former's birthday, many beautiful flowers being received from her old friends. The guests were decorated with crimson tulips and tulle to match, and was in charge of Miss Elvira Stirling, Miss Muriel Strathy and the Misses Davies.

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The Daily Hint From Paris



Taffeta Dress for Afternoon. A beautiful shaded taffeta of green and gold was used for this dress and fringed and corded-trills of the same were used as a trimming.

The surplus effect ends in the back to a long lish, which extends halfway to the floor and is belted in at the waistline. The flower ornaments are made of the silk combined with black satin. A yoke of lace is used.

home of the bride's parents on Thursday, Feb. 15, at 3:30 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bishop, Atlantic City.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hartly, Kingston, are in Montreal for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Conway announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary Irene, to Mr. John J. O'Sullivan. The marriage is to take place this month.

A quiet wedding took place at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Boothby, 128 Simpson-avenue, when her sister, Miss Emma Hault, Orilla, was married to Mr. Leonard Parkhurst, Orilla. The bride wore white, satin trimmed with pearl ornaments.

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Receptions To-day. Mrs. Bethune and Miss Beatrice Bethune, 158 St. George-street, will give a reception on Wednesday.

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London Dramatic Club Enters. LONDON, Ont., Feb. 12.—The London Dramatic Club to-night decided definitely to enter the Earl Grey competition.

Leap Year Birthday Mug Coupon. For silver mug awarded by The Toronto World to babies born on February 29, 1912. Name of Parents, Address of Parents, Name of Baby, Date and Hour of Birth. I hereby declare the above facts are correct. (Name and address.) Attending Physician.