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At Annual Exhibition of Ontario Society of Artists.

This evening the thirtieth annual exhibition of the Ontario Society of Artists will be opened in the art gallery, 165 West King-street. The exhibition promises to be an unprecedented success, as the pictures are exceptionally fine and the number large. A glance thru the catalog reveals that among the wealth of exhibits by well-known artists of more than local fame are an increasing number of rising men, whose work has received favorable criticism.

Among the oil paintings which will attract attention is one by F. M. Bell-Smith, representing dawn on the sea. The effect is fine, and the coloring masterly.

Two portraits, one of John L. Blaikie, by J. W. L. Forster, and one of W. R. Brock, M.P., by E. Wyly Grier, are particularly fine, and challenge the admiration of all. A pretty situation is portrayed by Florence Carlyle. It is entitled "The Tiff," and represents a dainty, little maid, who sits pouting on one side of a table, while her lover, estranged for the moment, sits coldly indifferent on the other side. A decorative panel, "Autumn," by G. A. Reid, takes up a section of the eastern wall, and is admired as a representative specimen of decorative art.

In watercolors the exhibit is large. Robert F. Gagen is showing several works, one of which, entitled "Evening in the Valley of the Great Glacier, near Glacier, B.C.," is an example of striking coloring. The sunset lighting up the lice-topped glacier, and the glorious masses of color resulting are reproduced with fine effect. C. M. Manly exhibits a quartet of delicate landscapes with exquisite coloring.

The exhibit will be open mornings and afternoons for about two weeks, and a record season is assured.

Wants Conviction Quashed.

Papers were filed yesterday afternoon in the case of Herbert C. Jaquith, the osteopath, who is appealing against his conviction by Magistrate Denison on Dec. 13 last, for a breach of the Medical Act, by treating William Aldo and others. Jaquith was fined $25 and costs. The appeal will be heard by Judge McDougall at the General Sessions, which open on Tuesday at noon. On the result of this appeal will depend the case of Flora Frederick, who was a business partner of Jaquith.

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MATTERS AT THE CITY HALL

Engineer Comments Again on the Enormous Waste of Water—Property Committee Estimates.

Aldermanic benevolence of the true unvarnished kind was instanced yesterday afternoon at a meeting of the Property Committee. Thomas Webb, who is one of the daily visitors at the hall, appeared before the committee with a tale of woe. He was the guardian of the swimmers at the western sand bar free baths last year, and in an heroic and successful effort to rescue a drowning boy he became in some mysterious manner parted from two dollars, which was in his clothes. He detailed the incident in a manner that commanded attention, and the fact that he has been out of work for nine months made the memory of the departed two dollars a matter of sincere regret.

"Well, well! the point is what do you want us to do about it? asked Ald. Lamb good-humoredly."

"I want me two dollars what I lost," replied Mr. Webb bluntly.

"All right, if that's all it is, I'll give a dollar," said Ald. Lamb, who produced a dollar bill.

"Very good, very good, said Ald. Dunn.

Ald. Urquhart volunteered to add 50c to the donation, but Ald. Richardson had a wad with him, and with an aristocratic disregard for subscriptions in silver, he drew a $2 note from his roll and annexed Ald. Lamb's dollar in its stead.

As a result Mr. Webb left the committee room with a beaming countenance and two dollars.

A Bylaw for $20.

The City Treasurer wrote that he could not legally comply with the request of the teachers and scholars of Niagara-street School for a refund of $20, the amount paid for the use of St. Andrew's Hall recently for a concert. The entertainment was for the purpose of raising money to buy a piano for the school. To get over the difficulty Ald. Urquhart will introduce a bylaw at the next meeting of the Council to authorize a grant of the money.

Jail Official Want More Money.

City Commissioner Coatsworth and Jail Steward McMillan are agreed that the jail officials should have more money, and they recommended that increases should be made as follows: Clerk, from $575 to $750; engineer, $650 to $750; foreman of outside working gang, $653 to $750; turnkeys, from $575 to $650; guards, from $575 to $600. The Board of Control will decide as to the wisdom of the recommendation.

Property Committee Estimates.

The Property Committee will deal with the estimates at a meeting which will be held sometime next week. The jail estimates total $26,018, an increase of $422 over last year. The City Commissioner has his estimates ready. They total $92,982, against $88,076 for 1901. The biggest item, however, shows a reduction. It is for $36,620 for maintenance of the City Hall. The cost of running the big building last year was $41,592. The other items are: Public buildings, $10,281, against $15,417 last year; Esplanade and city docks, $3165, against $2298 last year; market and weigh scales $9207; against $8366 last year; cattle market $22,443, against $17,054 last year, and free bathing $2266, against $2649 last year.

Cost of Yonge-Street Bridge.

A bridge for street cars and pedestrians over the tracks at the foot of Yonge-street, occupying one-half of the width of the street, in accordance with the idea of Ald. Spence, would cost $60,000, says City Engineer Rust in his fortnightly report, which was issued yesterday. A previous report of the Engineer estimated the cost of a bridge across the full width of the street at about $190,000, including land damages.

Concentrate Sewage.

Controller McMurrich's suggestion re disposal of sewage west of Spadina-avenue is not endorsed by the Engineer, who considers it would be inadvisable to treat sewage specially in that neighborhood, and it would probably be found more economical to concentrate sewage at one station. The estimated cost of the west end works is $587,000, and the annual cost of operation $15,000.

Mr. Rust urges the Council to submit a bylaw to the people to secure money to erect a station for the disposal of all sewage.

To Prevent Water Famine.

The Engineer asks for $1200 at once to prevent a water famine in the event of an accident to the waterworks engines. The money is needed to put in steam connections between two batteries of boilers. This is expedient until the condemned boilers are replaced to supply the reserve engines with steam in case they are called into use. Without this pipe, in case of accident, the supply would be reduced from 22,000,000 gallons a day to 9,000,000 gallons.

Enormous Waste of Water.

The enormous waste of water is again mentioned by Mr. Rust, who says that 65 per cent. of the water pumped is wasted. He recommends that meters be installed from year to year until every building is supplied. He also thinks the mains should be tested and repaired wherever there is a leakage, and that before any plumbing fixtures are placed in buildings they should be inspected and stamped. The waste of water in Toronto is from 12,000,000 to 14,000,000 gallons a day.

Street Car Extensions.

In regard to the proposed extension of the street car line, from Dufferin-street across Springhurst-avenue to South Parkdale station, the Engineer does not see the necessity of it, but says that when Lansdowne-avenue subway is constructed the station will be served by a line from the northern city limits. He has asked the Street Railway Company to form a loop with the Dovercourt cars by sending them west on King-street, up Dufferin to Queen, to Dundas and north over the route, as at present.

Ald. Bell's idea of a car line to the Union Station from Lansdowne-avenue via Bloor, Dovercourt, College, Arthur, Bathurst, King and Yorkstreets, is not favorably reported upon by the Engineer.

Waste Paper Boxes.

The idea of establishing receptacles on the streets for waste paper still lives, and Mr. Rust recommends that six boxes be put on the principal streets as an experiment.

The dispute over the dredging of the western gap, where Bathurst-street sewer empties, has resulted in an agreement between the Engineer and the Harbor Commissioners, whereby the city is to remove 10,000 cubic yards of material from the channel this season. The Works Committee will be asked to sanction the agreement.

Local Improvements.

A brick pavement on York-street, from King to Pearl, is recommended, at a cost of $2010, and a macadam pavement on York-street, from Front-street to the railway tracks, to cost $2640. Concrete sidewalks are recommended, as follows: Front-street, south side, 113 feet west of Lorne-street, $298; Huron-street, east side, Bernard-avenue to Dupont-street, $726; Spadina-road, Bernard-avenue to Dupont-street, $728.

The Works Committee will be asked for an additional grant of $2000 for snow cleaning.

City Hall Notes.

The salary of the chief engineer at the City Hall is $21 per week, and not $2100 a year as inadvertently stated yesterday. The recommendation for the appointment has not yet been dealt with.

Chief Thompson has again called the attention of the government to the lack of fire protection at the Toronto Asylum.

The Fire and Light Committee will ask for an interim appropriation of $1500 for additional hydrants in districts where they are needed.

The Street Commissioner was yesterday waited upon by a deputation of carters, who complained about the condition of the down-town streets, which makes it impossible to cart heavy loads. The Board of Control will consider the situation.

Mr. Alexander Manning would like a room at the City Hall set apart as an art gallery, and as a starter he offers to present a painting by Paul Peel.

CITY NEWS.

West End Paragraphs.

The funeral of the late James Young, who died on the 25th inst., took place yesterday from his late residence, 153 Bathurst-street, to Humbervale Cemetery. Deceased was 47 years of age, and belonged to the Society of Locomotive Engineers.

Bates & Dodds, the well-known undertakers of the West End, are having a private mortuary and inquest room added to their premises.

Rev. Bernard Bryan will give an address this evening in the Church of the Epiphany, on the history of the Church of England.

The funeral of little three-year-old Hazel Bradley, who died yesterday, will take place at 2 p.m. to-morrow, from 25 Claremont-street to Humbervale Cemetery.

There will be a concert this evening in Broadway Hall, in which the Eckardt family of Swiss bell ringers will perform.

The remains of Mrs. Patterson, which arrived on Wednesday from Sault Ste. Marie, were buried yesterday at Mount Pleasant. The funeral took place from the residence of her father, Mr. Ferrier, 44 Afton-avenue.

Rev. William Carey Ward will lecture in Trinity University to-morrow afternoon on the subject "Rome, Ancient, Mediaeval and Modern."

The exhibition of fancy skating which was to be given to-morrow evening in the Queen City rink by J. K. McCulloch will probably be postponed because of bad ice.

Funeral of Late John Chalmers.

Yesterday afternoon the remains of the late John Chalmers were borne from his late residence, 241 Manning-avenue, and laid to rest in Mount Pleasant Cemetery. The pall-bearers were J Flynn and W Griffith, L O L 387; J Rogerson, Strathclyde Camp, No. 17, S O S; H Kemp and C G Knott, Queen City, A O U W, No. 225; James Woolward, B M and I S B, No. 228. The funeral services were conducted at the house by Rev. T. R. Robinson, pastor of St. Mark's Presbyterian Church, assisted by Rev. P. E. Nichol. Representatives of the above societies formed in line and followed the remains to the cemetery. Deceased was a prominent member of the Orange Order, being at the time of his death master of L.O.L. No. 387 and of the A.O.U.W., being an officer in Queen City Lodge, No. 125. Among the many floral tributes were: A pillow from the members of the family, a gates ajar from employes of the John Inglis Company, a gates ajar from the Boilermakers' and Ship Builders' Union, of which he was treasurer, anchor and cross from Queen City Lodge, 225, A.O.U.W.; pillow from L.O.L. 387, cross from the operators of the G.N.W. Telegraph Company, wreath from the young men of St. Mark's Presbyterian Church.

New Books at the Library.

Burnley, Summits of Success; Bullen, The Apostles of the Southeast; Snell, Wesley and Methodism; Jekyll, Lilies for English Gardens; Finsen, Photography; DeVinne, Practice of Typography; Correct Composition; Butt, Practical Retouching; Dick, Society Snapshots; Creelman, On the Great Highway; Lorimer, By the Waters of Sicily; Thatcher and Schevill, General History of Europe, 350—1900; Little, Progress of British Empire in the Century; Gilliat-Smith, Story of Bruges (Mediaeval Towns); Wood, With the Flag at Sea; Essays on the Teaching of History; Francois de Fenelon, by Viscount St. Cyres; Owen Glyndwr, and the Last Struggle for Welsh Independence, by A. G. Bradley; Charles Stewart, Hand Immemor; Reminiscences of Legal and Social Life in Edinburgh and London, 1850-1900; Davis, God Wills it; Coleridge, The Fiery Dawn; Russell, The Ship's Adventure; Henham, Bonanza; Harrison, From Playground to Battlefield; Mackie, The Heart of the Prairie; Bourget, L'Encran.

Decision on Point of Law.

Yesterday judgment was given by Judge McDougall in the case of Matthews v. Robertson et al, and holds, altho not free from doubt, that an architect being a party to a suit may be examined for discovery as regards the figures and estimates upon which he bases his final certificate. Whilst this is an interesting matter of law practice, the decision being on a mere preliminary point does not in any way determine the rights of the parties. Unless such examination proves that the architect has been guilty of fraud in making his certificate, the contractor cannot recover against the owner on the ordinary building contract. The architect's certificate must be first obtained before the owner is liable, unless it is held back fraudulently or there is fraud in making it, and this point can only be decided at the trial, which will probably take place in the County Court next week.

Police Court Record.

Thomas Bennett, an old white-haired man, who was sent to the Central Prison for theft by Magistrate Denison, was arraigned in the Police Court yesterday for an alleged assault on John Rogers, a fellow convict. The case was adjourned till to-day. Daniel Kopman of Acton was committed for trial on a charge of non-support. William Maroney, on a charge of stealing $49 worth of board and lodging from T. F. Hannon, was remanded for sentence. The trouble between George E. Braeme and the York County Loan & Savings Company has been settled. Owing to a death in Fred Bauckham's family, the charge of keeping a common gaming house against him was allowed to stand till the 6th. The wife of Timothy Bresnell got an order of protection. Frank Leslie, arrested by Detective Harrison on a charge of stealing a diamond ring, was remanded till the 4th.

Non-Jury Assize Court.

Mr. Justice MacMahon yesterday continued the hearing of the suit of Prof. Oman against Professors Henderson and Robertson of St. Catharines and the Copp, Clark Company of this city. It is an action seeking an injunction and damages for alleged infringement of the copyright of Prof. Oman's History of Greece. The case goes on this morning.

Peremptory list for to-day at 10 a.m. is: Oman v. Copp, Clark (to be concluded), Liddell v. Copp, Clark, United Electric v. Von Echo.

Arrested in Winnipeg.

Detective Cuddy went to Winnipeg yesterday afternoon armed with a warrant for Robert Hatch, who is under arrest there on a charge of having sent obscene matter thru the mails. It is alleged that he forwarded an indecent letter to the home of Ald. Urquhart, who brought it to the notice of the postoffice authorities. It is understood that a similar charge was laid against Hatch before, but was not pressed, because it was claimed Hatch was not responsible for his actions. Detective Burrows traced the man to Winnipeg, where he was arrested yesterday.

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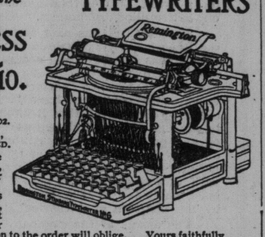

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Before the Master in Ordinary at Osgoode Hall yesterday the Crystal Beach summer resort on Lake Erie, near Ridgeway, was sold under foreclosure proceedings, taken by the bondholders, to Mr. Rebstock of Buffalo, representing the Lake Erie Excursion Company of Buffalo, the price being $48,000. E. F. B. Johnston appeared for the trustees of the bondholders, Mr. Rebstock for the purchasers, and Mr. Mulvey for the Point Abino Resort Company. Mr. Mulvey announced that his clients would not raise the bid over $48,000, and the property was knocked down. The Lake Erie Excursion Company have conducted the property for the past four years. It consists of 25 acres, beautifully situated on the lake, and is much patronized by Buffalo pleasure-seekers.

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Plant and Flower Show.

The directors of the Toronto Horticultural Society are giving an entertainment in St. George's Hall next Tuesday night, when they will give an exhibition of plants and flowers. The society has donated a silver challenge cup for competition amongst the carnation growers. The flower exhibition will be held every month.

Findlay—Bell.

A very pretty wedding took place on Wednesday evening, when Edwin Findlay of the C.P.R., Toronto Junction, was united in marriage to Miss Carrie Amanda Bell. The ceremony was performed by Rev. A. M. McClelland, D.C.L.

For Higher Education.

The president of St. Michael's College has called a public meeting to consider the question of higher education amongst the English-speaking Catholics of Ontario. The Archbishop of Toronto will preside, and many of the Catholic clergy are expected to be present to discuss the rebuilding and thoro equipment of St. Michael's College. The meeting will be held on Tuesday evening next in St. Michael's College.

CANADA'S SHIPBUILDING.

Government Asked to Increase the Rebate on Necessary Material.

Ottawa, Feb. 27.—A deputation consisting of J. Bertram and W. E. Redway of Toronto, J. Long, Collingwood, and Mr. Leighton McCarthy, M.P., waited on the Premier and Hon. Messrs. Fielding, Tarte and Paterson this morning and asked that the government increase the drawback now allowed on the manufacture of shipbuilding material from $1.15 per gross ton to $3 per gross ton. The deputation explained that under the present regulations they were greatly handicapped, as they had to pay a large amount of duty on materials used in the construction of ships. They argued, therefore, that if this drawback, which is now allowed by the government, in lieu of this duty were paid, they would be in a position to compete with the Clyde ship-building companies. They also pointed out the disadvantage under which they were working on account of American vessels being allowed to register at Canadian ports, while Canadian vessels were entirely debarred from registering at American ports at all. Besides this, second-hand American vessels were often sold to Canadian firms at a nominal value and, consequently, admitted to this country at a low rate of duty.

The ministers seemed disposed to consider the proposition favorably, and asked how many vessels could be turned out by the three firms represented.

They were told that at present there were ten under construction, and if the government took their proposition into consideration they were ready to enlarge their yards sufficiently to furnish all boats required for the coast and lake traffic.

The Premier and his colleagues promised the deputation that they would consider the matter fully.

There were also several other matters to be taken up in connection with the manufacture of steel, as these manufacturers were also asking for changes in tariff rates, and these claims would be taken up at the same time.

Will Inspect Hotels.

Commencing to-morrow, the license inspectors will be prepared to receive applications for new licenses or renewals. The last day for receiving applications is March 31, and the month of April will be spent by the inspectors in making the annual inspection preparatory to the revision of licenses by the commissioners on May 1.

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THE PROHIBITION CAMPAIGN.

Committee Appointed to Co-operate With the Alliance.

The Ontario Prohibition Campaign Committee held a special meeting yesterday afternoon at the Quebec Bank building. Rev. Dr. Chown presided, and among those present were Rev. J. E. Starr, W. W. Buchanan, Grand Councillor Austin of the Royal Templars and others.

In view of the action taken by the prohibition convention, and the refusal of Premier Ross to place the referendum vote on a fair basis, the meeting appointed a campaign executive, with J. A. Austin as chairman, to co-operate with the Campaign Committee of the Ontario Alliance. The reports presented to the meeting were that some 70 applications had been received for Mr. W. Buchanan to address prohibition gatherings. The financial statement showed that the committee enjoyed the hearty confidence of the prohibitionists of the community.

The secretary, Cy. Feasey, asked to be relieved from the position, owing to pressure of other duties, but consented to act as honorary secretary.

The committee requested the chairman, Rev. Dr. Chown, to reply to the letter published in The World by Hon. S. C. Biggs, on the ground that it did not give an accurate statement of the negotiations between the committee and the Alliance.

Bruin Didn't See It.

On Candlemas Day the bear failed to see his shadow. That means an early spring. Smart dressers realize this fact, and are already visiting Scores' well-known toggery shop, where the new spring goods and latest styles are just come to hand. Scores have just opened up a large consignment of latest style English cloth walking hats (as worn in Bond-street), just the hat for the tourist.

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LOCAL TOPICS.

The second annual banquet of the Haldimand Old Boys' Association will be held on March 21.

The regular meeting of the Cartwright Club will be held in Dominion Hall, corner Queen and Dundas-streets, this evening.

A writ was issued yesterday at Osgoode Hall by the Crow's Nest Pass Coal Co. against The Canadian Mining Review, published at Ottawa, claiming damages for alleged libelous statements contained in that paper to the effect that the control of the Coal Company had passed to James J. Hill of the Great Northern, who is so directing its policy as to discriminate against Canadian smelting interests in favor of American and creating a shortage in the supply of coal and coke to British Columbia. A similar writ was also issued in Vancouver against The Province newspaper, claiming damages for the publication of similar statements.

At Osgoode Hall.

Monday, March 31, has been decided upon as the date for the trial at Guelph of the election petition brought against the return of Edwin Tolton, as member of the House of Commons for North Wellington. The trial judges will be Justices MacMahon and Lount.

The Master in Chambers yesterday made an order adding Mr. Bishop, superintendent of Public School Buildings for Toronto, a party defendant to the action brought by the Toronto Furnace Company against the Public School Board to recover $425. This amount represents a balance due on a boiler put in the Winchester-street School and which burst.

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