

MURDERED HER.
Farm Hand Cut Throat of Society Girl in Georgia.
 Rather See Her Dead Than Wife of Another.

Douglas, Ga., Aug. 21.—Declaring he would rather see her dead than see her marry another, William McLeod, a farm hand, today confessed to Sheriff Dicketson that he murdered Miss Mattie Graham, a wealthy and refined young woman, of high social position, whose body was yesterday discovered in a swamp near her home at Hokesboro, Coffee County.

He said he left his work and went to the house before dinner, and asked for Miss Graham. Being informed that she had gone to the field for a melon, he followed and found her.

Both started back towards the house side by side. Coming to a branch path near the house he let her precede him. When at her back he caught her by the left arm and cut one side of her throat. She turned and looked him in the face, and exclaimed: "Lord have mercy." Then he finished cutting her throat, and cut her side as she fell.

He stamped in her face, washed the blood from his knife, face and overalls and when dry went to the house and ate dinner.

While he loved her, he said he never told her.

He said she was to have been married to another man.

OBITUARY.
Death of Mr. Gordon Gates After Long Illness.

One of the city's prominent young men passed away yesterday in the person of Gordon Allan Gates, who died at his residence, 17 Herkimer street. He was the youngest son of the late F. W. Gates, and was 38 years of age. Deceased had been ill for some time. He was formerly connected with the Canada Life Assurance Co. and later was in the insurance business with his brother, F. W. Gates. His death will be regretted by his many friends. His funeral will be private.

The death occurred last evening of Mrs. Margaret Cameron Sinclair, wife of David Sinclair, at her residence, 55 Macaulay street west. Deceased had been ill for ten weeks, but appeared to be getting along nicely and her death was unexpected. She came to this country from Scotland thirty years ago. She was 57 years of age and will be missed by a large circle of friends. She leaves a husband, five daughters, Mrs. A. Rathay, Kansas City; Mrs. W. Kirk, Catharine, Jessie and Christina, all of this city, and three sons, John, of Calgary; David A., of Dawson City, and James, of this city. The funeral will take place on Monday afternoon to Hamilton Cemetery.

The remains of Margaret McLennan, infant daughter of Alex. and Mrs. McLennan, were laid at rest this afternoon in Hamilton Cemetery, the funeral taking place from the parents' residence, John street north. Rev. J. A. Wilson conducted the services at the house and grave.

The funeral of Michael Cochrane took place this morning from his late residence, 321 East avenue north, to St. Patrick's Church, thence to Holy Sepulchre Cemetery. Rev. Father Cassidy officiated at the church and grave and the pallbearers were Messrs. Axford, Foley, Williams, Wallace, Montashed and Peter McIntee.

Mrs. James D. Small passed away this morning at her residence, East End incline, Mount Hamilton. Deceased was 85 years of age, and was born in Kingston. She leaves, besides her husband, six sons and two daughters.

WHO HE IS.
Wm. Marks Being Brought Here on Serious Charge.

A despatch to the Times from Detroit yesterday stated that William Parks had been turned over to the Canadian authorities, after being fined because of trouble he had given his aunt, with whom he was staying. He accused the aunt of opening a letter, which stated that the Hamilton police wanted him on a serious charge.

The man wanted by the police is Wm. Marks, and last evening Inspector McMahon called up Windsor and learned that Marks was the man being held there. Detective Bleakley left by the first train to bring him back. The charge against him is procuring girls for immoral purposes.

Musical Trip.
 Wednesday afternoon; 13th Band; steamer Modjeska.

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 Men's suits at \$17.50, \$13.50 and \$9.98, guarantee them the best in the city for the price. John B. Stetson's \$5 hats at \$3, colors green and grey; good hats at \$1.50, and the famous Fitwell hats at \$2.50, new styles just in—Fralick & Co., 13 and 15 James street north.

A WRIT ISSUED.
 A writ has been issued by Messrs. Ross & Telford to compel Mr. O'Neil to make the necessary improvements on the Imperial Hotel to enable the hotel keeper, William Hunter, to carry on his business. Mr. Hunter claims that defendant by covenant should do this, and has instructed his solicitors to compel him to do so.

Jewelry Bargains.
 In this issue Peebles, the jeweler, is offering some special inducements. His four and five dollar watches are especially good value, and for \$12.50 he is offering a very fine gold-filled 17-jeweled Waltham watch. His nickel alarm clocks at 89 cents are fully guaranteed reliable time-keepers or money refunded. Remember the address, 213 King east.

The following Hamiltonians registered at the office of the Canadian High Commissioner, London, Eng., in the week ending Aug. 10: Mrs. H. E. Dodd and Miss C. A. Garson.

TEA TABLE GOSSIP.
 —Dr. Russell left today for Winnipeg to attend the medical convention.
 —Mr. R. K. Hope leaves for the west this evening. He will go as far as Prince Rupert.
 —Rev. Andrew D. Robb, of Harrison, is spending his vacation at his mother's home on Hess street, also with other friends in and around the city.
 —Mr. F. J. Humphreys, bookkeeper at Grant's Spring Brewery, will leave tomorrow for a three weeks' visit to New York and other points in the east.
 —As guests of the local milk commission, a number of the nurses yesterday inspected the pure milk farm on the mountain top.
 —Mr. D. N. Miller left this morning for Chatham to attend the High Court of Ontario, I. O. F., which convenes there next Tuesday and Wednesday.
 —Miss L. H. Murphy and her sister, Miss May Murphy, have returned to the city, and will be at home at the Alexandra School, 151 James street south, after Sept. 1.
 —The Cummings family of Millgrove and surrounding district will hold a picnic at Dundurn Park on Thursday, Aug. 26. All relatives and friends are expected.
 —Arthur Murray, 121 Jackson street east, aged 14, was knocked down by a bicyclist last evening at the corner of James and Barton streets. He was taken home in the police ambulance.
 —Readers will remember the important auction sale by Thos. Burrows at the residence of the late Mrs. Geo. Sharp, 129 Main street west, on Monday at 10.30 a. m. For particulars see advertisement.
 —Mr. D. McCormick, proprietor of the Cecil Hotel, received a letter from Frank Lee's mother yesterday, requesting information about the death of her son. Copies of the Times, with a full account of the sad incident, have been forwarded to Mrs. Lee.

LABOR PICNIC AND DRAWING
The Committee Instructed to Keep Within the Law.

The delegates to the Trades and Labor council were out in force last evening. The Labor day committee's report was expected to contain some recommendations or reference to the flutter evoked by the objection which had been raised to the prize drawing, but the committee in its report never even mentioned it.

The election of officers adjourned from the last meeting were resumed, as follows:
 Executive Committee—Delegates Halford, Aitchison, Madden, Penny, Silverman, Welby, Everett, McDavid, Studholme.
 Hall Committee—Delegates Everett, Armitage, Pelletier, Halford, Penny.
 Educational Committee—Delegates Studholme, Gooderham, Adams, McDavid, Holmes.
 Label committee—A representative from each union selected by the delegates of the respective crafts.
 Municipal Committee—Delegates Rollo, Brittain, Halford, Studholme, Cochrane, Dwyer, Gooderham.
 A special committee was also appointed to assist the editor of the Industrial Banner to establish a Hamilton edition.
 The delegates from the Theatrical Workers reported that the international representative of their union was in the city, and asked the co-operation of the council with him in his efforts to secure agreements with local play houses. The committee which was appointed at a previous meeting was instructed to act.
 The auditors reported having examined the books of the officers and found them correct.
 The trustees were instructed to secure bonds for the officers and renew the insurance on the council's equipment.
 An invitation from Brantford Trades Council to visit that city on Labor Day was received and filed.
 The prize drawing matter was brought up by a member asking for information. President Aitchison replied that permission had been granted for the drawing, and the matter was left to the committee to deal with as it saw fit, with the suggestion that they keep within the provisions of the law in the conduct of all features of the celebration.

13th. Band
 Steamer Modjeska, Wednesday afternoon, Toronto and return, 50c.

HIS LILACS.
 Victoria Said They Made Alfonso Look Like a Butler.

London, Aug. 21.—There is an epilogue to the story of the whiskers of King Alfonso of Spain, which was in the cable news of yesterday. His majesty when he arrived at San Sebastian from Madrid was wearing side whiskers, and had his hair cut very short. The King thought that this change gave him the appearance of an admiral of the British navy, but Queen Victoria Eugenia quickly remarked that he looked more like an English butler, and urged him to shave the whiskers off. This his majesty did, for when he returned to Madrid he was whiskerless once more and looked younger than ever.

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GETTING BETTER TERMS.
 Messrs. Lobb and Kerr are gradually making settlements of claims in the Hydro-Electric right of way. Mr. Lobb will return to the city on Monday to continue the conference. So far the farmers concerned have expressed themselves as being satisfied with the new terms secured, but they say they would much prefer not having the line erected on their property at all.

LOOK WHERE IS MITCHELL?
 The local police have been asked to find a Mr. Mitchell, son of James Mitchell, who is a descendant of John Mitchell, who was a woollen manufacturer in Bradford, England. The party seeking the aid of the police states he is required to settle up the estate of Mr. Mitchell's grandfather, now deceased.

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THE WEATHER.
 FORECASTS—Light to moderate winds, fine. Sunday southeast and south winds, fine, stationary or a little higher temperature.
 The following is issued by the Department of Marine and Fisheries: Temperature:
 8 a. m. Min. Weather.
 Victoria 86 50 Clear
 Calgary 74 44 Fair
 Winnipeg 78 64 Clear
 Port Arthur 64 46 Fair
 Parry Sound 70 48 Clear
 Toronto 76 48 Clear
 Ottawa 68 45 Clear
 Montreal 70 62 Clear
 Quebec 74 50 Cloudy
 Father Point 62 48 Fair

Pressure is decidedly high over the lake region and low in the Western Provinces. A few scattered showers have occurred from the Rockies to Manitoba also in the Maritime Provinces, but the weather in Canada generally has been fine.
 Washington, Aug. 21.—Eastern States and Northern New York—Fair to-night and Sunday; cooler in south portion to-night; moderate to brisk north winds.
 Western New York—Fair to-night and Sunday.
 Lower Lakes—Moderate north and northeast winds, generally fair weather to-night and Sunday.
 Toronto, Aug. 21. (11 a. m.)—Probabilities for Sunday; light south winds; fine, stationary or a little higher temperature.
 The following is the temperature registered at Parke & Parkes drug store:
 9 a. m., 63; 11 a. m., 64; lowest in 24 hours, 50; highest in 24 hours, 75.

VAGS CAMPED IN ANCASTER
A Gang of Undesirables Have Established New Camp.

Another vags' rendezvous has been discovered. This time it is on the mountain near Ancaster. For some time the numbers of vags on the mountain have been increasing. Since the East Flamboro round-up, County Constable Pickard has been busy, and has discovered a camping ground in the woods near Ancaster. It is thought that many of them are members of the East Flamboro gang, who have merely transplanted their camp. Complainants are coming in from farmers and others in the district over the mountain of being terrorized.
 Nightly raids on the parties are becoming common, and even on the mountain brow they are committing depredations.
 Several prominent citizens have seen disreputable looking characters going mountainwards lately. The vags think they are fairly safe when they get over the mountain, as there are no police to interfere with them, and they have even been heard to boast of the fact. Constable Pickard has been to the city quite frequently lately interviewing Chief Smith, and it is likely that several city constables will scour the entire neighborhood early next week.

A GREAT DAY.
 Large Crowds of Picnickers Having Good Time.

Today proved to be another good one for picnics, and the weather was all that could be desired. A number of picnics were held in this city and a number of excursions left the city.
 The G. T. R. employees from Stratford picnic at Maple Leaf Park brought about 1,800 people over the G. T. R. After arriving in the city the band which accompanied the picnickers led the way up James street to King street and up King street as far as the Franklin House, and after playing a selection the gathering broke up into small groups, and visited the places of interest in the city, and then went to Maple Leaf Park on the street cars.
 The lumbermen, contractors and carpenters had an outing to-day at Niagara Falls. About 800 of them and their friends left this morning on the 8.15 C. P. R. train.
 The Masons held their annual picnic at Oaklands Park this afternoon and a very large number enjoyed the outing. A programme of sports were run off and a swimming exhibition was given by members of the Hamilton Swimming Club.
 The employees of George Stevenson, plumber, and his friends had a picnic at Oaklands Park.
 The picnic of the Downswell Manufacturing Co.'s employees was held to-day at Mohawk Park, Brantford. Two well-filled cars left the Terminal Station in the morning and another one in the afternoon.
 Juvenile Circle, A. O. F. held their annual picnic at the Beach this afternoon and about 150 enjoyed the outing. A programme of races and other games helped to pass the time pleasantly.
 Concord Lodge, A. O. U. W., had a basket picnic at the Beach.

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COMING HERE.
 Canadians to be Instructed by British Naval Officers.

London, Aug. 21.—The Admiralty has lent to Canada a number of naval officers, who shortly will proceed to the Dominion and advise on the work of organizing the new Canadian navy, in accordance with the plan agreed upon with the Canadian delegates to the Imperial Defence Conference.
 The British Government is awaiting ratification by the Canadian Parliament of the decisions reached, and it is understood that the work will begin as soon as this is given.

GRIMSBY PARK PROPERTY.
 Reports have been spread broadcast lately that large sales of Grimsby Park property had been made. People interested say there is no justification for them. During the past two weeks there have been prospective purchasers looking over the property, and talking purchase, but apparently nothing definite has been arrived at. It is said that the manager of a Cleveland real estate company will be in the city to-day to negotiate terms with the park committee.

NATURAL GAS NOTICE.
 All persons desiring to connect with the natural gas lines this season should make application now, as no services will be installed after November 1st. Make your application at once and avoid the rush and consequent delay.—The Ontario Pipe Line Co., Limited.
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 Aug. 20.
 La Lorraine—At New York, from Havre, Mexico—At New York, from Havre.
 Cymric—At New York, from Liverpool.
 Heligoland—At Copenhagen, from New York.
 Torina—At Naples, from New York.
 Credit—At Genoa, from Rotterdam.
 Potsdam—At Cape Race, from Liverpool.
 Emerald of Britain—At Liverpool, from Quebec.
 Pomerania—At Quebec, from Havre.
 Corsican—At Montreal, from Liverpool.
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 Plans and specifications of this steamer may be procured upon application to the Department of Agriculture, Ottawa, up to the eleventh of September, 1909.
 Tenders will be received only from bona fide ship builders owning ship yards.
 Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque equal to ten per cent. of the whole amount of the tender, which cheque will be forfeited if the individual or company sending it declines to enter into a contract with the Department or fails to complete the steamer.
 The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.
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