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Charles Allan of Brampton Elected President of the Association —A Day Off.

ST. CATHARINES, Ont., Aug. 4.—(Special)—The Provincial Firemen's association worked all morning, but took the afternoon off, and, as guests of Protection Hose company and the town council, went to Port Colborne.

The trip up the canal was unique inasmuch as it was made in a well-equipped house boat, loaned for the occasion by J. L. Weller, superintendent engineer of the Welland canal. The motive power was furnished by Joseph Battles' tug. The party left at noon and did not return until well into the night.

At the morning's session the secretary's annual report was read, showing twenty-eight companies in good standing in the association, yearly fees amounting to $147.

These officers were elected:

President, Charles Allan, Brampton.
Vice president, W. Birrell, Hamilton.
Second vice president, Adam Martin, Thorold.
Secretary, George Thomas, Niagara Falls.
Treasurer, George Elkins, Thorold.
Topic committee—L. Smith Thorold; A. Donald, Niagara Falls; T. Hastings, Merritton; H. James, Trenton; R. Logan, Wallaceburg.
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Membership—T. O'Reilly, Niagara Falls; W. Miller, Smith's Falls; G. Nolan, Trenton; C. J. Ruse, Cobourg; John Kellow, Oshawa; W. Moyer, St. Mary's; E. Fearl, St. Mary's; S. A. Moffat, Merritton.
Executive—A. J. Fisher, Thorold; G. Thomas, E. F. Earl, L. Smith, T. Skinner, R. Clark, W. J. Armstrong.

J. Calvin made an eloquent plea for Paris for the convention next year, and on vote Paris was selected over Niagara Falls and Acton. The selection was put to a vote by O'Reilly of the Falls, who claimed the power city had been slurred by the remark of a delegate to the effect that the Falls was not on the map.

To-morrow a big demonstration and turnout will be held.

SPORTS AT WHITBY.

Civic Holiday Brought Out a Good Series of Contests.

WHITBY, Aug. 4.—(Special.)—A valuable black horse, one of a team belonging to Nicholson and Seldon, undertakers, of this town, was discovered in its pasture field yesterday morning with its right foreleg broken

Civic holiday was celebrated here in grand style. In baseball Oshawa Juniors defeated Whitby Juniors for a silver cup by 15 to 11. Oshawa Seniors were defeated by Whitby Seniors by 11 to 6. The prize in this case was a cup. Claremont, Pickering and Highland Creek sent football teams to compete for the silver cup offered. The Maple Leafs of Pickering defeated Claremont 4 to 0, and were in turn defeated by Highland Creek by five goals to two. The Creek thus captured the cup.

100 yards race for boys, 15 and under—T. Bolton 1, C. Ross 2.

100 yards, open, race—Grover Clark 1, G. Hornbeck 2.

100 yards race, boys under 12—G. Bryan, G. Whig and G. Rice were the winners.

Catching the greaser pig occasioned much sport. Cecil Drewett of Toronto got him. The pig became his property.

In the race for girls, Miss A. Rielly won a handsome lamp as first prize, with Miss N. Lynde second winner of cash prize.

In the hop, step and jump, A. Blanchard of Whitby came first; A. Besse, Claremont, second.

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BIG MEETING VOTES SOLID FOR ANNEXATION

District Between City and East Toronto Wants to Come In—Live News From County.

If anything were needed to confirm the wisdom of the action of the board of control in extending to the eastern portion of York Township the benefits of annexation, it was abundantly supplied in the mass meeting held in Reid-avenue Presbyterian Church last night.

No such representative meeting has ever been hitherto held in the Ashdale, Reid and Coxwell-avenue districts, and that the gathering by a vote of 250 to 2 passed a resolution approving of the principle of annexation to the city is a fair index of the feeling generally over the proposed area.

The chair was occupied by Rev. D. Wallace Christy, pastor of the church, and that the big gathering manifested such intense interest (in spite of the weather) in all the arguments advanced by 20 or more speakers is an indication of the feeling generally in the neighborhood.

The speakers were all local men, and the arguments in favor of the movement were straight to the point, and dealt with the matter of sewage, fire and police protection.

It was pointed out that the Reid-avenue district and in fact all that portion east of Greenwood-avenue west of East Toronto and south of the Danforth-road was rapidly filling up, and demanded a more modern and comprehensive plan of building than could obtain under any township council, however progressive.

"No matter what action East Toronto may take, whether favorable or otherwise," said one speaker, "we are willing and anxious to secure union with the city, for the reasons stated."

The big gathering endorsed the statement together with a resolution strongly urging the desirability of the movement.

The feature of the gathering was the practically unanimous vote and the determination of the ratepayers to allow no railway or interest to sidetrack the movement.

MARKHAM VILLAGE.

New Steel Bridge Will Be Formally Opened About September 1.

MARKHAM VILLAGE, Aug. 4.—Markham High School Board asked the council to collect $550 for school maintenance.

Miss A. M. Smith, formerly of Whitby, gets $600 as commercial teacher, beginning after the holidays.

The preferred claims against Harvey J. Spencely and his wife, Elizabeth Spencely, are two mortgages on the Markham residence, amounting to about $2200, the claim of the Standard Bank of $5400, secured by sale notes of $800 and assignment of a second mortgage on the old Spencely farm at Cedar Grove of $4300. The unsecured claims will total about $6000. The assets are the equity in the Markham house, and the mortgage for $4300 held by the bank, and a few tons of hay and straw. R. J. Corson Dr. Hassard and Thos. Bishop are the inspectors.

The approaches to the handsome new steel bridge over the Rouge at the south end of the town are well on toward completion, and Sept. 1 is expected to see the road open for thru traffic. The village so far this summer has expended about $500. The total cost when completed will be found to be heavy, and it is to be hoped that the township council will reconsider their resolution, and grant a substantial amount to help on the good work.

The purchase by Dundas and Hamilton capitalists of the Markham Woolen Mills, which has now been definitely concluded, is welcome news to the people of Markham. The company asks no favors or bonus of any kind and will employ a large staff of skilled artisans. The deal was carried thru by Messrs. Higgins and Douglas.

OUTLOOK NOT BRIGHT.

Mr. Rennie Says Ottawa Valley Crop is Not Good.

Simpson Rennie, the well-known expert judge on agriculture, returned to the city on Sunday evening from a trip thru Renfrew County and the Ottawa Valley, where he was engaged as government judge on field grain competitions.

Mr. Rennie reports the pea crop as a comparative failure, owing to the presence of the field louse which has attacked the vines, and in the case of late sown has completely ruined the crop. Generally speaking, Mr. Rennie reports the conditions in the east as rather disappointing. Late spring, and much wet followed by long dry period is given as the reason. To-day he goes to Waterdown, where he will judge on grain growing.

In view of the prevalence thruout the County of York of the "sow thistle" and the futile efforts of many of the farmers to rid their lands of the pest, the method of cultivation adopted by some of the most successful will be of general interest. The plan pursued by Mr. Rennie will be given in the county columns of The World within two or three days. The experience of others who have succeeded in eradicating this weed will be gladly published

VICTORIA SQUARE.

Fine, commodious bank barns are fast taking the places of their predecessors in this vicinity and are adding to the appearance of the farms whereon they are erected. On Wednesday of last week, Thos. Glover assisted by the neighboring farmers raised a large barn, 72x42. The captains were Walter Scott, Sr., and George Forrester, Jr. After everything was in readiness, the structure was put up in one hour, victory being with Scott's men, who were thru before Forrester's men had got their plate in position. Stiver Bros., of Unionville, have charge of the carpenter work, while the masonry is the work of Wm. Pattenden of Vandorf. Tea was served on the lawn and the bountiful repast was done ample justice to by the victors and the vanquished. The ladies presided at the tables, assisted by Herbie Boynton, who acted thruout as master of ceremonies.

The hot, dry weather is hastening the ripening of the grain and some of the farmers will soon be thru cutting.

Robert Steutenburgh, who was injured in a runaway, is progressing favorably.

Alsike is yielding well in this vicinity. Mr. Scott, off three acres, has 24 bushels of good seed. R. S. Frisby also has 45 bags and more to thresh.

KEW BEACH.

Call to Binney S. Black is Confirmed—Services Arranged.

Kew Beach Presbyterian church's call to Binney S. Black was considered and sanctioned in a special meeting of the presbytery yesterday afternoon. Mr. Black is a graduate of Knox College '08, and a licentiate of the presbytery. The call was unanimous and was signed by 111 members, promising a salary of $1000 a year. A grant of $500 was given by the congregation to the former minister, Rev. J. W. Bell as a retiring allowance.

The call to Mr. Black was supported by John Lowden, John MacGregor and Joseph White. Mr. Black was accepted and the presbytery will meet in Kew Beach Presbyterian church on Friday evening, 21st inst., at 8 o'clock, to ordain and induct the new minister. Dr. Gilray will preside. Rev. W. H. Andrews of Queen St. East church will preach the ordination sermon. Rev. Dr. Parsons will deliver the charge and Rev. Alexander MacGillivray will address the people.

YORK COUNTY ESTATE.

Mrs. Burkholder Disposes of Property to the Value of $7000.

Probate of the will of Mrs. Mary Burkholder of Markham disposes of an estate worth $7000.

In the will Mrs. Burkholder leaves two provisos, and in one of these the sum of $300 goes to the Mennonite church, to be expended in fuel. The other proviso stipulates that $100 be given to Elizabeth McGiffen on condition that "she stays with me and cares for me during my lifetime." The residue of the estate is divided among one sister, three brothers, four nephews and eight nieces, who will be forced to look after their own interests by a clause and a codicil which says that unless they claim their shares within three years, Samuel Barky benefits to the extent of having the rental of one of her farms for $25 a year as long as he lives.

NORTH TORONTO.

Police Magistrate Ellis Will Try Strader Case To-Day.

NORTH TORONTO, August 4.—In the county police court this afternoon, Willie Atkinson of Castlefield-avenue was remanded to the Children's Shelter till next Monday. Magistrate Ellis, in the meantime, will consider if it is not advisable to send the juvenile offender to the Industrial School at Mimico.

At ten o'clock to-morrow (Wednesday) morning Magistrate Ellis will hold court at the town hall, when the Strader liquor selling case will be heard. Chas. Tredgett, Alfred McEldon, Robert Duncan, George Duncan and Thomas Hayes will appear before the magistrate in this case as defendants.

County Constable Simpson has a warrant out against one Ben Brimmer, who is charged with stealing two watches, a pair of pants and slippers and other articles from the Humber Beach Hotel on August 3.

York Township Council, postponed from Monday, will be held to-morrow (Wednesday).

AURORA.

Firemen and Their Friends Go to Niagara Falls To-Day.

AURORA, Aug. 4.—To-morrow, Wednesday, Aug. 5, will be civic holiday and as in other years the feature of the day here will be the firemen's excursion to Niagara Falls.

The 12th regiment band will give a concert at Jackson's Point a week from Saturday, Aug. 8, from 3 to 5 p.m. On the following Sunday, they will give a sacred concert at Pine Plaza from 3 to 5 p.m.

Underhill Bros. on Friday night entertained the local firemen, when a most enjoyable time was spent.

MAPLE.

Record Year in Barn Building in Vaughan Township.

MAPLE, Aug. 4.—Barn raising has been all the rage around here this summer. The following gentlemen have had new barns built with stone basements: J. G. W. Constable, lot 2, con. 6; Thos. Mattieson, lot 17, con. 3; Joseph Fisher, lot 2, con 3; R. N. Keffer, lot 9, con. 4; M. Whitty, lot 10, con. 3; Harry Rumbles, lot 21, con. 3; all in Vaughan.

The fall wheat and barley are all cut and most of it stored away. Wheat as a rule will yield good. The barley, in some cases, is very much shrunken.

Lewis H. Vaughan, merchant of Donsview, has purchased the store from H. C. Bailey, north of the Temperance House, and is moving in today.

W. T. Robinson has purchased a large corner lot from Dr. Noble and purposes building an up-to-date brick veneered store, starting in August. His nephew, a northern contractor, has secured the job.

By fall, Maple will have four general store and three hardware stores, running full blast.

On account of the scarcity of houses, Mrs. Burgess and family moved to Patterson and Jos. Readman to Bolton.

Dr. T. Keffer of Toronto has purchased Wm. Creaser's residence and is moving to our midst.

Mr. Henry has been appointed manager of the Maple and Thornhill branches of the Sterling Bank of Canada.

Wilbert Cousins, bank clerk, is being transferred from Maple to Haliburton.

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"Oh dear, but what's the use grumbling? I can't afford new furniture now," the little woman philosophizes on ordinary occasions.

Now, however, the case is different. This is an EXTRAORDINARY occasion. Everybody can afford to buy furniture now. In fact it is a mistaken economy NOT to buy now. The Furniture Sale commenced on Tuesday and you can buy furniture cheaper and better now than for years.

We instance two very remarkable examples on sale specially to-morrow. Hundreds of other opportunities when you come.

Parlor Suites Thursday

7 PARLOR SUITES, 3 pieces, divan, armchair and ladies' armchair, beautiful birch mahogany frames, very graceful in design, spring seats, padded backs, upholstered in fine quality silk brocades, dainty colorings, regular $46.75, Thursday, August Sale 35.00

Sideboards for Thursday

15 SIDEBOARDS, solid oak, golden finish, neatly carved, top fitted with display shelves and 18x36 British bevel mirror, base contains 2 cutlery drawers (one lined), long linen drawer and double cupboard, well made and handsome in appearance, regular $25.00. Thursday, August Sale 20.00

SECOND FLIGHT O'ER CITY OF BEACHEY AIR SHIP

Navigator Unable to Make Landing Owing to Anchor Rope Not Dropping.

Capt. Beachey made his second successful flight in his airship yesterday afternoon. He left the island oval at 5 o'clock and passed swiftly over the bay in a northeasterly direction, making a wide sweep around St. James' Cathedral and then steering westerly for the city hall tower. Capt. Beachey swung around the tower and then headed for Hanlan's Point.

The airship behaved splendidly and was all the time under the complete control of the nervy navigator.

Arriving at the island Capt. Beachey pointed the nose of his ship directly for the centre of the lacrosse grounds. When within 50 feet of the ground he threw out his anchor rope and then stopped the motor. The rope, however, became tangled and the attendants could not reach it, the result being that the ship began to soar again. Capt. Beachey saw that his gas bag was in danger of drifting against the grand stand and he let out sand enough to carry him over. Then he opened the mouth of the balloon and released a quanity of gas.

The airship settled down to within a few feet of the water in the lagoon and skimmed the surface. A motor boat set out in pursuit, but could not make headway and the balloon drifted into the tall grass near the western sandbar. Capt. Beachey directed his car into a telegraph line on the sandbar and he made fast there till help arrived. A line was attached and the machine towed across the lagoon. It was safely housed within the tent by 6 o'clock. Capt. Beachey received an ovation on making a landing. The car was not damaged, tho the rudder was wet from dipping and it was necessary to refill the silken bag. Owing to this delay Capt. Beachey did not make another flight in the evening.

FLIM FLAMMER IN OUR MIDST.

The World has received the following—

Watch out for a tall fair man of fine appearance, with panama hat, who has been here trying to do the public greatly, in the west and east ends of the city. Spending 5 or 10 cents, he hands $10 bill and then finds he has some loose change. He wants his $10 back. He places down one five and the storekeeper gives him back his five for the small change, and of course Mr. Flim-Flammer asks for $10, in which he keeps back the other five in his pocket. Beware of him.

NOT SHAUGHNESSY'S SON USED NAME TO DEFRAUD

Swindler in Washington Territory Tried to Kill Himself to Avoid Being Arrested.

SPOKANE, Wash., Aug. 4.—(Special.)—Bert B. Shaughnessy, known by several other aliases, who posed in Spokane, North Yakima, and other cities in Washington, as a son of Sir Thomas G. Shaughnessy, president of the Canadian Pacific Railroad, and pretended to be identified with the claim department of the system, has been landed in jail at North Yakima, where he is to stand trial for forgery.

He is also wanted in Spokane for robbery, and Chief of Police Rice says the charges will be pushed. The specific charge at North Yakima is uttering a cheque for $10,000 on the Spokane and Eastern Trust Company of Spokane, in payment of a 40-acre tract of orchard land. In Spokane he is accused of robbing drunken men.

The man, who is believed to be Bert Rogers of Somerville, B.C., came to Spokane several weeks ago, and registered at the leading hotel, where he received the reporters of the local journals as the son of Sir Thomas Shaughnessy, saying he was making a trip over the inland empire in the interests of the Canadian railroad, after investigating a wreck at Medicine Hat. He was accompanied by a man giving his name as Murphy, who posed as an official of the traffic department of the C.P.R. at Winnipeg. Both men were well dressed, the one giving the name of Shaughnessy flashing expensive jewelry, including a cluster diamond set ring.

He was arrested a few days ago in Seattle at the instance of J. J. Edwards, sheriff of Yakima County. He was taken into custody in the rotunda of the Hotel Lincoln. While on the way to the station and when within a few feet of the entrance he broke away and ran into a wholesale house, a half mile away. There, in his eagerness to escape arrest, he plunged headlong into an elevator shaft, sustaining severe injuries, in addition to which he drank the contents of a phial of poison. He was taken to the Emergency Hospital, where the doctors worked over him several hours before he was out of danger.

The man offered no explanation for his conduct, other than to say that he would rather die than face his accusers. When asked why he assumed the name of Shaughnessy he said that the head of the Canadian Pacific Railway was as widely known in the northwest as he is in Canada, and that by representing he was Sir Thomas' son he could get anything he wanted, and, he added. This I did until I negotiated the purchase of a fine young orchard property at North Yakima."

Pictures of Roberts.

Remarkable evidence of Lord Roberts popularity in Toronto has been shown during the past two days by the thousands of citizens and visitors who have crowded round the windows of Eaton's store at the corner of Yonge and Albert-streets to get a glimpse of the portrait of the "National Hero," which they are exhibiting.

The portrait, which is in oils, shows the veteran field marshal in full uniform, wearing his numerous medals, orders and Victoria Cross.

It is the work of the distinguished Canadian artist, W. A. Sherwood, and reflects the highest credit upon his abilities.

The portrait is mounted in a heavy gold frame and set in a back ground of national flags, the Union Jack being the most prominent.

Whitby Collegiate Institute is losing two teachers from its staff. Mr. N. McEachern and Mr. A. C. Craig. Mr. McEachern has accepted a position as science master in the St. Mary's Collegiate at an increased salary of $250. Mr. Craig also gets a substantial increase where he is going.

Farman's Success.

NEW YORK, Aug. 4.—Henry Farman, the aviator, continued his airship flights at the Brighton Beach race track to-day. The apparatus answered the helm readily and turned in a semi-circle.

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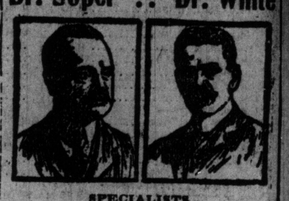

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