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THE ASSEMBLY AT MONTREAL

Rev. A. H. MacGillivray Reviews the Proceedings of Important Body

Press Inaccuracies Laid Bare—Bright Outlook For Church

As was announced, Rev. A. H. MacGillivray gave some of the outstanding features of the recent meeting of the Presbyterian General Assembly at the morning service in the First Church yesterday.

During the course of his remarks he spoke of the hospitality of the people in Montreal, and of its excellent churches. The Erskine church, where the Assembly was held, is one of the finest in the country. The congregation is doing a great work, especially in missions. In opening his remarks, Mr. MacGillivray said it was his intention to rehearse the actions of the Assembly, so that the people would be correctly advised upon what was done. The newspapers, he said, could not be relied upon for this information. Their reports, he claimed, were often incorrect and misleading, especially in the head lines. He expected none of the newspapers of the country in his sweeping criticism.

He said the meeting gave the people an idea of the work which is being done by the church in all sections. It takes \$250 to support a missionary in the West. The Presbyterian church is supporting 200 of these missionaries. One of the members of the First Church is counted among those who are contributing \$250 of this amount, yearly. In the Home Mission work, one more superintendent has been added. His territory will be in British Columbia and the Yukon. Prof. McGill was elected principal of Fine Hill Academy of Halifax, to fill the place left vacant by the resignation of Dr. Falconer, who has been appointed principal of the Toronto University. Additions have been made to the staff of the Manitoba College. College work was the least satisfactory of all branches of the work reported upon. There are not enough young men going into the ministry.

It was shown that money had been lost to Knox College through investments which were not legal according to the charter. The loss amounted to \$30,000. There will be no more investments of this kind. Rev. Dr. Shearer, of the Lord's Day Alliance, will take up work for the Presbyterian church similar to that at present conducted by Rev. Dr. Chohan for the Methodist church.

Mention was made of the famous graft resolution. The movement is for Moral and Social reform. Some of the delegates were in favor of making it read, "Graft and Moral Reform."

In reference to the Church Union question which is hanging fire between the Presbyterian, Methodist and Congregational churches, the matter will be referred to the Synods, Presbyteries, Sessions and congregations for opinions and suggestions.

"One thing which impressed the delegates," said Mr. MacGillivray in closing, "was that the church with all her faults, is trying to be what her Master would have her be—a benefit to the nation. There is no church which is more a national church than the Presbyterian church. It is trying to stand for the very best, and trying to contribute towards making a better Canada. The spirit which seemed to be caught during the proceedings was that of the motto of the Brotherhood, 'We can do great things, and we can do it if we will; we can do it, and we will.'"

EVIDENCE CLOSED IN WINDSOR TRIAL

Windsor, June 14.—No less than eighty farmers of South Essex are interested in the action of Traders' Bank vs. White, which has been tried this week before Judge McHugh, of Sandwich. The case is one of the most important ever brought before the county court, and there has been a hard-fought legal battle over the admission of evidence.

E. F. B. Johnston, the noted criminal lawyer, assisted by Clarke Bartlett & Bartlett, is appearing for the plaintiffs, while O. L. Lewis, of Chatham, and J. W. Hanna, of Windsor, are looking after the interests of the defendants. Over two days were spent in hearing witnesses, upwards of thirty being examined, cross-examined and re-examined. The evidence is all in now and the lawyers will submit their arguments in writing. It will be several weeks before a decision is reached. There will probably be an appeal whichever way the judgment is given.

A big head is often the result of a few small ideas.

The largest and best assortment of bedding plants at the Victoria Ave. Green Houses. The prices are the lowest.

LACK OF CLOTHING GETS DAVID TAYLOR IN TROUBLE

Adam—And—Eve-like Costumes Worn By White Man And Two Colored Girls—Mrs. Twiggs Fined For Disturbing Peace—The Police Court

Mrs. Twigg, of King street east, who was again summoned to appear before Judge Houston in Police Court this morning, this time on a charge of disturbing the peace.

The case was the result of the row which was a week ago, when Peter Johnson was up for using insulting language. The witnesses called this morning were East End Officer Thompson, Peter Johnson, Mabel Bowers, Governor John Davidson, Albert Kilbrith and Reginald Lamford.

The information laid against Mrs. Twigg was that she had persisted in calling Johnson "by the nickname 'Jacoway,' after she had been warned not to by the officer. Johnson swore this morning that she also called him another name which is too low and vulgar to be published. Officer Thompson said that when he first asked who was creating the noise, some one in the crowd said it was Mrs. Bumps, indicating Mrs. Twigg. Mrs. Twigg pleaded not guilty.

In view of all the evidence, however, the Judge was inclined to think that she was guilty, and levied a fine of \$1 and the costs in all amounting to \$6.25.

"Have you any seizable property?" came the usual question from the Court.

"There's no need of seizing anything," replied Mrs. Twigg, as she dug up her fine from a well-filled hand purse she carried.

"This is a cinch," was the way she put it when she was passing the press table to get out the little gate.

The man Green, who was found guilty of selling liquor to an Indian, asked this morning to be given another week in which to raise his \$50 fine. His request was granted, and his case remanded till next Monday.

A gay Lothario on crutches, minus one leg, his mustache curled up a la Kaiser, accompanied by two colored women in dowdy dress and disheveled hair, cut a rather ludicrous figure in the prisoners' pen this morning. The onlookers, however, who by the way, were not a few, were not in the least amused. What of a sport, in his own straits of society, answered to the name of

David Taylor. The colored females who were his companions in tribulation, were Miss Wilson and Hattie Casey.

One of the "ladies" was rounded up by Officer Desella, and the "gentleman friend" was run in along with the other woman by Chief Holmes and Officer Dodson.

The complaint laid against the trio was that they were conducting themselves somewhat after the manner of our prehistoric ancestors in a lot to the side of the C. P. R. tracks just outside the western city limits on Saturday afternoon. The warm weather may have been the cause, but anyway it is alleged that they were not wearing all the clothing which the law calls for. The result was that they were charged with indecent conduct.

The man Taylor has had previous experiences with the police officers. The last time he was up he was released on suspended sentence, and on consenting to leave the country. The case was remanded for a week. Taylor pleaded not guilty.

Owing to the honesty of Grocer V. J. Bosworth, there was a very happy woman on the market Saturday morning. Mr. Bosworth was just leaving the market when he picked up a purse near one of the doors. There was somewhere about seven dollars in the purse, and Mr. Bosworth thought that the best way to locate the owner would be to turn the purse over to the Chief of Police. He was just in the act of handing it to Chief Holmes when a lady came running up to the officer to tell him that she had lost her purse containing a sum of money. She was naturally very lightly clad to discover that it had been found, and Mr. Bosworth was the recipient of many hearty thank you's.

The police are puzzled what to do with an aged individual named Eli Casey, who has been discharged from the Home of the Friendless. It seems that Casey has become so rebellious lately that the management of the Home cannot do anything with him. In the meantime, he will be kept in the Police Court cells for a few days on a bread and water diet.

THE CIRCUS TOMORROW

Something About The Big Show Which Will Play Here

One Of The Finest Exhibitions Ever Offered to The Public

Interest in to-morrow's performances of the Adam Forepaugh-Sells Brothers combined shows is manifest. This particular combination has always given the public a satisfactory circus performance. The riders, gymnasts and daring specialists of one kind and another, are said to be the most expert in their several professions. Most of the artists in this season's program make their first bow to an American audience. There are 420 performers appearing in the arena show and 1,000 actors in the spectacle, "The Fighting Flames," which opens the performance. Of the above mentioned 420 performers, 50 are clowns, which indicates that hilarious merriment will be an agreeable element in the varied program. The thriller for this season is Mlle. La Raque's automobile somersault; a two thousand pound racing machine dashes down a steep incline, reaching an upward curve near the bottom of the incline, the auto makes a dash into the air and turns a complete somersault. The Corrells trio in their reckless and highly amusing burlesque on the horizontal bars; Captain Webb's two schools of educated seals and sea lions as expert jugglers, musicians, ball balancers and contortionists; three herds of highly trained elephants performing many unique feats; the Stirk family in a novel revolving aerial specialty; the Dollar troupe of European acrobats, presenting a new interpretation of the famous Risley act; the eight Cornallies in their posing specialty; Les Jundes, Parisian acrobatic novelty; Frederic Zobedie, the physical enigma who in an inverted position performs acrobatic feats that would be considered difficult under normal conditions; the four Johnsons in a pleasing gymnastic exhibition; Nettie Carroll in a pink tea entertainment; high up on a golden wire; Manie Kroll in graceful poses on a silver thread; Oscar Lowanda, performing acrobatic feats mounted upon the barebacks of

swiftly running horses; Orrin Davenport, champion equestrian of two hemispheres; W. F. Wallett, in difficult bareback exploits; A. G. Lowanda, ludicrous performance of bareback riding; Madam Lancaster, and her splendidly disciplined High school horses, manoeuvring to waltz time; Helen Hill, illustrating the highest type of fancy riding; Albert Dean in an entertaining Manage act; Gustave Kanit and his educated mule; Joseph La Fleur in his death inviting backward high dive; May and Victoria Davenport, novel double riding specialty on swiftly flying horses; Miss Julia Shipp, introducing her unique bareback act; Rebecca Daniels in Parisian equestrian exploits.

Forepaugh-Sells will give two performances to-morrow. There will be a free street parade during the morning. Many entertaining features are promised. The three great herds of elephants, two droves of camels and the cages of wild animals will be arranged so that the beasts will be in full view of the public.

ALMOST A WRECK

Salvationists' Excursion Train Thrown Off Rails.

Coalsworth, Ont., June 17.—A wreck in which the lives of nearly 300 Londoners were imperilled occurred on Saturday. One cause is given as a spread rail and the other as a wash-out. Two persons from London were slightly injured.

The line was blocked for several hours, and the regular train from London was delayed for several hours pending the arrival of the wrecking train.

The special train of Salvation Army excursionists left London at 6.55, and was crowded with people from both London and towns along the line. It was bowling along at a rate of about 40 miles an hour, when the front axle of the engine snapped like a twig and sent the engine and the first two coaches, one of which was the baggage car, toppling over into the ditch. The entire train was dragged along for some distance, and there was great confusion for a considerable time. Women and children were thrown about in the coaches.

Packing House Teamsters to Strike.
Chicago, June 17.—Final preparations were begun for the strike of the packing house teamsters. The teamsters have expressed themselves as willing to take an increase of 1-1/2 cents an hour, but this the packers have refused.

Idleness, like industry, is catching.

TRAGIC END OF BRAWL

Englishman Killed As A Result Of Drunken Quarrel

Noah Hill And Harry Lockyer Got Into Heated Argument

Stratford, June 17.—Noah Hill, an Englishman, is dead, and his companion in drink, Harry Lockyer, is in jail, charged with murder, as the result of a fight which took place here Saturday night between the two men, who were both under the influence of liquor.

The men were drinking together, but in the heat of an argument their friendship ceased, and they decided to fight it out in rear of the skating rink.

The men who, before participating in the fatal battle, said they were going to have an "honorable fight," repaired to the chosen spot, took off their coats, shook hands, and, in the presence of witnesses, faced each other.

Two blows only were struck, the first being an apparently harmless one, and the second fatal. Hill struck Lockyer first, and the latter returned a severe blow, hitting Hill under the chin. He fell without uttering a sound, and no doubt died instantly. The blow had broken his neck.

Frank Morris and George Chapman were eye witnesses.

Soon after his arrest, Lockyer was brought before a magistrate and charged with murder. He pleaded not guilty and was remanded.

Both men have wives and families. They were immigrants from the old country.

INDEPENDENT FORESTERS PARADE TO FIRST CHURCH

The members of Court McGregor, No. 6, I. O. F., two hundred and ten strong, marched in a body to divine service in the First Presbyterian church last evening. They were headed by the 24th Regiment Band, and marshalled by Bro. Peter Desella. As usual, Court McGregor had the largest turnout to church parade of the season, and at that, barely half of the members were present. The brethren made a fine appearance on parade.

Rev. A. H. MacGillivray, pastor of the First Church, delivered a fitting sermon, and touched on the great good which fraternalism is doing towards establishing the Brotherhood of Men. The members of the Order were especially well pleased with the musical service provided, and Organist John Smith's work on the organ was the subject of much favorable comment. A quartet number rendered by Messrs. Wilson, Angus, Smith and Smith also greatly pleased their hearers.

MRS. WEMP CALLED

Last evening, at the residence of her mother, Mrs. Richard Paxton, Barthe St., after a lingering illness, there passed to the Great Beyond, Mrs. William Wemp, one of Chatham's best known, and most highly respected residents. Her whole life has been spent in the city of Chatham, with the exception of a year's residence in London, eighteen years ago, at which time her husband met his death in the St. George disaster, after which she returned to Chatham, with her family of five small children.

Mrs. Wemp was a most devoted mother, and will be greatly missed by her many friends, being ready at all times to assist others in trouble. She leaves three daughters, Katie, Mabel and Ella, who were at her bedside when the final call came; also her mother, two sisters and two brothers.

The funeral service will be held to-morrow afternoon at half-past two o'clock, and will be conducted by Rev. Rural Dean McCosh. Interment will be made in the Maple Leaf Cemetery.

SURROGATE COURT

Probate of the will of Edwin H. Norton has been granted to Margaret Norton.

Probate of the will of Richard L. Arnold has been granted to Thomas J. Arnold and Walter J. Cryderman. Letters of administration in the estate of Louisa Allen have been granted to Alice Ray.

Schmitt Now in Jail.

San Francisco, June 17.—Bail for Mayor Schmitt, convicted of extortion, was refused Saturday by Judge Dunne when formal application was made by the mayor's counsel. Sentence will be pronounced June 27. Meanwhile Schmitt will remain in jail.

Drowned While Boating.

Winnipeg, June 17.—C. Flexon, while boating yesterday in the Red River, was drowned.

A WORD TO THOSE WHO HAVE LEFT THEIR HOUSE CLEANING

Till now on account of the late season. Just a word to say that our stock of

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