

GREATER HAMILTON'S MOST RELIABLE NEWSPAPER

ANALYSIS OF HYDRO OFFER

Made by the Cataract Company For the Aldermen.

Some Figures That Should be Closely Looked Into

Before the City Commits Itself to Anything.

When the city of Hamilton some months ago, received an offer from the Cataract Power Company, the City Council handed the offer over to the engineer of the Hydro-Electric Commission to be reported upon.

The Cataract Company gives out the following memorandum for application to the proposed supply of 1,500 horse power by the Hydro-Electric Commission in connection with an expenditure of \$225,000 by the city.

Table with financial figures: Operating, per annum \$4,695.00; Maintenance, per annum 4,875.00; General expense, per annum 7,290.00; Taxes lost - Interest at 5 per cent. 10,125.00; Sinking fund, at 1 1/2 per cent. per annum 3,375.00; Depreciation at 5 per cent. per annum 11,250.00; Power, 1,500 50 per annum 26,250.00; Total cost for 1,200 H. P. \$67,770.00; Or \$56.48 per H. P. per year.

The figures above given are actual and not mere estimates. Surely they should be gone into and tested. Almost invariably municipal expenditures exceed those of private enterprises.

MAY BE INSANE.

Frank Johnston Remanded For a Few Days.

Charles Young, Merrick street, was arrested last night on a charge of vagrancy by Constable W. McLean. This morning at the Police Court he pleaded not guilty and claimed the only thing he ever begged was for a bite of bread.

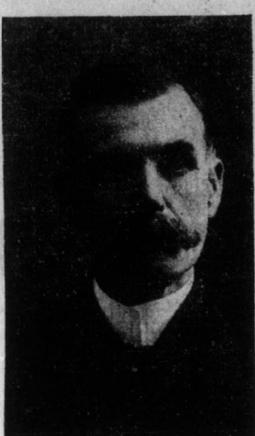
Frank Johnston, commonly known as "Bud," who lives at 124 Jackson street east, was up this morning on a charge of being drunk. Johnston is a barber who put a revolver bullet into one of his assistants when he kept a shop on John street south.

W. Bradford and George Cain, neighbors, were charged with disorderly conduct by Constable Burch. They were discharged.

A. B. Torax, 13 King William street, did not deny that he owed J. Izenwid 25.50 wages, and judgment was entered against him.

The adjourned county case of Frank Lombardo, charged with aggravated assault, was dismissed.

SAFETY DEPOSIT BOXES To rent at \$5 a year and upwards, for the storing of deeds, bonds, stocks, wills, silver and other valuables. TRADERS BANK OF CANADA.



A. J. MCINTOSH, Woodstock, Director Canadian Retail Coal Association.

Hangman Busy

St. Petersburg, June 10.—Thirteen persons charged with political offences were executed yesterday in various cities of Russia, of which five were in Ufa, four in Lodz, and four in Odessa.

CONFERENCE HAS CLOSED.

Final Draft of Stations Adopted This Morning.

Rev. C. E. C. Dyson Comes to Kensington Avenue.

District Chairmen and Secretaries Elected To-day.

The Methodist Conference finished its labors at noon to-day. The Stationing Committee sat until 3 o'clock this morning. Conference took a rest while the scrutineers were busy to-day, and several of the members gave excellent recitations. While there may be a few ministers who do not think they deserve to be treated as well as they could desire in the matter of draft, no serious complaints were heard.

KNOCKED HER DOWN

Slight Accident to Girl on King Street To-day.

The young daughter of Anderson, the York Street barber, was the victim of a peculiar accident to-day at noon. She was walking with her father on King Street, opposite the Terminal Station, when a young fellow named Dennis, living on Jackson street east, went past on a bicycle as they turned into the road.

Children's Heads Are quickly cleaned of all vermin by the use of Skidoo. This preparation is certain in its action and its use cannot be detected. Skidoo has a tonic action on the hair and is cleanly to use. Sold at 25c per bottle. Parke & Clarke, druggists.

BRANTFORDITE WAS WEALTHY.

Hamilton Relatives Will Receive \$30,000.

True Bills For Picketing—Magistrate Lost His Case.

Fined For Catching Bass—Permanent Sidewalks.

(Special Despatch to the Times.) Brantford, Ont., June 10.—The late Mr. John Leitch, who passed away here recently left an estate of \$100,000 in stocks, debentures, mortgages and bank deposits. The will was filed for probate to-day by M. F. Muir, solicitor, and the following dispositions were made: Baptist Church, of Dunwich township, Elgin County, \$200. Mrs. Nancy McPherson, St. Thomas, sister of deceased, \$2,000. Thomas Leitch, Hamilton, brother of deceased, \$10,000. Mrs. J. C. Baughner, Ottawa, daughter, \$10,000. Mrs. Thos. Leitch, Hamilton, daughter-in-law, and her children, \$20,000. Mrs. Leitch, Brantford, widow, home in Peel street, and suitable income, Arch. D. Leitch, son, Standard Bank, Brantford, and sole executor, is given balance of estate, which exceeds \$50,000.

The grand jury yesterday returned some sixty true bills against the strikers, moulders, charged with benefiting the Buck Stove Works. The cases will be heard this afternoon. Magistrate Livingston was sued by his former gardener, Reynolds, for \$200 due as wages. The Magistrate entered a counterclaim for milk, which it was claimed Reynolds received. The jury returned a verdict for the plaintiff.

The case of Dr. Hill for false arrest in which A. B. McKenzie acted for the plaintiff, was thrown out by Judge Hardy at the opening of the court this morning. It had not been entered in time. Mr. McKenzie invoked the reserve qualification that in cities of 20,000 the case did not need to be entered within six days, but he was unable to prove that the population of Brantford reached that figure.

At the police court this morning E. Affield and O. Maloney were fined \$3 for painting the tails of some horses on the merry-go-round belonging to Burnley Bros. P. Cros, a foreigner, was fined \$10.35 for catching bass out of season.

The police claim to have secured the marauders who have been connected with the recent store robberies. Tremaine's ready kitchen, Harp's grocery, Simons' feed store and M. B. Miller's shoe store are amongst the places that have been recently touched. J. Harp and G. Atridge, are two boys being held and another is wanted. The case was adjourned at the police court this morning.

Permanent Sidewalks. Brantford, June 10.—The question of laying permanent walks on the outside of boulevards was dealt with by the City Council last night in a manner that will probably ensure uniformity in the future.

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No Doubt. You want to be posted as to the pineapple market. If you haven't already ordered your supply for preserving, do it now. Prices are steadily advancing. We have an abundant supply of large ripe ones. Also all sizes of fruit jars at rock-bottom prices. Place your order early for spring chickens for Saturday—quantity limited.—Bain & Adams, 89, 91 King street east.

Anna's Wedding

Paris, June 10.—In order to avoid the possibility of any unpleasant incident it has been definitely decided that the wedding of Madame Anna Gould, who was formerly the Countess de Castellane, and Prince Hele de Sagan, will not take place in France. Although the time and place of the ceremony are still rigidly guarded, it can be stated that the couple will be married before the end of this month, and probably in England.



J. M. PEREGRINE, Hamilton, Director Canadian Retail Coal Association.

THE MAN IN OVERALLS

They say that was a buy-election in West Hamilton.

Well, our candidates didn't squeal anyway.

Whitney got his square deal all right enough. Is he on the square himself?

That reversion wall park will be here all on good time.

Did you hear how the elections came off?

One more cheer for Dan Reed.

Was Chub Collins in the pay of Gordon Wilson?

If it were the Liberals who elected Studholme how was it that the Tories didn't elect Scott.

The Socialist vote is not to be sneezed at in this city. You can all see that.

Now let the local Liberals get together and see if they can find out where they are at.

By supporting Hendrie in the West and Studholme in the East, the Herald did its best to please all parties. It would rather be on the popular than on the right side.

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Dramatic Incident In County Court This Morning.

Mr. Krouse, An Expert, Removed to the Hospital.

Verdict of \$100 In An Ejection Case.

The first case taken up at the general sessions of the County Court yesterday afternoon was that of Levine vs. estate of the late B. Ronald, a suit for \$200 for alleged wrongful eviction from a store at 24 York street. J. G. Farmer, for the plaintiff, said his client, in 1904, got a one year lease of the premises in question, which expired October, 1905. His client was left in tenancy of the store and negotiations were pending for a further lease when Blair Oswald, son of the late owner of the property, through his attorneys, Bruce, Bruce & Counsell, served notice on Levine to leave in a month. Levine got advice from his solicitors and as a result asked for six months' notice as he was a yearly tenant. The bailiffs were put in and the store closed, and he claimed \$200 actual monetary loss. J. L. Counsell for the defendant, claimed that a lease pending was not a lease signed.

Judge Snider's charge to the jury was on the principle of whether or not the bailiff had a legal right to seize the goods of Levine. The jury was out all afternoon, returning as the court was rising with a verdict for \$100 for Levine. Solomon Porter, vs. the International Harvester Co. was a suit for \$200 for the loss of a thumb while at work. This case was up before, but was dismissed as Porter had not entered suit inside the time allotted to him. He appealed against this through his lawyer, J. L. Scheller, and was granted the right of trial. The company was defended by James Ogilvie and George L. Stanton, K.C.

Porter lost his thumb last fall while working on some blades at the defendant company's plant and alleged negligence. The company's defence was a denial of negligence. The case lasted only a short time and consisted more of minute descriptions of the work the plaintiff had to do than any legal claims. There was a dramatic incident at the court this morning in this case. Mr. Krouse, an expert from the works, was called. While J. L. Scheller was cross-examining the witness, Krouse said he felt faint. He was given a chair to sit on, but a few seconds later he collapsed. Dr. Rennie was called in and said heart failure trouble had caused Krouse to go over. He ordered the man to the city hospital. The ambulance was called, but when it arrived it was found to be crippled by a broken wheel and another ambulance was sent for. Mr. Krouse was removed to the hospital in a very weak condition about an hour after the incident. Krouse caught cold while coming here from Chicago and this, combined with nervousness, probably caused the trouble.

The whole morning was taken up with two or three witnesses for the defence. True bills were brought in against William Roberts and William Randall on separate charges of cutting and wounding. Their cases will likely be called this afternoon.

The Militia Department has arranged with the Quebec Tercentenary Commission for the mobilization of 12,500 troops on the Plains of Abraham during next month. Militia orders will be issued in a day or so providing for the mobilization. The Quebec city corps will parade full strength, and several other city corps of eastern Canada, aggregating about 5,000 men, will also be sent to Quebec in full strength.

In addition there will be a number of small detachments from other city regiments, and one company of five officers and 43 men from outside of the rural regiments throughout the Dominion. The various units of permanent corps will all be represented, it being the present intention to assemble 1,200 men from Canada's standing army. The outside troops will have their respective headquarters for Quebec about July 12, and will remain in Quebec for about eight days.

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George Robinson, The Veteran Bandmaster Who Celebrates the 68th Anniversary of His Birth To-day.

Congregational Union. Montreal, June 10.—The congregational union of Canada, composed of former Congregational union in Ontario, Quebec, Nova Scotia and New Brunswick, opened its second annual meeting in Emmanuel Church to-day. Rev. Prof. Youitz, preached the opening sermon and after a number of committees had been elected, the annual meeting of the Canada Congregational Missionary Society was held and satisfactory reports on the year's progress presented.

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Considerable difficulty was experienced finding accommodation for the delegates as all the hotels are crowded with the race followers. The recreation committee comprise all the local coal dealers. Ald. Peregrine, Ald. Guy and W. A. Freeman are the executive committee in charge of arrangements. To-morrow will be devoted entirely to pleasure and sight-seeing. A large number of delegates are expected here this afternoon.

Delos Hull, president and editor of the Retail Coal Man, Chicago, and W. T. Roberts, of the Erie Railway Company, Buffalo, are attending the convention.

Polar Bear Tobacco. This is an American manufactured scrap tobacco that is suitable for chewing or smoking. It is sold in this city for 10 cents a package at peace's cigar store, 107 King street east.

Turbine Leaves Friday 8 a.m. Instead of 9.15 a.m. On Friday, June 12th, S. S. Turbine will leave Hamilton at 8.00 a.m. instead of 9.15 a.m. Please remember the change of time.

QUARRY SITE FOR THE HOME.

Latest Proposed Site For Incurable Consumptives.

East Enders Want Track on Delaware Avenue.

New Through Street Probable For North End.

The latest proposition in connection with the home for incurable consumptives, following the Council's action last night in instructing the City Solicitor to take the necessary legal steps to have the quarry stopped, is to build it on the city's quarry property on the mountain top, at the head of John street. The suggestion comes from Chairman Sweeney, of the Board of Works. There are fifteen acres of land there, and Ald. Sweeney thinks it would make a splendid site and provide good isolation. This would mean that no more quarrying would be done there, and he believes this would meet with the approval of those who want to preserve the beauty of the mountain. City Solicitor Waddell this morning notified Mr. Wm. Southam, the donor of the institution, of the action taken by the Council last night and Mr. Southam stated that he would give instructions at once to have the work on the building being constructed on the Hospital grounds stopped.

If the quarry site should be chosen it would be essential to keep the institution away from the high level reservoir.

City Engineer Barrow announced to-day that he has about succeeded in tracing the base line in the northeast end, which the city is trying to have settled. A number of the manufacturers in the annex are interested, as it will give another through street. At present there is only one through street below Barton street, and that is Ferris street. If the base line is established, Burlington street will be continued through from Wellington to Gilkinson street, the shallow inlets being filled in and probably another bridge built over the coal inlet. This continuation of Burlington street is something that will be very much needed, and the cost behind the reclamation wall is reclaimed.

OTHERS HAD BEEN IN JAIL.

Over Twelve Thousand Troops Going to Quebec.

Where the Unfit Immigrants Are Said to Come From.

Repairs to Dr. Reid's Yacht Not Paid For, Witness Says.

(Special Despatch to the Times.)

Ottawa, June 10.—Most of this morning's session of the House of Commons was taken up with a discussion of the proposed appointment of Edward Charlier, of Montreal, ex-editor of Le Soir, to the House staff of official translators. Mr. Monk argued that the report of the Debates Committee, recommending an increase of salaries of the Hansard staff, and augmentation of the translating staff, be sent back for further consideration. He declared that Charlier, whom the committee recommended for appointment, had been convicted and sent to jail for libel.

Mr. Gerwin (Montreal), vigorously defended the appointment of Charlier. At least five members of the House, he said, had been in jail for libel or contempt of court. There was no great crime in that.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier pointed out that the report of the committee had already been accepted by the House, and no question had been raised as to Charlier's qualifications as translator.

The discussion was continued at considerable length by Mr. Bergeron and others.

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