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No Facilities for the Prompt Registration of Titles—Documents Accumulating

(From Thursday's Daily.) With a congestion of business which is working a great hardship to the public with an insufficient staff crowded in quarters quite inadequate, and with complaints increasing in volume every day, the situation at the provincial land registry office in this city is declared by those conversant with the facts to be simply intolerable.

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Persians Ignore Orders of Czar's Officers and Grant Concessions to Germans

(Times Leased Wire.) St. Petersburg, April 23.—Germany has made an overt and threatening move toward disputing Russia's grab of Persia. Correspondence is passing on the subject between St. Petersburg and Berlin, but it is as yet uncertain how this affair will terminate.

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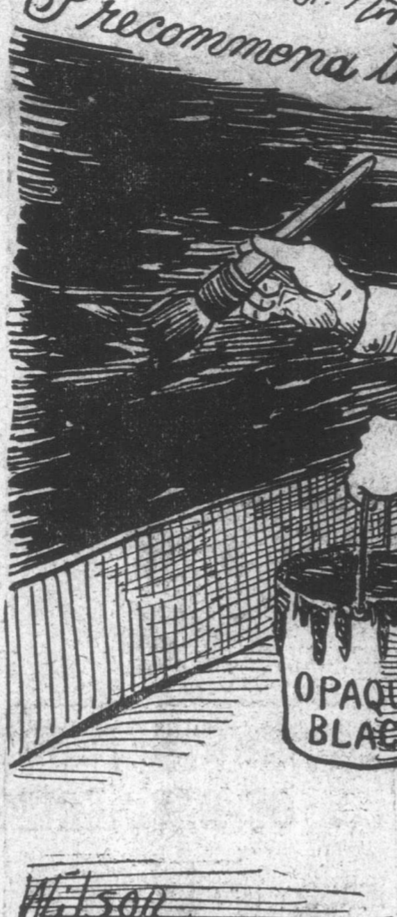
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ENGLISH COMMISSION PREPARES REPORT

Proposal to Institute Examinations for Candidates for Justices of the Peace

(Times Leased Wire.) London, April 23.—Shocked by the brutality of the typical English country justice of the peace, as illustrated by the recent sentencing of 12-year-old Charles Bullock, of Haywards's Heath, to an office flogging and to six years in the reformatory for the mischievous but boyish theft of a 10-cent lump of coal, parliament is about to take up the question of abolishing the system of the administration of so-called justice by lay magistrates of the country gentleman class.

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PAULHAN MAKES RECORD FLIGHT

FLIES IN AREOPLANE FROM LONDON TO MANCHESTER

Completes Journey With Only One Descent—White Abandons Flight

(Times Leased Wire.) London, April 23.—When Louis Paulhan alighted to-day at Manchester, winning the London Mail's \$50,000 prize, his wife and Henri Farman, inventor of the aeroplane which made the flight, were the first persons who greeted him.

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DEATH TO-DAY OR A PIONEER

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Busy and Useful Career—Highly Esteemed as Citizen—Former Mayor

(From Thursday's Daily.) A conspicuous figure in the remaining little band of pioneers who "blazed the trail" for the multitude to follow them in this section of Western Canada passed away this morning in the person of Joseph Westrop Carey. He had been ailing for a long time and his death was not unexpected, but with his passing there is left a distinct gap in the ranks of the old-timers of the city and province.

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TRADE RELATIONS WITH UNITED STATES

Resolution Passed by Tanners' Section of Toronto Board of Trade

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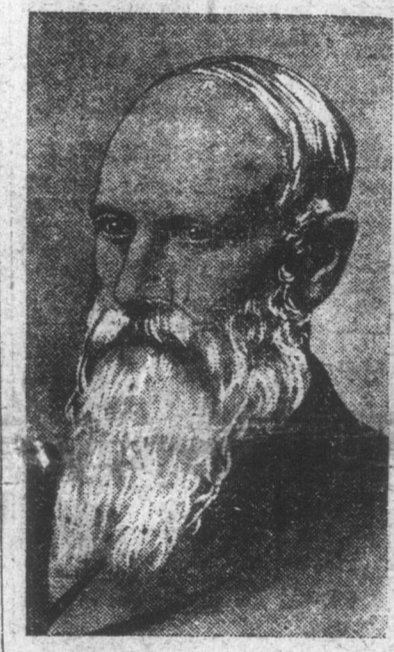
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