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TORONTO.

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George Gould Behind It.

New York, May 23.—A statement by the

belief that the attitude of President

Cleveland and other Western Union officials

had been misrepresented and mis-

understood in the pool-room contra-

versy, Jacob H. Schiff, head of Kuhn,

Loeb & Co., and a Western Union di-

rector, today made the following

statement: "Prior to reaching home last

Tuesday, I knew almost nothing of this

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LIBRARY FAR OFF AS EVER

COUNCIL REFERS IT BACK

Protest Against Location of New

Varnish Works—Matter of

Civic Grants.

The city council again postponed ac-

tion on the public library question yes-

terday by referring the selection of the

site on University-avenue back for fur-

ther consideration. Ald. Harrison made

a strong address in support of the site

selected. From statistics of the past

month, he showed that 1022 users of the

reference library lived north of College-

street and west of Simcoe; 92 lived east

of Parliament-street, and 249 lived east

of these limits. Ald. Foster and Chisholm

supported the present site, but the mayor

came out forcibly in favor of deferring

action. He favored a down-town site,

but not that on Church-street, and ad-

vised delay because building was at pre-

sent too expensive. On motion that the

matter be referred back, the vote stood

7 to 7, and Chairman McChie voted in

favor of delay. The matter will prob-

ably remain in abeyance for another

year.

Get the Grants.

The mayor made a fight against the

\$25 for the entertainment of the

Canadian Association of Plumbers, J.

McKendry spoke on behalf of the

Foresters and Aid Ramond moved the

amount which had been recommended

by the reception committee, and struck

out by the board of directors. He re-

sisted. Ald. Dunn supported the mayor,

but refused to vote. Controller Hub-

bald opposed the plumbers, but favor-

ed the Foresters, and Controller Spence

alone supported the mayor on the

matters. The grants will accordingly be

made, but no other local conventions

will receive civic assistance.

Meredith, Cameron and Walde wrote,

threatening to sue with view to the

indictment of the corporation unless

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Every Good Restaurant-keeper

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ANOTHER MASSACRE.

Natives Employed by U.S. in Philip-

pines Slaughtered by Moros.

Manila, May 23.—A report has been

received from Camp Overton, on May 15,

stating that a massacre had occurred

on the 13th instant near Malabang, on

the southern coast of Mindanao.

Fifty-three Filipino men, women

and children, the families of employees

of the United States military govern-

ment at Malabang were surprised at

midnight while asleep, by the Datto

Ais, and a band of Moros from the

Rio Grande Valley and slaughtered.

The bodies and severed heads of the

civilians were found by the military

before the alarm could be given.

Details of the massacre are meagre.

Major-General Wood has been in the

interior of Mindanao since May 12.

Cable communication between Manila

and Mindanao is interrupted and the

wires along the coast of the interior of

the island. The report of the massacre

was received by mail from a

correspondent at Camp Overton.

HOTELKEEPERS WON OUT.

Guelph Early Closing Resolution De-

clared Invalid.

Guelph, May 23.—Magistrate Saun-

ders this morning gave his decision in

the case brought against Jas. Wil-

liams of the Grand Central Hotel, to

test the validity of a resolution

passed by the license commissioners

reducing the hours for closing bars

from 11 to 10 o'clock.

He held that regulation No. 2 served

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MENTION

E. B. Oster, M.P., has returned from the

west where he has been on a tour of

inspection in connection with the

railway project. He is expected to

be in the city on Monday.

Rev. Dr. Stewart of the Bible Training

School addressed the Baptist ministers

yesterday on church union, as dealt with

in the New Testament.

Rev. J. H. Oliver of Listowel has re-

ceived a letter from the Toronto

Austrian-Slovak congregation.

Rev. W. H. Edgell, a church of England

missionary to the New Hebrides, is at the

WA. Murray & Co. Limited

Victoria Day

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open to-morrow at the usual

hour—8.30 a.m.

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FURNAL OF CHARLES TOPP.

Acting Chief Noble and fifty men of

the funeral of the late Charles Top-

p's of home 15. The services at the

home and grave were conducted by

Rev. Mr. Ingles of St. Mark's. There

were many beautiful floral offerings,

including a large pillow from the de-

partment and fireman's button from

the men at Cowan-avenue station. The

pall-bearers were: Firemen: Dunn,

Spence and Connolly, and representa-

tives from the S.O.E., A.O.U.W. and

Orangeorden. Interment took place at

Prospect Cemetery.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the

R.S.O., 1897, chap. 129 and amending acts

thereto, that all creditors and others hav-

ing claims against the estate of the late

James Blackall, who died on or about the

twenty-sixth day of March, one thousand

nine hundred and four, are, on or before

the thirty-first day of May, 1904, to be

filed in the office of the Registrar of the