

SLAYER FAILS IN DECISION APPEAL

Will Be Sentenced At Hamilton Next Week.

TORONTO, Nov. 9.—All the questions advanced on behalf of Wilfrid Meharg, found guilty by Sir William Mulock of the murder at Hamilton on December 23 of John I. Whitworth, storekeeper, have been answered by the appellate division adversely to the prisoner. He will be sentenced at the adjourned session of the assizes, which begins Nov. 14.

T. J. Agar, who appeared for the prisoner, referred to the Crippen case and the Holman and McFadden case on the question of admissibility of certain evidence in reply instead of in chief, and was told that these cases were dead against him.

According to Mr. Agar's story, Meharg and a companion named Dickenson entered the store with the intention of robbing it, but when Meharg saw that Dickenson was a big man he decided to have nothing to do with it, and intended to leave, but Whitworth, Meharg pointed at Dickenson, telling him to let Dickenson go and they would get, when his hand knocked against the scales, and the revolver went off accidentally, killing Whitworth.

"If they were engaged in a criminal act, it makes no difference," said Sir William Meredith. "Why were they armed?"

"To assist in robbery," replied Mr. Agar.

"Yes, and to use, if necessary," said the chief justice.

Justice Ferguson—"Why didn't he go out when he decided to have nothing to do with it?"

Mr. Agar—"Dickenson called for help."

Justice Ferguson—"He could have gone out if he wanted to, but he tried to take the other man out of lawful custody, which he had no right to do."

Mr. Agar argued strongly that it was improper for the judge to go into the jury-room and there instruct the jury in the absence of the counsel. "It is the first case in Canada," he said.

"And the last time a judge will make such a slip," suggested Sir William Meredith.

MANITOBA'S POPULATION SHOWS BIG INCREASES

OTTAWA, Nov. 9.—(By Canadian Press)—The result of the 1921 census shows that the population of the province of Manitoba increased from 451,190 in 1911 to 513,008, an increase of 13.5 per cent. The population of the city of Winnipeg increased from 136,655 in 1911 to 178,364 in 1921, an increase of 30.12 per cent.

The city of Brandon increased in population from 13,850 in 1911 to 15,359 in 1921, an increase of 10.9 per cent.

Portage La Prairie increased from 5,892 in 1911 to 6,748 in 1921, an increase of 14.60 per cent.

WINNIPEG HAS 178,364.

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New Film Shows Battle of Jutland



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BY JAMES W. DEAN.
NEW YORK, Nov. 9.—The film version of the Battle of Jutland has arrived in America. It presents a nice lesson for the deliberators on armaments who are meeting at Washington. In 45 minutes one sees how millions of dollars of property representing years of human endeavor went down to the bottom of the sea.

One sees, too, how the men who man the vessels, Germans and English, humans all, died in the blast of war trapped like rats are drowned.

His Bedtime Tales Teach Cruel Oriental Boys To Love Animals

"When I completed the sixteen stories necessary for my first book I went home and told my folks I was written out, that I had written my last animal story. Since that time I have written more than 2,500 on the same subject," was the little peep into his experiences as the children's favorite author, afforded The Advertiser by Thornton Burgess during his visit in the city Wednesday.

"How did I start to write these nature stories for children?" He repeated the question of the interviewer. "I had been for some years with the Phelps Publishing Company of Springfield, Mass., when my little boy, four or five years old, went to visit his

grandmother in Chicago. Every night when I got home I sat down and wrote him a story letter about Old Mother West Wind. I was so fond of nature I wanted him to be interested.

"My real start, however, came when 'Good Housekeeping,' of which I was managing editor, was sold one Friday night. Monday morning I got a notice that after two weeks my services would be no longer required. I was out on my own.

Translate Stories.

"When the publishers saw the first fourteen stories I submitted they asked for two more to make up a book. I have kept on writing children's nature studies ever since, and recently have

had a most interesting experience. My first book to be translated into another language is in Chinese. A missionary at Han Kow, wishing to teach the little Chinese children kindness to animals—and they are unintentionally cruel, she states—expressed her wish to me that she could have my stories for the children. I mentioned it to my publishers and didn't think any more about it until this summer I got one of my own books in Chinese. I couldn't even read my own name.

Tell Children Truth.

"I have two things especially in mind in writing these stories for children; first, to tell them the truth about nature, and second, to inculcate a moral lesson. Children are just like grown-up people. They shy at anything that looks like a moral or preaching.

"But I can give a moral in the very opening of a story and the children will approve. It is all a question of psychology. The little folks have the same attitude of indulgent superiority towards animals that grown-up people have toward small folks. The child, for that reason, feels that justice has been done when Peter Rabbit or one of the other animals gets what is coming to him for doing what he should not do."

Mr. Burgess had something to say with regard to his method of writing. It is his business in life. How does he find out all the delightful things about birds and animals? Knew ever so many of them before he started writing at all, observes them when he has time, and consults the best authorities available, insisting that at least "two shall be agreed" before taking their word for it. And he pounds his typewriter from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Enjoys Welcome.

His motto is "Succinct until the day is the evil thereof." When he made his first contract with a syndicate for 313 stories, six a week for a year, he could only think up eighteen titles the first day.

"I would go stale if I started worrying over what was coming next," he says. "I don't know what I am going to write about the next day, though I announce what the title of the next story will be. When I go to my desk next morning I frequently have to see what I am supposed to write about."

Sometimes I write four or five stories a day, and my record day was when down in Jackson, Florida, I received word from a syndicate that a number of my stories had been mislaid, and asking me for more at once. I dictated six stories between 9 and 12 o'clock and four stories between 2 and 4 o'clock, and they were by no means the worst I have written."

Mr. Burgess expressed himself as delighted with the welcome he had received from his little friends in London.

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OLD QUEEN CITY PLAYHOUSE SOLD

TORONTO, Nov. 10.—(By Canadian Press)—The recently-reported sale of the Burlesque House, Star Theatre, is but another chapter in the history of Toronto City property that has had about as many changes as Joseph's coat had colors. Originally the building which still forms part of the Star Theatre was a Methodist Church, which was sold to a printing establishment. Later it became a temperance hall and justified the name of the street on which it stands—Temperance street.

Some time later it became a show house and the first burlesque theatre

in Toronto. During the intervening years there had of course been many additions to the building, and the churchward appearance disappeared between the modern theatre walls. For some time, the Toronto Police Benefit Association held a mortgage on the building, and there was more or less comment on the fact that the pulchritude of the Toronto police should be in any way mixed up with a burlesque theatre.

LONE SCOUTS ORGANIZE BRANCH TRIBE IN LONDON

The boy members of the Lone Scouts of America met recently at the home of E. Murtagh, 860 William street, and organized a branch of the Lone Scout

Tribe in London. The new tribe will be known as "The Otter."

COMMITTED FOR TRIAL CHARGED WITH THEFT

Squire W. H. Chittick ordered Albert Parsons, a Westminster Hospital patient, sent up for trial when he appeared before him Wednesday afternoon at the court house for a preliminary

hearing, charged with the theft of \$37 from a fellow-patient.

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Do not suffer another day with itching, bleeding, or protruding piles. No surgical operation required. Dr. Chase's Ointment will relieve you at once and afford lasting benefit. See a box of all dealers, or Edman, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto. Sample box free if you mention this paper and enclose 2c. stamp for postage.

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Fur Collar Coats at Only \$39.50

New Velour Coats, with large collars of beaverine, sealine and opossum fur, loose back and belted styles, trimmed with fancy stitching and buttons; colors of dark brown, taupe, navy and ostrich. \$39.50

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Pure Wool Coats in handsome checks and plaids and fancy weaves; values \$10.00 last year. \$6.48

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