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JURY IS LOCKED UP; MUCH SPECULATION.

Had Been Out Three Hours When Court Arose Till Today.

BRILLIANT ADDRESSES WERE DELIVERED

Lawyer Porter, on Behalf of Ponton, Has Made a Name for Himself.

B. B. Osler, Q. C., Sustained His Reputation as a Lion Among Criminal Lawyers When He Presented the Strong Points of the Crown's Case—Justice Ferguson's Charge, Somewhat Against Ponton and Muckle All Through, a Masterpiece of Detail—His Lordship Made Nothing and Showed What He Thought Was Corroboration of the Evidence of Pare and Holden—The Intense Interest in the Case is Incomprehensible to an Outsider—The Verdict To-day.

Napanee, Dec. 2.—(Special).—To-day was constables' day, and a tired lot they are to-night. It was also the home stretch of the trial. It began with a clever, incisive, sympathetic appeal to the jurors by B. Gus Porter, who is the recipient of congratulations on all sides. He showed possibilities of great things in store for him in his chosen calling, and his mastery and address is worthy of unqualified praise and approval. His adroit reiteration of "Billy Ponton is an innocent man," and his appeal to the hearts of the jurors when he mentioned the prisoner's mother, were incidents of dramatic force. He has done his duty by his client.

Mr. Osler was calm and logical, as he always is, and sustained his reputation as the ablest criminal counsel in Canada to-day. His presentation of the Crown's case was fair and convincing, and entirely devoid of sentimental rhetoric. He dealt with hard facts in a purely judicial way, and taught the silent points of the case to the jurors, so that the simplest could comprehend. At the conclusion of his address he was visibly affected, and there was a murmur in the room that would mean applause anywhere else.

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The townsfolk are out in the streets and in the hotel corridors. The Paisley Hotel is jammed to the doors. Speculation on the jury's verdict is rife, but perhaps a trifle premature.

At 8 o'clock the court room was as thickly thronged as jammed in a box. A solid mass of people jammed the court corridors, and the only means of ingress was a foot-hold push. There were persons in the court that had come early in the morning and had remained till 8 o'clock, and were prepared to stay all night. The interest in the case is incomprehensible to anyone outside the town. A political election night is a game of nations compared with the white-hot enthusiasm and popular feeling for Billy Ponton, expressed on every hand. A man who had expressed opinions opposed to the popular one is in danger of a hostile and he has bought a cane.

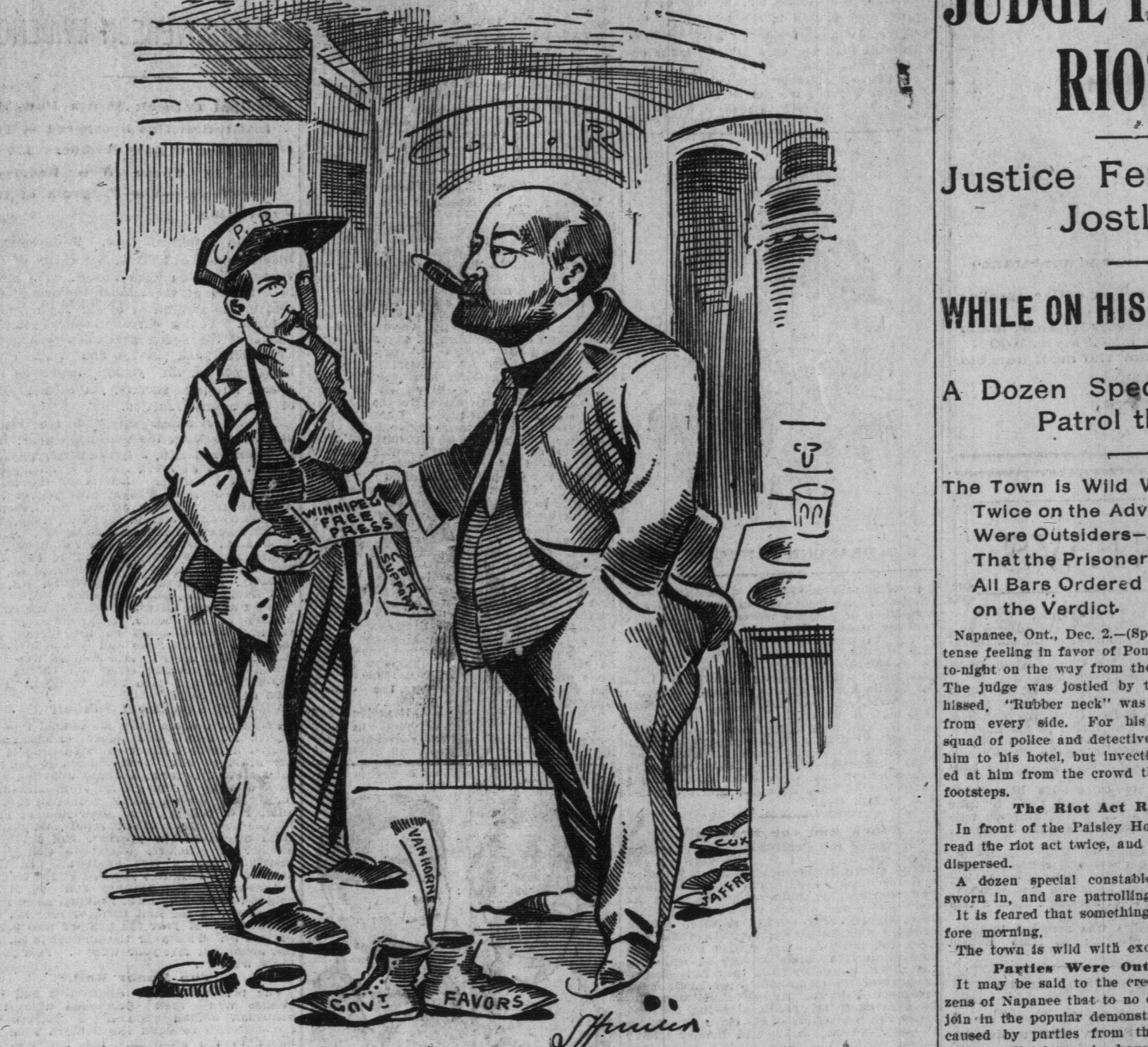
The court adjourned at 8:10 to meet tomorrow morning at 9. The jury is locked up in the Court House, and is closely guarded by a legion of black-robed till to-morrow.

The Court Room Besieged. The court room was besieged by eager townsfolk long before the hour of opening. Commercial travelers found it impossible to do business and, with their impatient customers, knocked into the court. Mr. B. B. Osler, Q. C., was on deck ten minutes before the trial.

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OR SIR WILLIAM VAN HORNE'S HANDSOME TIP TO PORTER SIFTON.
NOTE—For particulars see Napanee Press (Lib.)

CHARGED WITH FORGERY.

J. T. Niblock Alleged to Have Signed Another Man's Name to an Insurance Certificate.
Ottawa, Dec. 2.—J. T. Niblock, manager of the Ottawa branch of the London Life Insurance Company, is in custody, charged with forgery. He was arrested by Detective Flanagan and taken to the police station this afternoon. The story is as follows: Niblock, being manager of the branch, received all moneys for the payment of death claims. A number of claims were sent into the head office of a shady nature, and Mr. Niblock, in question, is a certificate of the death of Robert Ogilvie, aged 38, who is supposed to have died of consumption. This was about a week ago, and up to this time there had been no suspicion of forgery. The claim in question is a certificate of the death of Robert Ogilvie, aged 38, who is supposed to have died of consumption. This was about a week ago, and up to this time there had been no suspicion of forgery. The claim in question is a certificate of the death of Robert Ogilvie, aged 38, who is supposed to have died of consumption. This was about a week ago, and up to this time there had been no suspicion of forgery.

HAD OTHER BUSINESS.

Lord Strathcona's Mission to Washington a Double One.
Sent His Lordship to Induce Canadians to Modify Demands.

THE IMPERIAL GOVERNMENT.

That is the somewhat sensational report which comes from Montreal. It was feared the Canadian would ask so much that there could be no settlement, hence Lord Herschell asked for help.

ROSSLAND SPECIAL.

New Company to Be Formed to Operate Le Roi-Deer Park Show.
Rossland, B.C., Dec. 2.—(Special).—The British-American Corporation has arranged for the immediate incorporation of a company to operate Le Roi. Bonds will be floated in London before Christmas. It is understood the capitalization will be a million pounds.

FULTON WAS MOBBED.

Anti-Catholic Agitator Stoned and Hurt at Glace Bay.
Halifax, Dec. 2.—Justin Fulton of Boston, the anti-Catholic agitator, held a meeting at Glace Bay last night, which ended in a riot. Fulton was accompanied by James B. McDonald of Sydney. Both were attacked and stoned by several hundred people, and had to run for their lives. The lecturer was badly hurt by the flying missiles before he escaped.

WILFUL MURDER.

The Verdict Against Perrier, Who Hacked a Woman to Death.
Vancouver, B.C., Dec. 2.—The coroner's jury brought in a verdict of wilful murder against Donald Perrier. He brutally killed Jennie Anderson, a fallen woman, at New Westminster. Perrier says the woman attacked him first.

ARMED TEA HAS THE FLAVOR.

The Welfare of the Community.
The welfare of the community demands that every man should take the necessary steps to see that full provision is made for his family in case of his death. If you have not done so, write for the set of pamphlets, published by the Confederation Life Association, Toronto, which gives full particulars of the different plans of insurance among others, of a plan by which you can fully protect your wife and family and at the same time save money to be used for your children's education.

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JUDGE IS INSULTED; RIOT ACT IS READ.

Justice Ferguson is Hissed and Jostled by the Mob

WHILE ON HIS WAY FROM THE BANK TRIAL

A Dozen Special Constables Sworn in to Patrol the Streets of Napanee.

The Town is Wild With Excitement—The Riot Act Was Read Twice on the Advice of Mr. Osler—The Rioters, It is Said, Were Outsiders—Judge Did Not Make the Usual Statement That the Prisoners Should Have the Benefit of Any Doubt—All Bars Ordered to be Closed Sharp on Time—Bets Made on the Verdict.

Napanee, Ont., Dec. 2.—(Special).—The intense feeling in favor of Ponton took shape to-night on the way from the Court House. The judge was jostled by the crowd and hissed, "Rubber neck" was hurled at him from every side. For his protection a squad of police and detectives accompanied him to his hotel, but inmates were hurled at him from the crowd that dogged his footsteps.

The Riot Act Read.
In front of the Paisley House the sheriff read the riot act twice, and had the crowd dispersed. A dozen special constables have been sworn in, and are patrolling the streets. It is feared that something will occur before morning.

Parties Were Outdoors.
It may be said to the credit of the citizens of Napanee that to no extent did they join in the popular demonstration. It was caused by parties from the outside and outlying districts who have come to town to hear the verdict and have what they call a good time.

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Bets on the Issue.
Big bets are being made on the probable issue of the trial, and everywhere Billy Ponton is declared to be innocent. The police declare they can put their hands upon the ringleaders of the riot, but think it best to let the matter drop.

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MOBBED BY HIS ADMIRERS.
Lord Kitchener Had to Flee From a Crowd to Save Being Killed or Injured by Kindness.
London, Dec. 2.—General Lord Kitchener, who are pledged to the support of the scheme of establishing a Gordon memorial college at Khartoum. A great crowd was assembled outside.

Richness Clustered About Dineen's.
From Toronto, via London, England, to Dineen's street. That's the route over which the sealings came. They would come from Alaska direct—but sea-ship-perfection is only found in the pieces that are London-dressed and London-fitted.

One to One Person.
A souvenir mechanic's fine book and note book is sent free to anyone sending their name and address plainly written to Adams & Sons Co., 11 and 13 Jarvis-street, Toronto, Ont., and one wrapper from Adams' six packages' Tutti-Frutti Gum.

Taylor's Wild Rose perfume in all good drug stores.

Many Happy Returns.
Lieut.-Col. William Dillon Ottar, commanding B. S. L. Stanley Barracks, Toronto, District Officer commanding No. 1 Military District, Inspector of Infantry; Commanding Royal Regiment of Canadian Infantry; born near Clinton, Ont., Dec. 3, 1843.

Dance at Government House.
His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Miss Mowat gave a dance at Government House last evening. There were about 400 present.

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Lower Lakes and Georgian Bay—Generally fair to-day; not much change in temperature.

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