

HAMILTON HAPPENINGS

HENDRIE AND COOPER HAMILTON CANDIDATES

Hoodless Boom Fizzled Out—Geo. Lynch-Staunton Calls Single Tax "Rotten."

HAMILTON, Nov. 10.—(Special.)—Col. the Hon. John Hendrie in the west and Controller W. H. Cooper in the east, were tonight chosen as the Conservative candidates to carry the party banners in the two city constituencies in the coming provincial elections. The joint convention for the two ridings was held in the old Wines Building, on King-street East, which has again been engaged as the Conservative headquarters for the provincial campaign.

Col. Hendrie's nomination was the subject of a long and animated discussion, and no other name was presented to the convention for the west riding, nor did the nomination of Controller Cooper produce the interesting time that had been anticipated. It was true that the friends of John Hoodless, who had been considered as a strong possibility at one time, did move and second his nomination, and there was apparently a strong feeling in favor of his selection.

Declined to Be Nominated.
Wm. Stewart placed the name of Mr. Hoodless before the convention immediately the nominations were opened, and Wm. Farrar lost no time in seconding the motion. Then, just as promptly as the two previous speakers had got on their feet, Mr. Hoodless arose. In a tremendous voice he told the convention of the difficult position in which he had been placed, and after a brief eulogy of the Whitney government, stated that his health and age would not permit him making a campaign. He declined to accept the proffered honor, and graciously proposed the name of Controller Cooper as the nominee. John Holden seconded the nomination, and the pyrotechnics flared out. Col. Hendrie's nomination was moved by J. W. Lamoreaux and seconded by John Allen.

After the speech making of the candidates had been finished, George Lynch Staunton, K.C., made an address, which was principally noteworthy for the valiant tussle he attempted with the single tax theory.

"The single tax may be right in theory, but there are thousands of things that are right in theory but they don't work out in practice. The thing is so rotten," concluded the eloquent K.C., "that no one outside of a lunatic asylum would think of it."

Missionary Convention Closes.
The Hamilton district convention of the men's missionary movement held its final session to-night, and adopted the convention policy which, in brief, admitted the duty of more active missionary efforts among the churches, and pledged the delegates to an extensive and comprehensive missionary program.

Dr. Robert Speer was called away from the city suddenly this afternoon, and his subject of "The Task and the Challenge" was handled by Rev. Donald McGillivray of Shanghai, China.

Sir Andrew Fraser addressed the convention again to-night on "The Sufficiency of God."

Conferences were held this morning at the Anglican, Methodist, Baptist and Presbyterian Churches to consider the missionary program, and Dr. Speer lectured in the collegiate institutes this afternoon to the male students.

Assessment Investigation.
An investigation of the city's assessment department will probably be made by Mayor Lees as a result of the large increases made by the court of revision in the assessments made by Assessor J. M. Robinson, and the latter official will also be asked to explain why he failed to assess six lots in Ward Eight, where the low assessments were made. In all, Assessor Robinson's figures were increased \$14,000 by the court of revision on appeals brought by Assessment Commissioner McLeod. Of this amount \$85,000 was added to the valuation of property owned by J. J. Scott, who also owns the six lots, which were left out by the assessor. The assessment against the Gage property in the same district was increased by \$8500.

Five patients from the Miller family in this city are now in the city hospital suffering from typhoid fever. Mrs. Miller was the first to be affected with the disease, and while helping in the household work her three sisters were also stricken. The husband was the next one put to bed with the disease, and the brother-in-law, who sought to lend a helping hand, has now been laid low. The three children of the family thru the effort of Miss Jeanette Lewis, have been admitted to the Salvation Army Rescue Home.

BODY LEFT BY STUDENTS?

Coroner's Jury Gets Little New Light on Box Mystery.

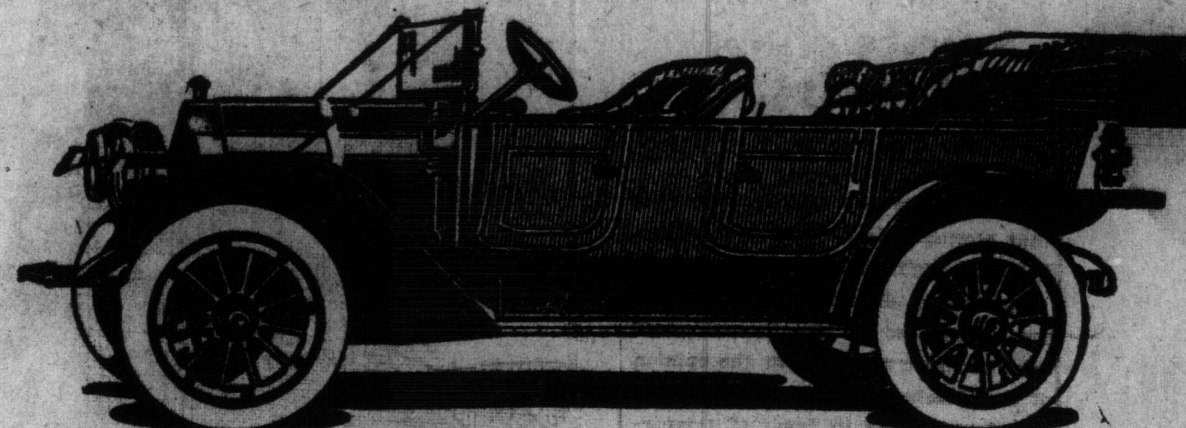
Death from unknown causes was the verdict returned last evening by the jury empaneled by Coroner Hopkins to investigate the death of an unknown baby found in the attic of 244 Huron-street on Wednesday. James Madill, 23 Grenville-street, and Clayton Merrill, 294 Huron-street, were the only witnesses examined. They told of playing in the garret and of there finding a box with some towels in it. They pulled one and the head of a baby rolled out.

The body showed signs of having been preserved. The flesh had been neatly cut from its legs and the internal organs removed and replaced by padding. The building in which it was found had been kept as a rooming house, and it is supposed that medical students had lived there at some time. It was impossible to say how old the child was nor how long it had been dead.

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New C. P. R. Line.
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FOUNDING P. S. A. IN CANADA
William Ward Finds Interest Shown From East to West.

A mass meeting was held last night at Westminster Congregational Church, Spadina-avenue, in connection with the Pleasant Sunday Afternoon movement.

Wm. Ward of London, England, hon. general secretary of the National Brotherhood of Great Britain, spoke of his experiences in Canada. In Ottawa he found prominent men rather undecided as to whether such a movement as the P.S.A. would be a success there. Before he left that city, however, the matter was taken up and he hoped would be an accomplished fact soon. At Montreal, Winnipeg, Calgary and Regina, his visits were well received, and brotherhoods are forming in each place.

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Bradley, president of Westminster P.S.A., also spoke on behalf of the movement.

A cordial vote of thanks was tendered Mr. Ward, and was enthusiastically received.

The choir of Westminster Church, and individual members, rendered a select program during the evening.

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NEW HOME FOR M'MASTER

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in the north and east ends of the city are also being looked over. Weston, however, is considered the most likely, and it is expected that a deal will be closed within the next few days, where by the university will obtain 100 acres of Sir Henry Pallat's property there.

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MERIDIAN WINS

Jeannette d'Arbo Under the at

LATONIA, N. feature event, at Latonia to-day. Grover Hughes d'Arbo captured way, while the Ferguson took respectively. A summary

FIRST RACE
1 Nan Fergus
2.30, place \$4.
3. Maymora, 1.42.30.

2. Coletta, 1.35.1-5.
nath. Tender, 1.35.1-5.
Plain Anne, 1.35.1-5.
Attentive also.

SECOND RACE
1. Brie, 1.10 (7)
2. Col. Holroyd, 1.10 (7)
3. Bonnie Ch, 1.10 (7).

THIRD RACE
1. Jeanne d'Arbo, 1.40, place \$3.
2. J. H. Reed, 1.40, place \$3.
3. Magazine, 1.40, place \$3.

FOURTH RACE
1. Meridian, 1.40, place \$3.
2. Grover Hughes, 1.40, place \$3.
3. Polite Levy, 1.40, place \$3.

FIFTH RACE
1. Mockler, 1.40, place \$3.
2. Haldeman, 1.40, place \$3.
3. San Barbe, 1.40, place \$3.

SIXTH RACE
1. Console, 1.40, place \$3.
2. Falcaida, 1.40, place \$3.
3. Queen Ma, 1.40, place \$3.

SEVENTH RACE
1. Console, 1.40, place \$3.
2. Falcaida, 1.40, place \$3.
3. Queen Ma, 1.40, place \$3.

EIGHTH RACE
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