# THE HAMILTON TIMES

#### TEA TABLE GOSSIP. STOLE FROM THE Y.M.C.A.

Young Erglishman Remanded Until Enquiries Are Made.

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East End People Accused of Neglecting Their Children.

#### Father Was Warned Against Drink and Case Dismissed.

Despite the fact that it is the home the Young Men's Christian Association, crime sometimes penetrates into the Y M. C. A. building. This year several articles have been missed, overcoats, gloves and hats, and the police were called upon to look into the cases. On Jan. 5 Harman Willetts missed his overcoat and gloves, and three days later William Goodwin missed similar articles. Both of these cases were reported to the police, and Detective Sayers was detailed to in-vestigate. He made the rounds of the vestigate. vestigate. He made the rounds of the pawnshops first, with a description of the stolen articles. In one shop he found an overcoat and a pair of gioves, and in another store he found the other coat, lut no gioves. The pawnbrokers in both stores gave good descriptions of the man who had sold them the articles, and the descriptions tallied in every respect. De-tective Sayers then went to the Y. M. C.  $A_{\phi}$ , and for several mights waited for a man who would answer this description. Last night about 9 o'clock an English-man about 20 years of age walked into man about 20 years of age walked into the parlor, and he fitted in perfectly with Sayers' mind picture of the man he wanted. wanted. Sayers stepped up to him and taxed him with the theits, but the stranger indignantly denied that he had

taken any coats or gloves. "The pawnbrokers say you did," said

Sayers. "Bring the pawnbrokers here," said "Bring the pawnbrokers here," said the young man, and they were sont for. While waiting for the pawnbrokers many eurous ones gathered around the detec-tive and his prisoner, and there was con-sternation in the building. Two large and prosperous Knights of the Three Balls arrived shortly after, and they at once identified the prisoner as the one who sold them the coats. The man broke down at once, cried, and begged for a chance to do better, but he was taken to the cells and locked up. He gave the name of Robert Ward,

he was taken to the cens and Ward, He gave the name of Robert Ward, He stated he had been here a year This morning in court Ward elected to be tried by the Police Magistrate, and eaded guilty to both charges. He was manded two days for sentence, to give the police a chance to ee what he

the police a chance to see what he has done in his year's stay here. Hugh Toner and his wife, who live at 330 Wentworth street north, were in court this morning charged with neg-lecting their children. Truancy Officer Hunter, inspector for the Children's Ald Society, took out the summons against the pair. Through A. M. Lewis they pleaded not guilty. W. M. McClemont appeared for the society, and was just opening the case after the court had been cleared of back-benchers, when Willie Hunter spotted three reporters in the room. in the room.

"I call your attention to these re porters here, your worship," he said, with a superior smile at the three

"Well, and what about them ?" asked the magistrate.

the magistrate. "They are not allowed in the court when this case is going on," said Willie. "As I interpret the law they are al-lowed to stay. These people are mar-ried people, not juveniles," said Magislowed to stay. These people are mar-ried people, not juveniles." said Magis-trate Jelfs, and the reporters took up the smile where Mr. Hunter left off. The case against Toner and his wife was founded on complaints of neighbors, who said that the husband and wife drank and swore in front of their four small children. They said Toner chased his wife out of the house and came home drunk every Saturday night. Toner and his wife denied this, and Toner said he drank very little. He also swore that he had not been in a police court for twenty years, and that his wife had never been in one before. The case was dismissed, but Toner was divised by his worship to cut out the drank and swore in front of their four small children. They said Toner chased his wife out of the house and came home druk every Saturday night. Toner and his wife denied this, and Toner said he drank very little. He also swore that he had not been in a police court for twenty years, and that his wife had never been in one before. The case was dismissed, but Toner was advised by his worship to cut out the booze and take a little more care with his children. Judgment was given against Albert Gibson, 47 Robert street, for \$7.84 wages of aimed by Alex. Henry. Samuel Thorn tor sued the Hamilton Cab and Bus Co for \$4.50, but the case was dismissed, as the manager swore that he never will by the Neppard, Toronto, was fined \$5 for being drunk last night. He put up the V as bail and went to Toronto

-Members are reminded that the usual weekly rehearsal of the Elgar Choir will be held to night in the Cen-tenary school room.

-The many friends of Archdeacon Forneret, who was operated on at the City Hospital last week, will be pleased to hear that he is getting along nicely. Unlooked For Development in a to hear that he is getting along nicely. -W. E. Weaver, Hannon P. O., re-ported to the police yesterday that an initiation Buffol or beins was stolen from his rig, which was standing in rear of the Court House Hotel. -During January the whole of the great stock of wall paper at Cloke & Son's, 16 King stret west, is being of-fered at clearing prices. A great chance to get rooms papered in latest styles at small cost.

Girl Swore to Story Yesterday and Denied it To-day. The criminal libel suit, in which M.

M. Robinson, of the Spectator, is defendant, will not go on at the present sitting of the High Court. W. J. Southam, manager of that paper, has booked passage to Bermuda, having arranged to leave to-night, and the private prose

small cost. —Mrs. E. L. Strickland (nee Jessie Yeager), of Flatlands, N. Y., with her little son Clyde are visiting with her sis-ter, Mrs. Patrick, York and Queen streets, where she will be pleased to see any of her old friends. —Last night's snow fall, the first of the year, was welcomed by a large num-ber of men who got some work through it. It was too light to cause any an-noyance to the electric or steam rail-ways. cutor consented to allowing the case to stand till the March court, to accommodate him. Mr. Southam will be an important witness. \_ He ment to the effect that Robinson was the writer of the alleged defamatory

ways. — Prof. C. A. Chant, of the University of Toronto, will give a free illustrated lecture on "The Universe of the Stars," under the auspices of the Hamilton branch of the Royal Astronomical Soci-ety of Canada, in the museum on Friday cycninz. libel, which was not till after criminal proceedings had been taken. The prose cution was not prepared to go on this morning, although the Grand Jury brought in a true bill, on account. evening.

differences of opinion as to who had the --Mr. John Pottinger, for twelve years connected with the city water-works department, but for the past four years working at his calling as a buildright to conduct the case. Col. Gwyn, of Dundas, was appointed Crown Prose-cutor for this court by the Attorney-Consult, Department As the prosedeneral's Department. er, and his son, James, left this morning for Los Angeles, Cal., where they in-tend to make their home. cutor had already paid Mr. S. F.

ington, K. C., to conduct the case, h very naturally declined to agree to pay the Government's special official. The tend to make their home. --Robert Straiton, who lives at 242 Bay street north, was seriously injured while at work at the Hamilton Bridge Works on Monday morning. At first it was reported that his leg was only badthe Government's special official. The plaintiff wrote to the Deputy Attorney-General last night to find out if there is any law to compel a complainant to pay for a solicitor he did not engage, or to take the case out of the hands of his own solicitor, in which the Government declines to pay the costs. Col. Gwyn was present when the case was presented to the Grand Jury by Crown Attorney Washington. sprained, but upon removing him to e City Hospital it was found to be broken in two or three places.

—The incorporators of the A. H. Wal-lace Company, Limited, of St. Cathar-ines, are M. J. O'Reilly, K. C. W. W. Os-borne, G. H. Levy, Annie M. Merriman and Beatrice McBride, all of this city. The company is authorized to carry on business as manufacturers, importers WENT BACK ON HER WORD. In the action of Gravelle vs. Zaas, for \$1,000 damages for seduction, Mr. Gwyn, acting for Peter Gravelle, father of the

business as manufacturers, importers and dealers in jewelry, etc. Share capi aring for Peter Gravelle, father of the girl, received a great surprise when she swore that she was in ignorance as to the parentage of her child, although she sad been quite positive when before the Grand Jury. Mr. Gwyn asked that His Lordship permit him to withdraw from the case, as the girl had lied to him, and also to her mother and father. His Lordship soundly lectured the girl, and wanted to know why she had com-mitted perjury. She said that she had been frightened into it by her people. His Lordship told her that she was committing a grave crime, and said he would have the Crown Attorney appris-ed of what she has done, and if he sees fit to bring a charge against her it would prove rather serious. He also notified Chief Twiss to keep an eye on the girl and see that she behaved herself in fu-ture. His Lordship wasted herself in fu-ture. Lal, \$40,000. —Prof. Hutt, of the Ontario Agricul-tural College, last night addressed the members of the Hamilton Horticultural Society on the subject of making Ham-ilton more beautiful. The speaker ad-vanced a number of helpful suggestions. The presence of some objectionable bill boards near the Valley Inn advertising Toronto theatres, was the subject of tal. \$40,000. Toronto theatres, was the subject of some discussion. These boards mar the



While Counsel Spoke in Defence of Thornton Hains.

## Wants Either Acquittal or Murder

velle, and W. E. S. Ki in the First Degree. Lawrason represented Peter Zaas, case was dismissed without costs. Flushing, N. Y., Jan. 12 .- John F. Mc Intyre, counsel for Thornton J. Hains, amed up for the defense to-day. iding

the personation of Cyrus Rotal is set for to-morrow morning Mr. McIntyre spoke slowly and with much force. He reviewed the points of 'clock

evidence carefully and embellishing the recital of his address with rhetorical skill, held the jury in rapt attention. Seated near his counsel at a table upon which rested the miniature model Which rested the minimum hole of the float and dock of the Bayside Yacht Club, Thornton Hains made frequent notes upon a tablet and scrutinized the jury as Mr. McIntyre scored his points. General Hains and his son, Major

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was arrested some months ago by the local police on a charge of holding up the tower man at the Junction Cut and robbing him of \$20, will be brought fore the Police Magistrate shortly

spite the fact that his case has long bee hanging fire. Bowerman was arreste by G. T. R. Detectives Brine and Day roch, and in his possession was found note book, in which he is alleged

Notices of Births, Marriages GOES OVER TO Deaths which are inserted in the Daily Times also appear in the Semi-weekly NEXT COURT. Times. 50c first insertion; 25c for each subsequent insertion.

Criminal Libel Case Stands For the Spring Assizes.

signed a state

Civil Case To-day.

LINGER-Suddenly on Monday, 11th January, 1909. Anne, wife of Jesse Linger, aged 57 Funeral Wednesday, at 2.30 p. m., from Funeral Wednesday, at 2.30 p. m., from the family residence, 238 Hughson str-north, to Obrist's Church Cathedral. I terment at Hamilton Cemetery.

IN MEMORIAM. IN MEMORIAM. DALLEY.-In loving memory of Edwin Adol-phus Dalley, who died the 12th of Jan-uary, 1908.

# THE WEATHER.

FORECASTS-Northerly winds and older, with light snow. Wednesday decidedly cold. WEATHER NOTES.

WEATHER NOTES. A disturbance which was scarcely visible last evening is now moving quickly northeastward across the mid-dle Atlantic States and is causing snow in southern and eastern On-tario. The weather has become more moderate in the Western Provinces and colder in Ontario and Quebec. Washington, Jan. 12.— Eastern States and Northern New York-Heavy snow in north, rain or inow and colder in south portion to-night: Wednesday partly cloudy and colder. Fresh northeast shifting to northwest winds. Western New York-Heavy snow and colder to-night; Wednesday, partly

it to night; Wednesday, partly y with snow near the lakes; northeast shifting to northwest loudy As the prose-tr S. F. Wash inds. Chicago, Jan. 12.—Cold weather is

Chicago, Jan. 12.—Cold weather is general to-day in the northwest and in the central and southwestern States. In Chicago the mercury stood at 6 above zero. Twenty degrees below zero was the official weather report-ed from St. Paul to-day. The following is the temperature registered at Parke & Parke's drug

store: 9 a. m., 24; 11 a. m., 24; 1 p. m., 26; lowest in 24 hours, 15; highest in 24 hours, 26.

SHOOTING TOURNEY

#### Opened at the Hamilton Gun Club Grounds.

The nineteenth annual tournament of the Hamilton Gun Club opened at the club grounds at the Beach this There was a large attend-local shooters as well as morning. ance of local should as a migo will as crack wing and target shots from var-ious points in the United States and Canada. The officials of the club are: President—Thos. Upton. Vice-president—W. P. Thomson. Treasurer—W. R. Davies. Captain—Ed. Sturt. Official Referee—Capt. E. V. Spen-cer.

and see that she behaved herself in fu-ture. His Lordship wanted to know if she would return to her home and lead a decent, respectable life. The girl sgreed

cer. Executive Committee-John Hunter, Dr. Overholt, James Crooks. Acting Secretary-Addie Richard-

H. C. Gwyn, K. C., appeared for Gra-The final games in the pool tourna-ment at the H. B. & A. C. were play-ed off last night. Pickard won from Poag in the first game Wilkes won from Poag in the second game and Pickard won from Wilkes in the last, making the standing of the final series as follows: Wilkes won 4, lost 2. Pickard won 3, lost 3. Poag won 2, lost 4. the Grand Jury brought in a true Il against Louis Perrini, charged with

St. Catharines, Ont., Jau. 12.—(Spe-cial).—Because Manager Cameron had decided to release McRobie from the St. Catharines professional hockey team he was compelled to play three locals on the line up against Galt on the latter's ice last night, Westwick and Dennison have taken summary leave and returned have taken summary leave and returned with McRobie to Pittsburg at the last with McRobie to Pittsburg at the last minute. Manager Cameron promises that with the new men coming the local's pro-fessionals will be able to give a good account of themselves in the game against Toronto in this city on Friday night.

The City Indoor Baseball League has re-arranged its schedule. The Transports and Dunoyas will play an exhibition game at Britannia rink on Monday evening next.

A very interesting debate was held last evening in St. George's Sunday School, amongst the members of the Girls' Friendly Society. The subject was "Should Women Vote." Mrs. Barrett and Miss Jessie Hamilton uphold the af-firmative side in an able manner, but Miss Gillies and Miss Violet Caddy ar-vied the day by three yotes proving that in which the verdict should be either murder in the first degree or acquittal. He declared that the prosecution of lains partook of a "conspiracy hatched at the Bayside Yacht Club," where the tragedy occurred. It was expected that Mr. McIntyre would take up the entire day with his speech. A large crowd was present when court opened to.day. The prosecution will sum up to.mor-row. Mr. McIntyre developed a climax of dramatic intensity when he called out: "Look up, Thorinon Hains. Look in "Concluding a rounded period, Mr. McIntyre, with a sweeping gesture, ac cidentally struck a glass on the count sel's table and showered the front rew of jurors with drops of water. Mr. McIntyre to bin" that worl! not make him guilty of crime, where upon Justice Crane interrupted, saying. "If you are giving the law, please give all of it and state that he had a right to such a belier, if accompanied by no overt act." Speaking of the introdue ried the day by three votes, proving that women's truest duties lay in the home sphere. Miss White was critic. WERE LET GO. WERE LEI GU. Judge Monck was in a lenient mood, this morning, and as a result Roderick McKay and James Stewart were allow-ed out on suspended sentence, after be-ing found guilty of conspiring to de-fraud Edward Leonard of lunch ticketa, It was shown that neither had been in court before, and his Honor was willing to give them another chance. Crown Attorney Washington prosecuted. Richard Johnston, charged with steal Crown ing a pair of boots, the property of Geo. Findlay, elected to be tried on Tuesday next. For Sale Immediately. Surplus clothing stock at values like this: \$15 suits and overcoats, \$0.98; fin-est \$24 overcoats at \$18; fančy knitted vests, regular \$4, at \$1.98; closing out mitts and gloves at big reductions; ten dozen heavy reindeer buck mitts at 35c, regular \$5c; fur lined gloves at \$1.98, regular \$3. Fralick & Co., 13 and 15 James street north.



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veek. Children's Headwear haif es' Bonnets half price. Orna-Fancy Hat Pins half price, Os-es, in black, white and colored, t. off. Old Ladies' Caps, 35 per All goods reduced. Must be sold. MARGARET C. A. HINMAN

The jury in McBride vs. the Hamilton Street Railway did not return a verdict at press time. This afternoon the jury in the Mc-Bride see hernoht ide case brought in a verdict, having und that Mr. McBride's death was the result of a sad but unavoidable accident The case was therefore dismissed. WILL GO ON.

Case Against Bowerman to be Proceeded With.

Percy Bowerman, the young lad who

up the V as bail and went to Te without coming back to claim it.

# TRUANCY ACT.

### School Boards Will be Given Power to Look After Children.

(Special Despatch to the Times. Toronto, Ont., Jan. 12.—Amendments to the Truancy Act will, it is said, form to the Truency Act will, it is said, form part of the programme of legislation at the coming session of the Ontario House. Chief among them will be an enactment providing for a more rigid enforcement of the law through the local police au-thorities. There have been complaints that the truency law was observed in only one-fifth of the schools of the Pro-vince, and that this was due to the divi-sion of powers. Now it is proposed to give the School Boards the right to ap-point officers to enforce the Act. It is asserted that some provision will

point officers to enforce the Act. If is asserted that some provision will be made to keep boys leaving eschool at 14 years of age under the eye of the school authorities. It is pointed out that hads allowed to leave school and to remain idle have been found in England to drift into erime. Steps to avoid such possibilities here are contemplated.

Candy From Cactus.

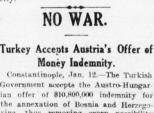
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to such a bench in accompanie of the introduc-tion of the testimony of Martin Skura, the cabman, Mr. McIntyre declared that it was brought into the case with a diabolical and fiendish purpose of supply-ing a missing link. Skura said that one of the men in the cab cried out, as the club stage drove by, "now we have got bin".

Recess was taken at this point.

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ian offer of \$10,800,000 indemnity for the annexation of Bosnia and Herzego-vina, thus removing every possibility of war. The Grand Vizier, Kiamil Pasha, received Maruqis Pallavicini, the Austro-Hungarian Ambassad¢r, at noon to-day, and notified him of the decision of the Council of Ministers.

### MRS. JOHNSON'S CASE.