

INTERVENTION BY GREAT BRITAIN.

Report That the Portuguese Government Has Approached Britain on the Subject.

Reserves Called Out--Situation Grave--To Honor Returning Troops.

Paris, Nov. 27.—A special despatch from Madrid to the Echo de Paris says that the general in command of the Lisbon Municipal Guard resigned because the forces at his disposal, he claimed, were insufficient to suppress possible disorders.

ARE AFTER THE ROLLERS OF THE SPOTTED BONES.

New Baptist Minister at Beamsville Makes Raid On a Goose Raffle.

The good citizenship movement has attacked Beamsville in a new spot, and there is a good deal of uneasiness in certain quarters as a result.

A FAIR WAGE GOES WITH PROTECTION IN AUSTRALIA.

Canada May Get Trade Preference--Articles New Zealand Needs From Us.

Ottawa, Nov. 27.—(Special)—The Trade and Commerce Department has received a report from Trade Commissioner Ross, in Melbourne, stating that under the new Australian tariff there is likely to be a large demand for Canadian butts or oak staves.

THE BRADLEY TRIAL.

MRS. BRADLEY THREATENED TO BLOW BROWN'S HEAD OFF.

The Senator Said He Would Protect Mrs. Bradley as Long as He Lived—Defence Closed—Trial to End Early Next Week.

BRANTFORD MAN DEAD.

Brantford, Ont., Nov. 27.—Joseph Robinson, one of Brantford's highly esteemed citizens, passed away at an early hour this morning, from heart failure.

MAY BRING ACTION.

That Fake Hold Up May Result in Litigation.

Archie Pease is one of the men who suffers as a result of the practical joke played on Messrs. Scott, Hell and Hammond near the High Level bridge when some of their friends disguised as highwaymen held up and robbed them.

SHE GETS \$10,000.

Port Huron Girl Sued Aged Lover For Damages.

Port Huron, Nov. 27.—Van E. Crane, aged defendant in the breach of promise suit instituted by Miss Sarah M. Barnes, was surprised when a jury in Judge Tappan's court this morning returned a verdict of \$10,000 in favor of the plaintiff.

KILLS PARTNER.

Adolph Gunkel Shoots Man in Presence of Wife and Child.

Bogota, N. J., Nov. 27.—Adolph Lohman, who lived in Elm street, this place, was shot and killed in his home this afternoon by his former business partner, while his wife and a five-year-old child looked on.

ZION MEETINGS.

Young People Taking an Active Interest in Them.

The second week-night meeting of the series of evangelistic services at Zion Tabernacle, under the leadership of Rev. Mr. McHardy, was very bright and interesting.

REAUME BETTER.

Toronto, Ont., Nov. 27.—Hon. Dr. Reaume, Minister of Public Works, who is at Windsor recovering from an operation performed at Grace Hospital, in Toronto, is making very satisfactory progress, and is expected to be at his office in the Parliament buildings tomorrow.

SAFETY DEPOSIT BOXES.

To rent at \$5 a year and upwards, for the storing of deeds, bonds, stocks, wills, silver and other valuables.

TRADERS BANK OF CANADA.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hewlett left this morning for a few days' visit to Erie, Pa. Mr. Hewlett will assist Chryslers' Brown at his annual musical festival.

No Supper

Husband Kicked His Wife to Death.

Jersey City, Nov. 27.—Matthew Otwell, a staveholder, 37 years old, entered a saloon last night and announced to friends that he had killed his wife. He had returned home to find no supper awaiting him, he said, had accused his wife of drinking and neglecting their home and finally murdered her.



BARON HAYASHI, Japanese Minister of Foreign Affairs, with whom Hon. Mr. Lemieux is discussing the immigration problem at Tokio.

BRIDE WAS VAIN.

Married a Year Ago Fat Wanted a Wedding Display.

New York, Nov. 27.—Feelings of surprise, disappointment and pleasure were mingled in the guests that gathered at the home of Miss Lillian Meister in the Bronx last night, to witness her wedding to Charles McNadd.

WAS OBSTRUCTION.

Fined \$25 For Advanced Advertising Scheme.

The case of Trudell & Tobey, the two T's, clothiers, 50 James street north, was one which took up some time at Police Court this morning, and the result was an eye-opener.

WANTS \$3,000 DAMAGES.

Acting for Thomas Dickie, Nesbitt, Gault & Dickson have issued a writ against A. M. Ewing the baker, for \$3,000 damages for injuries received while in the employ of the defendant.

There is One

Thing that mothers have to worry them, and that is the "strangers" that children bring home.

OUR NEIGHBORS ON MARS.

C. A. Johnson's lecture on "Our Neighbors on Mars" will be given to-night in Green's hall, King and Catharine streets.

The Man In Overalls

The better plan would be to get Whitney to pass a law that none but Tories shall be eligible for the office of alderman.

But will the Citizens' League and the Independent Labor party work together?

Seeing that Liberals as well as Tories are anxious to have a Technical College established here, let us hope that the next Toronto deputation will not be confined to citizens of the Tory persuasion who may propose that Hamilton bear the cost.

I am glad to think St. Peter's Home is to be kept open. May those who bear the burden have every needed assistance from the public.

Even should the power-by-law be carried, how are we to raise the money? You know how debentures are selling.

How would it do to buy the bread by weight, as they do in some places in England? Put it in the scales, and weigh it like a pound of cheese, for instance.

Apparently the Con. Club considers that the positions of deputy returning officers should be reserved for gentlemen with Conservative leanings.

I am glad that my well known friend, Mr. Jose, has been reinstated as a deputy returning officer. It was a matter of surprise to me that he was passed over by the Patronage committee when the factory inspectors were handed out.

Seeing that the Cataract Power Co.'s right to sell light to private individuals is questioned by the City Solicitor, it is to be hoped he will not adopt extreme measures and order the lights put out.

When figuring on this technical school question, don't forget the claims or interests of the Art School. It should be the nucleus of something and not sacrificed after these many years of heroic endeavor.

I am afraid this year's overdrift will look like thirty cents beside next year's mountain of debt.

The present is the proper time to buy presents. Do it now.

Is the furnace drawing all right, and the self-feeder in good working order? This is important.

We have had enough of the political agitation. Let the plain untaxed citizen have a chance.

Chicago people are promised cheap beef and poultry. Is the wave coming this way?

Honesty is the best policy. The purses-natcher could make a pile of money honestly in three years.

Ald. Ferrar must be sick. He hasn't threatened to discharge anybody in the last three days.

Come along now and get your Christmas goods. Don't keep the merchants waiting on you this way.

Have you been down seeing the Fearman avenue sidewalk yet? They say it is the only one of the kind in America.

When Harry Wright neglected to reappoint all those Tory deputy returning officers he perished didn't think of the misery they were causing. All honor to Chairman Baird for placing his appropriation at the disposal of those unfortunate men.

Which of the aldermen cares to take the responsibility of putting into the electric bill \$225,000 by-law the limiting condition that it is to be for distributing current "to be supplied by the Hydro-Electric Commission of Ontario from Niagara Falls"? Why should all competing sources of current be excluded, and the city be thus handicapped?

ABOUT BRIDGES.

What is a County and What is a Township Bridge?

Sandwich, Ont., Nov. 27.—Essex County Council has adopted the report of its Roads and Bridges Committee, which recommends that "the Warden be instructed to defend any action taken before the County Judge to make the county assume certain bridges as county bridges."

Joe Carson, Grant avenue, up for a similar offense, was given a remand till to-morrow.

WIFE IN SCOTLAND.

Police Receive Information About Man Who Was Killed.

A paper found on the man who was killed at the Jockey Club yesterday bore the name and address of John Sneath, 264 Mill street west, Brantford, and this man the police of Brantford hunted up.

CHEAP MEAT

New York, Nov. 27.—Local packers confirm the reports from Chicago and St. Louis that there will soon be a reduction in the price of meat. They say further, however, that the reduction will not affect the higher grades of beef and pork, but will probably be confined to the less choice grades.

ALL FOUR SENT UP IN THE WIRE CASES.

Brooks, Weinstein, Goldberg and Levi Committed For Trial To-day.

Levi and Weinstein Out on \$2,000 Bail--No Case Against Dunsmore.

The five men who were arrested in such a sensational manner by Constables Brannon and Barrett, a week ago yesterday morning, on a charge of stealing a large amount of copper wire, which they had in their possession, were up at Police Court this morning. Wm. Brooks and Harry Weinstein were defended by A. M. Lewis, and pleading not guilty, declined to elect. Joe Goldberg pleaded not guilty through Geo. S. Kerr and elected to be tried by the Magistrate, and Lewis Levi entered a similar plea through L. Heyd, K. C., Toronto. Crown Attorney Washington was prosecuting, and he announced that there would be no evidence put in against Dunsmore.

William Rousseau, storekeeper at Woodman Bros., said a number of spools of copper wire, 2,600 to 2,800 pounds in each, had been placed on the B. & H. line in the last six weeks, and that some of the wire had been missed. To Mr. Kerr he said the same kind of wire was used all over the country.

Richard Grieg, 300 Hughson street north, a carter, said he knew Brooks and Weinstein. The latter hired him to do a job on Aberdeen avenue on Tuesday a week ago, and he had been taken out Aberdeen avenue to a field past the railway bridge and the men disappeared over a small knoll and came back a short time after with some bags, which they put on the wagon.

Weinstein and Brooks drove in with him, while a man he thought was Goldberg, who had helped load the wagon, left them to go into the city alone. He was directed to convey them and their stuff and said he would pay a street man called "Levi" had told him to call back in the morning and get his money. He called back, but got no money, as "Levi" was not there. He identified Levi as the man who weighed their stuff and the two men, and he went, a junk dealer, saw Brooks at his place the day before the arrest, in the forenoon. The prisoner had asked him if he wanted to buy some copper wire. Mr. Heyd made an objection against this but the magistrate overruled his objection as, he said, he intended to send them all up for trial, as was his privilege, if there was any difficulty. He refused Brooks permission to use his horse and rig. Mr. Lewis thought this was no evidence against Brooks, but the Magistrate took a different view. The next morning he told Brooks he had no money and the sale was called off.

Phillip Laube, Barton east, who works for Levi, said he was there when Brooks and Weinstein were identified. He went there. Mr. Levi had left a cheque for the son Reuben. Mr. Washington had much difficulty in getting Laube's story.

Fred Chadwick, of the firm of Chadwick Bros., said a man whom he thought was Lewis Levi, had called up and asked him if he wanted to buy some trolley wire, and a deal was closed, the price being 11c per pound.

Gordon Smith, Dundas road, rents the farm on which the copper wire was stored. He said he had been out on the farm on the morning of the arrest and he saw Brooks and Weinstein in the orchard. They had no permission from him to go there. He saw a lorry and the driver was reading a paper. The two men he saw told him they were getting apples, when he accosted them. He had no difficulty in picking the men out at the jail where he was taken to identify them.

Albert Dunsmore, the man who was held until to-day on the same charge, said Brooks and Weinstein hired him the morning of the arrest, and drove out with him to the farm where the wire was stored.

The witness said Brooks, Weinstein, and an unknown man, he could not say that it was Goldberg or Levi, had loaded copper wire on the rig while a fourth man kept watch on the top of a hill. Two of the men, the two who went out with him, came into the city with him, and they went to Levi's. Brooks, Weinstein and Goldberg were there and Levi joined them and did the weighing.

The story as told by Constables Barrett and Brannon was the same as what has already been published as to the arrest and chase. Mr. Heyd tried hard to mix them up, but with little success. No defence was put in in any of the cases, and the Magistrate said he intended to exercise his privilege of committing the four for trial, which he did. Bail was fixed for Levi and Weinstein in the sum of \$2,000. No application was made for bail for the other two.

FOUR ARRESTED. EXPERTS' DAY.

Testimony About Cement in Freeman vs. Cooper.

The action of Freeman vs. Cooper occupied the attention of the non-jury high court yesterday afternoon and this morning. The action arose over the non payment of a bill for goods sold by the W. A. Freeman Company to W. H. Cooper, a contractor, who had the building of the Eagle Spinning Mills. The Freeman Company sold him about \$2,000 worth of cement, for the construction work, and the defendant claimed it turned out defective and put him to extra expense in getting new cement.

The whole of the afternoon session yesterday was devoted to expert testimony as to the quality of cement used. Justice Falconbridge caused a ray of humor to penetrate the legal machinery that was kept moving by asking Mr. Roy A. Plum, director of the Detroit Laboratory, how much of the American cement was rejected by him, upon examination.

"I find that of all the American samples of cement," said Mr. Plum, "those are submitted to me, that about 40 per cent. is rejected."

"How about the Canadian cement?" queried His Lordship.

"Of the samples that I have tested I have rejected 100 per cent.," said Mr. Plum. "This was too much for the Chief Justice and the court, and it took a few minutes before order was restored."

Mr. G. H. Watson, K. C., of Toronto, who is conducting the case for the plaintiff, caused merriment, in his cross-examination of Mr. Kahn, of Detroit, one of the witnesses for the defence. Mr. Kahn wore a perpetual smile, during the entire time he was on the stand. Suddenly Mr. Watson asked Mr. Kahn, "When you see a man who has that benign smile of yours?"

"I guess that it is because you are so good-looking," replied Mr. Kahn. This remark again disturbed the equilibrium of the court.

The case is likely to take up the greater part of this afternoon's session.

HOOT MON, HOO!

To-night will be a gala night at the Britannia Rink, the members of the Highlanders and their ladies having charge. Prizes will be given for the best Highland lad and lassie skater, also special prizes for the lady with the sweetest smile and the bravest looking Hielan'man.

All the Smokers Like it.

The Rose Leaf Smoking Mixture is used and endorsed by all classes of smokers as a high grade pipe tobacco. It is sold in large tins for 75 cents, at peace's cigar store, 107 King street east.

LABOR PAPER.

Quebec, Nov. 27.—A newspaper to be devoted to the interests of the labor unions of the city, is to make its first appearance in Quebec next week. The paper is to be published weekly and will deal with labor matters in general.