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Detectives Watched Pickpockets.

Montreal, July 18.—Two young pickpockets, both 21 years of age, one of whom, Frank Mitchell, states he came from Toronto, and the other, Timothy Hastings, from Cornwall, were caught in the act by Detectives McLaughlin and Viens. The officers saw them rob a man getting on a car, who evidently did not know he was being robbed, as he had a child in his arms and went on.

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ANDERSON AND RADCLIFFE ELECTED TORONTO DEPUTIES

Masonic Grand Lodge in Session—Order Shows Flattering Progress.

A thousand or more members of the Grand Lodge of Canada A.F. and A. M. are in attendance at the fifty-first annual communication at Massey Hall. Yesterday morning Ald. J. J. Graham, chairman of the civic reception committee, extended a welcome to the delegates and W. Bro. A. E. Hagerman, W. M. of St. Andrew's Lodge, read an address from the city lodges to the grand master, Bro. J. H. Burritt, K.C., saying: "As Masons, we welcome to you as our grand master, because of our loyalty to the grand lodge and to the high office which you so ably fill, but we welcome you the more because of the genuine fraternal affection, which we have learned to feel towards you personally during the first year of your occupancy of the grand east. A year ago, to many of us you were more or less a stranger, to-day, we know you as a well-beloved elder brother, jealous for our welfare, tolerant of our infirmities and ever ready to give your time and to devote your ability in aid of any lodge and of any brother needing or seeking your assistance.

"You have been faithful to the sacred trust reposed in you. You have been careful to safeguard the ancient landmarks of our institution. You have required, as a master workman should, that the work of your craftsmen be straight and true, but withal you have ever exhibited towards your brethren that true brotherly love, which is the foundation and capstone, the cement and glory of our ancient fraternity."

Steady Progress.

The grand master reviewed the work of the past year. The craft was in a healthy condition, the membership was increasing and the income ($24,377) was $1300 greater than last year. The total membership was now over 37,000, an increase of 2000.

Concerning the accumulation of unpaid dues, he urged every master to make this one of the important matters of the year, not by forcing payment under suspension, but to satisfy themselves of a member's ability to pay, and where this was doubtful, the teaching of masonry should be exercised to the relief of the brother.

He made reference to the deaths of R. T. Walkem, K.C., Sen. Fulford, Walter Barwick, K.C. The grand lodge of Canada had contributed $1000 to the masons in Frisco, at the time of the disaster.

The following warrants had been issued during the year: Tottenham, No. 467 at Tottenham; Peel, No. 468, at Caledon East; Algoma, No. 469, at the Soo; Victoria, No. 470, at Victoria Harbor and King Edward VII., No. 471, at Chippewa.

He had approved of the bylaws submitted to him and noted that nearly all of the amendments were to increase the initiation fee, which, he said, was a step in the right direction.

Initiation Rulings.

Regarding rulings, which have been many, the grand master has set his face against the grouping of candidates for initiation. They must be taken separately in the first up to the charge, separately in the second up to and inclusive of the obligation and explanation, and separately in the third up to the raising. It is also laid down that no candidate can be accepted who has not been a resident for one year in the mason district, in which he makes application. If he removes to another district he may be initiated there at any time having first secured the sanction of the lodge by way of certificate and the approval of the grand master.

The report of the grand secretary of Hamilton showed that up to July 1st, $30,389 had been collected for the semi-centennial fund. During the year $4694 was received from certificates, $16,758 from dues, $5210 from fees and $4280 in the bank.

Most Worshipful Bro. Col. A. A. Stevenson was presented with a gold medal on the anniversary of his fiftieth year as a mason, thirty-eight of which was in connection with the grand lodge of Canada. Senator Kerr read the address.

The Men for Office.

At the afternoon session, Aubrey White, chairman of the committee on the condition of Masonry, urged the necessity for the selection of God-fearing and forceful men for the position of district deputies. The amount distributed by the grand lodge in benevolence during the year amounted to $38,000, and the work was being extended.

The auditors' report shows total receipts of $34,377 and expenditures in excess of all receipts of about $4000. The grand lodge holds securities amounting to $110,000.

The inspector of benevolent grants was allowed a yearly stipend of $750.

Henry Robertson, chairman of the committee on foreign correspondence, recommended that recognition be extended to the grand lodge of Alberta and that the grand lodge of Queensland, Australia, be recognized and representatives exchanged.

Election of D.D.G.M.

The election of the district deputy grand master held at the Temple last night resulted as follows:

Erie District, No. 1.—Dr. A. N. Fraser, Thomasville.

St. Clair District, No. 2.—S. ??? Petrolea.

Land on District, No. 3.—Frank O'Neill, Thamesford.

South Huron District, No. 4.—J. S. Halley, New Hamburg.

North Huron District, No. 5.—S. J. Cameron, ? ??????

Wilson District, No. 6.—Jno. Dutton, Woodstock.

Wellington District, No. 7.—John Jardine, Hespeler.

Hamilton District, No. 8.—Lyman Lee, Hamilton.

Georgia District, No. 9.—E. Wright, Owen Sound.

Niagara District, No. 10.—B. F. Loubsdorf, St. Catharines.

Toronto West District, No. 11.—A. J. Anderson, Toronto Junction.

Toronto East District, No. 11a.—D. A. Radcliffe, Aurora.

Ontario District, No. 12.—A. Hutchins, Port Perry.

Prince Edward District, No. 13.—F. L. Webb, Colborne.

Frontenac District, No. 14.—W. Jackson, Cataraqui.

St. Lawrence District, No. 15.—G. J. Martin, Smith's Falls.

Ottawa District, No. 16.—W. D. Northwood, Ottawa.

Algona District, No. 17.—C. J. Holland, St. Francis.

Nipnssing District, No. 18.—J. B. Way, South Ste Marie.

???? District, No. 20.—E. R. Bousall, Bowmanville.

Eastern District, No. 21.—S. S. Revelier, Winchester.

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STRIKE INVOLVING 50,000 MAY BE CALLED IN GOTHAM

New York, July 18.—An ultimatum embodying a threat to order a general strike among more than 50,000 members of the building trades was delivered yesterday by the associated building trades to employers in this city.

The situation developed from a strike among 1500 plumbers, which began about two weeks ago. The strikers' places were filled by members of a union affiliated with the United National Association of Journeymen Plumbers. The Associated Building Trades, which controls plasterers, bricklayers, plumbers and other allied trades, notified the employers yesterday that members who are filling the places of strikers must be discharged from work on buildings affected by the strike now prevailing.

OBITUARY.

Judge Baer.

Baltimore, July 18.—Judge Thomas S. Baer of the supreme court of Baltimore, and professor of law in the University of Maryland, died at his home here to-day. He was 63 years of age.

Hon. David Glass.

London, July 18.—Hon. David Glass, formerly of this city, is dead at Spokane, Wash. He had a notable public career in London, having been mayor for several years and a member of parliament for East Middlesex for the short time preceding the fall of the Macdonald government in 1873. He was aged about 76 years.

John Cudiford.

Kingston, July 18.—One of Kingston's oldest citizens died to day, in the person of John Cudiford, who had reached the advanced age of 97. Most of his life was spent in this city. He was in the fancy goods and jewelry business for many years.

Killed While Playing on Track.

Lachine, Que., July 18.—This morning, while playing on the track, R. Snow, the 7-year-old son of Ned Snow of Lachine, was struck and killed by the Ottawa Express. The body was thrown about 20 yards from the track.

M.P.'s for the Bench.

Ottawa, July 18.—It is understood Judges Doherty, Mathers and Loranger of Montreal will retire from the bench, making four vacancies, and that they will be filled by the appointment of L. P. Demers, M.P. for St. John's-Iberville; Edward Guerin of Montreal; F. O. Dugas, M.P. for Montcalm, and P. E. Lafontaine, K.C., crown prosecutor.

Windsor School Record.

Windsor, July 18.—The percentage of school promotions for the entire city was about 90 per cent. A number of the teachers passed every pupil in their rooms, thereby securing 100 per cent.

HAMILTON BEACH PROBLEM MADE YET MORE ABSTRUSE

Request of the City to Permit Annexation Adds to Present Confusion.

The Ontario railway and municipal board have received from S. H. Tent, city clerk of Hamilton, a report of the harbor and beach committee of the city council, endorsed by the latter body, asking that the government approve of the proposition that the city be allowed to annex Burlington Beach.

This further complicates a situation, none too easy of solution at the present time, arising out of the leasing by the government to the city of the beach, it being a portion of the crown lands of the province, and the sub-leasing of a right of way by the municipality to the railways.

Numerous deputations from Hamilton have waited on Hon. Mr. Cochrane, who has been considering the appointment of a beach commissioner to assist in the adjustment of difficulties.

Mr. Tent has forwarded a petition, claimed to be signed by a majority of beach residents, in favor of annexation, and a tentative draft of terms. There is no apparent mention made of any consideration, monetary or otherwise, under which the beach would pass from the government's possession into that of the city. A suggestion is made that the electors of the district elect three commissioners, to act with the mayor and city council of Hamilton, in the conduct of affairs, and at considerable length the proposed duties and powers of these commissioners are detailed.

In giving reasons why annexation should be sanctioned, it is declared that the beach is rapidly assuming the character of a suburban watering place, that a large portion is available for no other purpose than that of a summer resort, that many residents of Hamilton have built houses there and that the city has expended more money in improvements than the government or anyone else. It is asked that the territory be known as Hamilton Beach.

Hon. Mr. Cochrane does not think it would rest solely with the board to decide whether or not annexation should be allowed. He thought there might be a question involved allowing crown lands to pass out of the province's possession as there was no precedent of the kind so far as he was aware. He remarked also that a portion of the land belonged to the Dominion government, which would seem to further complicate negotiations.

Robs Warden and Escapes.

Elmira, N. Y., July 18.—With only a couple more months to serve, Ernest Hoffman, sentenced to the reformatory from New York City, for burglary, walked out of the front door of the superintendent's residence, where he was employed in the kitchen. Before escaping he stole a diamond stud belonging to the superintendent, a sum of money from a woman in charge of the kitchen, a gold watch and a revolver.

A Mammoth Excursion.

Niagara Falls, July 18.—Six thousand five hundred passengers from Hamilton and Brantford, on account of the Grocers' picnic, were handled in Niagara Falls to-day by the Grand Trunk Railway, and 1000 more to Buffalo. It required 125 coaches and 11 special trains to handle the business.

Guilty of Assault.

Belleville, July 18.—Edward Riley, a young English emigrant, residing near Bancroft, was found guilty of assault on Gusta. McGregor of Bancroft, on July 12, and sentenced to two years and three months.

12,000 IMMIGRANTS PLACED WITH FARMERS IN ONTARIO

And Still the Cry is for More—Too Many Mechanics Coming.

Provincial Director of Immigration, Thos. Southworth, in commenting on the increasing number of immigrants, remarks that the proportion of mechanics and skilled laborers has also increased, so that the needs of farmers who require hired help are not being met to the extent that they might be understood. However, so far this year, 12,000 men have been placed on Ontario farms, or the largest number on record within such a period. The provincial authorities and the Salvation Army each looked after 5000 and the Dominion government the remaining 2000. However, there are now from 1000 to 1200 applications from farmers still on file.

Mr. Southworth considers the higher wages to be earned at other work a great difficulty in the way of obtaining men for farm labor. The railroads, in particular, hold out inducements.

BUTTED INTO SON'S WOOING.

As Result He May Die Because of a Wound Inflicted.

New York, July 18.—During a quarrel between Conrad Schirmer and his 19-year-old son, Conrad, jr., at the home of the son's sweetheart, Miss Clara Lasarus, in East 104th-street, to-day, the youth stabbed his father with a piece of broken glass, inflicting probably a mortal wound.

The elder Schirmer several weeks ago ordered his son to cease paying attentions to Miss Lasarus, but the youth had become engaged to her, and his mother pleaded his cause. The father then consented that the boy should marry the girl when he was 21, but declared that Conrad must stop staying out so late nights while calling upon the girl. The boy disobeyed and when he went to Miss Lasarus' home last night he remained late. His father went there in search of him and attempted to chastise him in the presence of his financee.

The boy resisted and in the struggle that ensued the father broke thru the glass panel of a door.

Miss Lasarus attempted to interfere and Conrad seized a piece of broken glass and plunged it into his father's side, inflicting a dangerous wound. The wounded men was removed to a hospital, but refused to make a charge against his son, declaring that he had gone too far.

Conrad was arrested.

Coal Cars Leave Tracks.

Durham, July 18.—At Varney, three miles south of here, while a freight train of 17 cars was en route from Palmerston to this place with coal, and clay for the cement works, a flange on the wheel of a large coal hopper broke and this car and seven others left the track and ewnt over the embankment, distributing their contents in all directions. Three other flat cars also left the tracks, but were not much damaged. The engine and first three cars, and the caboose with the last three cars, stuck to the rails. No one was hurt.

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60 Boys' Three-Piece and Norfolk Suits, also a few serges, single-breasted sack style, bulk of the sizes are 28, 29, 31, 32 and 33, values up to 7.00, Friday..... **3.49**

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Men's and Boys' Unlaundried White Shirts, broken lines, slightly soiled, open front, also open back, linen bosoms, bands or cuffs, sizes 12 to 18, regular values 50c and 75c, Friday.... **37c**

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HE MUST GO BACK.

(Canadian Associated Press Cable.)

London, July 18.—The privy council has dismissed the appeal in Harsha v. United States. J. B. Mackenzie was for the appellant; the defendant was unrepresented.

Harsha is wanted in Chicago on a charge of forging tickets for a police benefit fund concert in that city, and has been fighting extradition in the Canadian courts. Since his arrest in October he has been in Toronto Jail. He will probably be taken back to Chicago at once.

Textile Strike Settled.

Montreal, July 18.—The strike of Dominion Textile employes at Magog has been settled. The company have granted an increase in wages amounting to between 13 and 14 per cent., while the employes have dropped their demand that the union be recognized.

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