

THE TORONTO WORLD.

MONDAY MORNING, AUG. 26, 1906.

LOCAL NEWS PARAPHRASED.

The Bookbinders' association excused to Woodbridge on Saturday.

For extra value in cashmere go to the Bon Marche.

The provincial treasurer and his name also the ministerial situation have been addressing meetings in Lennox.

A number of medical men left to attend the medical association at Montreal per steamer Corvair Saturday afternoon.

John Grant, who boards at 172 King street west, was arrested Saturday evening by P.C. Hendry for committing an indecent assault on a servant employed at his boarding-house.

Walter Fitzsimmons was found in a room in the Yonge street arcade about 2.30 yesterday morning by the watchman. He wanted to sleep there, but was given quarters at No. 1 instead.

The painters' union held their annual picnic at Victoria park. About 1500 people were present.

A man named Thos. Darling, a brakeman on the Credit railway, fell from a handcar Saturday morning on his way to work in two places and being otherwise injured. He was taken to the hospital.

On Saturday morning Wm. Hawker was robbed at the immigrant sheds of \$5 by George McNeedee and Wm. Graham. McNeedee and Graham were brought before the magistrate and committed for trial.

A fortnight or so ago, Capt. Jennings of the Annie Craig rescued T. M. Best, whose boat had been wrecked on the shore of the Richardson house, Mr. Best presented the captain with a handsome pair of marine glasses as a souvenir of the occasion.

The steamer Rupert took out a large party of excursionists on her New York and Rochester excursion Saturday night. Despite the rough weather the party, although not leaving Toronto until 11:45, reached Charlotte at 8:30 a.m. Sunday. She will return this morning.

Go to the great summer clearing sale at the Bon Marche for bargains.

A Chat With Miss St. Quentin.

It matters not how the introduction came about, The World became acquainted with Miss St. Quentin, the charming little prima donna of the St. Quentin opera company, and yesterday spent a few pleasant minutes in her society.

Miss St. Quentin is not so well known in Canada as in England and America, having been here but a few weeks. She was usually left by Bob Gray with the remainder of his company, while he shipped away without paying anybody and \$100 borrowed by him on costumes which were not his property.

The World found the charming conversationalist, artist and unaffected, and jots down from memory a brief epitome of the conversation. The question as to how she liked Toronto was of course asked.

Miss St. Quentin replied: "I am simply charmed with it." She described the city, its impressions and experiences, interspersed with a good deal of music. As to her favorite opera, the lady replied: "I have a repertoire of Italian operas, but my preference is decidedly for comic opera. I love the music of the grand opera, but I feel at home in the lighter productions, such as Chimes of Normandy, Maccoite, etc. When asked how American audiences compare with those of England Miss St. Quentin replied, "That would be a difficult question for me to decide. In London I have played one role for hundreds of nights, and consequently knew my audience and knew before I entered the theatre at which parts I should gain most applause. I remember I met and found all sorts of audiences, and that part which is most appreciated in one city often goes for nothing in the next. Then again American audiences differ very much. On one place they appear to enjoy the performance and manifest it by liberal applause. At another they may be quite as well pleased and yet be as demonstrative. As to future arrangements Miss St. Quentin said I shall probably play through Canada until December and take the road in the States about January 1.

Summer and fall manies for half price at the Bon Marche.

Kinrady's at the Grand.

A week from tonight the great spectacular attraction of Excelsior will be produced by the Kinrady's at the Grand opera house. This piece all last season was the leading attraction of New York, and is now taken out of that city for the first time. There are over 130 people in the company, and with them the Kinrady's bring everything necessary to the production of the piece. They depend on the local theatre for nothing so that the piece will be produced here exactly as it was in the metropolis.

For faces at slaughter prices go to the Bon Marche.

The Police Court Saturday.

Mary Hannan was charged before Mr. Denison, J.P., with stealing \$13 from 18 Mrs. Burke. She was sent down for two months. Mary Ferguson, who was charged with the above theft, was discharged.

For bathing suits go to the Bon Marche.

Free Opera at Hamilton's Point.

The puncturing of the Queen's Own Rifles at its meetings and parades has become proverbial since they commenced having their watches repaired at R. Given Doberty's, 230 Queen street west, a few doors west of Simcoe. 136

The Boundary Award, The 4th Constitutional Law, The Presidential Election, The House of Lords, Canada's Secretary and the Bon Marche.

OLD ORCHARD BEACH.

Grand Day at the Old Orchard House—Toronto People.

OLD ORCHARD BEACH, Aug. 15.—The event of this week has been the grand day at the Old Orchard house on Wednesday evening. It was not only the event of the season, but it was the brilliant event of the evening.

The grand day was led by Mr. E. C. Rutherford of New York and Miss Jennie Pierce of Brooklyn; the other couples were Mr. Allan Jones, Miss Maud Rutherford, Mr. Frank May, Mrs. Kent, Mr. R. E. Kent, Mrs. May, Dr. Blanshard, Miss Bethune, Mr. J. M. Holborn, Miss Maud Gooderham, Mr. Frank MacKean, Miss Ella Gooderham, Mr. Frank MacKean, Mrs. Frank MacKean, Mr. T. B. Moseley, Miss Deane, Mr. Buckley, Miss Emma Fuller, Mr. John Hodgins, Miss Florence Gooderham, Mr. H. O. Hunting, Miss Alice Bennett, Mr. John Morrow, Miss Amy Rutherford, Mr. A. H. Mussen, Miss Mr. Mucklison, Miss Lou Rutherford, Mr. G. A. Kahl, Mrs. Chisholm, Mr. C. L. De Martigny, Miss Pierce, Mr. A. H. MacAdams, Miss Ellen Fuller.

The toilettes were extremely lively. Miss Jennie Pierce who led the grand day with her Oriental lace, a corsage bouquet of red and white roses and diamond ornaments. Miss Maud Rutherford wore a white and red dress, trimmed with elegant duchesse lace; corsage bouquet of natural flowers and diamond ornaments.

Mrs. May, of Montreal, wore a very distinguished looking costume of black and white, with garnitures of lilies of the valley and diamond ornaments.

Miss Helene, of Toronto, looked very stylish in a costume of pink silk and chambray gauze over black velvet, trimmed with elegant duchesse lace; corsage bouquet of natural flowers and diamond ornaments.

Miss Ella Gooderham was very lovely in a white embroidered muslin with pink ribbons and natural flowers, and antique ornaments of silver coral.

Mrs. Frank MacKean of Hamilton, one of the most popular ladies at the Old Orchard, had a lovely and becoming toilette of white satin and chambray gauze, with lace yoke and sleeves; her corsage bouquet was of tea roses, and here Kingstone, wore a white silk with pearl passementerie trimmings and lace sleeves.

Mrs. Rutherford of Toronto, wore a very stylish and becoming toilette of white and black, with a corsage bouquet of natural flowers and diamond ornaments.

Mrs. Fuller, Hamilton, black broadened velvet, pointed shoulder cape, amber and diamond ornaments.

Mrs. Strachan Bethune of Montreal, black corded silk with thread lace, diamond ornaments.

Mrs. Kent, Kingston, black Australian cape trimmed profusely with thread lace, white and red corsage bouquet of tea roses, pearls and diamonds.

Mrs. C. H. Hansford, Montreal, deep blue satin, trimmed with point lace, corsage bouquet of natural flowers, diamond ornaments.

John Stewart, Toronto, white mull with Valenciennes flounces, yellow roses, diamonds.

The Bon Marche for silks.

Amusements.

The Mystics open at the People's theatre this afternoon in a vaudeville entertainment.

Olivette at the Summer pavilion to-night, with Miss St. Quentin in the title role.

The Ideal opera company take possession of the Horticultural Gardens Wednesday night. Billie Taylor will be the first of their productions.

For Indies' and gents' underwear go to the Bon Marche.

United States News.

George Nuerberg, a farmer of Plattsville, Wis., murdered his wife on Friday and then hung himself. He had accused her of unfaithfulness.

George H. Thornton of Buffalo was elected president of the National Stenographers association at Harrisburg. The next meeting will be held in Buffalo.

W. L. Reynolds, cashier of the Texas express company at Houston, Tex., committed suicide on Friday. It is believed that the cause was financial difficulties.

Sydney Hall (colored), of Harris county, Georgia, cut his wife's head off with an axe on Friday. He claims that she was unfaithful and had attempted to poison him.

Dr. Paaren and Salmon have made a thorough inspection of the Jersey herd at Virginia, Ill., where the supposed pleuropneumonia infection originated, and found no signs of contagion.

Professor W. R. Kingman of Charleston, S. C., who was stopping with a friend at Wakebarre, walked from his bedroom while asleep Friday night and fell to the sidewalk. He claims that he was in a dream.

Michigan's state commissioner of insurance has applied for the appointment of a receiver for the Michigan Mutual Fire insurance company, which ceased to pay any attention to its obligations.

Harvey Montooth shot and killed James Colay at Uniontown, Pa., Friday evening. Colay had been accused of firing a shot into the crowd when they met; they both attempted to shoot, Montooth firing first.

SPREADING RAILS.

A Liverpool Firm of Iron Merchants Seeking a Character.

On the 15th of June last, in an article on the vicissitudes of the Bolt and Iron company, we said, among other things: "A firm in Liverpool had sold the Dominion Bolt company a large lot of spike iron, which they received accepted of the iron, which proved to be rotten and unmerchantable, so bad in fact that death and destruction would have attended any railway that might have used it in the form of spikes. Knowing this Mr. Livingston made no such use of the iron. He demanded back the acceptance, and the Liverpool merchants, a few days before maturity, conveyed the title to third parties, or borrowed, their names, that they might use the title as a shield against the machinery of the courts to bar out all evidence on their iron and perpetuate their swindle."

The Canadian Manufacturer copied the article entire; they mentioned no names, nor did we, but it appears to have been seen by a firm in Liverpool of the name of Henderson & Glass—the cap of the article.

They, through their solicitors in Toronto, have asked our consent to read over the evidence which they gave by commission on certain acceptance, and thereon issue to them a certificate of good character. Now as the article first appeared in this paper, we are entitled to some consideration at our hands. We will accordingly look up the record and see what we can find.

There was a purchase by the Dominion Bolt company of 300 tons of iron for manufacture into spikes, equal in quality to such brands as N.B., or Shelton, or T.K., or S. and H., or B.N.P., and to bear a test of bending double cold without fracture.

Now as this matter is of special importance to every man, woman and child who travels on a railway, and whose life is so dependent on the safety of the iron rails, we will appreciate the care exercised by Mr. Livingston in his determination to see that the iron he sold was equal to the required test, in that same commission these men (3) admit that they knew of the iron being crystallized, and that they shipped this crystallized iron.

Now our readers will remember that last month in Ohio the lives of thousands of excursionists were imperilled by a train running on the track on the alleged cause of "spreading rails," which was caused by the use of spikes, imagine then the peril travelers would be in, traveling over a railway with such brittle as glass; a fool with a fancied grievance against a railway placing an obstruction on the track would be tempted to tamper with the rails, and the danger to a railway train from an obstruction on the track is as nothing compared to the danger from rotten spikes in a railway track.

How much greater then the criminality of this Henderson & Glass swindle, than the swindle of the iron which was sold to the Dominion Bolt company, and which was used for the manufacture of spikes, and which was used for the manufacture of spikes, and which was used for the manufacture of spikes.

The Balance of Power in Europe.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 24.—Novoski, reviewing the strained relations between England and Germany, correctly remarks: "The English Empire's recognition of the right of the rearm of the Russian Empire in Central Asia. England, Novoski says, is enjoying a similar right in Egypt. Novoski says that the Russian Empire is enjoying the benefit of Germany. The humiliation of England would disturb the balance of power in Europe."

The World's Y.M.C.A.

Berlin, Aug. 24.—The fourth day of the world's convention of young men's christian associations was devoted to various religious exercises and a conference in religious work, which commenced on Monday evening and the convention closed. The result of the meeting will be to greatly strengthen the association in religious work.

Lord Colville Campbell bested.

Lord Colville Campbell bested the Russian province of increasing. The natives of Portuguese Guinea have submitted and the country is tranquil.

Thirteen peasants were attacked with the rinderpest near Odessa, Russia. Two died.

A burglar at Neuilly, France, was sentenced to death, and another to life long servitude.

It is reported that the followers of the Meitai are dying at rate of thirty a day from some intestinal disease.

Advices from Armenia state that a serious uprising has occurred at Derim. The leaders refuse to acknowledge the authority of Turkey and the government is powerless to bring them to terms.

Domestic Dishes.

The Guelph Mercury says the Blair Mill has been sold for \$10,000.

The British association will visit the agricultural college at Guelph on Sept. 6.

The good people of New Brunswick are being swindled by shoddy pedlars. Wonder if the Toronto gang is down there!

A. G. Brown of Ottawa is reported to have discovered a valuable mine of mica in the townships of Palmerston and Miller.

An Ottawa firm finds the local supply of hides insufficient for its tannery, and imports large quantities from Chicago and the western market.

The truck system proved ruinous to a group of navvies at Cornwall when 300 were settled up every man was in the company of the truck system.

Ada Utman, the 15-year-old daughter of Henry Utman, Sterling, took a dose of Paris green last week because "she thought she had no other way." People think it is a future advertisement.

Another Bank Gone Up.

Windsor, Va., Aug. 24.—The bank of Windsor has suspended. It is not thought it will resume again. Depositors will probably be paid in full. Bull collections were the cause.

DEATHS.

BURIED—On Aug. 24 at his residence, corner of Niagara and Dundas streets, Wm. Burns, proprietor of the "Daily World," aged 70 years. Funeral on Monday, Aug. 26, at 2 a.m. Friends will please accept this intimation.

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