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RECORD AMOUNT OF ENGLISH MAIL

Arrived on One Steamer at New York This Morning.

[Canadian Press Despatch]

NEW YORK, Nov. 21.—A record consignment of mail from England, not excepting the great amount brought in at Christmas time, arrived in New York on one steamer to-day. There were 5802 sacks, weighing about 155 tons in all, which were brought by the steamship Majestic. The consignment was so large that the steamer's mail room could not hold it all, and many sacks were stored in empty staterooms. The record is due to heavy weather which prevailed at Queenstown on November 9, making it impossible for the steamship Mauretania to collect her usual mail. The present consignment is the first arrival from England since November 12.

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Local News

Ambulance Out.

The ambulance conveyed a sick person from 35 Cayuga street to the hospital last evening.

A Building Permit.

A building permit has been issued to John O'Neal for the erection of a house on Rawdon street at a cost of $1,000.

For the Ladies.

James E. Goodson of the Temple Shoe Store, has a display ad. on Page 16, which will interest the ladies. Read it now.

Will Exchange.

Rev. R. D. Hamilton of Wellington Street Church will exchange pulpits next Sunday with Rev. J. D. Fitzpatrick of Norfolk St. Church, Guelph.

At the Kerby.

Among those registered at the Kerby are Messrs. H. N. Leathbetter of Toronto, George Lynch-Staunton, K. C., and Colon G. Snider of Hamilton, and Dr. C. A. Publow of Picton.

Carpetball Notes.

The Borden Club Carpetball team No. 2, will play the Beavers on the former's floor this evening. An exciting game is expected, as both sides are going to put up a stiff fight.

Cable Laid.

The cable of the Hydro Electric service has been laid on both sides of Market street from the Grand Trunk Railway to Dalhousie Street. This work is now progressing on Dalhousie street.

Half Million Fish.

Mr. J. T. Edwards stated this morning that the work of the Mt. Pleasant fish hatchery was practically over for the year. During the season a half million of black bass had been shipped out.

Fell Asleep.

Many friends will be sorry to learn of the death of Mary Pepper, beloved wife of Mr. George Carey, Harrisburg, who passed away in her 50th year. The deceased was a niece of Mrs. A. Shaver, Dalhousie street, city.

Working Nights.

Taking advantage of the favorable weather, Secord and Sons did not cease operations at the Post Office until 12 o'clock last night, and will do the same to-night. A gang was kept at work concreting the roof.

Masonic Celebration.

Doric Lodge, A. F. & A. M., will celebrate "Life Members' Night" in the Temple this evening, and a pleasant time may be anticipated by the members of the craft who are able to attend. This lodge has over half a hundred life members.

Enjoyable Banquet.

A banquet for all the members of the Wellington Street Sunday School was held in the church parlors last evening at which over four hundred were present. After the banquet Mr. Smith of Toronto, in the absence of Dr. Stevenson, Secretary of Forward Movement, who was unable to be present, gave a lecture on Japan, illustrated by limelight views. This is the first time that a banquet for the whole Sunday School has been attempted in this church, and it proved a great success, being especially enjoyed by the children.

Law Overlooked.

"If anybody at Vanessa is prosecuted for shooting squirrels the whole township of Windham will have to be prosecuted," said a resident of that locality this morning. The fact that shooting of squirrels in Norfolk was topped by the department at Toronto has been overlooked by the game warden, magistrate and others who should know. Everybody has been shooting. Just what action the department will take is not known. One man said he applied to the game warden and was told to shoot. Special officers from Toronto will likely visit the district this week.

Boy Knights Work.

The Boy Knights have entered two teams in the Canadian Rifle League in both miniature and gallery series. In both of these series they made a splendid showing last year and with their fine new range their average should be considerably higher this year. An examination will be held in the near future for sergeants. The mothers of the Boy Knights held a meeting on Wednesday afternoon which was largely attended. They are deeply interested in the work and will take an active part in the Boy Knights' banquet next Wednesday evening. Mrs. Johnson was elected convenor in connection with the committee work. A number of outside guests are expected and all are looking forward eagerly to the event.

Battery Meeting To-night.

The organization meeting of the 32nd Battery C.F.A., will be held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at 8.30 p.m. to-night. A cordial invitation has been extended to all men who are interested in this branch of the service, and an exceptional opportunity is afforded to young men to step in on the ground floor and obtain in a few months the appointments as non-commissioned officers, which under ordinary circumstances would take years to secure. Only those men desirous attending the school of instruction and obtaining certificates are being asked for at present. The Battery will not be recruited up to its total strength of 107 of all ranks until the guns and equipment arrive.

UNITED STATES WANTED REAL WARFARE

Failure Between Rebel Leader and Hale is Given in Despatch

[Canadian Press Despatch]

NOGALES, Ariz., Nov. 21.—It was learned to-day from authoritative sources, that one of the principal reasons why the conferences here between William Bayard Hale, President Wilson's personal representative and General Carranza broke up was the failure of General Carranza to give the United States government assurances that accepted rules of civilized warfare would be observed by the Constitutionalists, if they were allowed to import arms and ammunition.

Carranza, it is understood, was not in a position to give these assurances because of inability to control the generals in the field. The first indication that the Constitutionalists could not meet this demand came, it is said, when Carranza absented himself from the conference, giving illness as an excuse. After his second failure to keep the appointment, Hale refused to confer with subordinates.

Although Hale declined to accept invitations from Carranza's subordinates to discuss the subject informally after the General's departure, he is said to have assured the ministers before he left for Tucson, that he would meet Carranza personally anywhere if the Constitutionalist leader so requested.

THIRTEEN HORSES WERE DESTROYED

Disastrous Blaze at Brighton, Ont., Early This Morning.

[Canadian Press Despatch.]

BRIGHTON, Ont., Nov. 21.—A disastrous fire occurred here this morning, completely consuming the livery barn and contents of Mr. A. A Wade, proprietor of the Hotel Central. The hotel stables, which were connected with the livery barn were also consumed. Thirteen horses were burned besides nearly all the vehicles, harness, robes and livery equipment. The fire evidently originated in the hay mow and the building was enveloped in flames before it was discovered.

The fire had broken through the upper floor when Mr. Wade rushed into the stable and he took a dangerous chance in undertaking to release any of the horses. Being forced from the stable he undertook to save the vehicles, but after removing the hearse and a hack and one buggy the flames prevented his saving anything else.

Mr. Wade is a heavy loser, his equipment being valued at about $5,000 with insurance of only $1500.

City News Items

Meets To-night.

The finance committee of the City Council meets to-night.

The Catholic Order of Foresters held a euchre party in St. Mary's Hall last evening at which a large number were present. A musical programme was given and a dainty luncheon was served.

Good Prospects.

There is every prospect of a large attendance at the lectures to be given to-night at the Y.M.C.A. by Mr. Richard B. Watrous of Washington, secretary of the American Civic Association, and by Mr. Dunnington-Grubb of Toronto, landscape architect. All those intending to attend are advised to go early. No admission charge.

FIRE IN QUEBEC.

QUEBEC, Nov. 21.—Fire did damage to the extent of $14,000 to the premises and stock of J. B. Renaud and Company, wholesale provision merchants, St. Paul street this morning. The loss is covered by

The French Chamber of Deputies will begin to-day the discussion of the bill, already passed by the Senate, to limit the number of bars, saloons, and other establishments for the sale of distilled pirit. The measure fixes the number of bars at 1 per 200 inhabitants, and until this figure is reached no new bars may be opened. The effect will be to gradually reduce 1,480,000 bars to 200,000.

The situation in Natal, where an uprising of Hindus was feared, has developed no more dangerous features, and it is now believed that the movement will collapse.

Wood's Phosphodine, *The Great English Remedy.* Tones and invigorates the whole nervous system, makes new Blood in old Veins. *Cures Nervous Debility, Mental and Brain Worry, Despondency, Loss of Energy, Palpitation of the Heart, Failing Memory.* Price $1 per box, six for $5. One will please, six will cure. Sold by all druggists or mailed in plain pkg. on receipt of price. *New pamphlet mailed free.* THE WOOD MEDICINE CO., TORONTO, ONT. (Formerly Windsor.)

VARIOUS MATTERS IN POLICE COURT

A Watch Case - Rose Daniels Charged--Other Police News.

Frank Hazell was mixed up in receiving a watch last Saturday, which was stolen, and for which theft John Simons on Monday got sentenced to six months. He had bought the watch and chain from Simons and it was in his possession when the police recovered it. Consequently he was this morning charged with receiving stolen property. He claimed that he did not know it was stolen. It was noticed that the chain had been changed and some time was taken, obtaining witnesses as to the identity of the chain. It was ascertained that the original chain was gold and the present one was imitation. At this stage the case was adjourned until to-morrow.

Three Armenians, Joe Peters, Steve Hayler and Steve Billo were brought before the bench for assaulting James Garrow. His story was that he went into a local hotel and ordered a glass of beer. In attempting to reach his glass he was held off by the Hungarians.

"I thought you said Armenians last night" said Magistrate Livingston.

"I might have done so," replied witness, "they are bad enough whichever they are" to the amusement of the court. He continued his story and said he was instantly surrounded by twenty foreigners. "I dare say", he said, "that if it had not been for my good old British blood I might never have got out alive." The commotion arrested the attention of the police, who arrived, as Garrow alleged, just in time to save his life. He had been kicked and struck with a stick. Although his story told of war and bloodshed, Garrow himself, did not appear much the worse for his adventure. His vocabulary apparently exceeded his injuries.

The Armenians admitted being in the bar which was crowded, but denied the assault.

The Magistrate did not hesitate in fining defendants five dollars each, after Chief Slemin had said a word with reference to foreigners in public bars.

Stating that she had never been at the court before and had never had a stain upon her character, Rose Daniels was charged with being drunk and keeping a disorderly house. Her house had taken fire last night and when a P.C. arrived upon the scene after the fire was extinguished, he found Rose lying in the centre of the floor in a pool of water, her head being supported by a pillow. She declared that she was knocked down and rendered unconscious in the rush from the flames. The officer stated that she smelt strongly of liquor, and she then denied having tasted any whiskey. "Perhaps," suggested the Magistrate "the fumes of the liquor sent you off." At the instance of Chief Slemin the case was adjourned until Wednesday.

The Chief Constable has a serious complaint to make with regard to one or two local hotels. Three foreigners were charged by a proprietor and and no one from the hotel appeared to prosecute. Remarking about this the Chief said that in this instance the license authorities should take action as the house in question was, in his opinion of a disorderly character.

A representative of the authority was in the court, hearing the case, but made no statement.

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TWO LITTLE ONES WERE DROWNED

Sad End of Little Girls in Wolseley, Saskatchewan, Yesterday.

[Canadian Press Despatch]

WOLSELEY, Sask., Nov. 21.—Myrtle MacKenzie aged 11 and Dorothy Quinn, aged 9, were drowned Thursday afternoon when with a group of other children they were skating on the C. P. R. reservoir after school. The ice broke as they skated toward the bridge and as they sank the screams of the other children brought Mrs. MacKenzie and her eldest daughter, Fannie, both of whom rushed out to where the little girls had gone down. The ice, too week for the children broke before the women reached them and the mother was only rescued when sinking for the third time by Allen Thompson, who jumped in with a rope. Fannie MacKenzie was dragged out by a rope flung to her by men on the bank. The bodies of the children were recovered later.

SHOT THROUGH HEAD.

LOCKPORT, N. Y., Nov. 21.—Peter Basilo, 38 years old, a grocery dealer in the Italian section of the city was shot through the head and instantly killed here early to-day. No one witnessed the shooting and the authorities have no clue as to who fired the shot. The body was found in the street. Several Black Hand letters have been received by prominent Italians and it is believed that Basilo also had been threatened.

The American Federation of Labor yesterday, at Seattle, decided that the time was not opportune for a labor political party.

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Women's Cream Ribbed "Swiss" Spun Silk Combinations, with fancy crochet yoke $2.50, $3.00, $3.50

Women's "Zenith" Vest, fine wool and cotton mixture, soft finish, unshrinkable, white only 75c

Women's Fine Ribbed Black Wool Tights, ankle length, closed style, elastic or band at waist $1.25, $1.50

Zenith Brand Combinations, fine ribbed, soft wool, in white only $2.50

The Famous "Ceetee" Brand Combinations, fine white wool, unshrinkable, high neck, long sleeves, size 2, $3.00; size 3, $3.25; size 4, $3.50.

Children's Plain Natural Wool Vests and Drawers, soft material, size from 0, at 65c, to size 8 at $1.00.

Infants' Fine White Wool Vests, buttoned down front with pearl buttons, seams on outside, long sleeve, edged with silk; size 1, 45c, to size 6, 60c.

Children's Natural Cotton Fleece-lined Sleeping Suits, with feet, size 6 months to 12 years.

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Necklets in a variety of mountings ..... 75c to $2.50
Pearl Beads, short strings ..... 50c to $1.50
Pearl Beads, long strings .... $1.50 to $1.75
Long chains, silver, gunmetal, gold, assorted stones and beads ..... 35c to $1.25
Bar Pins, plain or brilliant .... 25c to $3.00
Cuff Links, plain or carved .... 50c to $1.50
Pearl Crescents, Wishbones, etc. ..... $3.50 to $13.50
Wrist Watches ..... $2.95 to $3.75
Watches, gunmetal and silver $2.95 to $5.00
Beauty Pins, carved ..... 25c to $1.25 pair
Earrings, with drops gold and pearl ..... 50c to 75c
Hat Pins, fancy heads ..... 25c to 35c ea.
Hat Pins with brilliant knots 35c to 75c ea.