

HAMILTON HAPPENINGS

DRAGOONS CANNOT TURN OUT FOR THE MEMORIAL

Uniforms Have Not Arrived, So They Will Be Unable To Parade.

HAMILTON, May 16.—(Special).—While working with a construction gang, which is laying the new street car tracks on North James-street, George Brown, a colored man, died this evening.

He was working with a gang near Simcoe-street, when he was taken suddenly ill. A doctor was summoned and an ambulance was called to remove him to the City Hospital, where he died before he arrived.

Cannot Parade. C Squadron, Second Dragoons, will not be able to take part in the military demonstration on Friday, in connection with the public memorial service for the late King.

A meeting of the officers of the various local military units was held to-night in the armories, to make arrangements for the garrison memorial service on Friday.

Mayor McLaren announced that the board of control and council had been invited to a number of memorial services, including the military memorial.

Council Vote Grants. The council has voted to grant the salary of caretaker Calder of the Barton Reservoir.

On motion of Ald. Milne, the board of control was instructed to see if they could not force the Ontario Pipe Line company to restore the water to the tenants.

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COMET'S CLOSE BUT NO DANGER

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constitutes nearly 80 per cent. of the air we breathe, that the atmosphere would be converted into the "laughing gas" employed by dentists.

Remote Dangers. The tail of a comet is fraught with still other remotely possible dangers.

Can't be Ignited. The whole atmosphere would become a seething ocean of fire, in which forests and cities would burn like straw.

A spectroscopic analysis of Halley's comet has revealed the presence of cyanogen gas in the tail.

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COMET WILL BE FINE SPECTACLE ON FRIDAY

Harvard Astronomers Say It Will Be One of the Finest Sights of Century.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., May 16.—The morning observations of Halley's comet by the Harvard observers closed to-day with another disappointing effort, and for the next few days views of the visitor can only be made in broad daylight.

Whether Halley's comet will become sufficiently bright to be seen at noon-to-morrow or Wednesday, either before or after the sun, is yet a matter of conjecture.

If the moon were not quite so bright on Wednesday evening there might be a chance to see the end of the comet's tail, as it curves down behind the western horizon after the sun.

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MAPLE LEAF HOMING PIGEON ASSOCIATION OPENING RACE.

The Maple Leaf Homing Pigeon Association of this city opened its racing season on Saturday with a superb race for old birds.

Lang Training for Fight in Hamilton.

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Not Enough to Hurt.

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Dr. Chase's Ointment.

ST. JAMES' PARISH HOUSE

Fine Building in Which Cathedral Will Begin a New Era of Institutional Work.

The first new parish house of St. James' Cathedral, at Adelaide and Church-streets, was formally opened last evening with an impressive service.

Following the dedicatory prayers, which were read by the rector, Canon Plumptre, he gave hearty welcome to all present.

Leading the Way. The Bishop of Toronto pointed out that when he spoke of the history of St. James' Cathedral in Toronto, he was not only speaking of the history of the Anglican Church in that city, but also of the history of Toronto itself.

Can Attorney-General Prefer Direct Charge Without Preliminary Enquiry?

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