

POLICE REVOLVERS THIRTY YEARS OLD

Useless at Twenty-Five Yards
—Commissioners to Dis-
cuss Re-arming.

The advisability of rearming the police force with a different calibre revolver will be discussed by the police commissioners when they are preparing the 1920 estimates, according to a statement made yesterday afternoon by Chief H. J. Graessett. The purchasing of new pistols, he said, would involve an expenditure close to \$20,000. Although the present guns carried by constables are next to useless, the chief does not think there is immediate need of a more up-to-date revolver being given out. The guns at present carried by policemen are of the 360 English bulldog type. At 44 calibre, with a very short barrel, they were selected for the force thirty years ago. Colonel Graessett said that they are not like them in the immediate need of a more up-to-date revolver being given out. The guns at present carried by policemen are of the 360 English bulldog type. At 44 calibre, with a very short barrel, they were selected for the force thirty years ago. Colonel Graessett said that they are not like them in the immediate need of a more up-to-date revolver being given out.

No Use For Automatics.
Detectives are the only ones given automatics. They do not like them and many of them have set their department aside and are carrying their own revolvers. They claim that the automatics are useless to them in emergency, pointing out the danger of the automatic jamming the shots.

No guns have been issued for the past five years. A few sergeants and plainclothesmen were given guns in 1914, when the Duke of Connaught reviewed the force at the University stadium.

In view of the number of holdups and stores broken into, a number of people are applying when they go to headquarters for permits to carry revolvers.

The police are as strict as ever and in the majority of cases are refusing to grant the permits. One "King street business man asked for a permit yesterday, stating that he carried large sums of money and wanted a gun in his office for protection. His reply was that the police would protect him just as much as they would other citizens.

Speaking of the number of revolvers that seem to be carried by burglars operating, a police official said that many were purchased from officers returned from overseas. Thieves are looking for firearms, and police records show that quite a number have been stolen from officers.

Police "Dud" Cartridges.
There was a report current that a policeman sent out to destroy a horse, fired nearly all of the shots in his revolver before one would explode. Chief Graessett stated that the police regulations call for every inspector of the division to see that the revolvers are properly oiled, cleaned and loaded before the policeman are sent out on the beat at night from the station. Regarding police resuming shooting practices, he asserted that with the installation of an eight-hour day to the men and the shortage of police, it would be impossible to start the pre-war training courses at present.

JAIL FOR DRUNKEN MOTORIST
Herbert Chaperone was found guilty in the police court yesterday of having been drunk while in charge of a motor car. For this he was committed to the jail for seven days, and on a further charge of B.O.A. he was fined \$200 and costs or three months.



Wash Day and Backache

WASH day is the least welcome day of the week in most homes, though sweeping day is not much better. Both days are most trying on the back.

The strain of washing, ironing and sweeping frequently deranges the kidneys. The system is poisoned and backaches, rheumatism, pains in the limbs result.

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ONE MORE QUESTION

Sir Adam Beck Wants Citizens to
Vote on Toronto-Bowmanville
Railway.

There are no less than fifteen questions already on the official list for placing before the public in January next and now Sir Adam Beck comes forward with another. He wants the people to vote on the question of the Toronto and Bowmanville Railway. The mayor is anxious to reduce the questions down to four and the final list will probably be 1. The Toronto Street Railway Question, 2. The Transportation Commission, 3. The assessment trust commission, 4. Toronto and Bowmanville Railway.

METHODS IMPROVED IN VACCINATION

Schools Thrown Open for the
Purpose—Fifty-Seven
More Cases.

There was great improvement shown yesterday in the organization of the would-be vaccinated crowds at the city hall. Some method of organization was put into force with the result that the children were not kept waiting in the streets and the crowd was not anything like so large as that of Monday. This latter happening may to some extent be accounted for by the health authorities adopting the suggestion made in The World yesterday, that the children be vaccinated at their respective schools. Yesterday morning doctors were sent to seven of the public schools, five more will have a medical man attached to them today, and two separate schools will also be given attention. The doctors yesterday were distributed as follows: Annette, Dr. E. O. Smith; Leslie, Dr. Woodhouse; Dewson, Dr. J. H. Lawson; York, Dr. McAlpine; Kent, Dr. Munn; Park, Dr. Smirle Lawson; Jesse, Ketchum, Dr. Graham.

As the mayor said to The World yesterday, the principle of vaccinating the children in the schools should have been adopted in the first instance. These could be opened from 4 p.m. until any hour in the evening, and the children would have been in nice, warm rooms, instead of on the street and in the cold.

Early Arrivals.
Despite a notice published by the health department, that no vaccination would be given at the city hall until 12 o'clock yesterday, a crowd of some 300 were assembled outside the hall by 11 o'clock—some arrived as early as 9 o'clock, and the officials had a busy time in keeping the youngsters in order. Once the doors were opened to admit the children to the vaccination room, a great improvement over the past crude methods was in evidence. Some had been busy since Monday afternoon, and had secured some fifteen additional medical men for operation purposes. It did not take them long to make a considerable reduction in the crowd, and by 3 o'clock the waiting list was reduced to quite small proportions. There seemed to be, however, a shortage of nurses to look after the children when they had passed thru the doctors' hands.

Only With Parents' Consent.
It may be here stated that no child will be vaccinated in the schools without the consent of the parents. Fifty-eight new cases of smallpox were reported yesterday, bringing the total up to 227 cases and 193 houses under quarantine. Last night the whole smallpox situation stood as follows:

New cases reported during 24 hours 58
Total cases reported since outbreak 227
Discharged 6
Cases in hospital 24
Cases treated at home 197
Houses from which patients were taken 174
Persons quarantined 750
Out of the 58 new cases, 54 are being quarantined in their own homes. The number of people in quarantine, but not ill, amount to 706.

Grant Vanishing.
The \$10,000 granted to the board of health by the board of control for expenses in the vaccination campaign.

ONE EVERY MINUTE - - - By Billy Scott



BALLYRAGGED IN A BOOTERY.

I got thinking last night that I ain't no class—I need a swagster stick or something, so I thought I'd take it all in and go into a million dollar boot shop early this morning.
A brilliant swell, all fragrant like a soap counter, waltzed up to me and says "Hello, mate, at my service if I wish to be waited on."
Which I do.
"I'm glad you put me right," I says, "because I thought this was the White Garden and you was that dancing Pavlova girl."
He turned a tin ear and took me to a couple of nifty kid models.
"Undressed kids are the last word this season," he says.
"Is that so, you fresh guy. Well, take a chair at my brogues and bring me something big-saucous, get me. And I made my exit leaving my old shoes and a beautiful beef-steak eye."

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When the board of commerce returns to Toronto the farmers and dairymen will urge upon them the increasing of the price of milk to \$3.35 a can. At a previous sitting the board made an interim order naming \$3.10 a can up to December 1.

The board are expected here some time next week, when they will take up the question of prices in clothing, boots and shoes, and try to fix a maximum price for each. Retailers and wholesalers say, however, the board cannot fix a price in those articles for Toronto alone, the price-fixing must be Dominion-wide. The board cannot discriminate between different towns.

Vaccination Precautions.
As many enquiries had been made as to after-treatment in vaccination cases, Dr. Hastings yesterday issued the following instructions:
(1) All injury to the vaccinated arm should be avoided.
(2) Any covering that is tight is to be avoided.
(3) Daily washing of the skin may be continued, so long as the crust does not break. Do not apply enough moisture to soften the crust.
(4) Every effort should be made to prevent the crust breaking.
(5) If the vesicle, pustule or crust does break, and the wound thus becomes open, daily moist dressings, with some active antiseptic, such as mercuric chlorid, or dilute iodine (one part tincture of iodine in nine parts of water) should be applied. Under no circumstances should any dressing be allowed to remain on a vaccination wound longer than 24 hours, and no dressing should be applied so long as the crust remains intact.
If the vaccination wound is not apparently progressing in a proper manner, report back to the vaccination centre.

BUILDING PERMITS

The following building permits were issued by the city architect yesterday:
Sheet Metal Products, three-story brick warehouse, corner Oak and River streets, \$45,000.
Christie, Brown & Co., one-story brick garage, 125-202 King street east, near George street, \$15,000.
Geo. Lasner, two-story store and brick detached bungalow, 77 Glen Grove ave., near Duplex ave., \$6,000.
J. R. Riley, one pair semi-detached and one detached brick dwelling, Adelaide road, s.e. corner Norman avenue, \$3,100.
Mrs. E. Jeffrey, detached dwelling, brick and stucco, Highfield road, near Gerrard east, \$5,400.
P. Maitland, two pair semi-detached dwellings, 44-50 Bastedo avenue, \$10,000.
S. A. King, three stores and apartments, St. Clair avenue, northwest corner Appleton avenue, \$15,000.
Ed. Newall, dwelling, south side of Whitney avenue, near Roxborough street, \$10,000.

FINED UNDER O.T.A.
Mary Brown, charged with contravening the O.T.A., paid a fine of \$300 and costs in police court yesterday.
Arthur Carter pleaded guilty to a similar offence, and paid a fine of \$500 and costs.

STILL HALE AND HEARTY

Progenitor of Forty-nine Descendants Celebrates Her 92nd Birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Poffley, 755 Shaw street, gave a dinner party at their home last night to commemorate the 92nd birthday of Mrs. Poffley (Mrs. Poffley's mother), Mrs. Poffley has been a resident of Toronto for over 40 years. She is in possession of all her faculties, and does a considerable amount of reading without the aid of glasses.

She has living three daughters, 15 grand children, 30 great grand children and one representative of the fifth generation. Amongst the family party was an old companion aged 82 years, and going strong, who contributed to the musical part of the entertainment with a little song, "Dear Old Pal."

To cut a long story short, and there were many, the party broke up in happy vein. But it may have been much happier and probably much later if the "yesses" had gained the majority.

S. A. ARMISTICE SERVICE

All the members of the staffs at Salvation Army headquarters attended a special service in Headquarters Temple at 11 o'clock yesterday, in recognition of the first anniversary of Armistice Day. In the absence of Commissioner W. J. Richards and the chief secretary, Col. John MacMillan, Col. G. Miller was in charge. The service was one of prayer and praise.

PARKS' EMPLOYEES RETIRED

The parks and exhibition committee of the city council decided yesterday to retire two old employees, William Jordan, aged 74, who began working for the council in 1890, and Benjamin Tuck, age 68, whose record dates back to 1892. These two consistent city workers are to receive from the city of Toronto a retiring allowance of six dollars per week.

On the advice of Commissioner Foreman it was decided to purchase the property at the northeast corner of Avenue road and St. Clair avenue for \$30,000, this being at the rate of \$220 a foot. The site will be used for a parkette.

Home Smith, has presented the council with 1,420 trees and shrubs which will be used for the decoration of the Humber boulevard. A letter

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of thanks from the committee for the gift is to be sent to Mr. Smith.

UNCLE DICK DEAD

Modern Hero of "Never Too Late to Mend" Has Curious Record.

"Uncle Dick Harris" is dead. He was one of Canada's most remarkable residents; in fact, his record was probably unique in this country. Born 78 years ago in London, musical, genial, and an expert in his trade, he was a great character. Perhaps the great co-median—he was fitted by his girl before he came of age. Drifting into drunkenness and afterwards into crime, he decided to cross to Canada, after his first spell in prison. For well nigh 60 years he dwelt in the Dominion, spending most of his time in jail. Altogether, he spent over half a century within prison walls.

Five years ago there came a change. Handed over to the Salvation Army by the government, he was gradually transformed, striving to end his days a respectable and respected member of society. It would be interesting to have had Charles Reade's opinion of "Uncle Dick." Perhaps the great novelist would have made him the hero of a new version of "It is Never Too Late to Mend."

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It is only a little over ten years ago since The Farmers' Dairy was founded. A small venture—an experiment—serving but a small number of people.

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To serve better, we built up an efficient organization, loyally co-operating; and we instituted the daylight winter delivery, ensuring more certain, prompt and better service.

So well indeed has The Farmers' Dairy succeeded, so splendidly equipped is the dairy it operates, so quickly has it arrived at a place of proud prestige that its fame has become nationwide.

To-day it is the standard of dairy achievement for the whole continent—a fact in which Toronto itself can take pride.

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