

## AROUND THE CITY HALL

Superintendent W. R. Davidson a short time ago issued strict orders calling for politeness to the travelling public from

rowdy conduct on the depot platform, and since these have been in effect the actions of people who hang around the depot have undergone a great change.

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## STRONG STAND NECESSARY

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cruiser to Mexican waters, the Washington Government was marking time on the Mexican situation today.

**No Report Yet.**  
Special Representative Lind made no report as to what had occurred since his arrival at Mexico City, and it was learned that the President expects no detailed statement from him immediately. The Nashville was the cruiser today ordered to Mexican waters. She is to assist in the work of removing American refugees. Like the cruiser Tacoma, which was ordered to Mexico yesterday, the Nashville is to be used at ports where harbor facilities are not sufficient to permit of the entrance of the battleships now in Mexican waters.

**Waiting for Lind**—The American Embassy in Mexico made today in official circles of the President's determination to wait upon former Governor Lind's report on the Mexican situation before deciding upon any definite course of action in this Government. The President intends, however, that eventually suggestions shall be made by the United States to Mexico, and that eventually looking toward the establishment of peace in Mexico.

These communications will be transmitted through the American Embassy in Mexico to the Government of Mexico. The time for communicating them and probably their specific character will be determined by developments in Mexico. The President has said that he has no definite ideas as to the time that will be required for Mr. Lind to complete his

Investigation.

## BRAINY BACTERIA

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temperature of the water increased and ice is formed in winter time. The Cove does not freeze to the bottom, and the head of the local health institute therefore insists that the Cove ice is free from bacteria," said bacteriologists having sought refuge on the bottom of the ponds, and therefore not having been included in the congealed water above them, water that is cut and stored for consumption in London as "ice."

According to the statement on the question, compiled by Dr. Hill, the only possible way bacteria could be

lodgment in the ice sold in London is through surface water having been washed along the top of the Coves after ice had first formed there, thus preventing the bacteria in the surface water, from escaping to a warmer climate, farther down, below the surface. Be these statements as they may, strong opposition to the use of cove ice has developed, and there is a good possibility of its being completely abandoned.

developed, and there is a possibility that action will be taken at today's meeting to attempt and secure another source of ice supply.

**Another Phase.**

Previous attempts of the board to do this are responsible for another phase of the ice question, also scheduled to, come before the board today. It is only a few years ago that one o

the city ice dealers, on the advice and recommendation of the board of health decided to change his source of supply. Ponds Mills was selected by the board as the most advantageous spot, and the dealer repaired, spending several thousand dollars in equipping the plant there. After the building was erected and everything ready for the harvest it was found that gas emanated

ing from decomposed vegetable matter in the pond gave forth unpleasant gaseous odors. The ice itself was pure but the odors caused the abandonment of the Pond Mills scheme. With the "assistance" from the board of health the said dealer has been content. Since that time he has ignored the board and now some of the members declare that they will force him to take out a permit.

mit for supplying ice, something he has not yet done. The dealer declines to have anything further to do with the board of health regulations or rules, and a merry little battle is anticipated in forcing him to take out a permit. If such proceedings are attempted, as now seems likely.

## Special Features For Western Fair

One of the special features which Secretary A. M. Hunt has secured for the grandstand attractions of the Western Fair is the Cora Youngblood Musical Comedy company.

A troupe of Arabs, the Marions, aerial performers; Freres De Hock, acrobats; Staino's, Comedy; Circus

Danny Ryan's funny clowns, will also take part in the grandstand attractions. The fireworks this year will include an elaborate representation of a threshing outfit in full blast.

For the Midway, fifteen clean, instructive and entertaining shows have been secured.

## Grand Trunk Men Considering Award

[Canadian Press.]

Ottawa, Aug. 12.—If the 3,000 maintenance of way employees on the Grand Trunk and the management of the company decide to accept the award of the board of conciliation just appointed,

For some time there has been a dispute between the parties on several matters regarding working conditions, but these, with the exception of wages, have all been settled by mutual agreement. As neither party could agree on a wage question, the men applied to the labor department for a board of conciliation.

oscillation, and the company expressed itself as favorable to having the question considered by such a board. The company have named G. R. Robertson, of Wexford, and the company, F. H. McGuigan, of Toronto. The chairman has not yet been named.

**Complaints Have Been Met,**  
 Sewers complained of, at the last session, being of health, have been

to the board, according to reports that will be submitted to the board today by City Engineer W. N. Ashplant. An application for another sewer on Oxford street will come before the board.

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**Will No New Dray Stamp.** "day" W. N. Ashplant's special "day" stamps for drays will be issued tomorrow evening at 7 o'clock. It is expected that the stamps will be sold

**Some Ancient Stamps.** General-Manager H. J. Glauzitz, of the water commission, one of the enthusiastic stamp collectors of the city, has just received from London an old envelope containing a number of "penny" stamps ever issued in Britain. The letter was addressed to the city manager, and the postmarks took 23 days to cross

to make all efforts to find a new site for a station dry-dock stand will be made, as well as to make arrangements to have the new location.

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**Will Open Tenders.**

Tenders for the buzz wagon to be supplied W. C. Dodd, superintendent of the exchange department, will be opened by 10 o'clock tomorrow morning. The exchange department will also be opened at the same time.

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**Chief's Car Up Again.**

Purchase of a suitable motor car for the Fire Chief's office is being looked after by WATER AND LIGHT committee.

**Motorize Fire Department.** Chief John McKeown, of the fire department, has been heard from more than one source to the effect that he is desirous of motorizing the fire department. Chief John McKeown has been heard from more than one source to the effect that he is desirous of motorizing the fire department. Chief John McKeown has been heard from more than one source to the effect that he is desirous of motorizing the fire department.

ment. The motorize in fire-fighting trucks that has made itself marked by increased speed, maneuverability, and fewer stations and less cost of upkeep, caused the wreck that reduced the second motor truck of the London department to a pile of twisted metal. The apparatus had only small representation in the local department. \*

**Still in the Limelight.** The department expected this week. Information in the office of General Manager Fritz would indicate an earlier completion of the contract than was expected from some of the competing firms. It had been the effect that unforeseen circumstances had kept the contract scheduled for Aug. 6. The idea was to commission to test out a number of electric-driven trucks.

Controller Tommy Murch, of Toronto, still "buzzing" about reports of his alleged 16-mile hike into Calgary during the recent winter season. Murch's representatives through Western Canada, the Toronto city father is real peeved the way the western papers treated him. Murch says he had a good idea which Mayor Graham, of this city, was an occupant when it broke down 16

from Calgary. The morning paper published a letter written to Church by Mayor Graham. It follows:

"Your letter to hand re our famous bridge. I am glad you are showing us the anxiety over the publicity given this. There is nothing to it that anyone can take anything of. Take my advice and consider it as a huge joke, as I have done."

## IN THE POLICE COURT

The morning charge with him on the sidewalk of the Whann-liffe road. Mr. Wenige admitted taking to the walk, but said that the road at that point was too narrow for him to walk and push the bicycle ahead of him, he parried by asking the court if he had ever taken a bicycle to the court for two blocks and then suggested that the magistrate take a little whirl

two sores on his shoulder, was two weeks in which to have the healed. If he drives the horse again he will be fined heavily.

**Two Discharged.** Russell Miller and Thomas W. G. R. Bartram appeared charged by Robert Lohesky with drunken and disorderly conduct. Mr. W. G. R. Bartram appeared

at the pastime. "Oh, no, I won't," replied the court. "One dollar, or five days in jail." George paid.

Six other men who took to the smooth sidewalks rather than risk their bicycles were fined \$1 each. To some of the sections of the city contributed \$1 each.

**Swimmers Warned.**

Three young men went in swimming at the swimming pool at the city park. The lifeguard, who was on duty, saw them, and told them to get out. They refused, and he called the police. They were arrested, and taken to the city hall. They were each fined \$5, with the option of five days in jail.

# GOVT. STAMP FOR ALL BEEF

**Abattoir.**  
**MANY BEEVES AFFECTED**  
Government inspected meat for London, and all beef designed for local consumption killed in a public abattoir

will, it is expected be given another impetus at the meeting of the board of health this afternoon. For years the board has been battling for a public health attorney for London, and the question that are to be submitted today, are expected to be the necessary steps to secure definite action at last. Some time ago the members paid a

history of medicine, was brought forward this afternoon by a speaker at the Right Hon. John Burns, president of the royal government board, who addressed the full conclave of physicians in the Albert Hall on the subject of the relationship of medicine to public health.

**Many Condemned.**

Condemnation of the meat, which had it not been killed in a plant of the type

**Reduce Death Rate.**

of the Dominion, would have been sold on the market here for consumption. The fact that the Government had effected in the science of prevention of disease, emphatically by showing that as the cause of disease, the meat had been inspected and found fit for consumption, and sanitary science to the people, healthy living, there had been fewer deaths in England and Wales than in the Dominion, would have been had the

The argument of fairness is another that the board members will urge. The abattoir firm here have to slaughter the animals for the public. Those butchers who have no Government inspection sell this meat. Because of inspection, and therefore the cost, the public will lose out.

The board, as a whole, is anxious to see that London meat is properly marketed. The first step in this agreement is made with an abattoir company or whether the city builds one.

**FELL TO DEATH.**  
[Canadian Press.]  
New York, Aug. 12.—David C. Freyer, an art critic of international reputation, fell today from a window on the fifth floor of an apartment house in Central Park West and was instantly killed.

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Trustee Suggests That a Competent Man Investigate All the Charges.

to the private investigation that I be, a committee of the board of education met Monday night. The object of the session was to adopt a formal report to be presented to the board of education at its next session, concerning to that body the statement of the Ontario Department of Education. It would not interfere in the

formal report as to the information given out. There was more significance to it, however, than the mere drafting of a report. It will be the forerunner of an investigation into the Collesse fiasco on the part of the board itself.

The action of the department shifted the onus of responsibility to the shoulders of the board members. It is now up to them. The board recognizes that with the principles

qualified man in the country." One of the trustees of The Advertiser said: "It would be a physical impossibility for him to attempt to get the discipline out of the school for any reason. As he won't resign we got to have an investigation. 'I don't see why we can't do it ourselves. All we have to do is to get a competent man who can go up and see if the charges that the principal has made are true or not.'"

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Bray Head.....	Montreal	Gulf
Ionian.....	Quebec	Quebec
Lake Michigan.....	Quebec	Quebec
Potsdam.....	New York	Rotterdam
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