HAMILTON

HAMILTON'S DEBT **GROWS STEADILY**

More Than a Million Dollars is Added Each

Year.

INCLINE SCHEME

Moving Stairway of Two Sections Proposed by Business Men.

HAMILTON, Ont., Oct. 23 .- (Spectal.)-Hamilton's financial standing have endeavored to explain it. This morning, however, a straight statement was given out, and the facts ment was given out, and the facts, briefly, are that this Ambitious City is adding more than a million dollars a year to its debt, and paying off about \$150,000 per year. This is what Mayor Allan founded his opinion on a few days ago when he cautioned that there should be a let-up in expenditure, and predicted the bankrupting of the city if there is no stop. From the above information, it posts Hamilton just one-quarter of its whole revenue from the general taxes to pay interest on the city's debt.

Paying off interest this year and making a payment into the sinking fund, will mean that the city will get rid of about \$300,000.

There is no relief from it, however, and Hamilton ratepayers have the censolation of knowing that every other city is in the same boat.

Austin's Condition.

The condition of James Austin, who was slugged in the stable of David Green, West Macaulay street, on Saturday evening, altho improving, is still serious, and as yet the police have been unable to secure a statement of any kind from him. De-

MORE THAN 60

tective Cameron is still working on the case, but refuses to hand out any information other than that he could place his hands on the assallants if he could obtain a little more evidence.

Hill's Disappearance.

The disappearance of Geo. H. Hill a day or so ago is still baffling the police, altho they believe he has left the city. It was learned that he was seen in the company of another man on Saturday morning after he had drawn the \$700 from the safety deposit vault in the Mercantile Trust office, and that he purchased several cigars for himself and friend.

A New Scheme.

The latest suggestion concerning an incline for Hamilton's escarpment was given this morning by a business man. He argued that a moving stairway o ftwo sections with a central landing would fill the bill. It was pointed out that the cast of construction would be less than that of a car incline, and in addition to this would prove a great advertising feature for Hamilton. The advantages would be many. It would do away with all delay now occasioned by waiting for a car. It would cost less to maintain it, and the transportation of passengers would be much more rapid. Wagons and other vehicles would continue to be handled on the regular incline car route.

He Will Appeal.

There is a very great like-lihood of an appeal being entered against the decision of Justice Middleton in favor of the defendants in the action of Cook v. Grand Trunk Raliway. W. M. McClemont, who acted for the plaintiff, announced today that the appeal would probably be entered on the grounds that the case should have been left in the hands of a jury, instead of the jury being dismissed, as was the case when his lordship found that all plaintiff's witnesses were not on hand, and a delay was probable.

No Judgment.

Justice Middleton did not deliver his judgment in the case of Fritz v. Magistrate Jelfs this morning, as was expected. It was rumored that his lordship would likely wait until the assizes were completed before he submitted it.

At the high court today the case of

commenced. The plaintiff was the only testimony re the case was adjourned u row morning at 9 o'clock.

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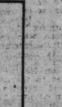
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It has been generally known for some.

Will Speak in Toronto

Hon. Robert Rogers, minister of public works, will deliver an address in Toronto on Monday, Nov. 3, under the auspices of the Centre and South Toronto Conservative Association. Cards of admission will be issued for the meeting as soon as arrangements for a hall are completed. This will be Mr. Rogers' first public appearance in Toronto. In addition to Mr. Rogers' speech, there will be a musical program.

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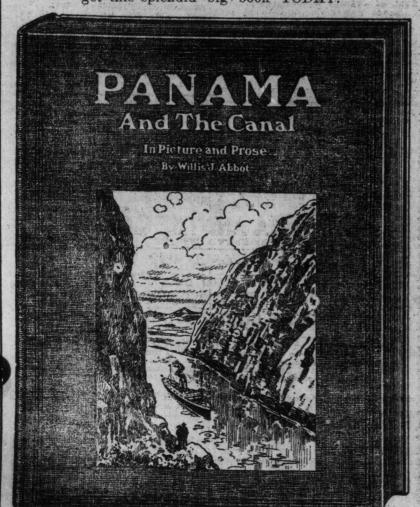
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walkerton. Get 28.-At the conclusion of the formal nominations in the town hall this afternoon of Mr. W. D. Cargill as Conservative candidate and Mr. R. E. Truax, Liberal candidate in the by-election in South Bruce, Mr. Cargill addressed a small audience evenly divided in their party allegiance and was followed by Mr. Truax. On the record of the government during its two years in office Mr. Cargill asked for the support of the electors. The extension of the rural mail delivery system and the parcel post system, which is to be introduced at the first of the year, were pointed out by Mr. Cargill as features of the government program which must appeal to the farmers.

Mr. Truax devoted a portion of his time to a complaint that Conservative members of parliament were traversing by-roads and back lanes securing votes by doubtful methods instead of coming out openly on the public platform.

Hon. Mr. Meighen, solicitor-general.

usual parts. He was a distinguished linguist, an excellent mathematician Hon. Mr. Meighen, solicitor-general, and Mr. Hugh Guthrie, M.P. for South Wellington, also spoke.

Ilinguist, an excellent mathematical and a forceful and convincing preach ar in half a dozen different languages.

As an educator he had few equals.

> LOAN SHARK KING REMAINS IN JAIL

Guelph Presbytery Fixes Date for Induction in Chalmers Church Supreme Court of New York

Denies Appeal of Denies Appeal of Tolman.

GUELPH, Oct. 23.—(Special.)—A special meeting of the Guelph Presbytery was held in Chalmers Church this morning, when the call of this church to Rev. G. A. Little of Augustine Church, Winnipeg, and the making of the Knox Branch Church a separate congregation, were dealt with.

A petition signed by 685 members and 120 adherents of Chalmers Church was presented in favor of Mr. Little and the presbytery sustained the call Should he accept, the induction will take place on the evening of Tuesday, Nov. 7. Rev. Mr. McDonald of Belwood will preach; Rev. H. E. Abraham of St. Andrew's Church, Guelph, will address the people, and Rev. Dr. Blair of Nassagaweya will address the minister.

It was decided by the proslystory to CHICAGO, Oct. 23—(Can. Press.)

—The steel business has suffered a

GUELPH, Oct. 23.—(Special.)—The Retail Merchants' Association held its annual banquet at the Royal Canadian Cafe tonight, and it was very largely attended. A number of matters of importance to the merchants were discussed, and an excellent address was delivered by Mr. Alex. Simmers, vice-president of the board of trade, formerly of Winnipeg, on "The Benefit to be Derived from the Building of Electrical Radials and How to Boost Guelph." in 1914 were dispelled today when Ald. J. E. Carter definitely announced him-

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DIES IN KENTUCKY PEOPLE AWAKENING

Era of Administrative Importance Giving Way to Efficiency and Economy.

BUFFALO, Oct. 23 .- (Can. Press.)-Three hundred experts on taxation from all parts of the United States and Canada met here today for the seventh national conference on state and local taxation, under the auspices of the National Tax Association. Edwin R. A. Sellgman, of New York, in his annual address, declared that perhaps the most striking feature of modern political history is the beginning of the attempt to secure real-efficiency.

fficiency.
"Efforts to achieve efficiency thru "Efforts to achieve efficiency thru bureaucracy is relatively easy," President Seligman said, "but to combine efficiency with democracy is difficult. We welcome the remarkable changes that have been initiated recently by our more successful tax commissions; and we look forward hopefully to the time when administrative impotence shall have been replaced by a combination of efficiency and economy."

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President Schurman of Cornell, in his welcoming address to the delegates on behalf of the state, said that no on behalf of the state, said that ho function of government is more potent and vital than the taxing power, and the fact that it is abused is more frequently due to ignorance of principles than to fraud and corruption.

People Need Instruction.

"The age of the expert has arrived," he said. "The public want you to in-

he said. "The public want you to in-struct them in matters of taxation. A struct them in matters of taxation. A generation which has made the scholarly head of an ancient university president of the United States proclaims its readiness to be advised not only by experienced administrators, but by competent thinkers and investigators in regard to all the functions of government."

addrew's Church, Guelph, will address the minister.

It was decided by the presbytery to make the Knox Branch Church a separate congregation, the members thereof having signified their willingness to assume the responsibility. Rev. Dr. bassume the responsibility. Rev. Dr. bassume the responsibility. Rev. Dr. bassume the responsibility as to thereing a contest for the matter.

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capes With Fine and Scare.

NEW YORK, Oct. 28.— (Can. Press.)—Mrs. Frank B. Wiborg of Cincinnati was fined \$1750 in the United States District Court today for United States District Court today for having failed to declare dutiable goods on her arrival here on the steamship Mauretania. Sept. 5. Henry W. Taft, brother of the former president, and Frank A. Munsey were on hand in court today ready to testify as character witnesses in her behalf.

Mrs. Wiborg, who is a nice of Gen. Sherman, pleaded guilty thru her attorney and threw her herself upon the mercy of the court. The attorney asked that a prison sentence be not imposed on the ground of his client's poor health.

HOTEL ROYAL

WALDORF REMAINS OPER

ADMIRAL EATON WAS DRUG FIEND

Also a Man of Dual Personality, Said Defence Wit-

PLYMOUTH, Mass., Oct. 23.—(Car Press.) — Rear Admiral Joseph (Car Eaton, whose widow, Mrs. Jennie Ma Eaton, is on trial here charged with his murder, was painted in the penin address of the defence today as "drug fiend" and a man of dual per sonalities, a veritable "Dr. Jekyll an Mr. Hyde."

Attorney Francis J. Geogan, w. made the statement, said it would shown that Admiral Enton was a dicted to the use of ilquor and dru to such an extent that he endanger his vessel and the lives of men und him when in the navy.

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The death of Admiral Eaten was due, Attorney Geogan insisted, to arsenic self administered. This was secured, he said, from a Boston physician, who supplied the admiral in all with 4600 tablets containing the poison to be used as a medicina.

Mr. Geogan announced that Mrs. Eaten, the defendant, would take the stand and tell the story of ter life, After outlining the principal points of Mrs. Eaten's story, Alierney Geogan touched on the events immediately presenting the admiral in mediately

touched on the events imme preceding the admirul's death.

KNIFE MAY MAKE **CRIMINALS GOOD**

Michigan Judge Objects to Impos-ing Sentences Before Test is Made.

CHICAGO, Oct. 23,-(Can. Press. day by Dr. E. H. Pratt of Evanstor day by Dr. E. H. Pratt of Evanston, in an effort to eliminate criminal tendencies and moral deficiencies. The operations were performed at the instance of Judge George W. Bridgeman of the circuit court of St. Josephs, Mich, who has announced that hereafter he will not sentence anyone convicted in his court of moral crimes to penitentiaries or insane asylums until the knife has had an opportunity to regenerate the mind affected.

For obvious reasons the names of

mind affected.

For obvious reasons the names of the persons upon whom the operations are performed will be withheld. Dr. Pratt, in discussing the subject recently with Judge Bridgeman, said that the operations would not destroy any organ or function of the mind or body, but merely would remove abnormal conditions affecting nerve centres.

MORE FREEDOM FOR U. S. SEAMEN

Senate Passes Measure Which Means Important Reforms in

WASHINGTON, Oct. 28.—(Can. Press.)—The La Follette substitute for the "Seamen's Substitute Bill," amended so that it will not affect the treaty relations of the United States until the president has been given an opportunity to readjust them, passed the senate today, at the end of a debate that was characterized by unusual proceedings.

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Emergency Meeting
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the funeral of our late Bro., Henry
Saville sr., on Saturday afternoon, at
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invitations to Brethren of sister lodges
to attend. F. W. Bowering, W. M.,
H. V. Blackburn, R. S.



ate today, at the end of a debate that was characterized by unusual proceedings.

Senator Fletcher, chairman of the sub-committee that had charge of the preparation of the seamen's bill, deciared the measure as passed by the senate today would accomplish three importantshipping reforms: The glving of greater freedom to seamen, the promotion of greater safety at sea for passengers and crews and the equalizing of the wage costs in operating vessels in foreign and domestic trade.

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