

MAY NOT OPEN THE STREET MONASTERY OF OKA BURNED

Some Uncertainty in Regard to the Retreat of the Trappists, Which Took Years to Build, is a Mass of Ruins.

RUMORED CHANGES IN PLANS TWO MONKS HAD NARROW ESCAPES

King Edward Hotel Company May Possibly Retain the Property as a Court.

Rumor has it that the Toronto Hotel Company has changed their plans in regard to the property on the west of the new King Edward Hotel for street purposes, and that they intend now to make use of it instead as a court leading to the private entrance of the hotel. It is said that some of the leading shareholders of the company are favorable to this idea, whereas others think it would be better to utilize the property as first proposed. An effort was made to see some of the leading men of the company to ascertain whether any decision had been arrived at, but those who are authorized to speak on the subject were out of the city. David Faskin, solicitor for the company, had left the city early in the day. T. G. Blackstock had not arrived from New York and Mr. Goodenham was still away on his fishing trip.

Murray Ready to Proceed. If the property is retained by the company as a court it will be a big disappointment to Murray & Co., who had made all arrangements for the building of a front in their building from King street southward on the proposed Victoria street extension. The contractors have the iron work prepared, and Mr. Drynan, manager of the firm, informed The World yesterday that they were now only awaiting the deed from the company of a few inches of property which they agreed to purchase from them. Mr. Drynan had heard that the company were considering the question of making a court out of the property, but he thought it hardly likely that they would do so. In fact, he was sure that they would carry out the verbal agreement with them for the disposal of the few inches of property already referred to. It was said that the company had decided to build a front on the Victoria street side of their building similar to that which they had on King street, with a large entrance opposite to the ladies' entrance of the new hotel. They would start work immediately on the undertaking if they could get the deed. He was inclined to think that the company people intended using the property for some little time yet for their scaffolding in connection with the building operations on the hotel, and as soon as this was nearing completion they would give them the deed for the small area of land in question.

Notice of a bylaw providing for the opening of the street south of Colborne street was given by the city authorities in May last, but the bylaw has never been passed.

Assessment Adjourned. John Irwin of the Assessment Department informed The World that the assessment against the Hotel Company and Murray & Co. on either side of the proposed street was adjourned, and was sent from their office to the City Engineer for him to make his description upon. That is all they know of the matter.

Thos. Sanderson, acting City Clerk, said they were awaiting the passing of the bylaw taking over the street before collecting any of the assessment and commencing the work of improving the highway. They had been advised by the City Solicitor to go slow at present, as it passed into the scaffolding and other material being used for the building of the hotel, and the City Solicitor Caswell said it was quite true that he had advised the Council not to pass the bylaw, because he did not want the city held responsible for any accident that might occur on the property while the present building operations were in progress.

Won't Give Up the Deed. While the principal shareholders were either absent from the city or silent on the subject, one gentleman who is well acquainted with the affairs of the new hotel said: "You will be quite safe in saying that the hotel people will not give up the deed of the property to the city, nor that of any part of it to Murray & Co. until the arrangements entered into with the latter are carried out by them. They have not as yet complied with the terms of the agreement, and until they do there will be no transferring of any deeds, and the company will use the property for their own private purposes."

Will Be Opened This Year. As to the time when the new hotel would be opened the same gentleman said: "It was intended to have it opened by the first of September, but with several alterations in the plans and delay in consequence of strikes, it would not be until the latter part of October or the first of November. At all events it will be completed this year. Already two-thirds of the furniture has arrived and is in storage. Had the delays that were caused from various sources been anticipated, the cost of this structure would have been avoided."

Here From Buenos Ayres. Jules Pano, a prominent resident of Buenos Ayres, South America, is in the city on a visit and is registered at the Rossmore. Mr. Pano is an ex-mayor of Buenos Ayres. He is much impressed with the possibilities of Canada, especially from an agricultural standpoint. He thinks life is the proper place to raise young men in study agriculture, and has shown his convictions in this respect by placing two of his sons in the Guelph Agricultural College, where he intends having them take a complete course.

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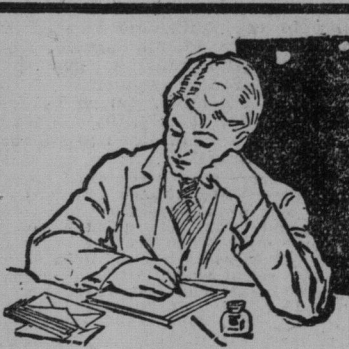
Farm Laborers' Excursions to Manitou and the Northwest. Latest advice from the west state that, while it is yet impossible to say definitely on just what dates the farm laborers excursion will run to Manitou and the Northwest, it is most likely the first one will leave about Aug. 2. It is anticipated that 20,000 men will be required to handle the heavy crops, and to overcome the congestion which prevailed last year, it is proposed to make Winnipeg the preliminary destination of all excursion tickets. On arrival of the excursionists there they will be handled by a committee, who will distribute them through Manitoba and the Northwest, in proportion to the demand for help from the different localities.

The Canadian Pacific Railway expect to be able to furnish particulars as to rates, dates, etc., in a few days.

Prohibition Convention.

The secretary of the Dominion Alliance reports that prospects are good for the provincial rally of prohibitionists to be held in this city on Tuesday next, July 29. On account of the destruction of the pavilion, the convention will be held in the Y.M.C.A. Hall, corner Yonge and McGill streets. The meeting will commence at 10 a.m. Already the secretary has names of more than four hundred delegates, representing more than one hundred different organizations. He states that a great number of those who attend these conventions do not send in credentials until the last day. This convention will be practically the opening of the referendum campaign.

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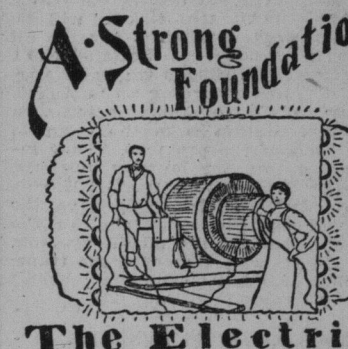
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