

DID TWO YEARS WITHOUT TRIAL

Visitor Here Last Night Has Had Rough Time in Mexican Prison

HAS THE INSURRECTOS TO THANK FOR LIBERTY

Made His Escape From Country When Rebels Caused a Jail Delivery

There passed through Brandon last night a Canadian gentleman from Mexico who had been induced to speak...

This resulted in his being sentenced to fifteen years in the penitentiary. After his remaining there for some time, an insurrection broke out during which the mob destroyed the penitentiary...

THE LAST CONCERT

The final outdoor concert was rendered in the Exhibition park last evening. A vast crowd took advantage of the mild weather and gave the boys of the City Band a warm reception.

Brandon Pioneer Has Passed Away

Mrs. Joseph Quinn Had an Interesting Life Here During the Early Days

In the early hours of this morning there passed away at 114 Fifth street, one of the best known and most highly respected of Brandon's old citizens in the person of Mrs. Catherine Phillips, Denver, Quinn.

As a good wife and mother, and as a sincere friend in a large circle of acquaintances she will be sorely missed. Her quiet and retiring disposition tended to make her seek the society and happiness of her own family rather than the society of the world at large.

For twenty-five years she had attended to the interests of her husband's business, and it was only about two years ago that she gave up regular work in connection with it.

Mrs. Joseph Quinn was the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Denver of County Down, Ireland, and was born at Drogheda in 1837, her father and mother dying during the epidemic of 1849.

On growing up she accepted a situation as companion to Mrs. Hawkins, wife of Rev. Mr. Hawkins, who was chaplain to the forces at Peshawar, India. At this time the horrors of the Indian Mutiny began, and this young lady had her never-to-be-forgotten share in witnessing the dreadful things that happened at that time.

After spending some time in India she returned home, and was married to her husband in 1866 at Belfast, going to Chicago where they resided for two years, returning to Ireland they then left for eastern Canada in 1874, living at Hamilton, London and Chatham, Ont., and

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POPE IS WELL

Rome, Oct. 1.—Completely rested the Pope resumed receptions to pilgrims today and appeared in the Vatican courtyard for the first time in two weeks. More than 4,000 persons were in the courtyard when he appeared and cheered him lustily.

His Conscience Did Not Permit

Paying Out Wages on Sunday Was Not in This Man's Code of Ethics

Robert Vance was sued for wages by four Italians this morning at the police court, and stated that he had no objection to paying the money. They had previously demanded it on Sunday, and he had a conscientious objection to paying money on that day.

His worship stated that as far as he could see the best way out of the difficulty in the first place would have been to pay them and thus save time and money. He ordered the men to pay the costs of the proceedings.

Vance had employed these men to work at \$3.00 a day, and after working for a short time had notified them that he would not pay them any more than \$2.50, which they refused to accept.

Jewish New Year Being Celebrated

Members of the Zionist Religion the World Over Have Big Festival

The Hebrews of the city, in union with their race all over the world, are beginning the festivities that take place with the celebration of the Jewish New Year. The festival began last evening at sunset, and will last till Friday sunset, and is a time of great rejoicing.

Their stores will be closed for two days.

DEFY AUTHORITIES

London, Oct. 1.—Suffragette leaders today resumed the active direction of votes for women's campaign. Mrs. Harriett Kerr and Mrs. Beatrice Saunders, both at liberty under the "cat and mouse" law appeared at headquarters unmolested and declared that the work will proceed in spite of arrests, raids and imprisonment.

Local Gardener Endorses Letter

Says Land in This Region Can Produce at the Rate of \$200 Per Acre

With reference to the letter published in The News yesterday from Mr. Mordecai of Belleville, Ont., in regard to growing vegetables in this district, a prominent local horticulturist heartily endorses the views therein expressed, and even goes farther than our Ontario correspondent by stating that the land in this district can be made to produce at the rate of \$200 to \$300 per acre from vegetables.

He further states that one man alone in one day this season shipped away from Brandon four tons of cucumbers to a pickle factory in the east. He also states that peas from England for which he had paid \$9.00 per bushel could be grown here at a far cheaper price and much better quality.

He intends to take the matter up with the Horticultural Society within the next few days as he has such facts and figures to submit as would indicate that although the land here for building purposes is very valuable, it cannot compare with the revenue which would be produced were the lots used for growing vegetables, which, after all, do not require such expert knowledge to produce.

This is a matter which will be taken up vigorously as, although it is too late in the season to do anything of much importance this year, all preparations should be made to get things into line for next spring.

BARBARY COAST HAS BIG REVEL

Famous San Francisco Resort Closed Last Night With Riotous Spree

ITS PASSING LEAVES STUPENDOUS PROBLEM

Five to Eight Hundred Girls Have Been Set to Shift For Themselves

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FIRE DISASTER

Corvosa, France, Oct. 1.—Scores of persons are unemployed for today as a result of a terrible fire which raged 12 hours following the explosion of gas in a hardware establishment. It is known that fourteen are dead and 30 injured.

BUILDING PERMITS

The building permits issued from the City Engineer's office for the month of September totalled \$32,800 as against \$35,505 for the corresponding month last year. For the same nine months of this year the total amount of permits issued was \$494,754 against \$301,837 for the same period last year.

Entombed Miner Fights For Life

Is Working With Pick Toward Rescue Party While Rock Keeps Falling

Centralia, Pa., Oct. 1.—The rescuing party at the Centralia mine is trying to reach Thomas Tostehy, who has been entombed since Friday, and are steadily working today. Tostehy talked with his wife today, who told him that he could not enter the mines again if he were rescued. Tostehy declared he would remain to work as soon as he was able. A heavy blanket was forced through a tube, following his request for clothes.

The entombed man has brought a thousand people to the mine by the publicity given to the case. They stood about the open shaft. Tostehy's four children talked to him this morning, and the mother of the children has established her quarters near the mine.

Several pillars collapsed in the room where the miner is entombed today. Each time a roar was heard, and Tostehy was told to be ready through the shaft. At each collapse, however, his nearer to death.

He is working with a pick towards his rescuers and is being supplied constantly with liquid food.

THE WEATHER

Fine and warm weather has continued throughout the prairie provinces.

Forecast All West—All fine today and Thursday, not much change in temperature.

HARRIS BONDS NEARLY READY

Parcel of Debentures is Being Prepared for Transfer to Company

The large parcel of debentures sold to the Harris Trust company are being rapidly put into shape and it is expected that by Monday next the whole of them will be ready for delivery. The buyers are particularly anxious to receive them at the earliest possible moment and several minor details that had not been agreed are now all in order as the purchasers have given way on the points they raised.

May Be Delayed There is, however, just a slight chance that a parcel of about \$17,000 may have to wait over a little. These are in reference to the quarter section of land out near the cemetery. It appears that a year or so ago the city solicitor was instructed to draw up the necessary legal documents in connection with the purchase of the land but omitted to insert the words "and to issue the necessary debentures." This omission, slight in itself, may be the means of causing this parcel of debentures, which form part of the whole purchase, to be temporarily hung up until the necessary legal formalities are completed with.

PORTION OF SECURITIES LIKELY TO BE HELD UP

Omission in Legal Document May Cause Delay in Regard to One Block

Chicago, Oct. 1.—Chicago today faced a crisis in the garbage situation and a possible epidemic of disease. The Chicago Reduction Company, which handles all the city garbage, has issued an ultimatum that unless the city agrees to buy its plant at the terms proposed by the company before midnight, the plant will be sold and the garbage allowed to decay in the streets.

Several councilmen demand that the city seize the Reduction Company's plant and operate it until the matter is thrashed out in court. City officials were in consultation until daylight today, when they issued a call for a special meeting of the council tonight at which the city will formulate a plan of attack.

The crisis results from a campaign which was begun several months ago for municipal ownership of the reduction plant. The company demands \$402,500 and the city offered \$208,582.

TWO YEAR TERM FOR BOY THIEF

Youngster From Wawanesa Gets Long Term in Reformatory for Theft

WAS FINED YESTERDAY FOR CARRYING A GUN

Had Stolen the Weapon and Some Clothing Before Coming to Brandon

Henry Starel was fined \$1 and costs yesterday afternoon for carrying an offensive weapon, and was immediately arrested on information laid by the Wawanesa police, and charged this morning at the police court with stealing several articles, including the revolver.

Plausible Yarn The prisoner told the court a story of accidentally wrapping a pair of blue overalls in some of his own clothes and putting them into his grip, but eventually pleaded guilty and was remanded until this afternoon, to allow his worship to get into communication with the officials of the reformatory at Portage la Prairie.

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VISITS GAME KEEPER

Oak Lake, Sask., Oct. 1.—Lord John Murray, son of the Duke of Athol, arrived here yesterday afternoon to visit Duncan Stuart, south of town. Mr. Stuart was formerly a game keeper on the Athol Estate in the north of Scotland. Lord Murray left this evening for Calgary.

How Will Water Make Its Escape?

Old Sol Must Help on Victoria Avenue, if the Layman is To Judge

While there still remains quite a piece of the much discussed, promiscuous paving to be done on Victoria avenue, including the kerbing on each side of the street railway, it might be as well to consider what is to become of the water from the melted snow which will accumulate during the winter. No provision appears to be made in the kerbs for seepage drains to carry this off from between the kerbs, and only a small slope has been made to allow it to run off at the intersections of the various streets.

If matters are allowed to remain in the state they are in at present, the natural result will probably be that the water will have to disappear by evaporation and soakage into the ground when the frost is out of the latter sufficiently. Even then it must soak into the ties to a very considerable extent whereas seepage drains to carry the water into the road and thence to the catch basins would obviate all this.

While there is a considerable amount of kerb already laid it would be an expensive matter to cut the holes in it and arrange for the kerbs to be put in the remainder of the kerbing when it is being put down.

Chief of Police Berry and the chief of police at Portage, together with Miss Grobb, armed with a search warrant went to the store, Chief Berry asking the accused to show him all the silk that he had. He produced six pieces, Chief Berry then told Houssain that he intended to search the box, whereupon the prisoner fetched a place from underneath the counter.

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Magistrate Dismissed Prisoner Giving Him Benefit of Strong Doubt

Frank Houssain, a local merchant, was before the court this morning charged with having received stolen goods, knowing them to have been stolen, and pleaded not guilty. The case was dismissed.

Nelson John Prior was the first witness called for the prosecution, and stated that he was a dry goods merchant of Portage la Prairie, and went on to tell the court that his store was broken into on the night of September 15 by thieves who succeeded in getting away with about \$200 worth of silks, and a suit of clothes. He came to Brandon on Sunday and in consequence of what he had been told by a friend, looked around the various stores in town, and on visiting Houssain's place saw two or three pieces of silk on the counter which he felt certain were his.

He returned to the city yesterday with Miss Globb, his chief saleslady. A woman was sent to the store for the pattern of the silks and this was identical with that of a piece that he had obtained from the wholesale house from which he bought the silk.

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