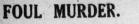
THE HAMILTON TIMES

MONDAY, MARCH 15, 1909.

AMUSEMENTS

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Hotel Night Clerk's Skull Fractured and Throat (ut.

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Murderer May be Traced by Thumb

Print on Register.

Philadelphia, March 15 .- Harvey Valante, night clerk of the Eastern Hotel, on Hill street, was found early to-day with his skull fractured by a blow with with his skull fractured by a blow with an iron pipe, and his throat cut. The clerk was murdered by men who after-wards rifled his pockets, took 880 from the hotel till, and made an unaccessful attempt to get into the safe, in which there was \$6,000. The police have prac-tically no clue as to the identity of the murderers. A thumb print which was alongside the names of two men written on the hotel register, the police believe to be that of one of the men, and hope to trace his identity from this. It was the clerk's habit to come to the hotel shortly after 6 o'clock at night and leave at 7 on the following morning. Be-tween 2 o'clock and 6 the clerk is alone, and although no struggle was heard by and although no struggle was heard by any one in the hotel, it is supposed the murder was committed during that time.

cus press agent.

-The plans for the new Y. W.

MILL'S BLOCK. What the New Business Centre

Will be Like.

ings in connection with the retail hardware interests in Canada in years is that of the Mills Hardware Com-spany, which will erect almost a block of buildings facing on John street south, and extending almost to Hugh-son street, and from Hunter street to Woodmarket Square. The buildings will comprise five stores, a central heating plant and a stable a block in length. The costs of the buildings is being withheld, but it is expected that they will run up to the neighbor-hood of \$100,000. The whole scheme has as its origin the extension of the of a large farmers' trade. But one store will be devoted to hardware and the other four will be rented for what ever class of trade the tenant may be removed, fire doors installed, and direct communication established be a department store and Y. M. C. A. There surge attendance. Mr. Newlands -Dundas W. C. T. U. has invited Central W. C. T. U., of Hamilton, to o to Dundas next Thursday, by 2.15 (ar, to be the guests of Dundas Union for the afternoon. An interesting pro-assured. -A slight typographical error red in the letter of the letter of the letter a department store. In so that at any time they may be removed, fire doors installed, and direct communication established be-tween all the stores. This would give a department store effect and would tend to centralize the farmers' trade to that it mends are beners' trade

tween all the stores. This would give a department store effect and would be department store effect and would so that it would not be necessary for those who come into the city via John street to go any farther into the busi-ness section than the new block. The buildings will be of red pressed brick. The store building will be but one stores, but will be of consider-able height. A feature of it will be that practically all the stock will be carried on the ground figure and the basement will be fitted up for the sale of heavy hardware. The accommoda-tion will be arranged so that every-thing that relates to the hardware trade can be carried in stock. The stores will all be heated from a cen-tral heating plant in rear of the main building the grouped busit. trade can be carried in stock. The stores will all be heated from a central heating plant in rear -4 the main building the result being that there will be no fires in the building. The store building will be 121 by 120 feet and will be built with structural steek beams, which will be turned out by the Hamilton Bridge Company. The Hamilton Bridge Company. The Hamilton Bridge Company. The Hamilton Bridge Company with eacommodation for all the delivery outfits of the Mills Companies. Already the old frame buildings which were on the site of the news with great effect. The women's massion opened is store the Mills Companies. The work are Howard & Webber, massonry: McKellar & Poag, carpentering; Hamilton Stel & Iron Constructural steel. The buildings have been planned by Charles Mills, mar ager of the Mills Hardware Company.
ROYAL COMMNISSION
To Investigate Montrael'. Civit



To Investigate Montreal's Civic Administration.

(Special Despatch to the Times.) Montreal, March 15 .- The Court of Appeals this morning, Judges Carroll, Trenholme, Cross, Archambault, and Sir Henry Taschereau, delivered a unanimous judgment, through the latter, unanimously recommending the appoint-ment of a Royal Commission, with full

THOS. HOBSON ON TEA TABLE GOSSIP. -Mr. and Mrs. Norman G. Cook have removed to the Philp apartments, 238 York street. KINRADE MURDER.

-The Right House will hold their formal spring opening to morrow and fol-owing days of this week. (Continued from Page 1.) -Petereboro Presbytery has nominat ed Rev. Dr. Lyle, of this city, as modera-tor of the eGneral Assembly. EXPECT TO FINISH FRIDAY NIGHT

--Mrs, Andrew Ross, 81 Victoria ave-e north, will receive on Tuesday, arch 16, and not again this season. -Mr. John Walker, of Woodstock,

- Mr. John Warker, ut Woonsock, in in the city, attending the annual meet-ing of the Hamilton gaslight company. - Mr. Thos. H. Davis, business manag-er of "The Witching Hour," is in the city to-day. Mr. Davis is a veteran cir-

EXPECT TO FINISH FRIDAY NIGHT. "Is there any likelihood of the in-quest closing on Friday night?" Mr. Washington was aaked. "Yes, I think it will finish on Friday night," he replied. "Is there any truth in the state-ments of the Toronto papers on Satur-day to the effect that you said you ex-pected the jury would bring in a verdict naming some one as having a connec-tion with the murder?" "The whole story was an absolute fabrication. I never gave an interview to any of the Toronto men yet, and I don't intend to, regarding this case," re-plied Mr. Washington. "It has been mentioned that a wit-ness will be put on the stand on Friday who will be ready to swear that he heard shots in the vicinity of the house obset 3 colork on the starton on the stare. -The Munisterial Association did not meet this morning, owing to the illness of Dr. Kennedy, of Knox College, Toron-to, who was to address the meeting. heard shots in the vicinity of the house about 3 o'clock on the afternoon of the

Could you give the name of tragedv. witness? "I read of that in a morning paper and that is the first I heard of the matter

of Thursday of this week. Lonas' ful orchestra has been engaged for the even ing. A lunch will be served at 11.30 p.m. "Then you don't know who the wit-ness is?" "No."

"Do you think the members of the Kinrade family will be called again to the stand?" "I am not a prophet. However, I do

-D. C. Coleman, of Stoney Creek, sailed on Saturday from Boston on the steamship Romanic for Brazil, South America, on a three month business trip. Mr. Coleman is interested in coffee and rubber. "I am not a prophet. However, I do not thank the family will be called again. That matter rests with Mr. Blackstock, and he may do as he pleases. Now, this is my busy week; good morn-ing." The following is from "Hardware and Metal," March 13: One of the most gigantic undertak-ings in connection with the retail hardware interests in Canada in years ng. MR. HOBSON'S VIEWS

MR. HOBSONS VIEWS, When seen this morning Mr. Hobson, solicitor for the Kinrade family, said that he would be associated with Mr. Staunton at the inquest on Priday night. He did not know what course Mr. Staun-ton was using to nursue.

He did not know what course Mr. Staun-ton was going to pursue. "As a matter of fact," Mr. Hobson said, "before the inquest took place Mr. Kinrade and myself discussed the matter thoroughly, and came to the conclusion that there was nothing to fear from Mr. Blackstock's examination. And I may say we are still of that opinion. I am

that there was nothing to fear from Mr. Blackstock's examination. And I mmy say we are still of that opinion. I am of the opinion that the girl is absolutely innocent of any implication in the tra-gedy, and her evidence at the inquest clearly shows that we are in the right," continued Mr. Hobson. "Is there any truth in the rumor that Mr. Kinrade intends going after the local correspondents for American news-papers, in connection with their state-ments?" "I am not prepared to discuss that matter at present." "Are you going to ask for an order for examination of the files of the telegraph offices in support of your ideas?" "As I said before, I will not discuss the matter just now. I will say, how-ever, that I have a newspaper in my pocket at the present moment, which contains statements that have not the first atom of truth in them," said Mr. Hobson, When asked what paper contained

Hobson, When asked what paper contained these statements, Mr. Hobson said that it was a Detroit paper. "Well, Mr. Hobson, what do you think should be done to correct the trouble?" he was asked. "The Coroner should have the news-paper men ordered from the court, if

"The Coroner should have the news-paper men ordered from the court, if they persist in making false statements," was the emphatic reply of the solicitor. Mr. Staunton was in Toronto this morning, attending the Divisional Court, and did not return until this af-ternoon. Nothing could be learned at his office as to what course he intended pursuing at the inquest. In view of the statement of Mr. Washington to the effect that the family would hardly be called again, there may be little for Mr. Staunton to do.

NOT KNOWN IN KINGSTON.

MILLER IS MUM.

Father O'Reilly preached at the high mass yesterday morning and before the sermon made a powerful appeal to the congregation to make the mission. It involved sacrifices, but faith without

SADIE CHAMBERS.

Notices of Births, Marriages leaths which are inserted in the Daily Times also appear in the Semi-weekly Times. 50c first insertion; 25c for ach subsequent insertion.

DEATHS

BAIN-In this city on Monday, March 15th, 1969, Jas. D. Bain, aged 72 years. Funeral from his late residence, 171 West avenue north, on Wednesday at 2.15 p. m. Interment at Hamilton Competery. Friends please accept this intimation.

JOYCE-At the City Hospital, Hamilton, on Saturday, March 13th, 1966, Richard Ben-jamia Joyce, of Bronte, aged 57 years. Funeral took place from his late residence, Bronce, this afternoon to Saint Judes' Cem-etery, Oakville.

Fourcas private: MANN-In this city on Saturday, March 13th, 1966, Mary Ellen Buntin, beloved wife of Chase, H. Mann, aged 35 years. Funeral from her late rosidence, 13 Young street, on Tuesday at 3 p. m. Inter-ment at Hamilton Cemetery. Friends please access this initiation.



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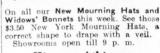
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RIGHT HOUSE SPRING OPENING







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congregation to make the mission. It involved sacrifices, but faith without sacrifice was a weak, worn threadbare thing, and this applied in and out of the Catholic Church. The days of the-oretical faith were past, a practical faith was required to-day, and the man who clung to the theoretical and aban-doned the practice was a contradiction of himself.

Kingston, March 15.-Claude Elliott, mentioned in the Goderich despatches as baritone singer who took part in a oncert in that town last summer with. Miss Flossie Kinrade, is not known here, no singer of that name having ever lived here.

MILLER IS MUM. Toronto, March 15.(Special).-Detec-tive Miller was in conference with De-puty Attorney-General Cartwright this morning for some time, then left hur-riedly for Hamilton. If he has made any important discoveries or is following any definite clues, which he denies, he in-tends saving nothing about them for tends saying nothing about them for publication. "Nothing definite" was the extent of his remarks.

SADIE CHAMBERS. The Sadie Chambers, whose name was mentioned by Mr. Geo. T. Blackstock at the Kinrade inquest, and whose name appears in the Goderich despatch, is known here, having been a waitress here for several years. She is now residing in Toronto, where she went a few months aro. The young woman's father.

London, March 15 .- The opening in

DEPT. STORE Opening of One Causes Excitement in London.

race to t \$20 a side.

B. B. Morden was committed for t on a charge of theft. The complain Wesley R. Bennett, Garth street, sw that Morden had approached him in vember, 1907, with a proposition to the rights for the programme of Hamilton Oratorio Society, which giving a concert in December. He to advance \$50 to buy the rights, in return was to get his \$50 back Halifax, N. S. March 15 .- Allan Line

to advance sol to only the rights, and in return was to get his \$50 back and also half the profits. With the excep-tion of about \$25 which he had collect-ed for advertising spaces, the deal had been a complete loss to him. The de-fence did not offer any evidence, and Morden was committed for trial.

steamer Ionanian, from Glasgow, arrived at 8.35 p. m., Sunday, bringing 128 second cabin

ment of a Royal Commission, with full powers to investigate the entire civic administration of the city. The judg-ment further states that specific charges are not necessary to justify the ap-pointment of a commission. It is ex-pected that the Provincial Government will now accede to the request of the Citizens' Committee for a commission.

A BAD TURN. P. C. Smith Was Not as Well Yesterday.

P. C. Harry Smith, the police officer who was shot a week ago Thursday by a burglar, is reported to have taken a bad turn last evening about 6 o'clock. The attendant at the City Hospital stat-ed to-day that Mr. Smith was suffering considerable pain in the head, and that his temperature had risen a bit, but that there was no immediate danger.

New Maple Syrup.

On Friday we received our first sup-ply of new maple syrup. The quality is first class, good color and excellent fla-vor, old-fashioned buckwheat flour, in Net class, good color and excellent ha-vor, old-fashioned buckwheat flour, in bulk; buckwheat flour, in packages, and Aunt Jemima pancake flour; buckwheat cakes, with maple syrup, and a cup of our delicious coffee will make a break-fast for a king.—Peebles, Hobson & Co., Limited.

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Lots of people who play "The Lost Chord" deserve to get it in the neck in the form of a noose.

GAS COMPANY.

Superintendent Keillor Elected a Director To-day.

The annual meeting of the shareholders of the Hamilton Gas Company was held this morning at the head offices of the company. The election of officers resulted as follows:

esuited as follows: President—Hon. Wm. Gibson. Vice-President—D'Arcy R. C. Martin. Directors—J. M. Eastwood, R. C. Fear-nan, W. Hendrie, J. A. Bruce and John Seillor.

The annual statement was presented, showing a satisfactory return to the company for the year's business.

Carnival.

Do not forget the Irish carnival at the Alexandra roller rink on Wednes-day evening, March 17th. Four prizes will be given, two for the best costumes Will be given, two for the best costumes of Irish characters, lady and gentleman, and two for the most comical. All skat-ers in fancy costume will be admitted to the skating floor free. The spacious baleony is steam heated and very com-fortable. Admission only 10c.

Locating the Blame. Disgruntled Politician—Why don't you fellows drop Bryan, for good and all, as a Presidential candidate? Great Editor—The blamed Republican newspapers won't let us.

If He Only Knew.

"He isn't handsome, yet he seems po-pular with the girls." "They think he looks like a Billiken." --Louisville Courier Journal.

It's certainly all up with him, And he's all in, no doubt, ' For this is English as she's spoke, And means he's down and out.

months ago. The young woman's father, it is explained, resides in Goderich, and every summer she went home for a vis-it of two or three weeks. It is supposed that while there in 1907, the it of two or three weeks. It is supposed that while there in 1907, she spent some time at the home of the Robinsons. The young woman's maiden name was Muir-head, and she is married to a barber named Chambers, who formerly worked for Almas, a James street barber. She has not lived with her husband for years. To Mr. Blackstock, Miss Kinrade stated that she did not know Sadie Chambers. Chambers

KEEP OFF THE LAWNS BOYS.

KEEP OFF THE LAWNS BOYS. Complaints are being made by house-holders in all parts of the city about boys, especially newsboys and messeng-ers, making short cuts across lawns. The snow is pretty well gone now, and the ground is soft. It is just at this stage that the lawns should be protected. SEWER NOT OPENED. Nothing has been done yet in regard to opening the sewer from the street to the house on the Kinrade premises. The detectives were spoken to about the matter this morning, but said that they did not know whether this would be done or not, as it is not likely the re-volver, if it was thrown in an inlet of the sewer, would stop in the large pipes outside. HAS THEM GUESSING. HAS THEM GUESSING.

HAS THEM GUESSING. Toronto, Ont., March 15.-(Special.)--George Lynch-Staunton, K. C., counsel for T. L. Kinrade, at Osgoode Hall to-day kept reporters buzzing around fear-ing he was issuing writs against news-papers. There was nothing doing this time to-day, but Mr. Staunton said there would be shortly.

Big Buying Chances.

London to-day of the first of the American department stores in this city

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erican department stores in this city was a memorable event in the history of English retail business and the new "Yankee" enterprise, as it is gen-erally called here, has electrified the old firms to frantic efforts to outdo the new competitor. They are resort-ing to costly methods to attract the people from the opening of the Am-erican store, such as concerts, anni-versary celebrations and other enter-tainments on a large scale, even em-ploying grand opera singers, military bands and music hall performers to attract the crowd. All the newspapers have printed long accounts of the new enterprise and the personality of the chief movers.

AT THE BRITANNIA.

Those who do not appreciate the incle-ment weather of March will find the Bri-tannia Rink on Wednesday evening one of the most comfortable spots to spend the evening in the city. The manage-ment are putting on an Irish carnival, and the many special attractions and the brilliant scene should ensure one of the largest crowds of the season. The display will differ in many ways. The gayety and gorgeous costumes will be

asplay with their in many bags, the gavety and gorgeous costumes will be sure to please, while the many different characters that will imitate clowns, etc., will be very funny. The rink is being refitted with the latest and the most modern illumination for the occasion and the decorations, on an elaborate scale,

are also going on. Lomas' band has been engaged for the evening and will play its usual reper-toire of good music. The grand march for those in uniform only, will be anoth-**Big Buying Chances.** Finch Bros. are advertising to-night some of the greatest buying chances of the year. They are all new and fresh goods for spring. Read their advertise. The C. P. R., it is reported, will build two or three new steamers for the Paci-fic coast trade at Esquimalt.

The Th as C. Watkins held to morrow and following days, when they will make a beautifully brilliant exhibit of the new fashions for spring and summer. Every department of the great store

Following Days-Hamilton's

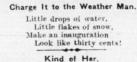
Greatest Fashion Show.

replete with the newest an clusive novelties, and vast varieties of the world's best merchandise. It is like an open doorway into the realm of Paris fashions, and every lover of the beautifu will revel in the new styles that the Paris fashion wizards have dreamed and wrought into realities for women's wea and admiration

Striking originality will be a feature of the exposition, and those women in quest of original ideas will find the dis quest of original ideas will find the dis-plays a veritable treasure house of au-thentic style information. The Right House cordially invites everyone from far and near to view this interestingly beautiful panorama of spring and sum-ment exhibits.

Steamship Arrivals.

March 14.--Duca di Geneva-At New York, from Genoa. Italia-At New York, from Naples. Breslau-At Bailmore, from Boston. Sylvania-At Liverpool, from New York, St. Louis-At Southampton, from New York, Minnetonka-At New York, from London. St. Paul-At New York, from London. Lake Eric-At St. John, from Liverpool. Columbia-At New York, from Liverpool. Columbia-At New York, from Breasen.



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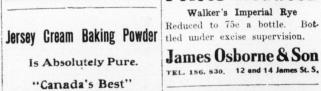
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