

THE DEFENCE'S DAY  
IN THE TWINN'S TRIAL.

Johnstonian Theory as to the Cause of the Killing.

MANY SURGEONS GIVE EVIDENCE.

But None Refute the Crown's Contention.

A Starting Piece of Evidence With Respect to the Blow was Experimenting With the Weight Which the Prosecution Confidently Asserts It Can Disprove - Doctors State That All the Wounds Could Have Been Made By One Blow If the Head Was Resting on the Ground, But Not the Blow Was Delivered When the Head Was Pinned in the Air - There May Have Been Two Blows, But So the First Has Been Obliterated By the Second - The Boy May Have Been Hit With a Sandbag and Received Injuries and Then the Weight Dropped on His Head.

Many surgeons summoned by the defence in the trial of the Hyman twins at the York Assize Court yesterday swore that what Mr. Osler described as the "Johnstonian theory" would account for the injuries found on the skull of the alleged murderer, boy, William Wells. The Johnstonian theory is that the boy was looking up the weight shaft when the weight fell off the hook, hit him on the head and knocked him insensible. In order to account for the fact that the weight, having a great momentum that the falling body of the boy, would reach the earth first, the Johnstonian theory is that either the weight carried the boy down with it, or that it struck the edge of the buffer, that during the time it was resting on the buffer the boy's head reached the earth and the weight tilted over upon it. The doctors were unanimous that the injuries to the head could not have been accidental while it was pinned in the air, but must have been inflicted while the head was lying upon a resisting force. Equally were they unanimous that there was nothing to show that the head had received a blow while pinned in the air. If it had there might or might not have been a fracture of the skull, and if there was the fracture would have been obliterated by the second blow.

Some statements made by Mr. Osler, all admitted that there was nothing inconsistent with Wells having received a blow and then been laid on the buffer and the weight dropped on the head. The smaller weight, if dropped four or five feet, would have occasioned all the fractures found, while the thought the Johnstonian theory was the most reasonable to account for the injuries. Dr. Cameron said that, of course, presuming no murder had been committed. The doctors who testified for the Crown were unanimous that there were two lines of evidence which pointed to the defence through one line of force could have occasioned the injuries, but admitted that the injuries to the skull and the blow might have been obliterated by the second.

A Remarkable Story. The defence put witnesses in the box who swore that on Sunday noon, 20 hours before the killing, the boy, William Wells, was walking on the street, and that after it reached the ground, Wells, maddened, changed the heavy through the more heavy, and again substituting the heavy one, that he was once more pulling up the weight when the man, Mr. Osler, came and only partially in the weight, and spoke to Wells about it, and that the latter left the weight in a position to be fasten in the hook. What the defence seeks to prove by this is that when the weight fell off the hook, it was the first man to use it on the next morning, and that forgetting the hook was partially fasten in the hook. What the defence seeks to prove by this is that when the weight fell off the hook, it was the first man to use it on the next morning, and that forgetting the hook was partially fasten in the hook. What the defence seeks to prove by this is that when the weight fell off the hook, it was the first man to use it on the next morning, and that forgetting the hook was partially fasten in the hook.

Dr. Cameron's Testimony. Dr. I. H. Cameron said the skull showed a very extensive series of fractures. He did not think it was possible to account for all the fractures on any line of force, unless it was a generally applied crushing power. The fracture of the frontal bone, he thought, was caused by a force applied to external angular process, and the vitreous body in two ways, meeting on the internal angular process. The fractures of the condyles of the base of the skull were due to the vibratory force waves traveling from the lateral blow. All the fractures, he thought, were caused by the crushing blow laterally applied. Dr. Cameron, receiving a reply in the affirmative to his question whether counsel wished him to deliver a lecture to the jury, proceeded to explain in detail how fractures are produced. He pointed to the position in which they allege Wells to have been standing when the weight first struck, and asked the witness if the weight following the body to the floor and after striking the buffer fell over the skull in the present condition. "If the weight fell on the skull, it would produce the fractures," he replied to the witness. The doctor said he did not see any evidence of two lines of force, but that the weight would travel from a common nail hammer. He could not conceive of the pole of an ax producing the fracture to the internal angular process of the frontal bone without injuring the side of the nose. He thought it might be possible for the weight to strike the head and the latter reach the floor first. Speaking generally, the weight would travel much faster. If the weight struck Wells while he was in the position indicated by the counsel, the weight would travel and head would collapse and fall to the floor in a heap.

Dr. Cameron's Examination. Mr. Osler—"Your idea, Dr., is that there is evidence of only one blow and that the blow was struck when there was resistance on the left side and the reasonable conclusion is that when that blow on the right side was struck the left side was resting on the ground?" "A. Yes, that is a reasonable conclusion." "And a man is not likely to lay his head on the ground?" "A. Yes, that is a reasonable conclusion."

A Clinical Lecture. The doctor went into a technical explanation as to the reasons for the fact that the skull and his anatomical lecture, illustrated by the battered skull of the dead boy and sundry new and perfect ones could not fall to prove interesting to those of the jury who understood it. Touching on to the two lines of force theory, the Dr. said to Mr. Johnston that he could not tell whether if he was struck by the weight with the head pinned in the air, any fracture would have been produced. Then Mr. Osler's charge of the Dr. and an interesting dialogue occurred. At the outset Dr. Teskey admitted that there were two blows to the head and that he could not distinguish the location of the first from the location of the second blow. "Well you know the theory you propounded that the great bulk of these injuries were produced while the head was lying on the ground?" "A. Yes." "Then the man was knocked down by one blow and while in a recumbent position he was struck a second blow and the skull battered?" "A. Yes." "You don't know how the first blow was inflicted?" "A. No." "Might have been a sandbag." "There was nothing inconsistent with it having been delivered with an axe or sandbag?" "A. Yes, it might have come from a sandbag." "And there is nothing to distinguish the force of the first from the second?" "A. The force of the second might have obliterated that of the first." "So we have the case of a man knocked down by the first blow and his skull battered by the second, the man being probably knocked insensible by the first blow, so he wouldn't have felt still for the receipt of the second?" "A. Yes." "Mr. Osler then got the Dr. to admit that if a man were stooping in the manner described his height would be reduced by 8 inches. Proceeding he pointed out that taking the height from which the weight fell and the height of the man in stooping, leaving a momentum of 4 feet 7 inches would have a momentum of 4 feet 7 inches and an in-er body with corded resistant force, and your idea is that the body got to the earth first and the weight reached the floor after the body?" "Yes, if the weight reached the earth." "Mr. Osler—Then the body ought to have fallen on the weight instead of the weight on the body?" "Dr. Teskey—Yes, but there is nothing to show that the weight reached the earth."

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NEWFOUNDLAND'S SCHEMERE NOW IN THAT CITY.

Mon. Robt. Bond Denies That He Failed to Raise Money in Montreal—Candid of Succeeding in Boston—He Claims That Retrenchment is More Popular Than Confederation.

Boston, May 20.—Hon. Robert Bond, Colonial Secretary for Newfoundland, is in this city. In conversation to-day Mr. Bond referred to the published despatch from Montreal stating that he had failed to obtain a loan in that city.

"This," he said, "is an error, because up to the present time I have not had an opportunity of negotiating or of floating a loan in the city of Montreal. There could not be a failure to raise money, as I left St. John's on May 11 only a week ago, and the whole time since has been occupied in journeying hitherward. The very fact that the transmitter of this despatch has been too previous, indicates the object which he had in view, viz: to discredit my mission, and if possible to render it unsuccessful. Despatches that have been appearing in the newspapers and in the papers during the past 12 months unquestionably have emanated from the same source as to the one which I refer to, that is, from the agent of a political party who are opposed and have been opposed for a very long time to the present government. They are a confederate party on any terms and their objects in defaming the public men of the colony, reflecting on the public man of the colony, reflecting upon its financial position and affairs, and grossly exaggerating the distress that has existed during the past few months, have been for the purpose of bringing about a disorganizing and chaotic condition of affairs and with a view to compelling the colony to enter the Dominion of Canada. The object of my visit to Boston at this time is to negotiate a loan for the colony in order to wipe out its floating debt. Upon this loan being raised Newfoundland would be placed in a position totally independent of Canada or any other country. The amount required is a comparatively small sum, and I have reason to believe that I shall not have very much difficulty in floating the loan on reasonable terms."

Speaking of the retrenchment scheme of the colony, Mr. Bond took exception to the published statements. "The Government have decided," he said, "to reduce the expenditure by \$500,000, not \$400,000, as the correspondent has said, and the scheme was approved and adopted by the Government party before I left the island. It was hailed by those who form the great majority of representatives in both Houses of the Legislature and also by the people generally as an alternative scheme of retrenchment which would be most acceptable to the colony." The Secretary, after explaining why the royal commission was appointed to the colony, said: "It is now the intention of the Newfoundland Government to account for their own expenses, with a view to placing the colony in her correct position in the matter of the world. This has become necessary, owing to the manner in which the country has been run, and the irresponsible newspaper correspondents."

This Differs From Mr. Bond's Opinion. St. John's, Nfld., May 20.—The Government's retrenchment scheme is generally condemned as being impracticable, and probably in some measure, but it is, at least, a step in the right direction, while making only slight retrenchment in the salaries of officials. Sir Herbert Murray, the British Relief Commissioner, closed down the relief works here Saturday. The warship "Chopra" will sail to-morrow, and will cruise around the island, taking seed potatoes as a bait for the fisheries for the quarter, and contains upwards of a great falling off in the number of men prosecuting the Labrador fisheries owing to the impossibility of securing supplies. Much destitution is expected in consequence.

It is only the initiators who know that the habitual followers of each popular stable have a predilection for a distinctive hat. To-day and to-morrow, and on streets to-day and to-morrow, a much larger extent at the Woodville, which is the headquarters of those who pin their hats to the sea, and who are the most popular of the day. Now, where do these people buy their knobby hats? Why, at Dineen's. King and Yonge streets. Yesterday they were being applied the living day; for no one thinks of going to the spring meeting of the Ontario Jockey Club in an old-style hat. With many it is a favorite saying that a new tie brings good luck to the whole of the day. Whether this be a fond illusion or not, dependent sayeth not, but it remains that all who will join the jolly throng on pleasure and business beat at the course to-day will have one of the following sporting hats. Derby, square, broad-brimmed, soft, drab shell, or Mexican sombrero. Every style, and all at 1. at Dineen's to-day and for the rest of the carnival of game sport.

An Exhibition of Novelties. The advancement of art in the weaving of material for ladies' gowns is hardly understood by ladies in Canada, except the few who visit Paris for the season, that the cost of the reigning novelties is so great the Canadian merchants would not attempt them, and again their sale is usually confined to European or large New York houses. In order to give some idea of what the fashionable materials of the day really are, the Ladies' Tailoring Co., 35 King-street west, make an exhibit of goods material to-day and for the balance of this week, comprising the very newest and most expensive productions of the season, and invite the ladies of the city as well as the trade generally to take advantage of the opportunity of seeing the very richest goods that have ever been shown in Canada.

Mr. Harper's Condition. Lakewood, N.J., May 20.—President E. B. Harper of the Mutual Reserve Fund Life Association, who has been in hospital for several months, was reported yesterday as being on the rapid road to recovery. For mental or bodily fatigue use Ask for Down's Scotch whisky, as supplied to her Majesty, Queen Victoria. Ask for delicious "Halda" tea. For Hay Fever. Queen's Birthday generally marks the opening of the bathing and boating season. Supplies for all kinds of holiday excursions—groceries, provisions and health for several days—a speciality of Michie & Co.

TROOPS IN BRITISH HONOURS.

A New Police Force Which Will Replace the Militia.

London, May 20.—In the House of Commons to-day Sidney Buxton, Under Colonial Secretary, replying to a question by Vice-Admiral Field, said the House of Commons had made provision for the establishment of a new Civil Police force, whose sphere of duty would be in Belize and the southern districts of the West Indian military force, he said, would serve in the northern districts. This arrangement would constitute adequate provision, and enable the withdrawal of the British troops in July.

No Explanation From Venezuela. Sir Edward Grey, Under Foreign Secretary, in reply to a question by George Baden-Powell, said that no explanation had yet been received from the Government of Venezuela regarding the British flag and imprisonment of police officers. He said the Government would not allow the matter to drop.

Search For Derelicts. Mr. John C. Macdonald asked if the Government was aware that the White Star and Cunard Steamship companies had in view, viz: to search for derelicts in the Atlantic, which ought to be the duty of the Admiralty. Mr. Herbert Kesteven, Secretary to the Admiralty, said that when it was known that a derelict was afloat in the track of ships it was the practice of the Admiralty to send vessels to search for it. The committee appointed by the House in connection with Lord Colborne's report on the question of the succession to the peerage of the Duke of Devonshire, has adopted a report affirming the fact that succession to a peerage disallows the successor from being elected to the House of Commons.

Removed Resignation of Rosebery. A rumor was current in the lobby of the House of Commons that Lord Rosebery, the Prime Minister, had resigned. The report, however, was not correct. Lord Rosebery, who had been a member of the Liberal party, had been removed from the party by the Government.

Does It Mean Disolution? London, May 20.—The delay of the departure of the Queen for Montreal and the return of Lord Rosebery to London are associated in the public mind with the known differences among the Ministers on the question of disolution. A Cabinet Council has been summoned for Thursday.

Scottish Liberal M.P. Resigns. London, May 20.—Dr. James Macgregor, Liberal member of the House of Commons for Invernesshire, has accepted of resignation from the Government, and has been asked to resign his seat. His action in retiring from the House is addressed to his constituents, and the Government's supposed neglect of legislation for the benefit of Scotland.

WILDS TO HAVE A SPECIAL TALK. Taylor's Case to be Heard Before That of the Hon. Mr. Justice. London, May 20.—Oscar Wilde and Alfred Taylor were arraigned in the Central Criminal Court, Old Bailey, to-day. Taylor is charged with the murder of Oscar Wilde, and is accompanied by his surety, Lord Douglas of Hawick, and the Rev. Stuart Murray. The case will be heard to-morrow.

ADDITION TO ARCHBISHOP CLEARY. New York Home Rulers Testify to His Character. New York, May 20.—Many prominent people connected with the Irish Home Rule cause, attended the preliminary meeting of the Home Rule League, held at the Hotel Hamilton, to-day. The Archbishop of Kingston, Canada, this afternoon (Monday), by the Irish National Confederation of America. This presentation was made at the rectory of the Church of the Holy Innocence, where the Archbishop is on a visit. The Archbishop responded in appropriate terms. He said that his people were deeply devoted to the Irish Home Rule cause, and were determined to stand by it until it was achieved.

CORRECTING A MISAPPREHENSION.

TO THESE OF OUR TORY FRIENDS WHO SPEAK OF SIR RICHARD'S MASTERFUL HAND AND HIS DETERMINATION TO CARRY THE PARTY TO THE END OF THE ROAD WE NEED ONLY POINT OUT THAT WILLIFRED LAURIE OCCUPIES FIRST PLACE IN THE PARTY, AND THAT SIR RICHARD IS PROUD, HAPPY AND CONTENT TO FOLLOW HIS HONORABLE LEADER.—REFORM PAPER.

ASSURANCE SYSTEM. MUTUAL-BENEFICIAL. A PROGRESSIVE CONCERN.

What the Annual Statement of the Provincial Provident Institution Shows. Despite the depression which existed during last year in all lines of business, it certainly the public service distinguished by the Provincial Provident Institution experienced a healthy growth in membership and a large increase in receipts. The pleasing condition of affairs was made manifest to its members at the annual meeting, which was held at St. Thomas on the 18th of last February. The reports which were read to the members, showed that in 1894 there were issued 1850 new policies, and of which \$79,897.54 is placed to the credit of the reserve fund. This reserve fund is held in trust for the general security of the membership, and against the levying of more than ten single assessments during any one year. The Provincial Provident Institution amounts to \$1,500,000. There are 5000 members, and the cash surplus is \$120,000, and \$450,000 has been paid in claims.

The steady and progressive growth of this admirable institution bespeaks for its management careful and progressive effort, and there is no doubt that the investigation of the principles on which its existence is based has convinced the public of its right to their confidence and support. Its financial soundness is placed beyond doubt by the statement of its funds and the report of its management. Those who are interested in its success have much reason to congratulate themselves on the energetic and experienced board of management it possesses.—The Globe, Toronto, 6th June, 1895.

Important to Insurers. The report of that sterling and progressive home company, the North American Life, about the most skeptical of the many advantages had to insure, as also of the solidity and unexcelled financial position to which the company has attained. Copies of the report referred to will be cheerfully furnished on application therefor to William McCabe, F.I.A., managing Director, North American Life Assurance Co., 25 to 28 King-street west, Toronto, or to any of the company's agents. 246

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Bishop Ridley College gained a well-deserved victory on their own grounds over Buffalo on Saturday. The comparatively large score of Buffalo in the first innings was due chiefly to Ridley's boys holding but in Buffalo's second innings...

For the first time Parkdale defeated Toronto in a match. The match was played on Saturday afternoon. The Junction was first and were dismissed for the small total of 21. The Buffalo Cricketers were led by Whistley and 5 by Ruskrook. Parkdale's bowling was first-class...

Rosedale opened their season on Saturday in miserable weather on their grounds against "C" School. Stanley Barracks, Lodge, and the other boys of the school had quite an advantage over the bowlers of the ground...

W. H. Parker, Parkdale's new bowler, met his Waterloo in three matches against East Toronto, Trinity University and Toronto Junction. He has taken 23 wickets for 47 runs.

Up at Hamilton for the opening cricket match of the season on Saturday, Hamilton put on a team of young players against Upper Canada College, and the Hamilton boys did very well, winning a handsome shape. K. Martin and A. Mullin were the leading batsmen for Hamilton...

The third race on the schedule of the York Messenger Picnic was flown as Saturday from Harwick, a distance of 100 yards. The birds were liberated at 10 o'clock by Mr. D. J. O'Connell...

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SIX RACES TO SPECULATE ON.

SEAGRAM SELECTED TO RUN OFF TWO FOR THE PLACE.

Confectioner With Lewis Up Should capture the Classic Event - How the Horses Ought to Run in the Other Five Races - A Big Contest for the Victory, and Fine Weather Promised.

The Ontario Jockey Club will throw open its gates to the public this afternoon at Woodbine Park, and when starting the magnificent drops his flag on the Trip Purse the greatest meeting ever held in Canada will be under way. Visitors to the course will see many improvements to the grounds, and the credit is due Mr. C. L. Fellows, under whose supervision the changes have been made. The steeplechase ground presents a most attractive appearance, and was never in such good shape as at present, and, thanks to Mr. Fellows, some capital race country events will no doubt be witnessed, while the track, with fine weather to-day, will be in excellent condition. The card is an unusually good one, and bound to produce some keen racing. The program is:

First race, Trial Purse \$400, for all ages, penalties and allowances; 3-4 mile. Royal Bob, 5; 120 Lord Nelson, 4; 117 Prince Charles, 3; 114 Laddie, 2; 111 Handicap, 1. Second race, 2-year-olds, sweepstakes for \$200 each, with \$200 added, for qualified hunters; 1-2 mile. Royal Bob, 5; 120 Lord Nelson, 4; 117 Prince Charles, 3; 114 Laddie, 2; 111 Handicap, 1.

Third race, Red Coat Steeplechase, a sweepstakes of \$200 each, with \$750 added, for qualified hunters; 2-1/2 mile. Royal Bob, 5; 120 Lord Nelson, 4; 117 Prince Charles, 3; 114 Laddie, 2; 111 Handicap, 1.

Fourth race, Walker Cup for \$400, for 8-year-olds and upwards, 14 lbs above weight, selling allowances; 1-1/2 mile. Royal Bob, 5; 120 Lord Nelson, 4; 117 Prince Charles, 3; 114 Laddie, 2; 111 Handicap, 1.

Fifth race, Queen's Plate, of 50 breeders, for all ages, open to horses owned by breeders, and trained in the Province of Ontario and have never won public money; a sweepstakes of \$10 each and \$500 added by the club; 1-1/2 mile. Royal Bob, 5; 120 Lord Nelson, 4; 117 Prince Charles, 3; 114 Laddie, 2; 111 Handicap, 1.

Sixth race, Water Selling Purse, \$400, for 8-year-olds and upwards, 14 lbs above weight, selling allowances; 1-1/2 mile. Royal Bob, 5; 120 Lord Nelson, 4; 117 Prince Charles, 3; 114 Laddie, 2; 111 Handicap, 1.

Weights for the Jumpers and Hunters. The weights for the Royal Canadian Handicap hurdle-race, to be run tomorrow, and the Hunters' Flat, to be decided on Friday, were announced by Secretary Ogden yesterday. The handicaps are as follows:

Handicap Hurdle Race, 1-1/2 miles. Royal Bob, 5; 120 Lord Nelson, 4; 117 Prince Charles, 3; 114 Laddie, 2; 111 Handicap, 1.

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BASEBALL GAMES ON MONDAY.

There was Kece Over the Don, and Toronto Defeat the Leaders.

SCHEDULED FOR TO-DAY. Toronto vs. Buffalo. Buffalo vs. Toronto. Toronto vs. Buffalo. Buffalo vs. Toronto.

Eastern League Record. Toronto vs. Buffalo. Buffalo vs. Toronto. Toronto vs. Buffalo. Buffalo vs. Toronto.

Chicago and Pittsburg Win. Toronto vs. Buffalo. Buffalo vs. Toronto. Toronto vs. Buffalo. Buffalo vs. Toronto.

The Leaders From Springfield. Toronto vs. Buffalo. Buffalo vs. Toronto. Toronto vs. Buffalo. Buffalo vs. Toronto.

Canadian Aerobics Line. Toronto vs. Buffalo. Buffalo vs. Toronto. Toronto vs. Buffalo. Buffalo vs. Toronto.

Baseball Preview. Toronto vs. Buffalo. Buffalo vs. Toronto. Toronto vs. Buffalo. Buffalo vs. Toronto.

The Country Club's Most Picturesque Property. Toronto vs. Buffalo. Buffalo vs. Toronto. Toronto vs. Buffalo. Buffalo vs. Toronto.

The Country and Hunt Club's Run. Toronto vs. Buffalo. Buffalo vs. Toronto. Toronto vs. Buffalo. Buffalo vs. Toronto.

Chairman Orr Will Refuse. Toronto vs. Buffalo. Buffalo vs. Toronto. Toronto vs. Buffalo. Buffalo vs. Toronto.

Toronto vs. the Tecumseh's. Toronto vs. Buffalo. Buffalo vs. Toronto. Toronto vs. Buffalo. Buffalo vs. Toronto.

Royal Toronto Sailing Club. Toronto vs. Buffalo. Buffalo vs. Toronto. Toronto vs. Buffalo. Buffalo vs. Toronto.

Will Still Continue to Live. Toronto vs. Buffalo. Buffalo vs. Toronto. Toronto vs. Buffalo. Buffalo vs. Toronto.

Charles Brown's New Coach. Toronto vs. Buffalo. Buffalo vs. Toronto. Toronto vs. Buffalo. Buffalo vs. Toronto.

The Wanderers at the Island. Toronto vs. Buffalo. Buffalo vs. Toronto. Toronto vs. Buffalo. Buffalo vs. Toronto.

BANGED HER HAIR, BURNED A TOWN.

Forty Business Men and a Hundred Tenements Burned in St. Albans, Vt.

By Explosion of a Lamp. St. Albans, Vt., May 20. A woman was engaged in heating her curling iron over a kerosene lamp in the home of a French family yesterday, next to Found's lumber yard, when the lamp exploded, and scattered the flames over the carpet, which immediately caught fire.

This was started the most disastrous fire that ever visited Vermont, carried on rapidly, and a dozen buildings situated in different parts of the town were on fire at the same time. Government building and the telephone exchange were in ruins. The loss to the Government is \$50,000. The Messenger Company property was valued at \$15,000, and the fire destroyed it.

The fire consumed tenement houses like tinder boxes, driving their occupants out into the street where they were compelled to stand and witness the destruction of their homes and worldly possessions.

At the Toronto. There is a good show at the Toronto and one of the largest audiences of the season filled the house last night and were delighted with Hallen & Hart's "Ladies of the Court." The piece has been considerably changed since its last appearance here, and the specialties, some of which are entirely new, are exceedingly good. Frederick Hallen and Joseph Hart are well-known here as funmakers.

Sparking and Odorous. Radnor Water. As a mixer it is unsurpassed with milk, the most delicate of Wines or Lignors. Radnor is now in daily use on the Vico-Regal Tables at Ottawa.

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THE NEW COAL ROUTE

We are informed that the new coal carrying route, from the United States, via Port Dover, will be in active operation by the middle of July...

WATERWORKS FOR THE ISLAND

We are glad to see that the Board of Works has at last appreciated the importance of supplying the residents and visitors of the Island with decent drinking water...

Canada's Flag

Editor World: I was pleased to read in your Ottawa despatches of Tuesday last that a move is being made to have a change in appearance of the Canadian flag...

A FIELD FOR ENTERPRISE

It looks as if the present season was going to pass without our having in Toronto an extension of the trolley system into the country so as to be of practical use for farmers in the sending of their produce to the city...

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head down on the block "A." Not in the ordinary course of things, it is likely to have been laid there for him," said Mr. Oler.

Mr. Oler—"You described the theory, my learned friend, propounding to you a bare possibility and an extreme improbability in the case of the weight and the body the weight would reach the ground first."

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East End Items

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ward the weight, the head resting in the neighborhood of the left ear, presenting the external frontal bone as the nearest point to the weight to touch.

When it was pointed by Mr. Oler that the weight could not have struck the head in the spot the doctors expressed their opinion it had the witness changed the position of the skull so as to indicate exactly what he meant. The experiments were watched with the greatest interest.

The Doctor's Terrible Blow

"Do you think it possible to knock a man down and render him insensible without any external indications of the blow being observable?" said Mr. Oler.

Willie and the Weight

This concluded the medical testimony, and the defence entered upon a new branch of the case, Robert Hyatt, a contractor's supplier, was called to the witness stand.

RHEUMATISM AND GOUT

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THE EXPERIMENT AGAIN

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Toronto Ferry. The Board of Trustees of the Toronto Ferry, which has been in session since the 15th inst., has adopted a resolution...

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THE ISLAND WATER SUPPLY.

BOARD OF WORKS AGREES TO INSTALL A CIVIC PLANT.

Toronto Ferry Company Granted Permission to Tap the Conduit-Lower Tenders For Coal—Another Big Batch of Pavements and Sidewalks Paved—Consolidation With Late Aid. Murray's Family.

Ald. Lamb, who presided at the meeting of the Board of Works yesterday afternoon, referred to the death of Ald. Murray, a valued member of the Board, and spoke in high terms of the deceased alderman's qualifications.

The report of the sub-committee on the rental to be paid by the C.P.R. for running powers on the Don Improvement was adopted. The rent is fixed at \$750 per annum. The question of the removal of the Bechall-street siding was deferred for further consideration.

Waterworks For the Island. Once again the question came up for discussion. The correspondence with the Toronto Ferry Company was read and also the offer of Frank Turner, C.E., as an independent water supply.

The Chairman made the question of revenue had hitherto prevented the city supplying the Island with water. The City Engineer's estimate of the cost of a plant, at \$15,000, still held good. The committee had decided that this should be installed when 10 per cent revenue had been guaranteed.

Ald. Bates favored letting the supply to a private company. The committee decided to grant permission to the Toronto Ferry Company to tap the waterworks conduit for the supply of water to the Island.

Lower Tenders For Coal. Chairman Lamb opened tenders for 3000 tons of coal for use at the main pumping station on the Island. The tenders, as follows: Anthracite coal by Messrs. McGill & Co., \$3.27; Elias Rogers & Co., \$3.26; John Keith, \$3.24; Bituminous coal, by Mr. Elias Rogers & Co., \$2.27; Conger, \$2.40; John Keith, \$2.35.

The committee referred back to the Engineer the question of the Bathurst-street cars to Front-street and St. George-street. President McKenzie considered it not required owing to the messengers' strike in Front-street.

Nothing was done in regard to the suggested extension of the Carlton street route across Gerrard-street bridge to Broadview-avenue, the route to Bathurst-street (now closed) and the diversion of the Queen-street cars down Bay to Richmond to West-end street along Bloor-street to Church-street.

It was resolved that the erection of the West End station at the cost of \$200,000 be taken in hand at once by day labor. New Pavements Passed. After much discussion the following pavements on the initiative were passed:

Huron-street, College to Sussex, asphalt, \$228,240; York-street, \$7600; Charles-street, Church to Jarvis, asphalt, \$6140; city's share \$1160; Harbord-street, St. George to Huron, asphalt, \$3850; city's share \$580; Argyle-street, Dundas to Gladstone, \$5240; city's share \$1440; Bessborough-avenue, College to Usher, asphalt, \$11,370; city's share \$600; Victoria-street, Adelaide to Queen, city's share \$2300; Gladstone-street, \$3840; city's share \$460; Dovercourt-street, Queen to Dundas, brick, \$17,700; city's share \$2200; Dundas-street, Queen to Dundas, brick, \$17,700; city's share \$2200; Dundas-street, Queen to Dundas, cedar block, \$5770; city's share \$1200; Brookfield-avenue, Queen to Bathurst, brick, \$1440; city's share \$180; Huntley-street, Bloor to Earl, asphalt, \$10,700; city's share \$3140; Amelias-street, Somerset to Hammet, brick, \$11,900; city's share \$2700; Berkeley-street, Gerrard to Huron, asphalt, \$6500; city's share \$1200; brick pavement for Selby-street, \$3720; concrete sidewalk in St. George-street from Bloor to Hoskins-avenue, and a whole batch of wooden sidewalks.

Why does the new President of France resemble Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder? Because he is noted for his strength.

THE OPPOSED ISLAND LICENSE. Application For an Injunction Dismissed With Costs. The question of granting a wine and beer license for Hanlan's Hotel came up yesterday at Osmonds Hall before Mr. Justice Rose on an application on the part of some of the residents for an injunction. The grounds on which the application is based is that the petition favoring the license, although signed by the statutory majority of the qualified voters, was not lodged with the License Commissioners before April 1st. On the other side it is contended that the regulation does not apply to six months' license.

Mr. W. J. Lockhart Gordon represents the opponents of the license and Mr. Dalton McCarthy, Q.C., supports it. The application was dismissed with costs on the issue of the license will follow at once.

Without doubt, the best spring medicine is Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Give it a trial. 267

The Best Head in Canada. Mr. Charles S. Lee, general passenger agent, and Mr. E. B. Irvington, general agent of the Lehigh Valley, who were in the city on Saturday last, were told that Mr. Weatherston of the Intercolonial was the best head in Canada, therefore they expressed their desire to meet him, and were conducted by Messrs. McKee and Keating of the G.T.R. to the office, where they were shown a photograph which Mr. Weatherston had recently added to his office decorations.

The party enjoyed the joke and were each presented with a souvenir silver with a mouse head in the centre. The mouse head is the trade mark of the Intercolonial Railway.

Much distress and sickness in children is caused by worms. Mother Graves' Worm Expeller gives relief by removing the cause. Give it a trial and be convinced.

A PEN PICTURE OF VICTORIA.

Graphic Description of the Queen of England in Her Bedchamber.

Writing from the Riviera, where Queen Victoria is now spending a month near Nice, Mrs. Crawford the Paris correspondent of Mr. Laborer's Truth, says:

"I was at once glad and sorry to see the Queen as she alighted. The gladness was due to the feeling for her the deepest respect, and to regarding her as a quite exceptional member of her caste—indeed, as that always cry anon whenever I hear 'God save the Queen.' The sorrow arose from seeing how years had left her. She was greatly aged. How weary she looked, and yet how kind and obliging and well disposed to play her part in the rapidly acting pageant. She seemed unable to raise her head. The upward glance that she cast on all went to one's heart.

"She looked up and around under her eyelids, as if waiting strength to look otherwise. One might have thought that she did not feel her feet under her as she tried to descend the sloping gangway from her train into the station house. Two servants usually helped her. But, no doubt to lead herself to the function, she leaned only on one of the Indian servants, who supported her well. The blood left her face as she tottered down. A painter worthy of the name could have done an immortal portrait if he caught her at that moment. It would not be a picture of an Angeli from Vienna, or a fashion-plate artist from Copenhagen; but a nod in Velasquez or a Bastien-Lepage, with a touch of the exceptional experience of her exceptionally long royal career. It more than hints all her constantly repeated and firmly fulfilled desire to keep the right path, and all her womanly joys and sorrows, which are written in plain characters. That painter would have said with his pencil: 'She was unwearyingly good at 76 she was invested with a misjesty that altogether ceased to depend on her lofty station, that was entirely personal and a moral fact strange and interesting.'

"The smile—that test of disposition—was most sweet. There was no trace of the gloom which is so characteristic of so many of the Queen's photographs, not one which conveys a moral portrait of her. How was the Queen dressed? They conveyed the idea that she was her own law and that she had other things to think of more importance by far than her clothes. Convenience alone was consulted. The bonnet was of white satin veiled with black lace and trimmed with ribbons falling down on the nape of the neck. A modern Velasquez would have been faithful in noting the details as giving an index to the royal mind. He would have seen in them evidence of a nature superior to stupid conventionalities. For the want of such a painter I fear one of the great lessons of the Queen's life will be lost to posterity. She ought to have been figured in the National Gallery as the antitype of George the IV. Is there any greater miracle in history than that the Queen, such as she appeared to me at Nice and such as she has shown herself in the fifty-eight years of her reign, should remain, ex-prime, ex-minister, ex-translator, ex-terminator of the House of Hanover in England."

In a subsequent letter Mrs. Crawford adds: "Owing to the Queen being unable to stand alone unless supported by her tire-women fine it hard to dress her. Corsets and close-fitting corselets have been given up. She was long threatened with losing the use of her limbs, but the first time she experienced the loss of such a patient, for one of her borne. A council was to have taken place there that day, but it was put off in consequence. Her health is good, considering all things. But if the menus of her dinners given in the French papers be genuine, it is astonishing that she is so well. The Queen should now eat merely to live, and milk should be her staff of life. She should give up tea, and take black coffee (unless it disagrees with her) after her lunch. This meal should be the chief repast. No meat or fish, only milk, eggs, bread, vegetables, should be taken in the evening. Beef mutton and game or shell fish are so much poison. The best fish are white fish, trout and young haddock, and the only meats chicken and veal, and the gelatinous parts of which are most suitable to sufferers from rheumatism. Dr. Sarcey was threatened with losing the use of his limbs and blindness before he was able to resign of fish, vegetables, milk and eggs. He takes no meat of any kind. At first he suffered from the privation. But he now dislikes meat, and he finds his mind and body have recovered the activity of former years. The longer the Queen keeps well and the better for her empire. If therefore concerns her subjects to know that the doctors see to her daily food."

How to Serve Strawberries. Strawberries are astonishingly sweet this year, and they give promise of being cheaper than usual when they shall arrive in plenty.

Popular as the strawberry is, says The New York World, very few householders know the details of it when they buy it. The following are some short-cakes, for example, is a byword, but shortcake is seldom made properly. Slightly constricted, this delicacy is of two separate sorts—the genuine sponge-cake variety and the real shortcake, a biscuit paste made of flour, butter, sugar and not raised. These biscuit layers are then split and the berries placed between and on top, the whole being afterwards covered with a rich cream.

For the other sort of shortcake the spongecake is baked in round tins, and each layer is surmounted with whipped cream and well-sugared berries laid closely together.

A pretty and delightful way of serving strawberries is with the hulls on, and dipped in sugar. They are then eaten from off the hulls, held between the fingers. This method prevents a loss of juice, and there is the additional advantage of the berries not having been handled or touched by water. If they were washed, the water would remain on their Strawberry Bavarian cream, strawberry cream tarts and strawberry syllabubs are other pleasing varieties of dessert. For syllabub put the berries into the oven and strain out the juice to add to whipped cream.

THE UNTRAINED DAUGHTER. All Girls Should Thoroughly Understand some One Business. Why should a girl not be taught book-keeping and some of the more common business forms? Men pity, or laugh at, the business incapacity of the vast majority of women. It is often only due to want of proper instruction, and why should not this be supplied?

Some girls have a passion for flowers, and plants grow and thrive under their coaxing fingers without much apparent effort on their part. Such may find

their vocation in the management of a greenhouse. Raising flower seeds is a remunerative occupation. Choice pansy seed is sold at 75 an ounce at retail, rare ones at double that price, and some varieties of verbenas at \$3 an ounce. Cut flowers always command a good price in winter, spring flowers at Easter and choice flowers all the year round.

The care of precious house plants for absent owners, supplying potted plants and ferns for the decoration of dinner-tables and drawing rooms, help to swell the balance. Some florists not only supply the flowers but arrange them in their receptacles, charging an extra sum for the service.

A girl choosing this occupation must be content to learn her business thoroughly under an experienced florist, and should also have a little capital to begin with.

There are so many good technical schools now that there need be little difficulty in obtaining excellent instruction in whatever avocation is wished to take up.—Ladies' Home Journal.

Their Heights of Ambition.



"I should like to be a queen on no end of people to wait on and bow down to me."

"I'd far rather be a celebrated actress—only think of the attention I should get, and the presents. 'What would you rather be, Mabel?'"

"Oh, I shouldn't mind what I was, so long as I had heaps of money. What say you, Nell?"

"Well, I should be quite contented if I'd been born a Widow!"

Life in the Great West. We are sorry to see one of our esteemed contemporaries devoting so much space to the little incidents which occurred at the meeting of the Common Council the other Friday evening.

The average reader must be led to believe us a queer people in this town. There was some shooting, but instead of a "prearranged slaughter," as they put it, it all came about by accident. When we opened the meeting as presiding officer, we noticed that Alderman Williams was out of sorts and had two guns strapped to him. We got the idea that he intended to call up the tabled resolution to build 300 feet of public sewer in order to drain the cellar of his house.

As he never calls up a tabled resolution without holding a gun in either hand we reached for our pistol with the intention of holding him down. Just as we had it in hand it was accidentally exploded. The honorable gentleman supposed we were shooting at him, and he, of course, began popping away in return. Alderman Williams somehow figured that Alderman Thompson intended to plug him, and Alderman Scott took a shot at the City Clerk popping away at the Recorder, who happened to be present, and the City Attorney pulled trigger on some county official in the lobby. It was all over in two minutes with no hurt, and was understood all around to have been the result of an accident. The subsequent proceedings were marked with the greatest harmony, and no one supposed that the affair would even be referred to in the public prints. It was, we affirm, a simple incident, such as is likely to occur in any session of any Common Council in the country, and the sensational reports made in regard to it are a discredit to journalism.

The Divisibility of Crime. Napoleon, who knew the value of time, remarked that it was the quarter hours, not the minutes, that counted. This has been often recognized, and any person watching a railway clerk handing out tickets and change during the last few minutes available must have been struck with how much could be done in those short portions of time.

At the appointed hour the train starts, and by it is carrying passengers at the rate of sixty miles an hour. In a twenty-minute portion of a second you pass over one yard. Now, in a twenty-minute portion of a second you are carrying away twenty-nine yards. In one twenty-minute of a second you pass over one yard. Now, in a twenty-minute portion of a second you are carrying away twenty-nine yards. In one twenty-minute of a second you pass over one yard. Now, in a twenty-minute portion of a second you are carrying away twenty-nine yards.

Yet, it is when we come to planetary and stellar motions that the motion of the infinite divisibility of time dawns upon us in a new light. It would seem that no portion of time, however microscopic, is unavailable. Space can perform prodigies, not certainly in less than no time, but in portions of it so minute as to be altogether inconceivable. The earth revolves on her axis in twenty-four hours. At the equator her circumference is 25,000 miles. Hence, in that part of the earth a person is being carried eastward at the rate of 509 yards per second. That is, he is moving over a yard, whose length is conceivable, in the period of one-five-hundredth and-ninth part of a second, of which we can have no conception at all.

But more, the orbit of a second of a second is more than 1,000 miles a minute. Here, then, our second carries us the long distance of about nineteen miles. The mighty ball thus flies about a mile in a nineteenth part of a second.—Good Words.

Amongst the Ministers. J. K. Macdonald and D. J. O'Donoghue presented the claims of the Sabbath Observance Association to the Methodist ministers yesterday. Several resolutions to the ranks of the Association were obtained.

The same deputation waited on the Baptist ministers. Rev. Dr. Goodspeed said the question was whether Sabbath observance was an expository, followed by a cold which settled on their lungs, and in a few days they would have been spared. The Presbyterian ministers will hold a picnic at Victoria Park on June 3. This will be in lieu of their ordinary fortnightly meeting. They, too, endorsed the Lord's Day Alliance.

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TAKE FROM THE DARK VALLEY.

Led Out to the Enjoyment of Health!

Paine's Celery Compound Saves a Well-Known Norfolk County Farmer.

Completely Cured After Four of the Best Doctors Had Failed.

Few men in Norfolk County, Ontario, are better or more favorably known than Mr. Joseph Rolston of Nixon. This gentleman, who is absolutely truthful, has an extremely alarming condition of health that relatives and friends were fearful of results. Four skilled physicians, all the exceptional experience of the doctor, but a cure was beyond their wit at first.

Provisionally Mr. Rolston was induced to give Paine's Celery Compound a trial, with the result that sickness and disease were banished, and a valuable life saved to the community. Mr. Rolston, who writes for the benefit of suffering men and women, has his statements vouched for by two well-known Methodist ministers, Rev. T. B. Clark of Delhi and Dr. Williams of Nixon.

Mr. Rolston says: "I give my great pleasure to add my testimony to the ever-increasing popularity of your preparation, known as Paine's Celery Compound. It is now a year past since I had a severe attack of nervous prostration caused by chronic dyspepsia, and for a year I could not sleep at night. This condition of sleeplessness brought on delirium. I was attended by four of the best doctors of the country, and took a great quantity of medicine, but all failed to do me any good. Having been persuaded to read your books, I thought I would try your Paine's Celery Compound; and after I had used four bottles the nervousness and dyspepsia left me, and I have done more work since than for years past. I now enjoy excellent health and consider myself completely cured. I have highly recommended your Paine's Celery Compound to others, and I know of several persons who are now using it."

For the Boys. We are showing some very fine three-piece Suits in Worsted Serge at \$6.50. These are the can't be beaten kind.

For the Boys' Fathers. We have some exceptionally fine Serge Suits at \$12.00 and \$15.00. Three shapes.

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ONTARIO JOCKEY-CLUB. Woodbine Park, Toronto. SPRING MEETING, MAY 21-25. Six Races each day. First race at 2:30 p.m.

TORONTO DIVISION NO. 2. KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS. EXCURSION TO PETERBORO, via C. P. R. Queen's Birthday. Going by 8 and 9 p.m. trains, 23rd and 24th, and returning by 10 a.m. train, 25th. Tickets for sale in C.P.R. Offices and at 145 Church-street, 24 Yonge-street, and on Monday, 26th inst.

WILLIAM HENDRIE, LYNDHURST OGDEN, President. Sec. Treas. W. H. LUBON, 24 Macdonell-ave., Toronto, Ont., Canada.

TORTURE UNTOLD WAS SUFFERED. A Well-Known Gentleman in the District of Algoma Writes About His Sufferings.

Gentlemen—About three months ago I was all used up with rheumatism, suffering most from torture from it frequently. I took three bottles of your valuable medicine, Burdock Blood-Bitters, and now feel all O.K. again. Some six years ago I took a few bottles of B.B.B. and found it the best medicine I had ever used. I had the very best of health until this attack of rheumatism, but now I am glad to say that B.B.B. has made me as sound as a dollar.

A. McONACHE, 240 Kenaboth P.O., Ont.

Amongst the Ministers. J. K. Macdonald and D. J. O'Donoghue presented the claims of the Sabbath Observance Association to the Methodist ministers yesterday. Several resolutions to the ranks of the Association were obtained.

The same deputation waited on the Baptist ministers. Rev. Dr. Goodspeed said the question was whether Sabbath observance was an expository, followed by a cold which settled on their lungs, and in a few days they would have been spared. The Presbyterian ministers will hold a picnic at Victoria Park on June 3. This will be in lieu of their ordinary fortnightly meeting. They, too, endorsed the Lord's Day Alliance.

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SPECIAL. Thursday and Friday, returning Monday morning the 27th. Niagara, Lewiston or Queenstown and return. \$1.25. Niagara Falls and return. \$2.00. Buffalo and return. \$2.00. Niagara Falls and return. \$2.00. Niagara Falls and return. \$2.00.

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Dominion Line Steamships. LIVERPOOL SERVICE. Steamers From Montreal, From Quebec. British Prince, May 16, 11 p.m. Mar 17, 4 p.m. Vancouver, May 23, daylight. May 25, 2 p.m. Oregon, May 30, 11 p.m. May 31, 2 p.m. Harpoon, June 6, 11 p.m. June 7, 2 p.m. W. WEISER, Proprietor, 145 CHURCH-STREET WHARF, commencing 10 a.m.

QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY EXCURSION TO ST. CATHARINES. THE ST. LAKESIDE. Will leave Yonge-street wharf, east side, at 2 p.m., going through the Welland Canal, returning leaves St. Catharines 7 p.m. Fare for round trip 50c. W. A. Geddes, agent, 69 Yonge-street.

STEAMER LAKESIDE. Daily from Yonge-street wharf at 3:30 p.m. for St. Catharines, connecting at Port Dalhousie with St. Catharines, Buffalo and points east. For tickets and further information apply to W. A. Geddes, 69 Yonge-street, or wharf. SPECIAL RATES. From the 23rd until the 25th tickets will be issued good to return on the 27th at 75c for the round trip.

NIAGARA FALLS LINE SINGLE TRIPS. COMMENCING MAY 21ST, THE STR. EMPRESS OF INDIA will leave Yonge-street wharf, west side, daily at 3:30 p.m., connecting at Port Dalhousie with fast through train for St. Catharines, Niagara Falls and Buffalo, connecting at Suspension Bridge with railroads from there. Family tickets for sale; 40 trips for \$8. Tickets at all G.T.R. and principal offices, and on wharf.

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NIAGARA RIVER LINE. REGULAR AND BOOK TICKETS. NOW ON SALE. A. F. WEBSTER. N.E. Corner King and Yonge-streets. 245

QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY. EMPRESS OF INDIA AND G.T.R. Return tickets will be sold on May 23rd and 24th at SINGLE FARE to all points on the Welland Division, NIAGARA FALLS and BUFFALO, good to return on May 25th. Also to same points at one fare. A third good to return till May 27th. Tickets at all G.T.R. and Empire ticket offices and at Wharf. 356234

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ERROL BOUTCHETTE, Solicitor for Applicants. Dated at Montreal the 25th day of March, 1895.

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AT THE ISLAND.

Electric lights to be lit up to-night... It was a cold day at the Island yesterday, but nearly everyone over there was working hard enough to keep warm.

Men are working day and night at the engine house and electric light station... The appearance of the Island is a great surprise to everyone who makes his or her initial trip to the island this summer.

Employers of the Bell Telephone Co. are busy at Centre Island and Hanlan's construction a lead to supply a service for Island residents.

Mrs. Durand's new restaurant was opened on Saturday... The familiar face and voice of the late Tom Noonan is greatly missed at the Ferry Co's gate.

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ALONG THE WEAPONS

Vandals Carry Away the Life Saving Appliances... The steamer Empress of India arrived at Yonge-street... The Empress commences her regular trips to St. Catharines to-day.

Explains Constable Williams made a tour of the water front yesterday to inspect the life-saving appliances which are stationed at the different wharves.

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