

\$1500 For Miss Gladys Meredith

Cross Examination of Miss Meredith was thorough but not severe. Complete Evidence as Presented at Sensational Trial in Simcoe—Girl Subjected to two Examinations but Spoke Highly of Dr. Ashton on the Witness Stand.

M. Godfrey's Address.

Mr. Godfrey for the plaintiff, Gladys Meredith, testified in the circumstances of the case. She was a young English girl who had come to Canada to work in the mill to help her widowed mother and her brothers and sisters. She had been wrongfully charged as the mother of an infant found in the river. Detective Chapman and Constable Boylan went to the factory where she worked and in full view of her associates took her out of that building. They told her that there were rumors connecting her with the maternity of the child and that she had put her offspring in the river. They also said that she had threatened suicide and must go to the police station. Then they took her between them to see Chief Slemin on board the car. They sat one on each side of her and thus she was taken to the police station. There she was told that she had been the mother of a child and placed in the river. The chief persisted that she must be examined by a doctor. That little girl only eighteen years of age. She knew nothing of law or authority. The aunt arrived to find the girl arrested. Slemin declared that the girl had to be examined. The aunt replied "Shame, was that to be," and Slemin said yes. Dr. Ashton was phoned and the girl was examined without her consent. She was never told that she need not submit. She was under the examination for fifteen or twenty minutes. Then the aunt was told that a further examination was necessary. Detective Chapman took them to the office for that examination, and Dr. Palmer, not a defendant in the action, acted with him. Both doctors' examination declared that Miss Meredith could not have been the mother of the dead child, and later a certificate was given to that effect. The charge was first, false arrest and assault and second for conspiracy. The defence would claim that the plaintiff and her aunt asked for an examination. What did they know, that was true, about the law, and why were they not told the law, and the girl asked or was she told she must go to the police station. Did she ask for a personal examination or was she told that such would be the case. His Lordship would tell them in his charge that a person could lay hands upon any one without justice or excuse. If they found for the plaintiff, he asked for such damages as the indignity of Miss Meredith warranted.

she came to Canada to help her widowed mother, who had four other children. The mother had only recently rejoined her in Brantford. Miss Meredith went on to relate how Officers Chapman and Boylan took her from her work in the mill at Slingsby's about 4.30 one afternoon. She was summoned from the presence of all the other employees in the mill room, and had to accompany the officers to the police station on the street car. When she arrived at the police station she was confronted with the chief who immediately began to make inquiries. At first, related Miss Meredith, he told me that a baby had been found in the canal, and he said I was charged with the offence and that I was the mother. That I denied. Then I went into the other room. There were several policemen walking up and down. My aunt was in Chief Slemin's office. It was about 4.30 o'clock when I was taken from the mill. My aunt sat in the room for about an hour. Then Dr. Ashton came in and they took me up to the room and Chapman went out, leaving me with Dr. Ashton, and he told me to undress, and I did so. Did he ask for your permission? No. Did you at any time give your consent? No. Continuing, the girl said, Then he undid my clothes and examined me. The plaintiff then gave in detail the examination by Dr. Ashton. Continuing, she stated that she had afterwards dressed and gone downstairs. She was detained until 8.30. Then Dr. Ashton and Dr. Palmer examined her again in the same way, hurting her, she claimed. Afterwards, when I got dressed, they told me I was free of the charge, said the girl. Two or three days afterwards she received a certificate from Dr. Ashton. This certificate was placed in evidence. It stated that, having examined Gladys Meredith, Dr. Ashton who signed it, stated that she could not possibly have been a mother. Why did you go to the station with Boylan and Chapman? she was asked. I thought I was under arrest and had to go, she replied. Cross Examination M. Lally McCarthy then cross-examined the plaintiff. She said Assistant Superintendent Clark of the Slingsby company had asked her very quietly to go out as there were two gentlemen who wanted to see her in the private office. She was asked then if she had ever said or if she had ever attempted to do so. That she had then denied. Mr. McCarthy then asked the plaintiff if she ever said she would commit suicide. The plaintiff replied that she might have said something as a joke. Then what did they ask you? They asked me if I had ever attempted suicide or threatened to attempt suicide. I replied no. What then? They asked me about the baby which was found in the river and I had a suspicion, and I told them I had heard about it around the mill. Did they say anything else? No. Just those two things, the attempt at suicide and the baby found in the river? Yes. Nothing more. Not a word? No. To both questions you answered no? Yes. And when they told me the chief wanted me they said it was just a matter of investigating. They told me they had heard rumors about me, and that was the reason they were investigating. (Continued on Page 7)

AT 20 MINUTES TO FOUR, JURY RETURNS AND FOREMAN ANNOUNCED THAT THEY HAD REACHED A VERDICT OF \$1,500 FOR MISS MEREDITH, DEFENDANTS TO PAY COST OF ACTION, WITH THE EXCEPTION OF PLAINTIFF'S COUNSEL FEES, WHICH SHOULD PAY. THE JUDGE TOLD THEM THEY HAD NOTHING TO DO WITH COSTS AND ORDERED THEM BACK TO ROOM AGAIN. AT 4 O'CLOCK THE JURY RETURNED AND AWARDED \$1,500 DAMAGES AGAINST THE FOUR DEFENDANTS, WHO MUST PAY ALL COSTS. THE JUDGE ACCEPTED THE VERDICT.

"PRETTY THIN STORY" REMARKED JUDGE LATCHFORD TO DEFENCE

(From Courier Staff Correspondent) SIMCOE, April 16.—When the jury retired Mr. McCarthy, for the defendants, spoke for a long while, taking exception to the address of the judge, which he claimed to have been more on behalf of the plaintiff than the plea of Miss Meredith's counsel himself. "Not fair or judicial," was what Mr. McCarthy had to say of the charge. "Pretty thin story," was one of his Lordship's comments, and "There is nothing in that," was another. Mr. McCarthy took up as much time with his objections as he did with his address to the jury. From his tone there is probability of an appeal.

ADDRESSES OF COUNSEL AND JUDGE

GODFREY CALLS THEM SLEUTHS Counsel For Plaintiff Opens Up Clever Address at 11 O'clock.

Impossible Phases of Some of Defence Testimony, He Says.

(From Courier Staff Correspondent) SIMCOE, April 16.—Mr. Godfrey denied that he had abandoned his case in any way. His learned friend had declared that the four men must stand or fall together. They didn't have to take the law from him, but from his Lordship. We say that there was a continuity of actions which took advantage of the youth and the ignorance of this girl and it is to be placed on the shoulders of all of them. It is an important question, no doubt about that. A committee of Brantford citizens was back of this girl in saying that such methods as the police and a coroner in that city used in November last would not be tolerated. The kernel of the whole matter was the liberty of the subject and the sacred rights of a woman. He had no quarrel with the police. As such, like lawyers and doctors, they were a necessary evil, but when police anywhere became arbitrary and unfair it was time to bring them up with a short turn. The police had a right to enforce the law, but the police had the right to see that the said enforcement did not endanger the liberty of the innocent. Two sleuths were deputed to clear up the mystery of an unfortunate child, and they worked hard on the case. That was quite proper, but it was claimed for the plaintiff that in their zeal they had exceeded every duty. He contended that there was duty. (Continued on Page 7)

JUDGE CHARGES AGAINST DEFENCE His Honor's Summing Up Was Stronger than Counsel For Plaintiff.

Inherent Right of Liberty at Stake in the Case Said Judge.

(From Courier Staff Correspondent) SIMCOE, April 16.—Extracts from the judge's charge. It is a case of very considerable importance, because it affects the inherent right of liberty. The plaintiff is a young girl of 18, a stolid girl, not of a very high order of intelligence, but capable of doing her work. No matter what her station in life, she has the same rights as any other girl—as your daughter, or any daughter—to have her person protected. There are three officers in this case, Slemin, Chapman and Boylan, and the Chief has had very large experience both in Toronto and Brantford. Then there is Dr. Ashton, a man of proved medical ability. What are you asked to determine? That the defendants maliciously arrested the plaintiff. (Continued on Page 7)

DEFENCE SAYS NO CONSPIRACY Mr. McCarthy Says It's a Hard Job to Have Four Men

All Conspiring Together To Do An Injustice to a Girl.

(From Courier Staff Correspondent) SIMCOE, April 16.—Mr. McCarthy, in addressing the jury, said that four people were jointly charged with arrest, imprisonment and assault. The action was embarrassing and hard to undertake. Four men were charged with causing Gladys Meredith to be arrested, had her imprisoned and then assaulted. Either all four conspired together or they did not. There should have been separate charges, but now the effect was a deliberate conspiracy against four. He submitted that the evidence utterly failed to show that the four men got together and planned the entire outcome. They could not deal with the matter individually. There was the one question, Did these four men conspire together to do a wrongful action, if there was one? He dwelt on the duty of a coroner to make necessary inquiries regarding the discovery of any body, and, very properly, he asked for police aid, and Dr. Ashton instructed the constable to go to the Holmedale and talk with women over the back fences to see what he could ascertain. That end of the quest failed, but on a street car a man told Boylan that there was a girl in the Holmedale upon whom suspicion had been cast. He said his wife knew of the rumors. Boylan made inquiries, and that was his duty, and found out the man's name was (Continued on Page 7)

Only Question of Amount Was General Opinion In Regard to Outcome of Trial

(Special to the Courier) SIMCOE, April 16.—"You're a liar!" These words, which hurtled through the circumambient air of the court room at the Meredith versus Slemin et al trial in the court house proved one of many episodes in this sensational case. So did the action of his Lordship on the geit who parted with the evidence at time of wiring is all in, and the main feature has been the extreme case of oath against oath. Of course, that happens in all cases, but seldom to such a marked extent as in this instance. The two counsel, Messrs. Godfrey and McCarthy, have been fighting well and hard, but we don't seem to be growing any B. B. Oslers or Justin McCarthys these days. Miss Meredith throughout the evidence has sat among a group of English friends, and manifestly takes a keen interest in all that is said. Some questions were asked that are unprintable, but counsel on both sides exercised the utmost possible delicacy in this regard, and women did not hesitate to sit throughout the enquiry, nor should they. The judge has impressed everybody with his clear-headedness, and more than once put questions which ended a wrangle between witnesses and the cross-examiners. The temperature of the court room was insufferably hot, and those present received a Turkish bath, with several encores and all without pay. The general impression, right or wrong, is that there will be only one verdict—that the amount is the sole question; that is, if the somewhat involved pleadings do not intervene. How officers of the law and a coroner can be charged with a conspiracy in regard to what they deemed public duty is somewhat of a problem to the ignorant layman. Also how Dr. Ashton can be charged with false arrest and imprisonment. However, lawyers know these things better than we ordinary mortals. REVILLE.

Evidence was all Completed at 9.50 Last Night—Judge Latchford Interferes During Examination of Witnesses with Pertinent Questions—Officers Boylan and Chapman on the Defence, also Chief Slemin.

Constable Boylan.

Constable Thomas Boylan who is now truant officer for Brantford, but who accompanied Detective Chapman to the Slingsby Mill to interview Gladys Meredith, was the first witness. He stated that he had been a member of the Brantford police force for over sixteen years. The body of an infant, he related, was found in the Grand River in October last. He was put in charge of an inquest under Dr. Ashton. He was also instructed to make a complete and full investigation in the neighborhood, where the body was found. "What was your information?" asked counsel. "On November 2 Detective Chapman and myself were in the Holmedale district after information, and we were talking to the ladies over the back fences. No; nothing except when we got on a car a man told us that there was a certain girl in the locality that we should have looked up. He did not give us her name but said that his wife knew. You didn't know his name at the time? Yes, sir. You did later? Yes. Next day, it was a man named Marlatt, who lived on West Mill street. On Monday evening Nov. 4th I saw Mrs Marlatt. Does she live near the mill? Yes, sir. Was she alone? I looked at the rear door and I think some one went out as I went in. It was quite dark and I wouldn't swear to that. You saw Mrs Marlatt? Yes, and I told her who I was, and mentioned what her husband had said and requested further information. She hesitated but finally said the girl's name was Gladys, though she didn't know her surname. She added that she worked at the Slingsby mill. She said that she had been sent out, also that she had been off work and had threatened to drown herself. Did she say anybody else could state a like thing? Yes, Mrs. Archer, and the latter, when seen added that Gladys had been turned out of her boarding house. I reported to Chief Slemin and Detective Chapman, and myself were told to go to the mill. Continuing, witness said he went to the mill and asked for Mrs. Archer. We got her name from Mrs. Marlatt. She was asked if she had heard rumors about Gladys, and she said the name was Meredith. She said that she had heard the rumors in the mill. We called on her because Mrs. Marlatt had stated that she could tell the same story as she had. Mrs. Archer repeated the same story as Mrs. Marlatt. We asked for the superintendents, Messrs. Clark and Vary, and asked if they could tell by the books if Miss Meredith had been off work for any length of time. They replied that she was on piece work and that she could perhaps be away and then make up. When you asked for the girl were any objections raised by any one? No, sir. When you saw the girl, did you tell her of the rumors about her that Mrs. Marlatt and Mrs. Archer had told? Did you give her those two names? No. Did she ask for them? No. She denied all the charges? Yes, as to intending to commit suicide, but explained that she had been locked out one night because her uncle thought she had got home too late. We were not satisfied and asked her to go and see Chief Slemin. She said "Yes." Was she calm? Yes. Didn't seem to worry over rumors? No, sir, she said she would go.

Did she ask for anything?

Just for her coat. She also asked to see her aunt and change her clothes. We said "Certainly." Did she ask to see her aunt? I don't remember. She says she did. Well, perhaps she did. How did you depart? Myself with the girl, Chapman stepped behind to chat with a man. I went in the house with Miss Meredith. We tried to find the aunt, but she was not home and nobody knew her whereabouts. He made the remark that Gladys would be back inside of an hour. They then took the car. How did you sit? It is a long car, and I sat at the far end, the girl about the centre, and Chapman stood on the rear platform. There were three other passengers. I saw the girl had no money and gave her ten cents. Miss Meredith said you paid your own fare. That's not right. The police don't pay fares. Ever talk to the motorman? Yes, last week. The motorman approached me and said he was to be a witness. He related the positions on the car just exactly as I have told you. At the police station Miss Meredith was taken to the office and was given a chair. We reported to the chief who asked her to go to his office which she did. Flustered? No. Perfectly cool? Yes, sir. The four of us were in the Chief's room together, chief asked the usual questions. Then he told of the rumors in the Holmedale that she had been stout and been off work and had threatened to commit suicide. She denied everything and explained how she had come to get turned out of her boarding house. The chief asked her if she had heard of the child's body in the river, and she replied "Yes." He asked if she had any cause to threaten suicide, she said "No." You think there is anything the matter with me, call a doctor and have me examined? What did the chief reply? He said—That is a private matter of your own and if there is any examination it will have to be at your own request. Just then the aunt arrived. Myself and the girl went out, and she saw him alone. As far as you are concerned was there any arrest of Miss Meredith? No, sir. Her name put in the book? No, sir. He was there when Dr. Ashton came in; in fact he phoned him to come. He asked what was the matter? Witness replied that a girl was waiting to be examined. Judge—Is that all you told him? Yes, sir. Justice—You swear to that. Yes, sir; that was all. Mr. McCarthy—Tell the doctor who she was? I don't remember. Mr. Godfrey cross-examined Boylan, said: I have done a good deal of detective work. This matter was put in my hands by Dr. Ashton. How about the man in the car? Well he talked and then went to see his wife (laughter). Yes, sir. Did you make inquiry as to where she got her information? She said from rumors in the mill. If you were to find out there was nothing in this case you were going to drop it? Certainly. Ever get on a wrong clue before? Yes, sir. Have you a good memory? Pretty fair. You said Mr. Vary did not give the name of Gladys Meredith. (Continued on Page 10)

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Whatever the outcome of the trial at Simcoe, it is up to the Brantford Police Board, individually and collectively, to be Police Commissioners in every sense of the word, to supervise the department, and to inaugurate a policy which will mean justice to all. The Police Commissioners of Brantford should not offer congratulatory references if at the end of the year a budget of crime is presented in the form of an annual report equalling that of

much larger cities. There is nothing congratulatory about that. Let us have, rather, a city free from convictions and minor prosecutions. That is quite possible without having a whole book which purports to be a record of crime during a twelvemonth.

The Courier wants a clean and a broad city, where not only the rights of an innocent girl are as safe in police hands as in those of her dearest relatives, but where the rights of an individual, be he a business man helping to build up the city or an ordinary pedestrian on the street, are fully protected, in reason and in judgment, from police over-officiousness and a desire to beat all police court records far and near.

The Holmedale case, whatever its result, is not without its lesson. Prudence, respect for individual liberty and rights, even among those not versed in legal procedure, are bound to follow from the High Court action which closed to-day at Simcoe.

WHEN IS OBSTRUCTION JUSTIFIABLE?

Undoubtedly there was some measure of obstruction when the Conservatives forced the Liberals to the country on the question of Reciprocity, no doubt it is and always must be an extreme measure justifiable only under most exceptional circumstances. At the time of the reciprocity debate, the Government had been in power over fifteen years, and it was four years since the previous election. There was no pretence of any mandate to the government from the people on the issue involved. Above and beyond all the issue then at stake was one of international treaty arrangements with the foreign country which could not be lightly interfered with if once approved as a matter of international courtesy, and second the immediate harm brought by such a fundamental upheaval might have been irreparable. These considerations fortify the Conservatives' action, and the country approved their action. Political sagacity may generally be judged in a democratic country by political success. Contrast the Liberal obstruction of to-day. The Conservatives have been in power only eighteen months, and Mr. Borden gave a pre-election pledge that he would do just what the present naval bill proposed, viz: give speedy aid as an emergency aid in whatever form the British authorities desired as most speedily effective and then develop a permanent naval policy without reference to such emergency contribution and not put such permanent policy through the House till he again went to the country on a general election. Therefore he has a natural mandate from the people for this interim emergency grant, no constitutional question is involved. Nothing but the spending during the next three years of \$35,000,000, a large amount, no doubt, but only money after all—just like a three million dollar contract for some public work. Imagine obstructing a government and tying up all other business of the country to stop the building of an expensive bridge.

No, our Liberal friends, you can't justify this obstruction, except by the wilful misstatements of the Globe and interested politicians who deny the Hansard proof fact that Borden is doing just what in 1910 he said that he would do and who are perversely declaring that a temporary emergency cash contribution is a permanent policy.

EDUCATION IN ONTARIO

The average male school teacher in the Ontario public schools after an average experience of twelve years sets an average salary of just \$767 a year, according to the annual report of the minister of education for the past year. And the average female teacher, after teaching for over seven years, receives \$517. Recent computations of a living wage show that both these figures are perilously close to the minimum margin.

In the high schools of Ontario, where more ability and experience are required the situation is only slightly better. The principals of high schools receive on the average only \$1,070, while the average salary of all high school teachers is but \$1,312. During the year there was an increase in salary of \$1 a week. Compared with other professions, this showing is unfavorable. And considering the importance of education, it seems unwise to make such poor provision for educational efficiency.

The report of 700 pages contains much other information of interest. Some of the statistics are peculiarly significant as revealing tendencies not easily noted in any other way. For example, one learns that the av-

erage attendance at school is only 62 per cent of the enrollment. This means in actual figures that was in every school day of the year an army of 206,631 Ontario scholars, for whose education all provision had been made, stayed out of school. It is very apparent that some drastic measures must be taken by the authorities to raise this average to a better figure, and to prevent the waste and loss involved.

The importance of the work of education is shown in the fact that 80 per cent of all the population in Ontario is enrolled in the schools of the province. Over half a million children are directly affected by the educational system. This great army of the impulses that will have large influence in shaping their characters, and that of Canada as well. It is therefore impossible to overlook the greatness of the work carried on by the teachers of Ontario.

One significant fact that appears from the report concerns high school enrollment. It seems that while there is an increase in the public schools of 5,207 pupils in the high schools there is actually a decrease of 385. This can be accounted for only in one way. For some reason there is a tendency to interrupt education at an earlier date than before the child's education stops at the public school. It can only mean that industry is levying toll on the child, at the expense of his education. The boy is being put to work after going to the public school, and is not permitted to avail himself of the higher privileges offered by the province. Considered in connection with recent decisions in the Ontario legislature concerning right to employ children of twelve in the shops, there can be no doubt that here is a question that must be met and answered in accordance with the principals of justice and fair play to the child.

In this connection may be mentioned a book just issued by the Macmillan Co., entitled "All the Children of All the People," by W. H. Smith. In it is advice to broaden the public school curriculum until it fits every individual child. "The school best to give to each child the best education of which that child is capable." While all of this is most true, it is equally apparent that such measures must be taken outside the school as will prevent the child from being forced out of school life prematurely. That is one of the primary duties in regard to Ontario education to-day.

THE NEW MARRIAGE LAWS

Most people believed that drastic changes in the old marriage laws were necessary and Mr. Hanna in his new ones has provided them. It is to be hoped that they will prevent many fulfillments of the old adage "Marry in haste, and repent at leisure." There is no doubt that the sanctity of marriage is not so much regarded as it was in the old days, and quite apart from that anything which will make young people think more of the responsibilities which they are taking upon themselves by getting married must tend to the general good. Therefore it is right that marriage should be hedged around by law with judicious regulations.

Dr. Godfrey has given the subject a great deal of attention, and some of the rules which he suggested have been incorporated in the Government's measure. Particularly was this the case in the amendment calculated to prevent the marriage of mental defectives and of persons under the influence of intoxicating liquor, and to place obstacles in the way of runaway marriages. A penalty of \$500 or imprisonment for a period not exceeding twelve months is provided for the issue of a marriage license, or for a minister who performs the ceremony, if he knows that either of the parties is an idiot, insane or under the influence of intoxicating liquor. It may appear to little hard to place the responsibility upon these men, but it has to be placed on some one; and as they are those most closely connected with it, and moreover make a profit out of it, it seems to be proper and reasonable that they should bear it.

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What the Other Fellow Thinks.

The British Spirit, Ottawa Citizen.

The thing to consider is the spirit of these suffrage women. It is the spirit of the British protest against wrong of which every Briton has boasted for many generations. It is the spirit that has been glorified in the fathers and sons but is now condemned in the mothers and the daughters. And it is a spirit that will persist until victory is won, else all British precedent in human nature and racial characteristic must go for nothing. It is even stronger in the female. This suffrage spirit is irresistible. Nothing can stay it but the satisfaction of its demands. Should Mrs. Pankhurst die under prison treatment, as may be expected, her death will kindle a flame that will sweep the kingdom.

Japanese Immigration.

Ottawa Free Press.—Writing to the Japanese Consul-General on March 5 last, Premier Borden said: "I have the honor to inform you that the Government of Canada has received this reply with the greatest satisfaction." What was the reply? It was a letter from the Japanese Consul-General intimating that his government had no objection to certain legislation proposed by Canada because they "felt assured" that "no discrimination will be made against Japanese subjects" in the matter of immigration.

Ho win the name of all that is honorable the Borden government can hereafter pass any immigration restrictions in regard to the Japanese that do not apply to British and other subjects no thoughtful and unprejudiced student of this correspondence can understand. Premier Borden seems to have tied Canada's hands, and that must be pleasant news to the people of British Columbia who supported him so loyally because they were led to believe by forged telegrams and other means that the Conservative party favored the severe restriction of Japanese immigration.

The Baffled Autocrat.

Toronto Chamberlain, Balfour, Asquith—all try to go through the ordeal of being howled down in the British House of Commons. If Sir Wilfrid Laurier had been howled down in the Canadian House of Commons, Sir Wilfrid's sufferings might have constituted his one point of resemblance to the great leaders who have braved a similar experience at Westminster.

But Sir Wilfrid Laurier was not howled down. The traitor ostles of free speech denied a hearing to Hon. J. D. Haza. The tactics of Hon. R. L. Borden deprived Sir Wilfrid Laurier of nothing but the right to multiply amendments that could make a laughing-stock of the Borden Government and a burlesque theatre of the House of Commons. Chamberlain, Balfour, Asquith, all faced the hostility of their howling adversaries with a fortitude that was in fine contrast to the feeble wailings of the baffled autocrat in the presence of a sudden and unexpected reverse at Ottawa.

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GIVING UP LIVERY BUSINESS.

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W. J. Bragg, auctioneer, has received instructions under a chattel mortgage to sell by public auction on Saturday the 19th inst., on the market square at ten a.m., the goods and chattels following: 3 iron beds with dressers and commodes, extension table, oak velvet covered couch, jewel gas range, writing desk and book case combined, carpet, 2 rugs, dishes, poles, blinds, curtains and other household furniture. Terms, cash.

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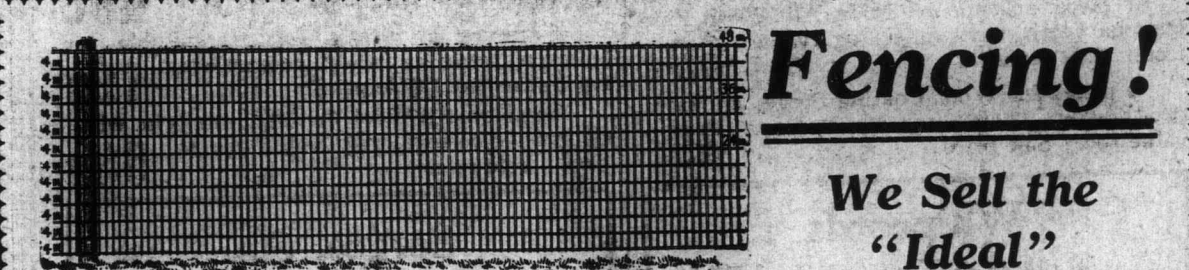
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Fine Time

Banquet Held By The Triangle Club of the Y.M.C.A. Last Night

The Triangle Club of the Y.M.C.A. held its first annual banquet in the club rooms of the "Y" last evening. The fifty young ladies present sat down to a table loaded with good things and beautifully decorated in the club colors, purple and white. Beautiful purple and white flowers and flags were the decorations. Miss Best made a very pleasing toast mistress. The first toast on the list was to the Association, proposed by Miss Goodison, and responded to by Miss Gould. The second toast was to the Club, proposed by Miss Agnew and responded to by Miss Hainer. The third toast was to the Men, which was very ably proposed by Miss Smith and responded to by Miss Lee. Several members of the club assisted in the programme of the evening. Readings were given by Miss Hainer, Miss Gertrude Peckham and Miss Gould. Miss Clinton rendered an instrumental solo and Miss Brownwich a vocal solo. The club, which has only been organized for a very short period of time, has very capable officers. Miss Lulu Hainer is president, Miss Hall, vice-president, Miss Kent, secretary and Miss G. Peckham is treasurer. The club meets at the Y. W. C. A. every first and third Tuesday of the month. They propose having very interesting meetings.

Presentation

At the second anniversary social held at the Gospel Tabernacle, the following address of presentation of purse of gold was made to the pastor, Rev. G. H. North. The address was read by J. H. Teakle and the presentation was made by W. R. Ackers. Dear Pastor and Mrs. North: On this the second anniversary of the Gospel Tabernacle we, the members and adherents of the Tabernacle wish in some measure to show our love and respect for you ask that you accept this purse as a small token.

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Society Notes.

Rev. H. A. Thomas of Beaches, Ont., who has been the guest of his brothers recently returns to his home on Friday.

According to this morning's Toronto papers, the dance given at the arena last evening by the Skating Club, was the dance par excellence of the season, over six hundred guests participating.

The attendance at the Brantford Grand Opera House last evening for the production of De Koven's beautiful opera, "Robin Hood," was certainly a record-breaker. Every seat was taken; all boxes occupied, balcony, gallery and gods all filled to their utmost capacity, clearly demonstrating that when a thoroughly good thing is offered to Brantfordites they are not slow to avail themselves of the opportunity afforded.

THE PROBS.

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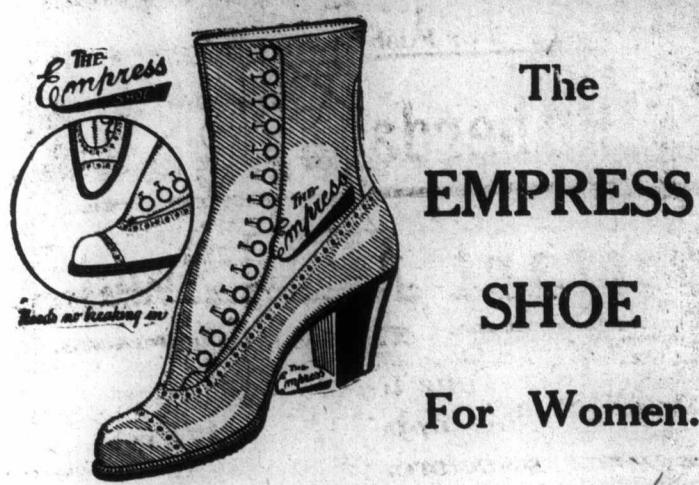
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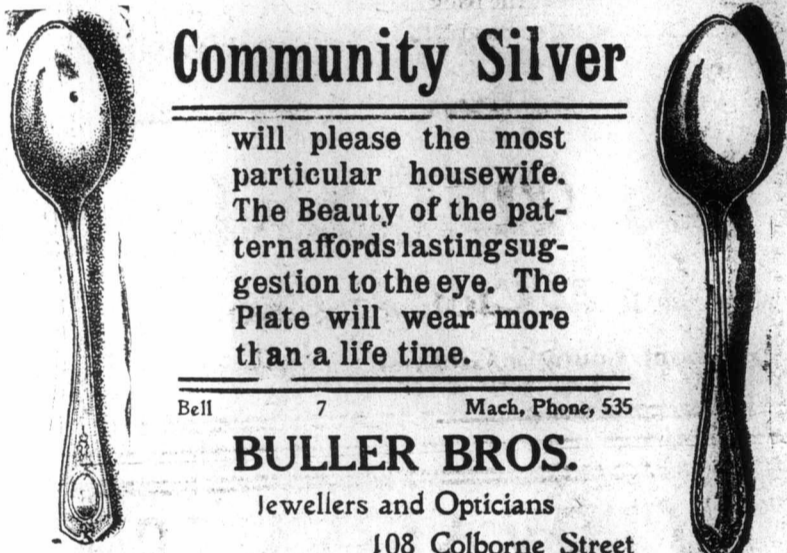
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CITY NEWS ITEMS

All Scots to Meet The All Scots football club will hold a meeting in the Borden Club room on Thursday evening. Temperature Temperature for the last 24 hours. Highest 59, lowest 33. For the same date last year, highest 75, lowest 44. In the City. Representatives of two prospective new industries for Brantford are in the city to-day having a conference with the Greater Brantford Board. Echo Place Improvement Residents and ratepayers of Echo Place are meeting Thursday night at Mohawk Park school to discuss important matters. Received Uniforms Maj. Gordon J. Smith, commander of A Squadron, 25th Dragoons, issued uniforms to a number of recruits at the armories last night. Injured Finger E. Edwards, employed in the malleable department of the Massey-Harris works, had the misfortune yesterday to have the first finger on his right hand injured by a large hammer. First Final The first final for the carpet ball championship will be played to-night by Borden No. 2 and Salisbury, S. O. E., on Salisbury floor. The second game for the Hastings cup will be played Friday night. Received Donation The directors of the Brant Sanitarium were greatly pleased yesterday to receive a donation of \$500 from Mrs James G. Cockshutt. The amount will be applied to the general funds. Joy Riding The actresses and actors of the "Robin Hood" Company took advantage of the very fine weather yesterday, a large number were driving throughout the city. Some were using bicycles to get around our fair city. School Board. As it has been impossible, owing to various causes, to hold the regular monthly meeting of the school board up to this time, the chairman has decided not to call a meeting until Thursday, May the 1st. Caught in Tracks. Mr. T. Martin's one-horse-draw, heavily loaded with stone for Mr. Hill, Colborne street, got caught in the car tracks almost in front of Hill's place of business yesterday afternoon with the result that the front axle was broken. Has Work for Him Capt. M. A. Colquhoun, foreman of the Massey-Harris Company telephoned the Courier last night that he had work for Mr. T. Harry Jones, Sterling street. Mr. Jones wrote to the Courier, stating that he had called at numerous places on Monday looking for work, and he met with no success. Building Permits The following building permits were issued from the city engineer's office to-day: Ivan Denton, one and a half story brick dwelling, Lyon's Avenue, \$1500; J. H. Quinn, brick addition to a brick dwelling on Darling street, \$200; John Coward, a two story brick dwelling on West street, \$2000; Henry Bier, a veneer dwelling, Wellington street, \$750; John McKenzie, brick cottage, Barwell street, \$900; William Sutch, brick cottage, Drummond street, \$1000. A Presentation A very pleasant event took place in the knitting department of the Watson Mfg. Co. last night, when Mr. McKie was the recipient of a lovely Morris chair on the occasion of his marriage. Mr. W. Blues, in a neat little speech, made the presentation. Mr. McKie suitably replied that he has the best wishes of all his fellow workers. Mr. Hammond's Success Mr. J. E. Hammond, formerly manager of the Pratt & Letchworth Co. in this city, who went to Hamilton to become connected with the Hamilton Malleable Iron Works, a company which was formed recently in the city last night and this morning. Mr. Hammond told a Courier reporter of an amalgamation of the Hamilton Malleable Iron Works and the Dominion Steel Castings Co., which is going through. The new company will be known as the Dominion Steel Foundry Co., of which Mr. Hammond will be secretary-treasurer. Mr. C. W. Shennan, formerly connected with the Malleable Iron Works in this city, will be president and general manager. Debate at Y.M.C.A. A debate resulting in a victory for the affirmative on the subject: "Resolved that the franchise should be extended to women on the same basis as to men" was held last evening between the Y.M.C.A. and the W. J. Verity Bible Class of Colborne St. church in parlors. A team, Messrs. C. M. Thompson, Sidney Weir and Ed. Campbell, championed the cause of the suffragettes. The members of the negative side were, Messrs. Russell Frayne, A. Lockington and H. J. Bassett. The judges were Messrs. Herbert Hutton, and Frank Leeming, the latter also acting as critic. The speakers are worthy of much praise for the able manner in which they handled their respective parts. The judges were well prepared and the speakers were certainly worthy of a much larger audience. Mr. Leeming made an excellent critic. Mr. F. W. Thompson occupied the chair.

St. Basil's Green The workmen who are engaged in fixing up the St. Basil's bowling green are making excellent progress. Little One Hurt Irene, daughter of Mr. Alfred Reid Sarah street, was the little girl recently hurt. It was reported that she was the daughter of Mr. Frank Reid. Football Meeting A special meeting of the officers and representatives of the different football clubs in the city league will be held at the Borden club rooms this evening. May Be a Candidate. William Milmine of Burford, is spoken of as a candidate for the office of Clerk of the Township of Burford, made vacant by the death of the late Philip Kelly. Laid at Rest All that was mortal of the late Mrs Esther Willis, whose death occurred at Norwich, was laid to rest yesterday in Mt. Hope cemetery, upon arrival of the afternoon train from Norwich. Telephone City, C. O. E. Court Telephone City held a routing meeting in their lodge room last night, when a number of applications were received and a splendid address given by F. B. Lundy, one of the provincial organizers. Will Debate. The Trinity Church men's association will journey to Paris a week from to-morrow night when they will debate with the St. James Church young men on the question: "Resolved that war is justifiable." Bicycle Party. A large number of the members of the Robin Hood Company who held the boxes at the Grand Opera House last night, had a jolly time out wheeling yesterday afternoon, when every available wheel in the bicycle shops were rented. Hamilton Victorious. Two teams of Brantford Ten Pin Bowlers went down to defeat at Hamilton last night before two teams selected from the International Harvesters Club by a score of seventeen pins. During the three games, George Mathis of this city, rolled up the handsome score of 664 pins. Good Rehearsal. The Alexandra Athletic Club, under the direction of Mr. W. J. Sweetman, held its final rehearsal last night, and proved to be in excellent shape for the concert to be held on Thursday night. This organization has been steadily growing and is now eighteen members strong. No Hotel Entrance. The Brantford License Commissioners have no use for an adjunct. During the rounds made by the Commissioners this week it was discovered that the plans for the new theatre on Dalhousie street, called for an exit from the playhouse to the hotel adjacent. The Commissioners declined to consent to this up-to-date feature of the new playhouse. A Presentation A very pleasant event took place in the knitting department of the Watson Mfg. Co. last night, when Mr. McKie was the recipient of a lovely Morris chair on the occasion of his marriage. Mr. W. Blues, in a neat little speech, made the presentation. Mr. McKie suitably replied that he has the best wishes of all his fellow workers. Mr. Hammond's Success Mr. J. E. Hammond, formerly manager of the Pratt & Letchworth Co. in this city, who went to Hamilton to become connected with the Hamilton Malleable Iron Works, a company which was formed recently in the city last night and this morning. Mr. Hammond told a Courier reporter of an amalgamation of the Hamilton Malleable Iron Works and the Dominion Steel Castings Co., which is going through. The new company will be known as the Dominion Steel Foundry Co., of which Mr. Hammond will be secretary-treasurer. Mr. C. W. Shennan, formerly connected with the Malleable Iron Works in this city, will be president and general manager. Debate at Y.M.C.A. A debate resulting in a victory for the affirmative on the subject: "Resolved that the franchise should be extended to women on the same basis as to men" was held last evening between the Y.M.C.A. and the W. J. Verity Bible Class of Colborne St. church in parlors. A team, Messrs. C. M. Thompson, Sidney Weir and Ed. Campbell, championed the cause of the suffragettes. The members of the negative side were, Messrs. Russell Frayne, A. Lockington and H. J. Bassett. The judges were Messrs. Herbert Hutton, and Frank Leeming, the latter also acting as critic. The speakers are worthy of much praise for the able manner in which they handled their respective parts. The judges were well prepared and the speakers were certainly worthy of a much larger audience. Mr. Leeming made an excellent critic. Mr. F. W. Thompson occupied the chair.

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MUSIC and DRAMA

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WITH THE POLICE

There was a particularly light session at the police court this morning only one drunk appearing; he was allowed to go with the customary warning. Every person is evidently soberly awaiting the results of the Simcoe case. The resultant being a session of inactivity with the police.

Got Stalled

An auto which was conveying Manager Kellett and a Courier representative from Galt last night, got stalled in Green Lane near Paris and the railway magnet and the scribe were forced to walk into Paris and take a Grand Valley car to Brantford much to the disgust of the scribe.

Saw an Eagle

The surveyors on the Lake Erie and Northern Railway stationed at Glen Morris, saw an eagle flying in that vicinity last Saturday and ran back to their shack for a rifle, but before they could get their shooter in action, the bird had flown.

Attawa Wedding

OTTAWA, April 15.—Carroll Colby Aikens, eldest son of late Somerset Aikens, of Winnipeg and Miss Katharine Reed Foster, only daughter of John G. Foster, consul-general for the United States, were married in St. Andrews Church here at noon to-day. The bride, who is a Vassar graduate, is one of the leaders in the capital's social set. They will spend the honeymoon in British Columbia, where Mr. Aikens owns an extensive fruit farm.

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Latest News About Paris

Hapenings in Busy Little Town Gathered For Courier Readers

(From our own correspondent.)

PARIS, April 16.—A wedding of interest to Parisians took place at the Baptist Parsonage in Scotland at high noon to-day when Miss Mary McIsaac, a popular Paris young lady, was united in marriage to Mr. Thos. Snodgrass of Brantford. Rev. Mr. Simmons officiated. The bride was very becomingly attired in a tailored suit of navy blue with large Tuscan hat. She was attended by her sister, Miss Alpha McIsaac, also in navy blue. Mr. Jack McIsaac supported the groom. The popularity of the bride was attested by the large number of presents of which she was the recipient, among others being a handsome pedestal from her friends in the Baptist church here. Mr. and Mrs. Snodgrass will reside in Brantford.

Major W. W. Paterson, who has been writing on the military examinations in Toronto, returned home on Saturday, having completed his final course.

Mrs. R. K. Spiers passed away at her home in Blenheim Township on Monday at the age of 39 years. She had a lot of friends in this vicinity who learned with deepest regret of her untimely death. She had only been ill for a short time. The funeral will be held to-morrow from her late residence to Richmond cemetery.

The Paris Fire Brigade are holding a smoking concert in their rooms this evening. Enchre from 8.30 to 11 p.m.

A number of Paris Oddfellows visited their Brantford brethren on Monday evening.

The drainage system at Paris Junction is giving considerable trouble this spring. A few years ago a drain was put in to carry the water from the neighborhood of the International Harvester Works and other places in that vicinity but it has become clogged. Watts' pond is very high this year and has caused the surplus water to leak through to the town. The drain in some places is eighteen feet underground and any excavating work done soon fills to the top with water. A special meeting of the council will probably be held this week to deal with the matter.

The first sod was turned yesterday for the construction of t. James' Parish Hall.

Mr. Alex. Stewart, Elm street, removed to Hamilton yesterday. Mr. David McNicol has rented his house

and is moving in from Paris Plains.

Bass fishing went out of season yesterday without any of the local anglers getting any spring sport, owing to continued high and dirty water.

The A.Y.P.A. of Grace church, Brantford, visited their sister society the A. Y. P. A. of St. James church on Monday evening. About fifty members of the Brantford society were present. A splendid programme was supplied by the visitors as follows: Piano duet, Misses Maskell and Roberts; solo, Mr. Goldstraw; solo, Miss Austin; violin solo, Mr. Roberts; piano duet, Misses Hill and Clarkson; solo, Miss Maskell; solo, Miss Douglas; piano duet, Misses Maskell and Roberts. A dainty luncheon was served by the members of St. James' and all agreed it was one of the most pleasant evenings in the history of the association.

Asthma Brings Misery, but Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy will replace the misery with welcome relief. Inhaled a smoke or vapor it reaches the very inmost recesses of the bronchial passages and soothes them. Restriction passes and easy breathing returns. If you know as well how this remedy would help you as do thousands of grateful users, they would be a package in your home to-night. Try it.

MIDDLEPORT

(From our own Correspondent.)

The township council held regular session on Monday last at the town hall. Members all present. The contract for the building of the steel bridge near Thomson's, was let to Mr. Vanderlip, Cainsville, who received the contract for building the cement abutment, and the Hamilton Bridge works the steel structure. Quite a number of small bridges and roads were reported out of repair.

The Women's Institute meeting was held this week at the home of Mrs. R. Dougherty. There was a good turnout, and a first class programme was rendered, consisting of a reading by Miss Christina Gervon, and singing by Mrs. Jas. Deagle and daughter Nora. A paper on beautifying homes and country, by Miss Mabel Mulligan, and a paper by Miss Mary McBlain on institute work. An adjournment was made to meet at the home of Mrs. Robert Cook next month.

Quite a number of children are sick with the measles.

Mr. Arthur Mitchell is improving his property by building a fence.

Mr. Jas. Dinsmore is repairing his house recently bought from Miss Norris.

Forty years in use. 20 years the standard, preserved and recommended by physicians for Women's Ailments. Dr. Mantel's Female Pills, at your druggists.

NORTHFIELD CENTRE

(From our own Correspondent.)

Last Sunday being a nice day there was an extra large attendance at church. Rev. Mr. Chrichton conducted the services.

Rev. Mr. Hackett will preach here next Sunday.

The farmers around here who have a bush have pulled up their buckets as the sugar making is at an end for this year.

We hope the weather will settle down now and have what we call the good old spring time.

The Epworth League will be held on Thursday evening. A large attendance is requested.

The Ladies Aid will meet at the church on Wednesday to reorganize.

Everybody is getting their buzzy pile ready for the buzzers who will be around shortly.

Miss Irene Patterson spent over Sunday in Brantford.

Mr. Earl Pettit of Windham Centre spent a few days with his sister, Mrs. W. J. McCormick.

Miss Martha McNally of Zion was home over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Patterson were the guests of Mrs. Geo. Neill last Sunday.

Mr. John Givens and family are quarantined in with the smallpox. We hope they will be around again soon.

The whooping cough seems to be trying to visit some of our homes.

Mr. John Neill is making a decided improvement on his front lawn and also intends putting a new roof on his house. I guess by all appearances bachelorhood will soon be out of existence.

Miss Laura Hemingway spent Sunday with Miss Mary McNally.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Swift were the Sunday guests of Mr. Ambrose Cannel of Mr. Pleasant.

Mr. John Shellington was down to Scotland on business Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Neill were visiting his mother, Mrs. Geo. Armour last Sunday.

The insurance agent was around and insured a number of barns in this vicinity.

Mr. Mark Smith is spending a few days with his brother, Mr. Adrian Smith last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cox of Harley spent Friday evening with Mr. James Clement.

The Sunday school intends to reorganize in about two weeks.

Miller's Worm Powders are a prompt relief from the attacks of worms in children. They are powerful in their action and while leaving nothing to be desired as a worm expellant, have an invigorating effect upon the youthful system, remedying fever, biliousness, loss of appetite, sleeplessness, and other ailments that follow disorders caused by worms in the stomach and bowels.

TYRUS COBB MAKES TROUBLE

So Says President Navin of Detroit Club in Signed Statement To-day.

DETROIT, Mich., April 16.—Discipline, not money, is the all important question at issue in the dispute between the Detroit American League baseball club and its star player, Outfielder Tyrus Cobb, who is now under suspension because he refused the terms of the 1913 contract tendered him by President Navin. The declaration was made by Navin to-day in a signed statement. It is understood that \$2,500 is the amount involved in the monetary dispute. The statement follows: "The difference between Mr. Cobb and the Detroit Baseball Club is not over a matter of money. There are fundamental principles involved, principles of discipline, recognized in all walks of life."

It is conceded by everybody that Mr. Cobb is the best ball player in the world. And Mr. Cobb is also the best paid ball player in the world. But this is not the issue.

"Mr. Cobb did not make baseball, baseball made him. A player cannot be bigger than the game which creates him. To give in to Mr. Cobb now in his present attitude would be to concede that he is greater than the game itself, for he has set all its laws at defiance."

Mr. Cobb, instead of reporting for spring practice and giving the club the benefit of his knowledge and his play, organized a barnstorming team and went through the South starting himself with daily ultimatums to the Detroit club. If Mr. Cobb can persistently defy the laws of the game what effect will he have on the other players and where will his "I-am-above-the-law" theory end? We may as well turn the club over to him and eventually the league."

"If Mr. Cobb doesn't like a room a hotel clerk gives him he quits the club for a week. If he doesn't like what a silly man in the grandstand yells at him, he punches his face, and is again out of the game. He quit the game when we were fighting for a pennant and publicly stated that he would not play with his comrade in left field, D. Jones, on account of some misunderstanding with that player. If he doesn't feel like practicing he stays away from the park. He has grown to believe that his greatness precludes his being a subject to club discipline. I think Mr. Cobb will eventually recognize his fault—until he does there can be no understanding between us."

"He demands \$15,000 for his services, and then he goes to the other end of the country to file ultimatums at me through the public press, proclaiming that no representative of the Detroit club has been sent to talk business with him. Mr. Cobb is an employee of the Detroit Baseball Club; he knows where the office is."

"In the past I have patiently put up with a great deal from Cobb. It has now reached a point where there must be a showdown."

There is more salariness in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. It has been proven, however, to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Halls' Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only Constituent cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred names for its cures in testimonials. Send for circulars and testimonials.

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RANELAGH

(From our own correspondent.)

Begins to look like spring.

Mr. Mingle has a sick horse.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Carpenter and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Utter attended a surprise party at the home of Mr. David Utter at Northfield on Thursday, the 10th, it being his 52nd birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hoggard spent Sunday at Simcoe and Mr. and Mrs. Ames E. Hoggard at Brantford.

Mr. Wilbur Squance spent one evening last week at Mrs. McDonald's.

Mrs. James E. Minshall and son of Burtch, spent last Wednesday at the Post Office.

BETTER THAN SPANKING

Spanking will not cure children of wetting the bed, because it is not a habit but a dangerous disease. The C. H. Rowan Drug Co., Dept. 201, Chicago, Ill., have discovered a strictly harmless remedy for this distressing disease and to make known its merits they will send a 50c. package secretly wrapped, and prepaid Absolutely Free to any of The Courier readers. This remedy also cures frequent desire to urinate and inability to control urine during the night or day in old or young. The C. H. Rowan Drug Co. is an Old Reliable House. Write to them to-day for the free medicine.

Cure all the afflicted members of your family, then tell your neighbors.

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VANESSA

(From our own Correspondent.)

Mr. and Mrs. Walker were the Sunday guests of Roy and Mrs. Jackson, Teeterville.

John C. Lutes and Nathan Proper spent the week end in Hartford with George and Mrs. Lutes.

George and Mrs. Shepherd and children spent Sunday with his parents here.

Robert and Mrs. Shunk of Pleasant Ridge spent Sunday with friends here.

Hamilton and Mrs. Good spent Thursday and Alfred and Mrs. Hill near Northfield.

Leo and Mrs. Dancombe of Wilsenville visited John P. and Mrs. Henry, Tuesday.

George Butler lost a horse one day last week.

Jacob Russell and family moved to their home near Kelvin one day last week.

Mrs. S. Arthur has returned home. She had been staying with her mother, Mrs. John McNelles who is seriously ill.

Ed Lewis of Hamilton was visiting relatives here last week.

Pain Flees Before It—There is none more in a bottle of Dr. Thomas' Electric Balm as a sub-dermal of pain reliever in gallons of other medicine. The public knows this and there are few households throughout the country where it cannot be found. Thirty years of use has familiarized the people with it, and made it a household medicine throughout the western world.

MAIL CONTRACT

SEALING TENDERS addressed to the Postmaster-General will be received at Ottawa until noon on Friday, the 22nd May, 1913, for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails on a proposed contract for four years, viz.:—Quebec, Montreal, St. John, Halifax and Sydney, not later than the 1st September, 1913.

Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed contract may be seen and blank forms of tenders may be obtained at the Post Office of Brantford, Fairfield Plains, and at the office of the Post Office Inspector at London, Ontario. C. ANDERSON, Superintendent.

Post Office Department, Mail Service Branch, Ottawa, April 15th, 1913.

Department of Railways and Canals, Canada.

HUDSON BAY RAILWAY

QUALIFIED TENDERS, addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Tenders for the Hudson Bay Railway," will be received at this office until 10 o'clock on Wednesday, the 10th April, 1913, for one Steel Tug Boat to be delivered at one of the following ports, viz.:—Quebec, Montreal, St. John, Halifax or Sydney, not later than the 1st September, 1913.

Plans and specifications can be seen on or after this date, and full information obtained at the office of the Chief Engineer, Department of Railways and Canals, Ottawa, or at the office of Super. Engr. Quebec Canals, New Birs, Blg., Montreal.

At the office of Intercolonial Railway Agent, 7 Du Fort Street, Quebec.

At the office of Intercolonial Railway Agent, 107 Hollis St., Halifax.

At the office of Intercolonial Railway Agent, 51 King Street East, Toronto.

Contractors are requested to bear in mind that tenders will not be considered, unless made strictly in accordance with the printed forms, and in the case of firms, unless there is attached to the actual signature, the nature of the occupation, and place of residence of each member of the firm.

An accepted bank cheque for the sum of \$5,000, made payable to the order of the Minister of Railways and Canals, must accompany each tender, which sum will be forfeited if the party tendering declines signing into contract for the work, at the rates stated in the advertisement.

The cheque this seal will be returned to the respective contractors whose tenders are not accepted.

The successful tenderer will be held as security, or part security, for the due fulfilment of the contract to be entered into.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

By order,
Asst. Deputy Minister and Secretary,
Department of Railways and Canals,
Ottawa, April 15th, 1913.

Nowadays inserting this advertisement without authority from the Department will not be paid for it.—33228.

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PLAINTIFF'S CASE

(Continued from Page 1)

You were as anxious to get rumors cleared up as anybody? Yes.

Then you did not object to get with Boylan and Chapman? I thought I was under arrest had to go with them. I went over the house to change my coat. I asked for my aunt.

Then we went on the street car. How did Chapman sit? I sat between the two of them. Are you sure? Yes.

Then if people say Chapman on the car platform they are selling the truth? No.

He did not move? No.

Who paid your fare? They did.

How much did they give you? Ten cents.

Then when you got to the station what then? They told me Chief Slemin was to see me.

Then he asked you a lot of questions, such as your age, where came from and others? Yes.

Then what was the first thing said to you? What She Told the Office.

He told me that he had heard rumors that I had attempted to commit suicide.

What did you tell him? I told him that I had not.

Did you tell him you were as to have these rumors cleared in my mind I was.

Did you not tell him so? No.

What did you tell him? I told him I might have said a joke and that might have led to rumors.

Yes.

What did he tell you then? He told me I was charged having attempted suicide.

You did not tell me that but I did.

Then the stenographer must left out of his notes. Did he tell you how, where? No.

No, I told him I had not admitted to commit suicide. Then what? He told me I was accused of being born to a child.

What did he begin with? He began with the question my attempting to commit suicide. You didn't tell me that.

He told me he had heard rumors, and then told me I was charged having attempted suicide. Did he tell you where he heard the rumors? No, he just said I was accused. He never told you were arrested? I thought I was because I was between the two constables.

That is the only reason for believing? Yes.

Is there anything you have ten? I can't remember.

You were anxious to clear self of those rumors? Yes, but I never said so.

Didn't you care? Yes, I denied every one of them.

Did you ask the chief whether Chapman, and he would not that was later on? Did he tell you he was investigating those rumors? No.

What did he want to clear up? Of attempting to commit suicide. Then he said an examination clear you? Yes.

What did you say? Nothing.

Did you object to being examined? No, I thought I was committed. Then you went into another with your aunt? Yes, for about three-quarter hour.

Did you have any conversation with your aunt? No.

Then the doctor came in. Did you know him? No.

Then you went upstairs? Yes.

Did the doctor say anything? Yes; he said "I am Dr. As." Then what? He told me to take down clothes.

Do you remember Dr. Ashing when being examined asked if it was being made with consent? He never asked me that.

Did you take all of your clothes off? Yes.

Dr. Ashton has a different opinion of that. Is your memory? Yes.

Did you see Constable Fe? I do not know him.

He was on the Holmed yet you did not know him? Yes.

Do you remember your name? No.

Did she ask? I don't know.

Did you hear Chapman to show her? No.

Then after a while another came in?

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 16, 1913

PLAINTIFF'S CASE AS WAS FOUGHT OUT LAST NIGHT IN SIMCOE COURT ROOM

(Continued from Page 1) You were anxious to get the rumors cleared up as anybody? Yes. Then you did not object to going with Boylan and Chapman? I thought I was under arrest and had to go with them. I went over to the house to change my coat. They asked for my aunt. Then we went on the street car. How did Chapman sit? I sat between the two of them. Are you sure? Yes. Then if people say Chapman was on the car platform they are not telling the truth? No. He did not move? No. Who paid your fare? They did. How much did they give you? Ten cents. Then when you got to the police station what then? They told me Chief Slemm wanted to see me. How many people did you tell? Then he asked you a lot of questions, such as your age, where you came from and others? Yes. Then what was the first thing he said to you? What she told the officers. He told me that he had heard rumors that I had attempted to commit suicide. Who told him that I had not? I told him that I had not. Did you tell him you were anxious to have these rumors cleared up? In my mind I was. Did you not tell him so? No. What did you tell him? I told him I might have said it in a joke and that might have accounted for rumors. Yes. What did he tell you then? He told me I was charged with having attempted suicide. You did not tell me that before. I did. Then the stenographer must have left it out of his notes. He did tell you how, when or where? No. I told him I had not attempted to commit suicide. Then what? He told me I was accused of having given birth to a child. What did he begin with? He began with the question about my attempting to commit suicide. You didn't tell me that. He told me he had heard the rumors, and then told me I was accused. Did he tell you where he heard the rumors? No. He just said I was accused. He never told you you were under arrest? I thought I was because I was between the two constables. That is the only reason for your believing? Yes. Is there anything you have forgotten? I can't remember. You were anxious to clear yourself of those rumors? Yes, but I never said so. Didn't you care? Yes. I denied every one of them. Did you ask the chief where he got them? No. I did not ask the chief; I asked Chapman, and he would not tell me. Was he later on? Yes. Did he tell you he was investigating those rumors? Yes. What did he want to clear you of? Of attempting to commit suicide and about the baby. Then he said an examination would clear you? Yes. What did you say? Nothing. Did you object to being examined? No. I thought I was compelled to. Then you went into another room with your aunt? Yes, for about three-quarters of an hour. Did you have any conversation except with your aunt? No. Then the doctor came in. Did you know him? No. Then you went upstairs? No. Did the doctor say anything? Yes; he said "I am Dr. Ashton." Then what? He told me to take down my clothes. Do you remember Dr. Ashton stating when being examined that he asked if it was being made with your consent? He never asked me that. Did you take all of your clothes off? Yes. Dr. Ashton has a different impression of that. Is your memory good? Yes. Did you see Constable Felker? I do not know him. He was on the Holmedale beat yet you did not know him? Yes. Do you remember your aunt asking you? No. Did she ask? I don't know. Did you hear Chapman volunteer to show her? No. Then after a while another doctor came in?

Yes, Dr. Palmer. Your aunt's doctor? I do not know. Who called him? I do not know, unless it was Dr. Ashton. Did your aunt call him? Yes. They held a second examination? Yes. Did you take your clothes off? Yes. All of them? Yes. Before both doctors? Yes. Then you came back some days afterwards and got the certificate? Yes. What objection have you to what Chief Slemm said or did? He told me I was accused. Is that all? Yes. And against Dr. Ashton? He examined me. And Dr. Palmer? I have no objections. I think Dr. Ashton authorized him. How many people did you tell? All the people at the house, my two cousins and Mr. Kyte, my cousin's friend. Did you tell Mr. Kyte you would bring an action? No. They came to me. Who are they? The employees at the mill formed a committee. Mr. Kyte being at the head. Then they got a Toronto lawyer? Yes. Are you responsible for the litigation? No. Then your aunt told the story to the others? Yes. Then they came down to the house and my aunt and I told them Dr. Ashton did what he did in a friendly way. Did you know where the rumors came from? No. Do you know now? Yes. Who was it? I was told at the examination the other day—the examination for discovery. Then you valued the certificate? Yes. It clears you? Yes. And you knew that a medical examination would clear you? Yes. That ended the cross examination of the plaintiff. Mrs. Emby. Mrs. Emby, the aunt said that Gladys at the time prior to the trouble lived with her. The first sign there was of apprehension was when she saw her niece between two officers on a car. Gladys waved to her and she took the next car to the police station. She was asked to take a seat. Boylan remarked, "It will not be many minutes before Gladys is out." She understood that her niece was there with regard to a baby found in the river. Witness showed signs of collapse, and the judge called for a chair and a glass of water. He also ordered the examination to stop until she felt better, which was done. Resuming witness said that she told the chief that all the rumors were a lie, just as much as they would be with regard to his own wife or daughter if he had them. He asked if she had been stouter in the summer and she said "no." He asked if there had been the birth of a baby; she said "no," and for sufficient reasons knew that to be a fact. The chief said that to clear the reputation of Gladys she must be examined by a doctor. She said that would be a sham. Did you ask for an examination? No. Ever ask for one. Did Gladys ever threaten suicide? Well, one night she threatened to. The judge: Oh, don't go into that. Late at night my husband locked the door. Then she cried out that she would drown herself. When Dr. Ashton arrived at the police station what did he do? He said: "Girlie, come along." Did he ask your permission? No. At any time? No. Did you know what trouble the girl was supposed to be in? Not until the chief told me and Dr. Ashton after the first examination said she would have to go under the X Rays. Sure about that? Yes; and I again said it was a shame. Did you consent to a second examination? No. Not at any time? No. Mr. Dr. Ashton after the examination said it was impossible for my niece to have had that baby, and I thanked him. Cross examined. Gladys was locked out one night? Yes. When? On a Sunday morning at 1.25. How long did she stay away, until the following Friday, but she came in for meals. Who locked her out? My husband. Did she cry out? Yes; she said if I did not let her in she would drown herself. When was that?

About a week before the baby was discovered. She came right along for meals but not to sleep. I first saw her on a street car after this incident. Between two policemen? Yes. Did you recognize the back of their heads? No. She waved her hand and they turned to see to whom, and I recognized them. At the police station were you offered a chair? Yes; after I had said who I was. I was asked if I had heard about the dead baby and I said "yes," he supposed you know what Gladys is here for and I replied that was what I had come to see. The chief answered that it was giving birth to a baby, putting it in the river and threatening to drown herself. I denied it and he said she must be examined by a doctor. I said it was a shame. Did the chief phone Dr. Ashton while you were there? No, sir. Had Gladys been stouter and threatened suicide? No, sir. No six except as far as I have told with regard to the suicide threat. If as her aunt, you had been asked for an examination to clear her reputation would you have objected? No. If Dr. Ashton had told you that it was necessary for the sake of the girl, would you have agreed? Certainly. Did you say anything to prevent the examination of the girl? No. Did you make a protest to Dr. Ashton? No. Did you attempt to go into the girl's room? No. You say that Dr. Ashton said he would make an X-Ray examination? Yes. Swear to that? Yes. You said nothing to Dr. Ashton in objection? No. Did you make any objection to the second examination? No. You sanctioned information to Brantford paper? Yes. Mr. Varey Testifies. Mr. Varey, superintendent of the Mill testified that the two constables had come there and asked about Gladys. He said he sent for the foreman. They were asked as to the time off for her and figured it at one and a half days—Labor day and a half day afterwards. In response to enquiry they told the officers they had seen nothing wrong with the girl. Mrs. Archer. Mrs. Archer also works in the Mill and said that she had been questioned by the officers and told them she had seen nothing wrong with the girl. Cross-examined. Gladys boarded with you after the law suit? Yes. When did she leave her aunt and come to you? I don't know. You suggest it? No, sir, she did. Ever discuss this case with her? No, sir. Is it possible that two women can live together when one is concerned in a case and not discuss it? Neither of us spoke about it, sir. Mr. McCarthy: That will do. Miss Wilson Cross. A cousin, during examination, said that Policeman Boylan had warned her, "Don't open everybody's mouth. She was engaged to Mr. Kite. Why did Miss Meredith leave the house you were both boarding in? Because we couldn't agree. "No, never this case?" No, sir. The Judge: Oh, don't go into that. Boylan told her that Gladys would have to go to the station to clear herself. Mr. Clark. Mr. Clark, assistant superintendent at the mill, said he remembered the day the two constables called at the mill. Chapman and Boylan asked many questions, including if they had noticed Gladys presenting any symptoms that she wasn't a steady girl. He replied with an emphatic "No." But they asked him to see Gladys. She was not at her work at the moment, but he thought she would be back, and told them so and they asked him to see that she didn't get out of the factory. Both officers did that, and soon Gladys came in, and he told her she was wanted in the office and accompanied her there. He remarked: "Here is the girl you were asking for. Can I be of any further service?" They said "No," and I went out. Witness was cross-examined very closely with reference to the tab kept on girls in the mill. He warned Gladys to be careful what she said and to speak the truth. Mr. H. Andrews. He was a motorman. He remembered the afternoon of the 5th of November. Gladys Meredith, Detective Chapman and Constable Boylan boarded his car. The girl sat between the two officers. Cross-examined. Previously you said Chapman was on the rear end smoking a cigar.

Defence Says That There Was No Conspiracy At All

(Continued from Page 1) March. He called on Mrs. Marlatt and was told that a girl named Gladys had been stouter in the summer, and been turned out of her boarding-house and had threatened suicide. Unfortunately, a little earlier a girl from his same mill had committed suicide. The police naturally acted. They had no idea what clues they could find in such cases. A Mrs. Archer was also named as able to confirm what Mrs. Marlatt said. Chief Slemm very properly ordered the investigation to be continued. There was no objection to that or to the inquest by the corner or anything else up to this time. The next thing was the conduct of the police. The two men went to headquarters at the mill. There was no subpoena and no warrant. They had not been advised of her name. That was important, because in the box Mrs. Archer swore she had never heard any rumors, and also swore that her lawyer did not know what she would say in the case. If any lawyer did not know her name, it was very much surprised that was all. He didn't believe that his learned friend would ever do such a thing as that. It was claimed that giving his name was not in interest in the case. Why, the man was chairman of a committee for the girl. Then as to Mr. Varey. It was said that he had no interest. Well, mill hands were hard to get, and it was advisable to stand back of them. As to the claim that Miss Meredith had remembered that she had seen the girl, she could not be found, had probably skipped. Well, how many of the jury in their lives had said, "You must have seen me coming." The girl absolutely denied a threat to commit suicide, but she admitted to the officers that she had thrown herself in the river. She was made only in a joke. The officers had told her who they were, and of the rumors, and there never was anything more than an investigation. There never was any arrest. Here the stories differed. She said the officers remarked, "You are wanted. Come and see the Chief." They say the language was, "You are asked to see the Chief." He couldn't see much difference. She was courteously treated throughout. If there was any arrest, but his Lordship would direct regarding that. What had Dr. Ashton to do with that alleged arrest, and under the pleadings all four were grouped together. Dr. Ashton had no more to do with that than either of the other two. The girl never objected to going to the station. She expressed her willingness and wanted to clear herself of rumors. She didn't protest to Clark or Varey, and only asked for her coat. The officer boy, like an attorney, was square, but he was a rat, and the two officers, but the evidence showed that Chapman had lighted a cigar and later chatted with a sewer laborer, who told him to get in the trench and take some of his fat. He was the girl's request to be taken to her aunt. That was readily agreed. In any event, what had either Ashton or Slemm to do with this phase of matters, and all four defendants were joined together in the action. The girl made no protest, nor the mill foreman, nor Mr. Kite, who was in the house—not a word. She changed her clothes and willingly jumped on the street car with the officers. One paid her fare. That was one little point to make believe she was under arrest. Boylan did a kindly act. She swore he paid up on the car. As a matter of fact, the police did not have to pay, and who would pay if they hadn't? A small incident, that, tending to show the unreliability of the girl. She swore the constables were one on each side of her. They swore differently. As to the police station. Chapman and Boylan at this point practically dropped out, and the Chief for the first time came in. There was no arrest, and her name was not even entered in the book. Remember, on the way up on the car the girl waved her hand to her aunt. No request to stop the car or anything like that. At the office the Chief went over with her certain rumors, which she denied and said, "If you have any doubt about my condition, let me be better have me examined." She says Slemm said she had to be. Now, gentlemen, every officer knows that he has no right to force a physical examination. Would Chief Slemm with all his experience do that? He assuredly not. And where did Dr. Ashton come in here? He was out on his calls and didn't even know Miss Meredith. Is the doctor an arch-fiend that while attending patients he was leading this alleged conspiracy. The aunt in the case had consented to a medical examination to clear rumors. Was that honest? Because she wasn't asked to have the name of her niece clear money was now demanded for the clearing. The girl also admitted that it was in her mind that she wanted her character cleared. If Dr. Ashton had reported adversely to the girl, all that would have been done was a summons for an inquest, and then she would have been subjected to cross-examination by the Crown Attorney. There had not been one sign of any arrest, and all this time, mark you, Dr. Ashton and one of the defendants, did not know a thing of what had occurred. Then why did he leave an office full of patients to examine the girl except at her request? And when he arrived he asked if she wanted same doctor to examine her. He wasn't trying to accuse the girl, but to help her. He was her defender to make her reputation. There was a second examination with another doctor, and then a certificate of impossibility as to her motherhood. Did she like conspiracy? The girl swore that Dr. Ashton made her absolutely strip at both examinations. He swears he didn't. Which do you believe? And if not the girl, what else can you credit of what she has stated. The doctors cleared her character as far as the birth of the dead child was concerned. It was true that Dr. Ashton drew up a certificate exonerating her as one "who was accused." This phrasing was because of the statement of the aunt as to her fears. He wanted to emphasize the fact that the girl and her aunt were shrewd enough on all technical points to try and prove an arrest. On such points they differed with all other witnesses. Remember, you are not trying one man, but four. They must stand or fall together under the plaintiff's made-up action. My learned friend, at the close of the plaintiff's evidence, admitted that there was no conspiracy. If there wasn't, what case has she? He may claim one, because she couldn't perceive or how such an intelligent jury could give them. What about that? She had not lost her position or been pointed at or spurned, and there was the fact that women in the mill admitted they had heard rumors, and what woman knew any one very soon knew. As for Dr. Ashton, instead of defaming the girl, he had done his very best to help her.

THE JURY SWORN IN

The following were the jury sworn in in the Holmedale case: Rufus Reach, Windham, farmer. Carl C. Wilson, Charlotteville, farmer. Chas. Hutchinson, Port Rowan, lumberman. Albert Howick, North Walsingham, farmer. John Harris, Townsend, farmer. George Laing, Charlotteville, farmer. Emerson Brown, Port Rowan, farmer. J. Garvin, North Walsingham, farmer. Fitzmaurice Dean, farmer. Augustus Jacques, Simcoe, manufacturer. Noel J. H. Green, Simcoe, merchant. Ashton Summers, Townsend, farmer.

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(Continued from Page 1.) an arrest, that Miss Meredith had seen told that she must see the Chief. Suppose the girl, when in company of the two officers, had attempted to run away would they have grabbed her? What did the jurors think about that probability? Then there was the remark, when Miss Meredith was temporarily absent, that she must have seen them and slipped, and she had requested to have the rear door watched. What was her consent for? Why wasn't she allowed to get herself out of a runaway, and why did Boylan go with her to the aunt's house? Wasn't she under arrest? Then why did the constables stick to her throughout? And the crew on a street car said she was paraded throughout in the company of two policemen and yet was not under arrest? As to the police building, could she have looked out of there unnoticed in the mills since she was twelve years of age, with small education. She came to Canada on the death of her father to get more wages to help her mother. 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WOMAN WHAT SHE IS DOING

Items of personal and social interest will be gladly received by the writer of this column, by mail or over special Courier telephone 1781. Address communications to Society Editor, the Courier.

Receiving on Thursday. Mrs. Norman Andrews. Mrs. J. Baker. Mrs. T. H. Bier. Mrs. B. C. Bell. Miss Biscoe.

The Misses Broeke. Mrs. G. W. Barber. Mrs. Cleghorn. Mrs. Frank Cockshutt. Mrs. E. C. Crompton. Mrs. Coyne.

Mrs. Charles Duncan. Mrs. E. W. Dunne. Mrs. T. Pissette. Mrs. T. Foster. Mrs. J. A. Fux.

Mrs. E. D. Henwood. Mrs. A. E. Harley. Mrs. George Hatley. Mrs. F. A. Howard. Mrs. Wellington Hunt.

Mrs. James B. Hay. Mrs. G. Hay. Mrs. W. T. James. Mrs. M. E. Long. Mrs. John Marquis.

Mrs. M. Macpherson. Mrs. W. E. Mann. Mrs. M. F. Muir. Mrs. J. S. Macdonald.

Mrs. Cummings Nelles. Mrs. Huron Nelles. Miss Perley. The Misses Philip.

Mrs. E. W. Robertson. Miss Reding. Mrs. A. L. Vanstone. Mrs. C. F. Verity.

Mrs. P. E. Verity. Mrs. W. J. Verity. Mrs. J. T. Wallace. Mrs. T. A. Wright. St. Jude's Rectory.

Mrs. George D. Walt. Mrs. James Wilkes. Mrs. A. J. Wilke. Mrs. P. Wood. Mrs. J. M. Young.

Mr. Jack Towers has returned from Midland. Mrs. A. E. Watts and Miss Marion Watts, William Street, spent yesterday in Toronto.

Mrs. J. P. Temple is in Hamilton at present, and will not receive on Thursday, April 17th.

Mrs. Stewart Sanderson and Miss Gladys Sanderson, leave this evening on a trip to Chicago.

Mrs. Eddy of Winnipeg, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. D. T. Williamson, Dufferin Avenue.

Mrs. Tom Foster, Pearl Street, who has been spending the past month in Toronto, returned home last evening.

Mrs. David Wright, Brant Avenue, was a Brantford visitor in Toronto yesterday.

Mrs. (Dr.) Logan arrives in the city from Chicago to-day and will be the guest of her daughter, Mrs. C. H. Waterous and Mr. Waterous, at "The Gables," for a few weeks.

A meeting of the officers and executive of the Ladies' Golf Club has been called for Thursday afternoon, to be held at the home of the president, Mrs. H. R. Yates, "Wynarden," at three o'clock.

An Afternoon Tea, under the auspices of the Ladies Aid of Balfour Street Church, is being held at the residence of Mrs. John Wilde, Brant street, on Thursday afternoon, April 17th.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Turnbull and Mr. Fred Heyd, who have been wintering in California, are at present in Vancouver, making their return to Brantford via the coast.

Mrs. E. L. Gould, Darling St. is another donor to the Tuberculosis Hospital. Mrs. E. C. Ashton, as regent of the Brant Chapter, I. O. D. E., having received from her one dozen and a half table napkins for the Sanatorium.

Mr. W. A. Howard left for Portland, Oregon, (last evening).

Mr. Smith (formerly with Taylor & Taylor) and Mrs. Smith, left this morning on a trip to Calgary.

Mr. Schultz, of the Brantford Autocycle Company, arrived from Detroit this morning. Mr. Hawkins and Mr. Rowell are still in Detroit.

Mr. Charles Crawford has severed his connection with Howie and Feely to accept a remunerative position in Regina. His many friends will wish him success in his new field.

Mrs. J. M. Young, 63 Charlotte street, will receive on Thursday, 17th April, and not again this season, Mrs. R. W. Eates of Toronto, receiving with her.

Word comes of the serious illness at St. Mary's hospital in Minnesota, of Mrs. Arthur Murphy of Edmonton, better known as "Janey Canuck." An operation has been performed, but her condition is reported as serious.

The following is the ladies list of officers for the Lambton Golf and Country Club, Toronto, for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. R. R. Comarty; secretary Miss Irene Gage; executive committee, Mrs. George Heintzman, Ms. George Robinson, Mrs. P. E. Doolittle; captain, Miss L. Hart.

The Equal Franchise Club of Brantford sent letters to Sir James Whitney, Premier of Ontario, and W. S. Brewster, Esq., M.P.P., expressing their disappointment at the defeat and withdrawal of the recent Woman's Suffrage Bill before the Ontario Legislature. They have also written to N. W. Rowell, K.C., leader of the Opposition, asking what stands he takes upon this important question.

Annual Meeting of the Woman's Musical Club. The annual meeting of the Woman's Musical Club was held in the Public Library, Saturday afternoon, April 12th, 1913, when a most successful year was reported. Votes of thanks were tendered the retiring president, Mrs. C. C. Fissette and the executive. The retiring president also thanked the executive for their earnest support in the work of the club during the past season, and wishing the club every success in the ensuing year under the new officers. After the reading of the secretary's and treasurer's report the election of officers for 1913-14 took place and resulted as follows:—

Honorary President—Mrs. C. C. Fissette. President—Mrs. A. T. D. Briggs. First Vice-President—Mrs. E. B. Crompton. Second Vice-President—Mrs. Logan Waterous. Secretary—Mrs. Cutcliffe. Treasurer—Mrs. Percy Foulds.

Secretary's Report, 1912-13. April 12, 1913 marks the closing of the ninth year in the history of the Brantford Women's Musical Club. From the beginning, the club has steadily progressed, and this season in its turn has shown many signs of activity and progress by its increased membership.

Eleven programmes have been given during the year, two being Artists' Days which have been very profitable and beneficial and much appreciated by all present. On December 20th, first Artist's day was very fortunate in securing Miss Ada Twoby of Toronto Conservatory of Music, who with Miss Twoby gave us much pleasure in listening to a delightful programme. On February 21st, Miss Estelle Carey was the artist chosen and needless to say her numbers were thoroughly enjoyed. November 30th our club journeyed to Galt and were guests of the Saturday Symphony club and spent a most enjoyable afternoon, our club supplying the programme on that occasion. Then on March 7th, we had a return visit from the Galt Club, they too supplying the programme. After the programme for the afternoon, our Galt friends were entertained at afternoon tea at the home of Mrs. C. W. Aird.

Women who constantly wear veils suffer in time from deterioration of the features. This was the statement made recently by Sir John Cockburn, M.D., speaking at the Royal Sanitary Institute, London, England. Sir John said he wanted to make a crusade against women's veils. Nothing was more beautiful than the human face divine, while veils had awful spots making women look as if they had black eyes and fearful grimaces.

A Woman's Tongue. Rev. A. L. Snider delivered his celebrated lecture, "A Woman's Tongue" in the auditorium of Balfour street Methodist church last evening. The lecture was under the auspices of the Ladies Aid. When Rev. Snider had finished lecturing last night, he had delivered his lecture three hundred and one times. Everybody laughed, not one, and nobody went to sleep during the lecture. Rev. Mr. White was chairman for the evening.

A Coming English Sport. The Bedfordshire (Eng.) Times and Independent informs us the coming sport for girls in England is to be the throwing of the javelin. It is a sport to which American girls have been devoted for some time, as many of our young men can testify. Coupled with directions for throwing the javelin, the Bedford Times gives the "word of

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SECOND SECTION

THE

Resignation

The President declined to have a chance to hold a post-victory over the world's champion yesterday. Keating, the Highlander's recruit pitcher, twirled in form after the first inning. Chas. played a star game at second base making his best assist of the season as shortstop.

In Big League

BOSTON, April 16.—Hits for the bra bases gave New York a 3 to 0 victory over the world's champion yesterday. Keating, the Highlander's recruit pitcher, twirled in form after the first inning.

Another for Walsh

ST. LOUIS, April 16.—Chicago defeated St. Louis yesterday 5 to 3. Walsh, although hit hard at times, held the locals safe when they had an opportunity to tie the score.

Naps Blank the Tigers.

CLEVELAND, April 16.—Falkenberg, secured this spring in Cleveland from Toledo, shut out the Tigers yesterday, while Cleveland's sure eleven hits off Boehler, a won 9 to 0. Boehler a recruit, will hit, hitting three men and giving passes to six. Score—

Exhibition Results.

At Providence—Brown Univer. 7, Providence (I. L.) 0. At Worcester—Worcester (N.E.) 3, Montreal (I.L.) 1.

Rowan to Manage White Caps.

PETERBORO, April 16.—Dr. Rowan of Toronto, who managed Peterboro' White Caps part of last season, has accepted the management of the team this season instead of John Barthold, who was appointed early this year and released on account of ill-health.

ROYAL 15 QUE. Is now open. The tainable, and our Open from 10:00 a

Evidence in Holmedale Case

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Three or four days ago you were under examination that Mr. Varye told you her name.

He mentioned Gladys.

You swear Mrs. Marlett gave you that? You still think you have a good memory?

Don't you think you have made other mistakes?

I don't think so?

When you went to the mill what did you ask?

How long Gladys had been out of work?

Did you put the question. Has Miss Meredith been long enough off work to have the child?

No?

You didn't?

No sir.

That's just the question an intelligent officer would have put. What information were you after if not that about the child?

Witness hesitated, and the judge ordered him to make answer.

No, you're on the inquest?

Yes.

How much did the dead baby weigh?

Eight or ten pounds.

You are a married man?

Yes, sir.

How long did Mr. Varye say that the girl had been off work?

Well, the judge's matter remained. Well, a threat to commit suicide is not a crime is it?

Didn't know, sir.

Didn't Mr. Varye tell you that Gladys Meredith, as far as he knew, was steady and reliable?

Yes, sir.

How long did you see the girl's aunt because she suggested it?

Did you want to see the aunt yourself?

Yes, sir.

What for?

To ask about the stories.

Now then, why did you want to take that girl to the station?

Two people reported her stout and threatened that she had to commit suicide.

How would taking her to the station help that ever if true?

I wasn't prepared to take it upon myself to accept her explanations.

What about the examination?

The girl asked for it.

No explanation to the doctor at all?

No, sir.

You don't pretend you had any grounds to arrest that girl?

We didn't arrest her at all.

Had you seen any justification for arrest?

No, sir.

Re-examined: Had you ever any thought of arrest?

No, sir.

Any orders to that effect from the chief?

No, sir, arrest never mentioned. He was entered in the books?

No, sir, not a line.

Court Adjourned.

At 6 p.m. his Lordship adjourned court until 7.30. Detective Chapman, when he resumed, said: "The girl was temporarily out of her room.

Any suggestion by you or Boylan to watch that she didn't go out the back door?"

No, sir.

What questions were asked?

I told her who I was and who Boylan was. We told her of certain rumors. She replied, denying all rumors regarding the fact that she was locked out of her boarding house one night. She said her uncle got angry and she stayed away one week.

Did you ask about the week?

Yes. She stayed that time in order to pay a week's board. It was principally on the question of threatening suicide that we had the investigation and asked her to go up and see the chief.

What did she say?

She said she would go.

Any pressure used?

No, sir.

Any sign of nervousness or distress?

No, sir, none at all; she seemed to take the whole thing in a jocular way. After leaving the mill I stepped behind and lit a cigar, and later spoke to a man digging a sewer.

What did he say?

He replied he would like to have me down in the hole to reduce some of my fat.

Mr. McCarthy—Possibly the heat of this court-room will have that effect.

The judge nodded assent.

Where were you on the car?

On the rear vestibule.

Did you sit down?

Never sat down on any car in my life.

Pay any fare?

The police don't have to pay any fare.

You were in the room with the chief when the girl arrived?

Yes.

What happened?

He asked her name, age and residence?

No, sir.

What the chief asked her was in regard to rumors. She stated, "If you think there is anything wrong with me, send for a doctor."

The chief replied, "As far as an examination is concerned, that has nothing to do with us, but you can do as you like." The aunt came and the girl went out. The chief asked the aunt about the girl, and she said she knew there was nothing wrong about her.

The aunt said, "To clear the matter up we had better have her examined." The chief asked, "What doctor?"

She said she didn't care, but the coroner, Dr. Ashton, would do. He, the witness, looked up Dr. Ashton, number for the chief, while the aunt was present. The aunt informed the police that she was perfectly willing

to do the best for the girl. He left the room before the aunt. He told the doctor where the girl was. He asked if there was a private room and was told that there was one in the Children's Court. Witness noticed a window leading on to the telephone company's roof so he and the doctor and himself secured a tarpaulin. Before he went into the room the doctor said to Miss Meredith, "I understand that this examination is at your own request. Miss Meredith replied, "Yes."

You were present and heard that?

Yes, sir.

You went down to the general office.

Yes.

Did Miss Meredith and her aunt ask you to escort them to Dr. Ashton?

Yes, sir.

Contempt of Court.

M. Gimby—You're a liar!

His Lordship—Where is that man who made that remark; remove him instantly?

Two constables stepped forward and seized Gimby. Just as he was about to be ejected, it was announced, "Bring him here."

To Mr. Gimby—"Have you been drinking, sir?"

"No but that man is a liar."

The Judge—"Have you any apology to make Gimby, who are you?"

"I beg your pardon, if I have offended you I have an apology to make."

The Judge—"Take this man to the cells and keep him there until this time to-morrow for the contempt he has shown this court."

Grimby was then removed by two officers.

Chapman's cross examination was then resumed.

Why did you think that this girl might have been the mother of that child when at the mill you were told that she had not been away from work for at the most two or three days?

I can quote two cases of girls of that age being mothers and going on with their work.

But you went on with the threatened suicide end of it and that was the only claim you had.

The witness hesitated.

The Judge—Surely the whole case was with regard to the motherhood of that child.

Witness—Yes.

Gladys wanted to be examined?

Yes.

Later she and her aunt asked for you when you called for her and 18 year old factory girl and not well educated.

Did you tell her that she had her rights?

Yes, sir.

Did you tell her that she didn't need to go along unless she liked?

No, sir.

Was that a fair thing?

The Judge—What difference does that make?

Continuing Mr. Godfrey asked—Did she seem upset?

No, quite happy.

Why did you remain in the station during the examination of Miss Meredith? Was it idle curiosity?

Perhaps; yes.

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Cross Examined.

Cross examined by Mr. Godfrey.

The girl and the aunt say you demanded an examination?

No, sir.

You say that the evidence is untrue?

No, sir; not that, but incorrect.

In all your experience did you ever have a young girl examined before? I didn't this time; she asked for it. Did you ever know of a similar experience?

No.

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Lady Marjorie's Love

Her surprise, though so openly displayed, was nothing to the girls. Marjorie gazed back at the beautiful unknown face in sheet amazement. "I—I beg your pardon!" she said blankly, stammering.

"Nay, I should beg yours." Recovering herself, the other withdrew a little. "Pray excuse me!" she said, with a faint smile. "I was so much surprised at seeing you there, close by, when I thought myself alone, that I spoke your name without thinking. She hesitated. "I am, I trust, not trespassing here?"

"Certainly not!" Marjorie answered promptly. "She too recovered herself and spoke in her coolest, prettiest way. The charm of the sweet, refined voice was as potent as the charm of the beautiful face, and completed a sort of fascination over her. "Please don't apologize," she said smiling. "I was a little surprised when you called me by these names, that's all." She insisted in her turn. "I'm afraid I must be very forgetful!" she said, with a little regretful shake of her head. "For of course, if you know me, I ought to know you, and I fear I don't at all."

"I should be glad if you did," the other answered quietly. "You have never before seen me to my knowledge, but it chances that I have seen you."
"Indeed?" Marjorie wrinkled her brows. "Oh, in London, perhaps?" she hazarded, with a sudden thought. "I had forgotten that." The thought produced another. "I suppose," she suggested, "that it is Lady Marjorie the Countess, whom you wish to see?"

"No, I have no acquaintance whatever with Lady Marjorie. I—I came—" She checked herself. "I thought," she said abruptly—"I understood that the Countess had left the Castle?"
"No, although she will do so in a few days now." With her questioning look of wonder Marjorie stiffened for what had Castle Marling and its affairs to do with this stranger? And yet why not? Were they not common property—the theme of gossip for any idle and carping tongue, she thought miserably. "Were Lady Marlingford not here all, I should not be," she said aloud and coldly.

"True, I should have understood." The woman drew back a pace. "Pray pardon me, Lady Marjorie!" she said, her voice falling into a tone sufficient for her belief in the girl's look had been so expressive enough, but for believing that yourself and the Countess had quitted Castle Marling I should not be here."
She would have turned away, but Marjorie stopped her. In her impulsive and changeable little way she softened. "After all, it was rather absurd to be angry because this beautiful woman knew what every ploughboy in Upton Waters knew—that she, Marjorie Wynne, had no other acquaintance with you to suggest that I was not here," she said, "and I quite understand you wish perhaps to see the present owner of the estate, Mr. Chadburn?"

"Mr. Chadburn? Mr. Chadburn is not here?"
The voice rose sharply, frightenedly; the beautiful face had turned white, the hand caught Marjorie's arm. Startled and wondering, she drew herself away; her anger

was quite gone now, lost in interest and curiosity. Mr. Chadburn was a more or less objectionable person, though in less degree than she had been at first disposed to consider, but he surely was not the kind of person likely to frighten anybody. "No, no," she said hastily. "Mr. Chadburn is not here, although I believe that he is expected shortly. A person who is here in charge for him—a kind of agent, would be the best to tell you when."
"An agent?" repeated the lady faintly.
"Yes," Marjorie hesitated doubtfully, feeling that this was the very groping in the dark most unsatisfactory. "If—if you have any business connected in any way with—the estate," she said, with halts and pauses between the words, so perplexed was she, "I thought I expected—Barrington?" He acts in every way for Mr. Chadburn, and is entirely in his confidence, I believe. If you care to go to the house and enquire, no doubt you will find him in. I have not given you a name to ask for."
"Barrington?" The large gray eyes widened with a startled look, the brows above them knitted in a perplexed frown. "I—I did not know," she said swiftly and involuntarily, "that he was here. I had no idea of it. I thought I expected—Marjorie?" She checked herself abruptly. "Pray pardon me, Lady Marjorie, are you quite sure of the name? Barrington?"
"Of course I am sure—quite sure! I assure you there can be no doubt whatever about this person's name. Marjorie wondered at the other's mode of calling Mr. Chadburn's agent a person was at the moment the stronger sensation of the two. She blushed over doing it to be sure, but that was nothing. "I am quite sure," she said, "for he told me his name himself—Gerard Barrington."
"I—I think I have heard the name. I—I believe I have heard him," the lady answered at once hurriedly and confusedly. "Let me thank you for answering my questions, Lady Marjorie, but should I have spoken to you when I saw you if I had given myself time to think, but I am glad I did so now. I have always hoped, since I first saw you, that I might know you one day. Good-bye! Perhaps before long—"
She abruptly stopped herself both in the words and in the act of turning away. "Will you shake hands with me dear?"
The tone, the gesture, were pleading; the grand gray eyes suddenly inexplicably were wet. Entirely under the spell of her beauty again, the girl was too surprised to do anything but hold out her hand. The other quickly took it, bent and kissed her cheek with a movement as swift, and without any further word of farewell turned away. Her graceful black figure moved rapidly down the path and was lost among the trees. Marjorie stood watching after it, wide-eyed and wondering.

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Pistols

By HOWARD L. RANN

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Pistols are bought in large quantities by timid husbands who take them home in order to discourage burglars from entering and carrying off the hall clock. The pistol is then hidden in the lower right hand drawer of the library table, where the husband can't get at it without attacking the burglar with his bare hands. This is done so that the children can't get hold of it and allow it to explode in the general direction of their cuticle.

Pistols are called concealed weapons because the contents are usually concealed in somebody else. Owing to some very stringent laws against this practice, it is getting almost as

dangerous for a man to go out and buy a bulldog revolver for the purpose of committing a few homicides as it is to round up an honest electorate with campaign cigars.

The toy pistol is a playful form of spontaneous combustion which generally manages to combust on the Fourth of July, leaving bandages, splints and other mementoes in its wake. Some toy pistols explode with so much zeal that people who look down their throat just before pulling the trigger can hardly tell them from the sudden uprising of a keg of giant powder.

The horse pistol is a murderous weapon which lets go of a bullet as large as a billiard ball. After a midnight marauder has received three or four of these bullets into his system, it will begin to dawn upon him that he has been struck by something, and he will retire hastily for repairs. The repeating revolver has the largest vocabulary of any of the pistol family, and its conversation consists of sharp, emphatic monosyllables. There would be fewer burglars in this country if it was generally understood that there was a repeating revolver in every home and a plain, undaunted female immediately behind it.

MOTHER SEES DAUGHTER KILLED WHILE CRANKING STALLED AUTO

Girl Forgot to Throw Off the Clutch and Car, Moving, Pinned Her Against a Tree.

OTTAWA, April 16.—Miss Fern J. Willoughby, aged 21, eldest daughter of S. J. Willoughby, 101 James street, was instantly killed yesterday afternoon about 4 o'clock on the lawn in front of her home, when her motor car, which she was cranking, suddenly started, pinned her against

a tree and broke her neck. Her mother was standing in the front window and saw her daughter killed. Dr. C. H. Brown, who happened to be passing, and other neighbors, ran to the assistance of the young woman, but before they reached her side she had succumbed. The automobile had stalled as Miss Willoughby was about to start from her home. She jumped out to re crank it without throwing off the clutch. As she threw the crank over the machine gave a leap forward and in a twinkling had pinned her between the tree and the car. No inquest will be held.

FRENCH ASSAULT ON GERMANS MAY LEAD TO COMPLICATION

Present Bitter Feelings Between the Two Countries Shown by Tention Over Incident at Nancy.

BERLIN, April 16.—The present bitter feeling between Germany and France is shown by the tension over a little incident at Nancy on Sunday when some German drummers hissed a burlesque of the German army and were practically chased out of the theatre. The German papers devote columns to this affair, which follows closely on the seizure of the German cruiser Z4, when she landed unexpectedly at Luneville. It is claimed that the German commercial travellers were ill-treated and insulted by the French people at Nancy.

under the caption: "A Chivalrous Nation." It says: "The mistreatment of foreigners whenever they are suspected of being Germans appears to be developing into a sort of national virtue in France. How the French can reconcile this with their honor and good reputation is their affair, but they may find out in time that even German patience and tolerance has its limits. If in France a sense of decency and courtesy so far as German citizens are concerned continues to grow less our government cannot do else than take up measures to ensure that respect for the German name on the other side of the Vosges to which it is entitled. The French Government will do well to take care of the Nancy incident and see to it that it is not soon repeated elsewhere."

The tone of the German press is very sharp and further importance was added to the affair yesterday when Herr von Jagow, the Foreign Secretary, made a statement in the Reichstag to the effect that the German Ambassador at Paris had been instructed to ask the French Government for an explanation. He said it would be regrettable if the newspaper reports were found to be correct. If they were correct, the secretary said, then representations would be made to France.

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Shortly after the man left the postmaster became suspicious, and communicated with the Toronto office, discovering that the supposed inspector was a fraud. In the meantime, however, the stranger disappeared completely, leaving no clue except the receipt. A warning against cashing orders of the numbers mentioned has been issued, together with a request that parties presenting them be detained and the police and postal authorities and the police and postal authorities notified.

CAPS EXPLODED IN POCKET

Amherstburg Man May Die as Result of Mishap While Blasting Stumps.

AMHERSTBURG, April 16.—While he was engaged in a stump blasting expedition here last evening on the farm of Leonard Atkin, a number of dynamite caps which Albert Fox, 35, of Amherstburg, carried in his pocket, were accidentally exploded. The explosion tore a hole in the man's right side, destroyed his right eye and otherwise injured him, and he may not live until morning. Fox is married and has three children.

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LIBERAL MEMBERS HOMEWARD BOUND

Riot May be Staged in Commons to Revive Flagging Interest.

OTTAWA, April 16.—According to present indications the Opposition, having run out of argument, is planning a riot. The debate on the closure resolution is dragging wearily toward the last stage, which may be reached by Thursday. The Liberals will mark the adoption of the closure by making as much noise and doing as much injury to the traditional dignity of Parliament as they can. Having acquired some proficiency along this line they are confident of their ability to make such a scene as will forever stand against the record of Liberalism in Parliament.

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Case Was Aply Handled On Both Sides Acqu Will Be Heavy—An A

Mr. W. T. He Interview

Mr. Henderson, counsel dale case, was asked by the willed to be an appeal. He re "There will certainly probability that the verdict the action dismissed. You to the battle. You will have plaintiff's case the plaintiff Judge, accepted all the risk trial, and the action as fra record, that he had failed to as charged. The result, in mistrial.

As to the merits of the to say, as the entire matter None of the defendants in relative to the case to the press est interest throughout the city day was besieged with inquiries and many little incidents occur waged. Perhaps the outstanding of Justice Latchford, which w This feature of the trial, so f night, was particularly satisfac who have recently contended, not all they should be. At Sim and quite a number of Brantfo

FEATUR Everything at the Simcoe vided by Dr. Snider, the Sheri who alone of all others in that and a sword (the latter, possib itself to the Seribes, and also. There is only one little ca special Doctor. When he saw seated the court room presum from the Telephone City cou it was just as well to have t kicked. He manifestly has a opposite location.

HIS LORDSHIP Justice Latchford is manifi worker. After proceedings cou night without any let-up. He necessary, and with equal emp when such a course was desir phatically in favor of the plain Mr. Godfrey, who had c man, both with regard to hand Mr. McCarthy, for the defence derson. Both of them looked v Mr. McCarthy, while the jury great length. He made all kin ous authorities, and finally tol even mote on behalf of Gladly His Lordship didn't seem to t although, of course, he listened

COSTS O The verdict of \$1,500 and than the figure named. The Simcoe was at the expense of to pay all the outlays of the pl tion there is likely to be a little On top of this the lawyers' fees

JURY A L The jury were out for an 12 o'clock they were told by nounced that he would order ty Those "in the know" with reg there would be no finding un foraged on their own account. It might be mentioned that up, but were solemnly warne with others, or among themse Shortly after 1 o'clock they there was, and for three rumo 1. Some wanted to award 2. Some favored a smaller 3. Some wanted to give a The above statements are, were the current talk through that there never was at any ti finding for the girl, and the v reference to the amount.

CLOSU His Lordship made no com ment. The plaintiff, her moti sponsored the whole case from by these offering congratula pleased, took matters very quie finding equably and had nothi in the case returned last even

AS TO THE The Courier has been aske city, in view of the fact that th for action taken during the tim "Will the expense fall on t This paper does not think in the pleadings, and to an ordi tary end of the matter will fall

If it Hap