

CRIPPEN CHARGED WITH MURDER CROWN'S CASE STRAIGHT TO POINT

Miss Leneve Is Held as Accessory After the Fact.

PAIR REMANDED TILL SEPTEMBER 6

Police Officer Adduces Evidence to Show Crippen Thought of Suicide.

[Associated Press.]

London, Aug. 29.—Both Hawley H. Crippen, the American doctor, and Clara Ethel Leneve, his typist, are accused of the murder of Belle Elmore, the former's wife, in the formal charge read to them in the Bow street police court today.

Miss Leneve was charged also with harboring and maintaining Crippen after the crime, and while knowing that he committed it.

During the proceedings Inspector Dew, who brought the prisoners back from Canada, introduced evidence to show that Crippen contemplated suicide while at sea, following his flight from this country.

Crippen was quoted as declaring that his companion knew nothing of the trouble in which he was involved, and Miss Leneve was said to have protested her innocence.

There was much interest in the character of the formal charge, as the warrant for the arrest of the fugitives had merely laid at their door responsibility for the murder of the Elmore woman whose body was found in the cellar of the Crippen home at Hilldrop Crescent.

The fact that both were today accused of the murder of the Elmore woman, the actress, wife of the doctor, leads to the supposition that the mutilated body has been identified to the satisfaction of the authorities.

It also suggests that the police have more evidence concerning Miss Leneve's connection with the tragedy than they have made known heretofore.

Today's proceedings consisted of the introduction against the accused at the conclusion of which they were remanded until Sept. 6, without having pleaded or made any comment in reply to the charge against them.

In the Court.

Few persons except those connected with the case were admitted to the police court, although a crowd assembled in the neighborhood in the hope of catching sight of the prisoners.

Crippen and Miss Leneve stood together in the dock.

He wore a grey frock coat, while his companion was dressed in a tailor-made suit of blue.

Arthur Newton, the solicitor engaged by friends of his client, appeared for Crippen, and J. H. Welfare, retained by the girl's father, represented her.

Prosecutor Travis Humphreys had charge of the case for the crown, and after introducing evidence in justification of the arrests, asked that the prisoners be remanded for eight days. The prosecutor explained that the government's evidence against the typist pointed to her only as being an accessory after the fact. He said that he proposed all his time to offer only formal evidence in support of the action of the authorities in arresting and holding the accused. A week hence the prosecution would be ready to proceed with the case.

Inspector Testifies.

Inspector Dew briefly described the arrests on board the steamer Montrose as the vessel approached Quebec. As he took Crippen into custody the latter said, "I never told her anything. I have been too much."

Dew said that he told Crippen that he must put him in handcuffs, "as you have written that you intended jumping overboard." "I will not do that. My anxiety has been too awful."

Explaining his suspicion that the fugitive had planned to commit suicide, the inspector exhibited to the court a business card, upon which were the words: "P. Robinson & Co., Michigan. Presented by John E. Crippen."

The card was found among Crippen's effects, and on the back of it, apparently in the doctor's handwriting, was the following:

"I cannot stand the horror I go through every night any longer, as I see nothing bright, and as my journey is coming to an end I have made up my mind to jump overboard tonight. I know I have spoiled your life, but some day you may learn to forgive me. My last words are of love."

Dew also introduced a torn piece of card which Crippen had written this question: "Shall we wait until to-night about 10 or 11? If not, what time?"

Protects the Girl.

Asking after Miss Leneve, Crippen said to the inspector:

"I will do all I can for her. It is only fair to say that she knew nothing about it. I never told her anything."

The witness said that in conversing with Captain Kendall, of the Montrose, Miss Leneve remarked that she had not seen a newspaper since she left London, and referring to the murder of mystery, added: "I know nothing about it." To the inspector the woman said: "I assure you I know nothing about it. I intended to write my sister when I got to Quebec."

When the warrant was read on shipboard, Miss Leneve wept, and becoming agitated, fainted. Dew concluded his testimony by repeating a conversation which he had with Crippen while the latter was exercising on the deck of the steamer Montrose during the voyage.

AUTOMOBILE MAN STUMPED THE POLICE

Percy Braddon Has More Puff Than Speed in One of His Machines.

At the police court this morning Manager Percy Braddon, of the London Gas Power Company, started Magistrate Love and Sgt. Birrell, when he offered to give them his automobile if they could make it go the 25 miles an hour that a policeman had said it had gone.

Mr. Braddon said the machine would only go 15 miles an hour at the outside.

Magistrate Love decided to take Mr. Braddon's word that he had not gone too fast, and allowed him to go.

Andrew Thompson, a drunk, who has been in jail a week, was let go.

DR. PUGSLEY'S YACHT WAS AT PT. STANLEY

Minister of Public Works Was Not On Board, However.

Hon. Dr. Pugsley's yacht Speedy sailed into Port Stanley harbor on Saturday, and a number of the residents of the place thought that the Minister of Public Works had come to the place without informing the boards of trade of London and St. Thomas, as well as the councils of these and other municipalities. Some long distance messages were sent to these places also, notifying them of Dr. Pugsley's presence. Of course, this proved to be false.

The Speedy did sail into Port, but Dr. Pugsley was in Toronto at that time. On the boat were Mr. James H. Lamb, deputy minister of public works; Mr. H. J. Lamb, of this city, engineer in charge of the Government work in Western Ontario, and others.

The looked the work over. Mr. Lamb returned to the city today, and the Speedy went east. She will travel to Antwerp.

It is expected that Dr. Pugsley will be in London some time next month. Hamilton was on the lookout for the Minister of Public Works on this trip, but he did not visit that city. A deputation from the Ambitious City got him in Toronto, and he promised to go to that city some time next month.

Dr. Pugsley, the acting president of the board of trade, will communicate with the minister, and it is considered very probable that he will be in the city at the same time he comes to Hamilton.

AUTO TRUCKS FOR FIRE APPARATUS THE THING

So Says Chief Aitken Who Has Returned From Convention.

Fire Chief Aitken returned on Saturday night from the convention of fire chiefs at Syracuse, and reports having had a good time. He was particularly struck with the motor engines and trucks exhibited at the convention, and declares that this style of vehicle is the coming thing for fire fighting.

"There was a fine display of this kind of machinery," said Chief Aitken. "There were motor chemical fire engines, combination wagons, and almost everything else. Test runs were made for the fire chiefs, and they were a pronounced success in every particular. We tried them on grades, on streets, and trucks broken up for repairs, and everything else. Eighteen of us loaded onto a combination wagon, and we climbed a hill, just as steep, if not steeper than the Dundas hill. We tried it on the east, south, and west, and worked splendidly."

Suitable For London.

"I have come to the conclusion that a fire engine of that type would work splendidly in this city. On our downtown streets it would be all right. You see, it is quite an expensive thing to maintain three horses, such as would be necessary to handle an engine of this type. Horses eat when they are not doing anything. These machines cost only when they are in operation."

The papers read were pronounced to be of a very fine character, and the sessions were indeed profitable.

The visitors were handsomely entertained in Syracuse, and were delighted with the city.

WINGHAM WOMAN HANGS HERSELF

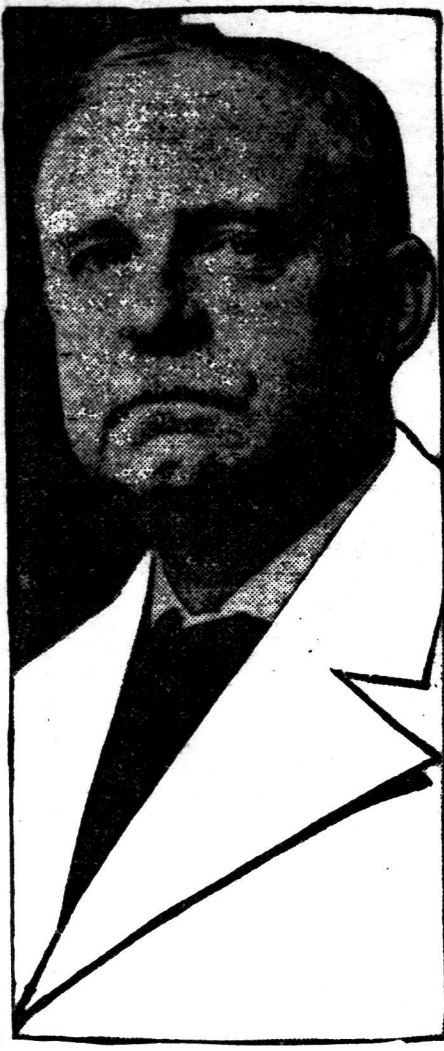
The Wife of a Prosperous Farmer Commits Suicide.

Wingham, Aug. 28.—Mrs. Sellers, the wife of J. L. Sellers, a prosperous farmer, who lives on the third line of Morris, committed suicide yesterday by hanging herself in one of the apple trees which surround the house.

Mrs. Sellers had been in poor health for some weeks. Yesterday morning, it is thought, about 3 o'clock, she got up out of bed and left the house.

Her husband, on awakening about 4 o'clock, missed her, and, instating a search, found her lifeless body hanging from a limb of an apple tree.

Niagara Falls, N. Y., Aug. 29.—The Whirlpool Incline Railway, the last on the American side of the Niagara gorge, was destroyed by fire this (Monday) morning. Dick Finns, a colored watchman, is missing. The Woodford mill near by caught fire several times and was badly damaged.



JAMES L. PATTEN.

The Chicago wheat and cotton king, whose future plans there is much mystery and speculation.

NELSON GREETED SIR WILFRID

With Vibrant and Enthusiastic Acclaim—Street Arched With Fruit.

LIVELY MIDNIGHT MARCH

Splendid Gathering Addressed by the Premier and Hon. G. P. Graham.

Nelson, B. C., Aug. 28.—Nelson received Sir Wilfrid Laurier last night with enthusiastic acclaim—church bells rang, bands played, whistles shrilled, torches flared, rockets shot heavenward, the streets were canopied with electric illuminations, while business houses and residences were hung with colored Chinese lanterns. A procession was formed, and the Premier, accompanied by the cheering crowd, rode in a carriage at midnight, expressed appreciation of the magnificent reception accorded.

The Premier and party spent the day on the Canadian Pacific steamer on the voyage from Arrowhead to West Robson, through the Kootenay Lake district. Sir Wilfrid Laurier speaking from the bridge briefly to gatherings at Halcyn Springs, Nakusp and Arrow Park Landings.

A Smoky Passage.

The atmosphere was dense with smoke from the big bush fires in Washington State. It was impossible a portion of the time to see the distance of the deck. Through Lower Arrow Lake the vessel was guided by two searchlights installed at her prow.

"I am willing to receive the goods of our good American friends under equitable conditions," said the Premier, speaking from the boat at Nakusp, "but I object to their supplying our mountains and lakes with this suffocating smoke."

Under the arrangement effected by Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Hon. George P. Graham, minister of railways, will leave the party at Winnipeg on the return journey and proceed to Pass Mission. Here he will review plans for the construction of the bridge over the Saskatchewan River, the contract for which was awarded to Mackenzie & Mann, and proceed on a trip of inspection over a portion of the proposed route for the projected Hudson Bay Railway. The minister further anticipated visiting Hudson Bay next year, with the purpose of deciding further on harbor arrangements either at Nelson or Churchill. The Governor proposes to push the construction of the railway.

At Vernon.

Vernon, B. C., Aug. 28.—Vernon barked the welcome of the fertile Okanagan Valley to the British Premier. Fronting the town hall was a complete arch of fresh fruit spanning the main thoroughfare, apples forming the Continued on Page Nine.

THE WEATHER

Tomorrow—Fair. FORECASTS.

Toronto, Aug. 29—3 a.m. Moderate easterly winds; fair today and on Tuesday; not much change in temperature.

TEMPERATURES.

Stations. Max. Min. Weather.

Victoria. 65. 50. Cloudy

Calgary. 64. 42. Cloudy

Winnipeg. 72. 50. Cloudy

Port Arthur. 64. 42. Cloudy

Perry Sound. 72. 50. Clear

Toronto. 78. 58. Fair

Ottawa. 72. 52. Fair

Montreal. 68. 58. Clear

Quebec. 68. 48. Clear

Father Point. 68. 48. Clear

"PETE" DELANEY WRITES A VERY PATHETIC LETTER

Former London Man Says It Was Not Ordained That the Man He Shot Should Die at His Hands—Is Now in Michigan Insane Asylum.

Detroit, Aug. 29.—From a ward in the country house at Eloise, Peter Delaney, former Western Union telegrapher, and a former resident of London, Ont., now held in the insane asylum as an insane person, has written a pathetic letter to "Artie" McArdle, the man whom he shot while on a rampage in the telegraph offices about three weeks ago. Some have said that Delaney's mental powers are unbalanced, others have opined that he fired his revolver with malice, but the letter, if sincere, shows that the man has nothing but a wholesome friendship for McArdle, and a deep regret that he injured him.

The letter reads as follows: "My Dear Friend McArdle: 'It was with a great degree of comfort I read an article in today's issue of the Free Press which said that you were improving. I do not believe, Artie, that it was ordained that you should meet death at my hands. Intentional or otherwise. My friend, from boyhood, has been too strong. And I suffer to think that I even wounded you. Suffer mentally, possibly, as you do bodily, and I am going to pray that your recovery may be speedy and permanent. Artie, every one of our mutual friends in the world knows that your injuries are no fault of mine. They realize that it was an act of Providence, without hearing the story from either of us.

"You will recover, I feel sure, Artie, beyond doubt, and you may rest assured that you have the well wishes of the entire telegraph world and all other acquaintances to that end, as you deserve."

"Please reply at your convenience, so that I may know at first hand just what shape you are in and when you expect to be on your feet again. Tell me if I have been censured by any members of your family for the unfortunate accident. I am anxious to know just how they feel."

"Wherever your brother-in-law visited me at police headquarters I couldn't look him in the eye; I felt too much ashamed of the deed. Perhaps he noticed it, maybe not. But this fact alone proves that I've got some conscience left, and while the conscience remains, even in part, there's hope for the unfortunate one."

"Hoping for the good tidings that you are on the road to P. R.—positive recovery, will say adios for the present, remaining as ever, your old friend, 'PETE' DELANEY."

"P. S.—Please say if you'll be in shape to attend my trial (probate court), Aug. 30, and oblige.—Pete."

LONDON CITY WILL ENTERTAIN BRITISH BUSINESS DELEGATES

Representatives From the Bristol Chamber of Commerce Will Be in This City for a Few Hours on Tuesday—A Sketch of the Visitors.

The city council will entertain the members of the Bristol, England, Chamber of Commerce, who will visit London for a few hours on Tuesday. At a meeting of the manufacturers' and reception committee held at noon today, the final arrangements were completed.

The party arrived in Canada on Wednesday last, visiting Quebec and Montreal, and Toronto. Today they are at Niagara Falls, and on Tuesday will visit London and Hamilton, returning to Toronto, where they will take in the Industrial Exhibition.

Later they will go through the west as far as Vancouver, returning to England in two weeks' time.

Big Businessmen.

The members of the delegation represent some of the leading manufacturers of the city of Bristol, and one of them, E. Bendon Colthurst, J. P., is a member of the city council. Mr. Colthurst is a strenuous business man, and his firm, Messrs. Colthurst & Harding, are manufacturers of paints, colors, etc., and importers of oils and other painters' necessities.

Ernest J. Taylor, of Messrs. J. P. Taylor & Sons, silk merchants, costumers, furriers and general fancy drapers; J. C. Skewes, principal of Messrs. Skewes Bros., merchant tailors; John Thorn, the Western Dental Manufacturing Company; T. B. Johnston, principal, Messrs. Pountney & Co., Limited; the Bristol Pottery, manufacturers of general earthenware, sanitary ware and tiles; H. N. Bathgate, of Messrs. H. N. Bathgate & Co.; Atlantic House, Bristol, import and export merchants and manufacturers; Edward Lowther, Messrs. Turner, Nott & Co., Limited, corn merchants; C. G. Hughes, of the firm of Messrs. Pearson, Hughes & Co., Limited, army, police and railway clothing contractors; P. Endres Gane, chairman and managing director of the business of the P. E. Gane, Limited, late Trapnell & Gane, Edible Hardware, director of the firm of Messrs. John Harvey & Sons, Limited, wine and spirit merchants; Henry L. Rieley, senior partner and founder of the firm of Henry L. Rieley & Sons, insurance brokers and underwriters, Bristol.

The primary object of the visit is to strengthen the trade relationships between England and Canada. They are missionaries of commerce, and it is expected that they will be successful. Continued on Page Nine.

PUBLIC AND SEPARATE SCHOOLS REOPEN ON THURSDAY NEXT

"Good Old Summer Holidays Are Almost at an End—Fewer Kindergarten Teachers in the Public Schools—No Other Changes of Importance.

The city schools, public and separate, will reopen on Thursday. The Collegiate Institute will not assemble for some days longer, the first session being booked for Sept. 6.

There are few changes in the personnel of the public school staff of the city. All the principals and assistant principals have been re-engaged, and there will not be any change. The other departments show few if any changes.

The kindergarten teachers will be reduced considerably. The reorganization was effected last session, but a number of the teachers were retained until June. The reduction will affect about 12 teachers, and from information received here, the majority of them have taken good positions elsewhere.

The separate schools will also assemble on Thursday morning. There will be no changes of importance there.

The classes will be organized, and promotions made. It is not expected that a great deal of work will be done on these days. Monday next will be a holiday, of course.

MOIR'S ALLEGED ACCOMPLICES WERE ARRAIGNED IN COURT

McCullough Refused Bail—Asked To Be Allowed to Change His Plea to Not Guilty—Trapnell Allowed Out On a Security of \$1,000.

[G. N. W. Dispatch.]

Hamilton, Aug. 29.—Fred McCullough and Montith Trapnell, the two asylum attendants arrested on a charge of aiding the escape of Alex. Moir and R. F. Taggart from the local asylum two weeks ago today, appeared before the police magistrate this morning and, on the request of Crown Attorney Washington, were remanded again until Wednesday. Mr. Washington explained that he was not ready to proceed with the cases.

His worship intimated, however, that he might allow the plea to be changed if the crown attorney approved.

Bail was fixed in Trapnell's case at \$1,000, but bail was refused on behalf of McCullough.

Wm. O'Brien invaded Mr. Dillon's territory in Mayo, and declared in a speech that the Government had never given a definite promise of home rule, but had fooled Redmond.

A resolution was passed, urging Americans to refuse to subsidize Redmond and O'Connor, who were going to the United States on a begging tour. Stone-throwing, clubbing and firing of revolvers by the rival factions followed and the police had to interfere.

TECHNICAL ED. COMMISSION WILL BE IN LONDON OCT. 17-18

Mr. Thomas Bangough Described the Work of This Body—Commissioners Are Warmly Welcomed No Matter Where They Go.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Ottawa, Aug. 29.—The commission of technical education will be at London, Oct. 17 and 18.

Toronto, Aug. 29.—That the royal commission on technical education is having no holiday excursion is the testimony of Thomas Bangough, the secretary and official reporter of the commission, who has returned to the city from the Maritime Provinces with several members of the commission, prior to an Ontario tour.

"In thirty-three days we visited thirty-three different cities and towns, notwithstanding the fact that we gave three days each to Halifax and St. John, and two days each to Truro and Moncton," he said yesterday. "How did we do it? By dividing the commission into two sections, by holding evening sessions until nearly midnight, then travelling during the night to the next point. The industries were inspected, in some cases more thoroughly than by the official factory inspectors; the agricultural possibilities were seen by long tours into the country districts; conditions—educational, industrial and socially—were discovered by examination of nearly 400 witnesses on oath, and by the procuring of prints and other documents, photographs, specimens, etc."

"A full transcript from my shorthand notes would fill nearly 2,000 folio pages—on an average of about 100 pages per day."

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REV. GEORGE W. DEWEY MADE STARTLING CHARGE IN PULPIT

Says Zaccheus Was a Grifter and If He Had Been Living Today He Would Be Elected to the City Council of London.

In the course of his sermon Sunday night, Rev. George W. Dewey, of the Empress Avenue Methodist Church, speaking of Zaccheus, said:

"Christ looked up into the tree and saw him there, and said: 'Come on down; I am going home to supper with you.'"

"Christ knew exactly the kind of man Zaccheus was when he said this. He knew that he was one of the biggest grafters in the country. Zaccheus, if he had been living today, would have made a first-rate politician, and if he had been living in London he would have been elected a member of the city council."

Rev. Mr. Dewey, when called up by The Advertiser today, refused to make any statement or explanation regarding the sermon.

Mayor Beattie had a thrilling experience in underground work on Saturday afternoon, and is displaying a badly discolored eye and a bruised leg as the result of an unpremeditated endeavor to explore the work on Richmond and Dundas street.

While riding north on Richmond street on a bicycle, a wagon in front of him stopped, and his worship had to make a sharp detour to escape hitting it. The rear wheel of the bicycle, however, caught in the street railway track and pitched him over the handle-bars. He struck a wheelbarrow in his flight, and it upset him into the excavation made for the large manhole. He was thrown with his body half over a brick wall, and his head would have landed on his head and neck in the excavation, had not P. C. Kelly and another man caught him and pulled him out.

The side of his face was bruised, resulting in a laceration, and his leg was skinned and bruised.

"Just acroplanning a bit," exclaimed his worship. "While I admit that it is the duty of the mayor to take an interest in the underground work, I have come to the conclusion that I did not go about it in the right way."

His Worship Met With a Peculiar Accident On Richmond Street and Was Precipitated Into an Excavation.

MAYOR BEATTIE KNOWS WHAT A FALL IN THE GUTTER MEANS

LONDON POULTRY MEN SUPPLY CHICKENS FOR SANATORIUM

Mr. William McNeil, Well-Known Fancier, Succeeded in Securing 150 Choice Birds for the Greatest of All of London's Institutions.

The London Poultry and Pet Stock Association will donate all the chickens necessary to stock the Byron Sanatorium.

Some time ago, Mr. Philip Pocock, one of the directors of the London Health Association, approached Mr. William McNeil, the leading spirit in the poultry business of Canada for many years, and asked him about getting some chickens.

"I believe I can get you enough," answered Mr. McNeil. "Wait until I see the boys."

He did see "the boys," as he calls the members of the association, and he announced Saturday that the association had agreed to furnish the necessary birds.

"As soon as the chicken building is ready we will supply the chickens," said Mr. McNeil. "The boys will give all the way from 1 to 10 birds. When it comes to a matter of good deeds, the chicken men are not behind anybody. We have a fine lot of boys, I can tell you."

Mr. McNeil is now arranging the varieties, and is superintending the erection of the coops and the like.

BACON SCARCE.

Ottawa, Aug. 29.—Mr. Mussen, the Canadian trade commissioner at Leeds, has made a report to the trade and commerce department that there is a marked falling off in the supply of bacon from Canada and

the United States, and that British grocers are booming breakfast foods in place of it. He thinks it a good opening for Canadian cereal manufacturers. Mr. Mussen also reports that there is a demand for Canadian honey and turkeys.

EVIDENCE IN THE CRIPPEN CASE

Mrs. May's Conversation With Mrs. Crippen on January the 26th.

WAS THEN HEALTHY

But Had Felt a Strangling Sensation One Night—The Discovery of the Body.

The inquest on the human remains interred at 35 Hilldrop Crescent, supposed to be those of Mrs. H. H. Crippen, known on the music-hall stage as Belle Elmore, was reopened at Islington coroner's court in London, England, on Aug. 15.

This procedure was due to the death of Dr. Danford Thomas, the coroner, since the opening of the inquiry. The evidence taken by the acting coroner, Mr. Walter Schroder, for the most part, was similar to that heard at the first sitting, but the testimony of Miss May, a theatrical friend of Belle Elmore, introduced a new feature. The inquest stands adjourned for a month, by which time, probably, Dr. Crippen, accused of the murder of his wife, and Miss Leneve, his typist, will be back in England.

The mother of Miss Leneve was also in court, and appeared to be much affected. Superintendent Froest, the head of the criminal investigation department, was present, and near him sat Mr. Travers Humphreys, one of the treasury counsel, and Mr. H. Williamson, solicitor to the treasury. Crippen was represented by Mr. Arthur Newton, while Mr. J. H. Watts appeared for Miss Leneve, and Mr. P. V. Stallom for Mr. Rylance.

The jury were formally discharged and left the court. Reassembling again after a short interval, they took the oath and proceeded to the adjoining mortuary to view the remains for the second time.

Protracted Inquiry Probable. Opening the new inquest, the coroner briefly described the circumstances under which an inquest became necessary, and then proceeded to the human remains in Hilldrop Crescent, and added: "I may say at once that the probabilities are that this inquiry will be somewhat protracted. I prolonged it cannot say to what date, but a great deal of evidence will be called, so that the gentlemen of the jury will clearly understand that it is not a case in which they will be relieved from their duties very quickly."

The coroner stated that he proposed to call Mr. John Edward Nash. Mr. Newton said that he appeared on behalf of Crippen. He was desirous of appealing to the coroner to take the evidence as shortly as possible that day, so that they might have the fullest opportunity of going into the facts of the case with his client when he returned to England.

The coroner said that it is reasonable, and I shall therefore suggest taking in the very briefest way the evidence of Mr. Nash.

Mr. Watts (for Miss Leneve) said that he desired to support Mr. Newton's application.

The coroner asked Mr. Travers Humphreys (for the treasury) what his view of the case was. Mr. Humphreys—I think it is reasonable that anyone representing a person who is accused should have an opportunity of presenting his case. Mr. John Edward Nash, of Park Mansions, Vauxhall Park, a theatrical manager, then went into the witness box. The evidence he gave was brief, and merely dealt with his acquaintance with Mr. and Mrs. Crippen. Both Mr. Newton and Mr. Watts were allowed to postpone their cross-examination of the witness.

Miss Melinda May, who gave her evidence under a stress of emotion, said that she was the secretary of the Music Hall Artists' Guild, and resided at 9 Wyke Gardens, Clapham road. Mrs. Crippen was honorary treasurer of the guild, and she last saw her alive on Jan. 26 at the offices of the guild, New Oxford street.

The coroner—Had you any conversation with her. A.—Yes. We were together some hours.

Q.—What was the state of her health at that time? A.—Beautiful and bonny and very bright, quite healthy and well.

Q.—Did she make any complaint to you on any such subject? A.—About Christmas time she came to the guild one Wednesday and said how bad she had been in the night. She had felt a strangling and suffocating sensation at her throat, and called to her husband to get up and said, "Peter, send for the priest, I am going to die."

Witness said that Mrs. Crippen had said nothing to her about having medical attendance, and on Jan. 26 she was in her usual health.

Q.—When did you next hear from her? A.—On Feb. 2 Miss Leneve came to the office.

Q.—How did you know her? A.—I had known her some time in the office.

Q.—She brought a letter? A.—She brought a parcel containing a check-book and a letter.

Q.—In whose name was the letter signed? A.—It was signed "Pro. H. H. Crippen." The signature was supposed to be Miss Belle Elmore's. That is Mrs. Crippen.

Q.—And what was the nature in a general way of the letter? A.—It asked that another lady should be elected as non-treasurer in her absence for a few months.

Q.—You have the letter? A.—Inspector Dew has it. She said I should appreciate her haste when I knew she had been packing up all night. She asked if we would elect a treasurer for the few months that she would be absent.

Q.—Have you from that day received any communication from Mrs. Crippen? A.—No, sir. None whatever.

Q.—And on that day, Feb. 2, the letter you received was clearly not in her handwriting? A.—No, sir.

The coroner said he would next take the evidence of the constable who found the remains.

P. C. Daniel Gooch, 501 Y, said that on Feb. 2, he went to 35 Hilldrop Crescent, and with another constable dug up the cellar.

The coroner—And you continued digging how long? A.—We were digging that night for about five hours till 11 o'clock.

Q.—And did you find what appears to be human flesh? A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—How far below the bricks did you find the remains? A.—About six or eight inches.

Witness was instructed by the coroner to go to inspect the remains, and having done so said they were the same as those which he saw in the ground at Hilldrop Crescent.

Dr. Thomas Marshall, the police divisional surgeon, also gave evidence similar to that tendered before Dr. Danford Thomas and was asked by the coroner: "What opinion had you formed as to the remains; did you come to the conclusion that they were human, or not?" That they were human, the witness replied.

The coroner intimated that this was all the evidence he proposed to call, and the next point would be the date to which they should adjourn. In this connection he consulted Mr. Froest, superintendent of the C. I. D., who said that Chief Inspector Dew and Sgt. Mitchell, the two officers sent to Canada, would probably be back in London in about three weeks time.

Mr. Newton suggested that instead of adjourning for three weeks the adjournment should be for a month.

Mr. Humphreys concurred, and the inquiry was accordingly adjourned to Monday, Sept. 12. It will probably be resumed in some commodious premises at the Central Library, Holloway.

Dr. Thomas Marshall, the divisional surgeon, has made a further examination of the internal organs found, and by direction of the director of the public prosecutions took certain portions away for the purpose of analysis by Dr. W. H. Wilcox, the senior scientific analyst to the home office, in view of possible traces of poison.

ALD. MORGAN ON REFORM

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governing bodies are, unless he deliberately intended to wreck his business and go into bankruptcy. Aldermen cannot abandon their own business for the trouble, worry, and loss of time inseparable from working out business principles. Above all, they should be required to devote all their time to the affairs of the city, and should be paid adequate compensation for doing so. Not as mere clerks, but as administrators of public affairs, guardians of the public rights, managers of the endless details of the most vexatious, chaotic, and annually to hundreds of thousands of dollars. Only thus have we any right to expect that constant daily and hourly supervision and control which his own affairs and only by this continuous supervision have we any right to expect success in public affairs. The notion that 12 or 16 aldermen whose energies are taken up by their own business can administer the affairs and expenditures of a city, involving vast sums of money, by holding stated meetings in the evenings, once in two weeks, and like special meetings spasmodically, without system, is absurd. It should be cast aside.

Pay for the service needed, as the businessman would pay for like service, and we may expect the ability, character and energy required.

A. J. MORGAN.

DIED OF HEART DISEASE.

St. Thomas, Aug. 29.—Wm. Minor, the prominent farmer of Sparta, found lifeless in his buggy Tuesday morning, under what appeared to be suspicious circumstances, came to his death from natural causes. The jury brought in a verdict Friday night to the effect that Minor died of heart disease.

Minor was 52 years of age, and had been a resident of Sparta for many years.

He was a well-known and popular man, and was highly respected in the community.

His death was a great loss to the community, and his family is deeply mourning.

The funeral will be held on Saturday morning at 10 o'clock.

Interment will be in the local cemetery.

The family is at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Smith.

Friends are invited to attend the funeral.

Special services will be held at the residence.

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THE PRESENT YEAR POOR FOR CROPS

A Summary of the Situation in Ontario as Reported By Correspondents.

GOVERNMENT BULLETIN

Fall Wheat and Barley Are Good—Hay and Clover Relatively the Best Crop of the Season.

The following statement regarding the condition of crops in the Province, based upon returns of correspondents under date of Aug. 15, has been issued by the Ontario Department of Agriculture:

Fall Wheat—Fall wheat may be classed as a good crop, although more shrunken than in previous years, attributed largely to the dry weather when filling. From several localities come reports of smut in Dawson's Golden Chaff, but only a little rust is complained of. In some of the western and central counties hailstorms did considerable injury to the growing crop in strips and patches, and the other crops also suffered from this cause. But despite these various drawbacks the average yield of fall wheat, as reported, will be high. The straw was of better length than in more recent years, and stood up well, there being much less lodging than in the case of the spring grains. Several correspondents state that the crop was particularly good on summer fallow. Odd mentions only made of injury from insect pests, such as Hessian fly, white grub, midge and wireworm. Harvesting ranged from the 8th of July to the end of the month.

Spring Wheat—This class of wheat is steadily going out of favor in Ontario, and where grown it is confined chiefly to the "goose" variety. The yields per acre vary much, but will give a fair average.

Barley—This crop will be a good one, generally speaking, although conflicting reports have been received even from the same localities. The straw was clean and bright, as a rule, but it was rather short, and a considerable portion of it was lodged owing to heavy winds and rains. While the grain is generally described as being plump and of good average yield, there are some reports of discoloration; but as most of the barley is fed to live stock this is not now regarded as a serious drawback. The crop was cut comparatively early, in a few cases before fall wheat.

Oats—This crop was so badly knocked down by rainstorms that a considerable portion of it could be cut only one way by the binder. Some correspondents also complain of the uneven ripening of the grain, owing to these late rains. In most localities the straw was short but clean and bright, only a little smut or rust being reported. The bulk of the returns speak of the heads as being well filled, and the grain as plump and of good average yield. The crop will be a satisfactory one. Insects did but little injury. Harvesting spread from the last week of July to the middle of August.

Rye—This crop is not largely grown for grain in this Province, but where raised it has done well as a whole this season, although individual returns show a wide range of yield.

Peas—The pea crop has been rather disappointing, although in some cases reports are received of a good crop. Rainy weather did not get a good start in the spring, owing to too much rain, and the dry, hot weather at blossoming prevented satisfactory podding. While the weevil was but little complained of, the loss of a green aphid was reported in most parts of the Province, which appears to have checked the vigor of the growing vines, more especially in the later stages. As a result the straw is not so long or leafy as usual. Harvesting began early in August, but when correspondents wrote about the middle of the month considerable of the pea crop remained to be pulled.

Beans—Beans were only in blossom, or just podding, when most of our correspondents wrote, and at that time prospects were considered fair; but later reports were to the effect that while the plants were making a large spread, they were not podding very well. Rainy weather at a critical time was given as the chief cause of injury to the crop. Prospective harvesting was variously placed about the 15th of September.

Hay and Clover—This is relatively the best crop of the season, and it would have been even better but for close feeding on pastures last fall, carrying over the winter, and the fact that the clover seedling was not so good as the old seedling. Most of the cut was housed in good condition. Clover was remarkably green from the middle of the season, and was looking well when correspondents wrote, the prospects for a good crop of clover seed were regarded as excellent.

Forage—The hay was cut in the first or second week of the season, and was also common. For these two reasons there was a great lack of germination, and considerable corn land had to be more or less replanted. Crows, blackbirds and grubs also did injury to the young corn. More recent weather, however, has favored the crop, and it was making a rapid and promising growth when correspondents wrote.

Tobacco—While a few promising fields of tobacco are reported, the bulk of the crop is rather backward in growth and uneven in appearance, and the early part of the season was unfavorable to growth, and consequently much of the planting had to be done late. There are reports of damage by hail, and grubs and other insects also did injury. However, the crop was picking up with the advancing season.

Potatoes—Early planted potatoes suffered from drought but yielded lightly, but those planted late will give a fair return. The Colorado potato beetle has been present in unusually large numbers in nearly every section of the Province. So far only slight mention has been made of rot.

Roots—The weather at sowing was rather dry for roots, and turnips especially suffered from the drought, and the seed was not so good as in previous years. A good deal of turnip land had to be reseeded, and some were finally plowed up. The crop was not looking up to the average as to the quality of the roots. Mangels have done much better than turnips, and are regarded as most promising. The few reports concerning sugar beets are also favorable.

Fruit—A poor fruit crop is summarized the general situation. It has been an off season with apples especially, more particularly in the case of desirable winter varieties, and the quantity of fruit now remaining on the trees is not up to the standard. Wet and cold weather when the young apples were setting is given as the chief cause of the remarkably light yield. Plums have borne unevenly from poor to good—according to the degree of spraying practiced. Pears are doing better than apples, although not giving a full yield. Peaches will be about an average crop. Cherries were medium in yield, and grapes give fair promise.

Strawberries suffered from drought when maturing, but have given the best results. Other small fruits are yielding moderately.

Pastures and Live Stock—Pastures have been in fair condition all season, and were very promising, as correspondents reported. Live stock of all classes have been remarkably free from disease. In most of the best-raising counties there will be a shortage of steers, and dairy cows are also fewer than in more recent years. Prices for both beef and dairy products have been most encouraging to farmers. Taking the season as a whole, the milk flow has been a good one, for while it went down a little during the midsummer period it has recovered nicely, and for the time of year is considered to be excellent. The chief handicap to the comfort of cattle has been the presence in large numbers of the horn fly, in some of the St. Lawrence counties several cheese factories are shipping cream to the State of New York, and are also extracting the casein from the skim-milk. Fodder supplies promise to be abundant, and live stock owners will meet the winter with good prospects for the keep of their animals.

Toronto, August, 1910.

PREDICTS BUMPER CUBAN SUGAR CROP

Interesting Statement By Senor Menocal, Manager of the World's Largest Sugar Mill.

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New York, Aug. 29.—Gen. Mario Menocal, defeated Conservative candidate for the presidency of Cuba, was an arrival here yesterday from Havana, on board the Saratoga, accompanied by his brother, Senor G. Menocal, and his brother's wife.

On his arrival here he was met at the pier by R. B. Hawley, president of the Cuban-American Sugar Company, Senor and his wife, and a number of the largest sugar mill in the world, at Chaparra, owned by the Cuban-American Sugar Company. He says Cuba's sugar crop for 1910 will at least equal last year's great yield of 1,850,000 tons.

Another arrival on the Saratoga was George M. Bradt, a native of Chattanooga, Tenn., who for ten years has been the publisher of the Havana Post, the only English newspaper published in the capital.

"Cuban conditions are 100 per cent better than the people in the States imagine," said Mr. Bradt. "Up here they are receiving reports of revolutionary and revolutionary movements that we don't know exist until a copy of an American newspaper falls into our hands. President Gomez is making an exceptionally good record of revolution, and his best friends had hoped for his rule is just, yet lenient, a policy that must be followed in dealing with the Cubans getting the Cubans in independence. The Gomez cabinet is composed of men well selected and admirably fitted to advise the executive."

"Cuba's business for this year will break all records, and in the number of tourists a new mark is being set. We have more than 50,000 a year now."

President Gomez, Vice-President Zaldarriaga and all members of the cabinet are receiving the education in the United States. As they return to take their places in the line of the island it may readily be seen what a great influence they will have in Americanizing Cuba.

"CLOSED SHOP" RULING STIRS UP A STORM

Labor Element Makes a Strong Protest Against Ruling of Justice Goff.

New York, Aug. 28.—Parades of protest broke out all over the east side Saturday afternoon on receipt of the news that Justice Goff had ruled in the state supreme court that a strike to enforce the closed shop involves a conspiracy in restraint of trade. Bands of the 60,000 cloakmakers now on strike marched through the streets, one of them the city hall carrying banners and American flags and shouting, "Closed shop!" at every step. There was no violence, but unrest and anger were everywhere visible among the strikers.

Justice Goff's decision granted an injunction to a member of the Manufacturers' Protective Association in restraint of acts of violence, threats, picketing, and patrolling by strikers. "The primary purpose of this strike, reads the finding, 'is not to better the condition of the workmen, but to deprive other men of the opportunity of their right to work.'"

He supports his ruling with a recent decision in the court of appeals against a large building corporation, which he cites.

He then cites one of the articles of compromise presented by representatives of the union to the manufacturers, as follows: "The Association of Manufacturers shall obligate each of its members to employ union men as long as the union men shall be able to furnish union men who can do the work properly. Within two weeks the non-union men shall join the union."

This clause, which shows the purpose animating the strike, as interpreted by the court, is clearly unlawful, and he passes to the conduct of the strike and the "patrolling," he stated, "have not formerly directed systematic course of aggression by criminal acts, the members of the unions, acting in concert, have connived at and actively supported such acts on the part of many of their members in pursuance of a common object."

Washington, Aug. 27.—Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, was greatly stirred by the decision of Justice Goff, which, in effect, declared that efforts to enforce the closed shop were in violation of the law in restraint of trade.

Mr. Gompers said that Justice Goff's decision was a "great blow" to the union, and that it was "a great victory" for the manufacturers.

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CHILDREN AND NATURE.

In all the leading countries population continues to trend towards the city. London, England, now embraces more than one-fifth of the whole population of England and Wales, over seven millions of people. Large blocks of this population live huddled together where they see nothing of the general world of nature. Crowds of children grow up almost untouched by its enlarging and moralizing influence.

The Children's Holiday Fund is making the same endeavor there as is made elsewhere to give fresh-air outings in fortnightly periods to as many children as possible. Of 800,000 children in the London elementary schools probably 100,000 stand in need of such help, but at present the funds have been sufficient to provide for only some 40,000. That number itself is gigantic!

It is true that in London there are many parks where teachers of nature study can train the boys and girls to see, mark, learn and inwardly digest the word of nature. There is the great "zoo," and there is always the river, such as it is. But parks are like canned fruit, and limited at best. They do not make the deep and subtle impression in an hour or so that the country or the seaside does when you live there a while day and night.

It may be that a child will grow up as moral and as able under proper teaching in a city over so large, as in the village. Great cities are, in fact, forcing-beds of genius and character. Poets used to make extravagant claims for a country life. Wordsworth wasting his pity to some extent upon the people "barricaded evermore within the walls of cities." Kipling, on the other hand, thanks his stars that he was not born "in leafy aside—waste headlands of the earth," but in "mean city." In swarming Bombay—indeed the most comfortable of modern cities. But while the human tide is at least as inspiring as the unconscious voices of nature, while as useful studies may be made by children in the floor-boards they walk on as in field-mice, the feeling for nature is a very large side of the normal life, and without it men's lives are in so far stunted. An English writer observes that an ordinary knowledge of nature is necessary even to an appreciation of a large part of the Bible.

In our city, happily or unhappily, there are few who do not know the color of a dandelion, as was the case recently with a number of Chicago children asked so simple a question. But even here we find numbers of boys and girls much in need of the outings to "Port." The great lake is one of the largest aspects of nature; the air is pure beside it, and fields of grain reminding the city-dweller of his country cousin's life, enlarge his sympathies and horizon, especially in the impressionable period of childhood.

THE TIBETAN AND OTHERS.

We often think ourselves very adult and advanced in comparison with our simple grandfathers. We travel, not by ox-cart or gypsy-wagon, but by palace car and palace steamer, over vast lengths of land and sea. Where grandfather worked his sixteen-hour day with axe and pick, grandmother attending him hand and foot that long and more, we save the hours for the little home travels, week-ends and the like. We prefer travel to travel. Ulysses was nothing to many of us. Besides, he worked his passage, but we loil about and tip-stewards. Our delight is to get away from home and see the world, preferring any discomfort of sea-sickness or noise to watering and cutting our own lawn.

It seems the Orientals are also "waking up." Japanese tourists sometimes flit across the world. The other day a Tibetan's account of his visit to France was published, and French readers are making merry over his childish wonder. Here again we can hold up our heads and feel our status of adult superiority.

The Tibetan, who came over to France as a platform exhibit of Explorer-Lecturer Bactot, saw things as a baby glimpses them, caught the high lights, and caught his breath as they flashed across his dim understanding. His narrative, which is

something like an imaginative boy's letter home, expresses a conviction that there are no poor people in France. Seated before well-dressed audiences, living with his master at the great hotels, he saw nothing of the shadows, nothing but the glitter. Like "wiser" tourists, he did not see even the normal life. "If any other Tibetans come to France," let them bring their best clothes. "In this country I have seen no cereals, but there are great quantities of meat, fruits, and sweets."

He tells of lights that light themselves, of rooms supplied with heat and water coming out of the ground, of the wonderful custom of always washing at least face and hands before breakfast, of iron roads on which a line of little houses tied together move along on wheels with notable speed. A circus entranced him. "In Paris," says Adjrup Gumbo, "there is a big round house where the people go to laugh. From top to bottom great chiefs and persons of all classes are seated by thousands." Dancing horses, dancing women, and acrobats almost dumfounded him.

We laugh at this child from Asia's desert heart, as we smile at those home-staying great-grandfathers of ours. Laughter comes, according to an ancient philosopher, from a feeling of one's own superiority. In turn we may be a jest to our grandchildren. They will wonder at our child-like zeal to see the world, just to see it. It will amuse them that we boast of our maple avenues and trim homes and the grand Canadian climate, while we rush everywhere, and even flee from Canada both summer and winter, if we can manage it. No doubt this is the most pleasant thought of all, that we have so much yet to learn, that while we give ourselves the airs of grown-ups, we have a suspicion that we are only old boys.

FAST BRITISH TRAINS.

A good bird's-eye view of the achievements of British railways in point of speed is afforded annually by the article which appears above this time every year from the pen of Mr. H. G. Archer in the Westminster Gazette.

The fastest regular non-stop run in Britain is, as it has been for nearly a decade, the 44½-mile run on the Northeastern from Darlington to York, which is now performed at a speed of 61.7 miles per hour. This is, however, a short distance, mostly downhill, and the same observation applies to the two next best runs—the Great Central's 22½-mile spurt from Leicester to Nottingham at 61.3 miles per hour and the Caledonian's of 32½ miles (at 60.9 miles per hour) from Perth to Perth. The real leader in point of speed among the railways is still the Great Western, whose great 118¾-mile run from London to Bristol, via Bath, at a speed of 59.1 miles per hour, is scarcely approached in point of real merit by any other performance except some others of its own. It is the Great Western also whose 225½-mile run from London to Plymouth is still the longest non-stop run in Britain, and that journey, performed at a speed of 54.8 miles per hour, is, considering everything, and especially the difficulties of the permanent way through Devon, perhaps the most creditable piece of express running yet achieved by any British railway.

DISILLUSIONED.

[Boston Transcript.]
She—Before we were married you said I was the light of your eyes.
He—Did I? Well, I see now that I was only dazzled.

WARNING.

[New Zealand Free Lance.]
Love's young dream appears to have met with an interruption somewhere, judging from the following pathetic warning "ad" in the Auckland Herald of a recent date: "O. D.—No; father's home."

HIS PRIDE—HER DUST.

[Exchange.]
"Your marriage," a piebald American heiress, my son," said the Countess de Broque, "will humble our ancestral pride in the dust."
"That's all right, mother," rejoined the titled son. "She has agreed to furnish the dust."

NOTHING NEW.

[New York Sun.]
Belshazzar saw the writing on the wall. "That's nothing," I read it on the tape long ago," he cried.
Thus early was the tickler the true barometer.

INOPPORTUNE.

[Cleveland Leader.]
Mrs. Tightwad—Get a doctor, quick!
Mr. Tightwad—What's the matter now?
Mrs. Tightwad—The baby's jest swallowed a pint of kerosene.
Mr. Tightwad—Gosh dang it! An' oil's just went up a cent!

PREVIOUS ENGAGEMENT.

[Le Rire.]
Mother—We would like the wedding fixed for a Wednesday.
Flancee—That's quite impossible. I always go to the club on Wednesday.

QUALIFIED ASSENT.

[Yonkers Statesman.]
Bill—Don't you like to see a dog chewing a bone?
Jill—Yes, if it's not one of my own.

DEFINITION.

[Scraps.]
"What really constitutes flirtation?" asked the young man of the woman of the world.
"Attention without intention," replied the experienced one.

THE PHILOSOPHER OF FOLLY.

[Cleveland Leader.]
There's only one thing worse than being busted," says the Philosopher of Folly, "and that is not having credit."

COMING TO THE POINT.

[Chicago Journal.]
Doctor (politely, but looking at his watch with visible impatience)—Pardon me, madam, but my time is not my own. You have given me all your symptoms in

sufficient detail, and now, perhaps, you will kindly—er—ah—?

Husband (not so considerably)—Maria, he doesn't want to hear your tongue any more; he wants to look at it."

MOTTO ON SUNDIAL.

[Lippincott's.]
On the front of one of the houses facing the Thames, in Chelsea, is a sun dial bearing this unusual and appropriate motto: "Lead kindly Light."

A DEAD ISSUE.

[Halifax Chronicle.]
One of the most significant things in connection with the Laurier tour is that not a word has been heard about the autonomy question in the west. Even Mr. E. B. Bennett, the Conservative leader in Alberta, who threatened to head a revolution against the "tyranny" of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, joined in the welcome to the premier. Time has no completely falsified the Opposition's bigoted appeals, as it has abundantly justified the wisdom of Sir Wilfrid Laurier's policy.

BORDEN'S PLANKS.

[Victoria Times.]
Mr. Borden, the leader of the Conservative party (for a time), says the Liberal Government has stolen some of the planks of his Halifax platform. That should not grieve the soul of the member for Halifax. His own followers would have nothing to do with the platform, and if there be any good thing in it, why should not the good provisions be adopted by the Government. There is no prospect whatever of the Conservative party being in a position to utilize them.

TEMPEST IN A TEAPOT.

[Hamilton Herald.]
After all the noise they have been making about it, it turns out that not more than four hundred American settlers in the Canadian west have returned to the States, and many of these went back only to get their wives and families.

INSANE CRIMINALS.

[Hamilton Herald.]
Referring to the escape of the murderers, Moir and Taggart, from the Hamilton asylum, the Toronto Globe this morning says that one of the duties of the Government is to satisfy the public mind as to whether these two men are fit to be kept in an asylum according to sense and justice. It is one of the most important questions raised in connection with the situation, and the escape of the two men would seem to give an emphatic answer in the negative. Here is a building devoted to the detention of insane murderers and criminals of all kinds. From the standpoint of public safety their detention is a matter of greater importance than that of the ordinary criminal. The ordinary criminal at large is not half so great a menace as a man like Moir, who, according to the medical testimony, is not crazy enough to be hanged, is quite sane enough to understand his privileged position. The inquiry of the Government should include a complete investigation into the number and kind of insane criminals now detained at the asylum, and it will incur a heavy responsibility if it does not see that they are put in a place of safe-keeping at once.

A BOOMERANG.

They were heckling him at a political meeting. "At last he could stand it no longer. 'Who brayed there?' he cried out, sarcastically. 'It was only an echo,' retorted somebody, amid much laughter."

THREE TIMES DAILY.

[Boston Transcript.]
Miss Bright—I love dancing. What is your favorite dance, Mr. Boniface.
Boniface—The menu-et, dear lady.

HE TOLD HER.

[Sheboyganer.]
"What is it, do you suppose, that keeps the moon in place and prevents it from falling?" asked Araminta.
"If that is what you mean," replied Charlie, softly.

CLOTHES.

[Puck.]
Clothes plus make the Johnny. Clothes minus make the Salome dancer. Clothes multiplied make the woman of fashion. Clothes divided make the new woman.

REGULAR EYESORE.

[Puck.]
Roman Guide (impressively)—The ruins of the Coliseum!
Seattle Man (astonished)—Well, what do you think of that? We have photographs of that head twenty years ago.
Roman Guide (faintly)—Quite likely, sir.
Seattle Man—But why in thunder aren't those ruins cleared away and a modern coliseum erected?

ONE MORE SENSATION.

[Hamilton Herald.]
Now that the strike is settled, Crippen captured and Mayor Gaynor reported to be on the road to recovery, the only thing that keeps the world in turmoil is the suspense over the decision in that fisheries case at The Hague.

WIDELY PUSHED.

[Washington Herald.]
"A pleased customer is the best advertisement. Everybody pushes our goods."
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CARNIVAL WAS BIG SUCCESS

An Immense Crowd Took in the Masquerade at Port Stanley on Saturday Night.

LIST OF PRIZE-WINNERS

Board Walk Presented a Mardi Gras Appearance—Many Amusing Costumes.

The Port Stanley summer season closed on Saturday night with a carnival and masquerade. For some weeks preparations for this event have been in progress, and thousands of people went to Port to witness the fun.

With the exception of a couple of the largest picnics, the best crowd of the season witnessed the fun. And it was highly amusing. There were hundreds of masqueraders on the board walk, and the confetti-throwing, tatum-tossing mob on the board walk had the time of their lives.

It was almost impossible to make one's way through the crowd. There was no use to hurry. It was only necessary to follow the stream of humanity, and enjoy a bath of confetti and tatum powder.

Still, everybody enjoyed it. They went there for the purpose of cutting up, and the village romp and "Week-End Willie" were right in their element. Everything passed off most successfully. Music was furnished by the Twenty-Sixth Regiment Band.

Judges were Messrs. J. M. Parker, Terry Devlin and Frank Shepherd. Some of the costumes were excellent. Some of the "ladies" were admirably made up, that of Jimmy Pope being exceptionally good.

The others were also worthy of special mention.

The Winners.

The prizes awarded were as follows:
Best dressed lady in costume—Jimmy Pope, London.
Best dressed gentleman, comic—Russell Oak, Goderich.
Best dressed boy or girl—Lena Short, London.
Best lady, comic—Mrs. Porter.
Best dressed gentleman—J. H. Brown.
Best dressed boy or girl, comic—Nona Eastwood, Invererie Hotel.
Best masked boy or girl—Gladys Shepherd.
Best dressed gentleman, tramp—W. Jackson.
Best dressed lady, washerwoman—Belle Smith, Orchard Beach.
Best dressed Indian maid—Flossie Roche, Orchard Beach.
Cakewalk—W. Foxworthy and Kathleen Smith.

CANADIANS PRAISED AT HAGUE TRIBUNAL

Tribute to Reporting Staff Headed by Nelson R. Butcher—Baron Lammasch's Handsome Eulogy.

An unusual but very pleasant incident at The Hague tribunal was the tribute paid by President Lammasch, the great jurist, to the reporters of the Canadian press. The staff was organized by a Canadian, Mr. Nelson R. Butcher, of Toronto, formerly of this city. At the close of the argument in the fisheries case the president said:

"There is a noble custom prevailing among the members of the bar in Anglo-Saxon countries to address one another as friends, even if they represent the adverse parties of a litigation. I am counsel on one side and on the other have done in this international proceeding."

"So much the more it may be my privilege, in the name of the tribunal, to address counsel on both sides as our friends, and to thank you for the friendly assistance you have lent us during these weeks and months. You have led us through the maze of a correspondence, through the jungle of entangled statutes, through the dark forest of almost metaphysical problems, in which it was sometimes difficult to see our path, up to the summit of the mountain, where we hope we may see the problem we have to deal with in the light of truth and justice."

"Thank you all for the most valuable assistance you have had from your speeches, for the courtesy you have shown us, and especially for the courtesy you have shown to one another. I am sure that the chivalrous spirit in which you have treated the grave controversies existing between your countries will facilitate us to come to a just and happy solution of them."

"It is with regret that we take leave of you, who have been our friends and our guides in this long and sometimes laborious journey. I beg the agents of both parties, as well as the secretary-general and his colleagues, to accept the preliminary expression of our thanks—preliminary, as we shall apply to their assistance still for some time in our future work."

"I also consider it my duty before leaving to thank the gentlemen who have their places immediately before me—and I desire to have their names on the record: Mr. Nelson R. Butcher, Mr. F. R. Hanna, Mr. Geo. Simpson, Mr. G. Van Casteel and Mr. John W. Hulise—and their assistants for the accuracy, intelligence and punctuality with which they have reported the case."

STRIKERS DEMAND THE "CLOSED SHOP"

New York Justice Decides It a "Conspiracy in Restraint of Trade."

New York, Aug. 29.—A strike which demands the "closed shop" Justice Goff decided in general sessions court, was a conspiracy in restraint of trade, and therefore illegal.

The ruling came in his opinion granting the injunction asked for by the cloak makers against the 60,000 strikers who have been striking for several weeks.

The court granted the injunction asked for.

While there are other demands of the cloak strikers, among them shorter hours and more the strikers have reached several weeks ago had the workers given in on the single point about the closed shop.

The decision does not affect the strike, which will be called off

WORLD'S GREATEST WARSHIP LAUNCHED

The "Orion" the Last Word in Battleship Construction.

HER TORPEDO BATTERY

Carries Ten 13.5-Inch Guns—The Largest Dreadnought—Will Be Unsinkable.

Portsmouth, Aug. 29.—H. M. S. Orion, the new Dreadnought, launched at Portsmouth on Saturday, represents Britain's "last word" in battleship construction, marking as she does a new era in heavy gunnery for battleships, just as H. M. S. Lion, launched at Devonport a few days ago, has set a world's example in Dreadnought cruisers.

The keel plates of the Orion were laid down on Nov. 9 last, and in April the three remaining ships of the design were commenced—the Conqueror, at Elswick; the Thunderer, at Millwall; and the Monarch, at Messrs. Beardmore's works.

It is now established beyond doubt, though the secret has been well kept, that the Orion will be the first battleship to carry the new and immensely powerful 13.5-inch guns. There will be ten of them, and to enable her to carry the vastly greater weight of gun and gun-mounting, as compared with the 12-inch armament of her predecessors, she is to be Britain's largest Dreadnought, her displacement being 22,500 tons, 2,000 tons more than the Neptune.

Another remarkable improvement, which has only been made possible by the new disposition of her superstructure, is the placing of all the ten big guns on the centre line of the ship. These monster weapons are contained in five turrets, with the second and fourth so arranged as to allow a head and stern fire of four guns, equal in every respect to the original Dreadnoughts, with the exception that they have a bow fire of six guns. Yet another new departure is that the Orion will have but one mast, situated amidships, of the standard tripod pattern. The placing of fire-control stations on the head of the tripod has been proved by gun experiments, directed against the obsolete battleship Hero, to be unsatisfactory against a well-directed shell fire, and consequently the rangefinders, etc., will be placed in armored steel towers.

The Orion will have the great length for a battleship of 584 feet, and the placing of the barbettes on the centre line has enabled the beam of the ship to be kept down to 87 feet. Her horsepower will be 27,000, sufficient to give her a speed of 21 knots.

She will be practically unsinkable. Her double bottom, in which all fuel will be carried, will run practically the whole length of the hull, and solid transverse and longitudinal bulkheads are carried up through the decks to such a height that communication from space to space below ships is made by ladder and lift. She will possess three torpedo tubes, from which she can discharge the new 21-inch torpedo, which by use of heated air has an initial speed of 40 knots and an effective range of nearly three miles. No hydraulic gear is being installed. The normal coal capacity will be 900 tons, but at an emergency she can carry three as much, in addition to 1,000 tons of oil fuel. A great timber crane has already been built around the Orion ready for launching, but so secret have been the preparations that no unauthorized person is allowed to walk past the bow.

The launching ceremony was performed by the Marchioness of Winchester, wife of the lord lieutenant of Hampshire.

TROLLEY LINE FROM PORT BURWELL TO LONDON

It is Said That Work on Line Will Commence Next Spring.

Construction work on the Port Burwell, Aylmer and London Railway, is expected to commence early next spring.

As announced in The Advertiser on Friday last, the road is being financed, and the is no doubt that the construction of the plans of Mr. J. H. Teall will soon be realized.

Mr. Teall is at the present time in the United States, looking after the business from that end. He has received much encouragement, and the consensus of opinion is that he will carry the work to a conclusion.

He has an option on a big piece of property along the creek for a terminal for his road. The county of Elgin intended building a new steel bridge, but were persuaded to hold up the work until such a time as Mr. Teall could report on the success or failure of his plans. If he were successful, some changes would have to be made in the original plans. It is understood that the county engineer has the plans prepared with the changes put in.

"Mr. Teall has succeeded in financing the road," said a Port Burwell man to The Advertiser. "There is no doubt that, and we look for construction work early in the spring. It should be a good thing for both Port Burwell and London, and intermediate places."

At Aylmer and other points, they look for the road to be built in the spring.

TRADEY ON TRAIN PASSENGER SUICIDES

An Exciting Scene on Michigan Central Flyer in Vicinity of Essex.

Essex, Aug. 29.—Quite a bit of excitement was caused Saturday night when the flyer passing through here about 8:30 was stopped and a stranger removed. He had tried to commit suicide just west of Essex, having stuck a knife into his throat several times.

He was taken to the office of Dr. Doyle, where the wounds were dressed and then he was removed to the hospital in St. Thomas, where he died some time later.

The ticket gave the name of Charles Hill, and was from Boston to Reno, Nev., and return.

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WERE SHORT OF FOOD
London, Aug. 28.—A story of East End poverty and death was told at a Stupney inquest on Saturday. It related to Sarah Ann Silverstone, 32, the wife of a dock laborer. The couple, according to the husband's evidence, had been married thirteen years, and their family consisted of eight children, all under 10 years of age. Twis were born last Wednesday, and his wife died shortly afterwards.

The coroner—I understand your wife had been short of food?
Witness: Yes, sir. We all have been. I have been out of work for some time, and we have had to live on the charity of friends. All our furniture has been sold to buy food.

Roberts said death was due to syncope following debility arising from want of food. The woman had evidently been short of the common necessities of life.

The coroner said this was a very pitiable story, in which the people were respectable and independent, and did not like to appeal for parish relief.

The jury returned a verdict in accordance with the medical evidence, and the coroner gave the husband a sum of money to meet immediate wants.

SILVER AND LEAD.

Hamilton, Aug. 29.—A valuable silver and lead mine has been discovered at Greensville, near Dundas. The ledge is 20 miles long, 100 feet wide, and 40 feet deep, and is reputed to be worth \$1,000,000. One acre of it belongs to the county, and the remainder to farmers. The interesting discovery was made that for some weeks past the country

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"Some fourteen years ago I had typhoid fever. It caused my hair to nearly all fall out. I have since used and tried several hair tonics and renews, but nothing ever made my hair grow in until I tried a bottle of Parisian Sage. The use of Parisian Sage cooled and cleansed the scalp, removed all the dandruff and left my hair silky and glossy in appearance, besides making the new hair grow in. Today I have an abundance of hair, hardly any grey hairs, and no dandruff."

"It is any wonder that I praise Parisian Sage?"—Mrs. Ann E. Moody, 1906, Bainbridge street, Manchester, Va., April 2, 1909.

Leading druggists everywhere sell Parisian Sage. Cairncross & Lawrence sell it in London for 50 cents, on the money-back plan. The girl with the Auburn hair is on every package. Mail orders filled by Groux Manufacturing Company, Fort Erie, Ont., sole Canadian makers.

Most druggists know that there is no hair preparation that gives so much satisfaction as Parisian Sage, which is now on sale all over Canada.
The reasons are many.
A large, generous bottle for 50 cents.
The only hair tonic that is sure to kill the dandruff germ.
A rigid guarantee to cure dandruff, stop falling hair and itching scalp in two weeks or money back.
Keeps the scalp cool in summer and free from unpleasant odors.

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ALD. MORGAN ON REFORM OF MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT

The Des Moines Commission Plan Described—The Board of Control Plan—Defects of the System Which Obtains in This City.

To the Editor of The Advertiser:

As there has been considerable interest taken lately in municipal government reform, I consider it an opportunity to explain some of the methods proposed.

The two most prominently brought to the public notice are government by commission and the board of control. I will first give a general outline of the history of government by commission. This will be followed by a brief description of the board of control method. Then I will endeavor to point out the advantages and disadvantages of these different systems, so that our citizens will be able to intelligently follow the discussions on this subject, and to be in a better position to judge of the advisability of accepting one of these new plans, or working out from these systems in use, one that will be adapted to our needs here in London.

It is astonishing that government by commission, though used for years in commercial undertakings, has only quite recently been used by municipalities, and then commenced, you might say, by accident. It originated in the city of Galveston, Texas, in 1900, when that city was partially destroyed by flood, and everything was prostrated. It necessitated, for a time the protection of military forces from the state. As the troops were withdrawn a commission of representative citizens was appointed by the governor of the state to have charge of the rehabilitation of the stricken city. So effectively did these commissioners discharge their duties that the citizens would not consider a return to the inefficiency and futile wranglings of former days. Legislative authority was accordingly obtained to reorganize the city under a commission of five members to be elected by popular vote.

The new governing body acted substantially as does the directorate of a bank or a manufacturing or commercial corporation, dispatching business on its merits without appeals to prejudice or resorts to the scheming and wire-pulling of conventional municipal politics.

The people of Galveston were pleased, and the citizens of the neighboring city of Houston took note of the new order of things, and were quick to emulate their example, and in 1903 adopted a like charter, with excellent results.

When the National Municipal League assembled in Chicago in 1904, knowledge of the successful operation of the new plan had become general, and many cities availed themselves of the decided advantage of the new method. By 1907 six other cities had fallen into line, and these were followed by six more cities. These were all southern cities, but a system which had worked such wonders in municipal government could not escape the attention of the more northern cities and today 69 cities have adopted, or expressed a desire to adopt, this system.

We in Canada cannot realize what a bondage many of the so-called Democratic cities of the United States are under. The nominations of municipal candidates under the control of the two political parties, and these are in most cases controlled by the political machines, so that it was necessary for a candidate to be brought forward by one of these machines. It is easy to understand the amount of opposition that would be brought forward to keep another system out which would be out of their control, so that there would be many cities trying to emulate the example of Galveston, and were unable to overcome the difficulties. Also the plan was new, and few plans at the beginning are perfect. It takes practice and use to get any system to its best working value.

Before all the progress, already noted in Texas had been accomplished, the city of Des Moines, Iowa, was at work upon the problem of municipal reform, but had been repeatedly defeated by those in control and opposed to reform, but the people, though discouraged, fought on, and as Galveston had now pointed the way, establishing what is known as the commission system and demonstrating its remarkable adaptation to that city's condition. Much that was essential in the Galveston charter, but not quite enough for general application. There Des Moines found her cue, and through the interest of some of her public-spirited citizens it was brought before the organization of businessmen called the Commercial Club. Meetings were held, and a standing committee of 200 citizens was named. A sub-committee was appointed to draft a new form of government for the city with the understanding that the Gal-

veston charter was to be broadly followed as a model. The first charter met with defeat by the State Legislature, but they were ultimately successful, with a more radical plan, and one which met with the approval of the public opinion. There were many other plans brought forward, which were compromises with the old system, while they gave a measure of reform, they would not have been able to have accomplished what the Des Moines plan has done.

General View of the Des Moines Plan.

Under this plan of municipal government the business of the city is conducted by five administrative departments, designated as follows:

1. Department of public affairs.
2. Department of accounts and finances.
3. Department of public safety.
4. Department of streets and public improvements.
5. Department of parks and public property.

The department of public affairs is superior to the four other departments in both authority and compensation. It is in charge of the mayor, elected by the people as such, and given general supervision over the four co-ordinate working departments. The mayor is ex-officio a member, and presides over the council composed of the head of the five departments, and has a vote, but no veto. He is relieved of practically all merely routine duties, save those necessarily arising from his position as official head and mouthpiece of the city, giving him ample time and opportunity for the important labor of co-operation with and supervision over the labor of his four associates. In cities, 25,000 to 40,000, the mayor's salary is \$2,500; the four councilmen \$1,800 each. This small, directly responsible administrative body, resembling the board of directors of a private corporation, takes the place of the mayor, council, and various boards among which the powers and duties pertaining to municipal administration have been divided in the past. All other officers and employees of the city are selected by the council.

The Des Moines plan provides for a double election. At the primary election any citizen may become a candidate for mayor or councilman without consulting any committee or submitting to any requirements, save that of a petition signed by at least 25 qualified voters, attesting to his good moral character and fitness for office. The two candidates receiving the highest votes for mayor and the eight candidates receiving the highest number of votes for councilman are declared to be the nominees, and these ten names and no others are printed on the ballots for the second and final election, held two weeks later, at which the mayor and four councilmen are elected. Immediately taking charge of the city government, the new council assigns the four unallotted councilmen to their several departments, and defines the powers and duties of each, subject, however, to change hereafter. It appears that the public service would be benefited thereby. The organization is purposely made elastic, the council being also empowered to assign particular officers and employees to one or more of the departments or to require that they perform duties in two or more departments.

The merit system is given the largest practical application in the selection of officers and employees. The fullest publicity as to campaign expenses is required, both the source and manner of expenditure to be reported under oath.

Every ordinance or resolution appropriating money or ordering any street improvements or sewer or making any contract or granting any franchise must be complete in its final form and remain on file with the city clerk for public inspection at least one week before its final passage or adoption.

To enable the citizens to prevent the council from fastening objectionable legislation upon the city, provision is made whereby upon protest of 25 per cent of the numbers of electors voting for mayor at the last preceding general election, the council must either reconsider and repeal the ordinance objected to or submit it to a vote of the people for acceptance or rejection.

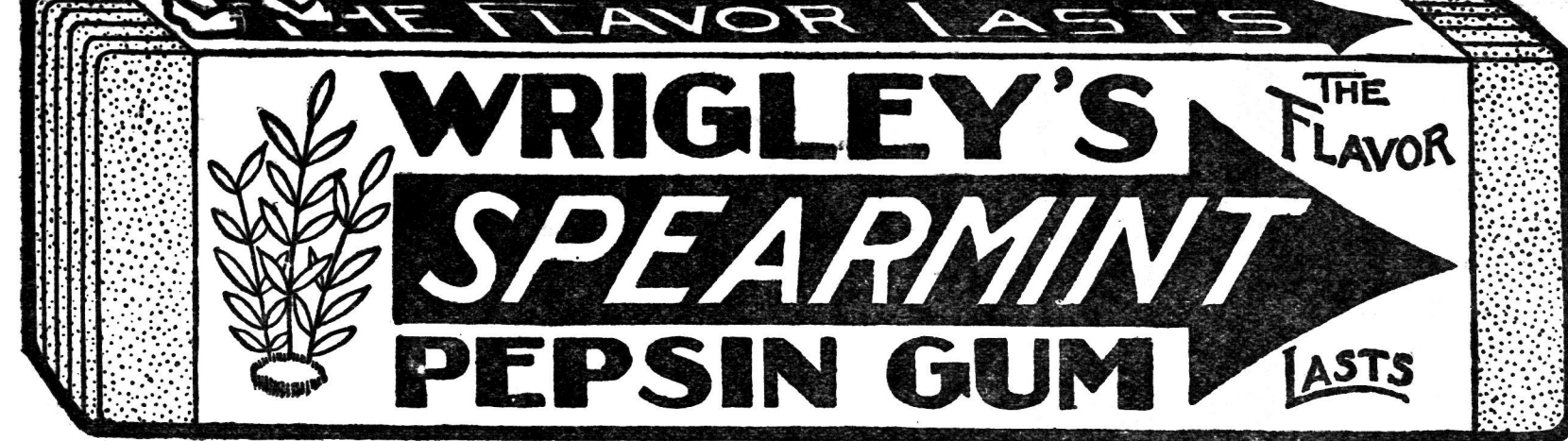
To secure public sentiment in favor of a specific legislation, the city charter requires that upon petition of 25 per cent of the number of electors voting for mayor at the last regular election, any proposed ordinance must either be passed without alteration by the council or submitted to the people at a general or special election for adoption or rejection as law; a ten per cent petition being sufficient to secure submission at a regular election.

To insure good service from the council and to enable the city to purge that body of the membership therein of unworthy persons, provision is made whereby upon a 25 per cent petition any mayor or councilman may be compelled to face a special election upon the question of his continuance in office, his name going on the ballot as a matter of course, and candidates against him by a 10 per cent petition. The highest vote electing for the remainder of the term.

The Board of Control, as adopted by the city of Toronto, is as follows:

The city elects twenty aldermen, divided up from the different wards. A mayor and four controllers are elected by the city at large. The mayor and controllers constitute the board of control, to which is entrusted the administrative part of city government. The mayor, controllers and aldermen together constitute the city council of 25 members, the duties of which are largely legislative.

The board of control meets nearly every day, and its duties are to carry out the orders of the larger body to whom it must report, and which has authority to revise or reverse the board's recommendations. It (the board) cannot amend. It must ac-



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cept or reject. The council cannot order the expenditure or payment of money or make an appointment that has not been recommended by the board except by a two-thirds vote. All heads of departments and officials are under the direction of the board.

This method is much like a combination of our present system and the commission. The name "Board of Control" is misleading. It is really a board, or commission, controlled by the council, which is a part of our present method, which is a part of the council controlled by the council. It does not correct or alleviate our present trouble, which is one body controlling or overriding another body. The controlled body being the one that has gone into the details and investigated thoroughly, while the controlling body has only a superficial knowledge, or, perhaps, none at all.

This will always create discord and dissatisfaction. To get satisfactory results there must be a responsible head, and all departments held responsible for their work to this head. To my view there is no use whatever trying to defend our present method. There is no unity in it, and it is suitable only for small towns or villages, and not for a place the size of London. You may have repeated efforts at reform similar to last and other years, and elect whom you like, but unless you change the whole system and put it on an up-to-date, progressive method, you may expect no permanently good. Our city now has about 12 or 15 different governing bodies, many entirely independent of all the others, while some are just the opposite, being controlled by other foreign bodies, a mix-up which no commercial enterprise could survive.

The board of control is a large improvement on our present method, while the government by commission is just as great an improvement on the board of control. The objection raised most against commission is that of putting too much power in the hands of a few men. The utter failure of the old way should not entitle a new one to our adherence simply because it offers a change. To many, the government of a city by a single body, few in numbers, would seem autocratic, but the system is really more democratic than what we now have, by concentrating the work and responsibility in the hands of five men, paying them reasonable compensatory salaries, requiring them to devote their time exclusively to the publication of the city, and making them responsible for results in their several departments.

The commission system, first of all, informs the citizens just where they must look for attention on any particular matter. The fear that the five members would not feel their responsibility is easily answered by persons familiar with large and successful undertakings. Such persons know how invariably direct responsibility sobers and steadies him upon whom it rests. The plan has worked out better in practice than its most ardent friends expected. By the initiative and referendum, protest and recall, it puts the people in as full control of the management of municipal affairs as human ingenuity could do, providing direct, simple and easily operated instrumentalities for compelling the public representatives to respect the wishes of the people, both departments of the city hall. What

affirmatively and negatively, or submit to the penalty of involuntary retirement at the behests of the people, in ways and means for the enforcement of the extraordinary decree within easy access. The people are to nominate and elect these five members who are to represent them and be fully responsible to them. The people are given power to initiate desired legislation, which these five men fail to pass and to compel its enactment, or themselves enact it. They may recall any or all of these servants if recalcitrant in their duty. These few shining powers are ample so far as establishing and maintaining a democratic regime are concerned, and are in decided contrast to the difficulties of our present system, where it is difficult to place responsibility, and there is no call or power of the people after election.

The objects of the double elections are to prevent private interests taking advantage by bringing out a large number of candidates and then concentrating their efforts on a few, among a larger number of candidates, and thus rule the city through a skillfully-handled minority of voters. Cities are often humiliated and degraded by constant intermeddling in the affairs of bodies entirely foreign to them. In the primary election there may be 30 or 40 candidates and half a dozen for mayor. This would be narrowed down for the final election to two candidates for mayor and ten for commissioners, and from these the people would select their representatives.

In our own system there is so much delay in getting anything done; it is referred to one body then back, and sometimes this is again repeated, then the delays getting bylaws through. This is obviated in the commission. They meet nearly every day as one body, and any citizen that applies for anything can be informed at once, "yes" or "no," and the reasons why. Petitions are now often passed on from one body to another and back again till the citizen rarely knows where he is at.

Every act of the five members of the council from the moment they become candidates until they retire from office is performed in the broad light of public observation. They must justify their conduct to the public. Their camp expenses and the sources from which the money was obtained. After their election the requirements become very specific. Every meeting must be open to the public. The framers of Des Moines' plan were determined that nothing could be done in a corner. The publicity measures are intended to establish public control of every conceivable contingency and the prohibition of outlays of money without a week's delay in each case, shows to what extent they were willing to go to accomplish this end.

In our own city we have a deplorable state of affairs, which is difficult to describe. One committee taking a decided stand against another committee; aldermen voting against even their own principles simply to carry out some private grudge, or working out their own hobby, and utterly disregarding the wishes of the people; the council ignoring recommendations of their own engineers; a lack of harmony among the different departments of the city hall. What

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Frankford

JOE PATCHEN SOLD TO ROD MCKENZIE

Winnipeg Horseman Said To Have Paid \$12,000 For This Pacer—Will Be Staked.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Toronto, Aug. 27.—The biggest horse sale of the year was put through on Saturday morning at the exhibition grounds, when Mr. Hudson, of Orillia, sold his great little pacer, station, of Winnipeg. The price was not obtainable, but gossip has it that Mr. McKenzie paid \$12,000. Previous to the sale, Havis James, trainer for Rod McKenzie, worked Joe Patchen over the exhibition track in 2:10. Only last week Joe Patchen, who is six years old, got his first mark, that being at the Toronto Driving Club races, when he went the mile in 2:17. Joe Patchen is without doubt one of the best horses ever owned in Canada, and that he will be going around the two-minute mark before long is the opinion of many horsemen.

The purchase of this horse by Mr. McKenzie has caused little surprise among horsemen, as it has been looking the fellow over. He is one of the crack pacers of this country. His first appearance in a race was last winter on the ice at Ottawa when he won several races in fast time, and many experts fancied him then. Several picked him to be as good, if not better, than the Bel. No information could be obtained as to Mr. McKenzie's intentions with this fellow, but it is understood that he will stake him down the Grand Circuit. In all probability he will be Canada's hope in the C. of C. stake at Detroit next year. Mr. McKenzie should have a strong hand in the big ring next year. Merry Widow will be sent in the fast classes, while Star Brino, the fast former London horse, will be named for the 2:10 stakes. This one is also very fast. There are several others in the stable that should step some, and win prizes for the western horseman.

FEW WESTERN ONTARIO SHOTS FOR BISLEY

Down East Cracks Fill Up List on Grand Aggregate at Ottawa.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Ottawa, Aug. 27.—Men from east of Hamilton are in the great majority in the first twenty in the aggregate at the Dominion Rifle Association tourney here, and as this crew is made up of the 1911 Bisley team, Western Ontario will be very poorly represented at that big event.

The list follows:
Color-Sergt. J. F. Freeborn, 13th, 355; Sergt. Armstrong, 13th, 357; Lieut. F. H. Morris, 46th, 356; Pte. J. Clifford, 10th R. G., 354; Corp. Roberts, 10th R. G., 354; Major W. L. Ross, 2nd Dragoons, 354; Lieut. A. Meiklejohn, 43rd; Pte. F. Bibby, 7th, 353; Pte. Carmichael, 10th R. G., 353; Sergt. Boyle, 10th R. G., 352; Lieut. C. B. Spittle, C. A. S. C., 352; Sergt. H. W. Patterson, 43rd, 352; Major J. I. McLaren, 91st, 352; Sergt. Russell, G. F. G., 352; Sergt. M. Hall, G. F. G., 351; Lieut. Morris, 18th R., 351; Lieut.-Corp. J. Trainer, R. C. R., 351; Sergt. A. Martin, 103rd, 351; Lieut. Charles Milne, D. C. O., 350; R. Sergt. J. Moscrop, 6th D. C. R., 350.

In the Governor-General's match the leading prizes were awarded as follows:

Medal and \$200, Corp. H. R. Roberts, 10th R. G., 103.
\$150, Major J. I. McLaren, 91st, 192.
\$100, Pte. W. Short, G. F. G., 190.
\$50, Color-Sergt. J. Freeborn, 13th, 189.
\$30, Staff-Sergt. P. Armstrong, 13th, 189.
\$25, Staff-Sergt. C. O. Nichol, 13th, 189.
\$20, Corp. J. Freeborn, 13th, 188.
\$15, Lieut. C. Milne, 6th D. C. O. R., 188.

FRANK GOTCH SAYS HE'S THROUGH WITH GAME

Champion Wrestler Has Won 324 of 331 Matches, So He's Satisfied.

[By Associated Press.] Kansas City, Aug. 29.—With 324 victories to his credit, out of a total of 331 matches, Frank Gotch has decided to quit wrestling. In a letter to a local sporting paper, the champion declares that he has all the money he needs, and that he has grown tired of the game. Gotch's letter reads: "There will be nothing for me in the wrestling game any more. I am a professional farmer, and I am going to stick to that the rest of my life. I have all the money I need and am tired of wrestling. This goes. I am through for ever."

STRATFORD TEAMS PLAY FOR PENNANT

G. T. R. Defeats Y. M. C. A. in a Fast Contest by a Score of 6 to 4.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Stratford, Aug. 29.—The G. T. R. played off this afternoon on the Collegiate flats for the City League championship, the latter team defeating the former by a score of 6 to 4. The defeat of the Y. M. C. A. was largely due to Pitzer Saunders, of the G. T. R., who had two of his ribs broken in a game of baseball some time ago. The being one to Pitzer Saunders, of the G. T. R., who had two of his ribs broken in a game of baseball some time ago. The being one to Pitzer Saunders, of the G. T. R., who had two of his ribs broken in a game of baseball some time ago.

RECORDS BROKEN

[By Associated Press.] Salt Lake City, Aug. 29.—At a bicycle riders' benefit meeting last evening the world's bicycle riding record was broken. A. A. Pye, of Australia, rode three miles, unpaced, in 6:09 1-5. Due, of Los Angeles, rode two-thirds of a mile against time, motor paced, in 55 seconds, breaking the record of 58 3-5 seconds. E. H. Wilcox, of Salt Lake City, rode a quarter of a mile, motor paced, against the record of 20 seconds. He made the distance in 19 seconds.

SHERIDAN AND MCGRATH BREAK THROWING RECORDS

Chicago, Aug. 28.—Two world's records were broken here today at the track and field meet of the Chicago Irish-American A. C., in which the Chicago Athletic Association won the silver trophy for first place with 41 points.

Matt McGrath, of the New York A. C., set a new mark of 16 feet 1-4 inches for the 56-pound weight throw for height, beating the old record of 16 feet 1-8 inch. The throw was an exhibition, however, and does not constitute a record.

In the 56-pound weight throw in a seven-foot circle, a special card for Martin Sheridan, John Flanagan and Matt McGrath, Flanagan made 39 feet 7 inches, beating his own record of 36 feet 8 inches.

LADR MAUD C GOES FAST MILE

[Special to The Advertiser.] Des Moines, Aug. 27.—Lady Maud C, owned by W. M. Savage, won the mile race at the state fair races this afternoon in 2:05, one second above the world's record for a half-mile track. Gano was second, Minor Heir third, Hedgewood Boy fourth.

C. P. R. TEAM LOSES

An interesting game of ball was played on the Queen's Park diamond on Saturday evening between the Elliott-Marr and the C. P. R. teams. The winners had on their batting clothes and won by 24 to 7. The winners played well in every department, while Jones and Flowers were the best of the C. P. R. McGill's coaching was a feature. Batteries for the winners: Haves, Brown and Waters; for the C. P. R., Watson and McGill.

GAYNOR FALLS WHEN HE TRIES TO WALK

Mayor of New York Leaves the Hospital for Long and Hard Home.

DROPS ON ALL FOURS

Knees Give Way in Entering Auto—Hopes Shooting "Will Help To Make Me a Better Man."

[Associated Press.] New York, Aug. 29.—Mayor Gaynor was removed from St. Mary's hospital in Hoboken this morning to "Deepwells," his country place at St. James, L. I. He bore the trip well, but his insistent plea to be allowed to walk unaided resulted in three distressing incidents. Once he sank to his knees as he tried to enter an automobile and in ascending the steps of his home he fell on all-fours from over-exertion.

Despite his weakness, however, he maintained his cheerful mood, and once more at Deepwells spent the afternoon reclining in a chair on the veranda. Left the Hospital. The mayor left the hospital at 9:30 yesterday morning. He had been there since Tuesday, Aug. 24, the day on which he was shot by James J. Gallagher, a discharged city employee, on the deck of the steamship Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse. Drawn up in the courtyard of the hospital, Mr. Gaynor insisted on stopping to speak to each one, and several he patted on the head. He walked unaided from his room on the fourth floor to the elevator, and from the ground floor to the automobile, in which he was driven to a New York police boat waiting for him at a pier in Hoboken. In entering the automobile, however, he over-estimated his strength, and had difficulty climbing onto the running board. His step was feeble, and his knees bent under him at every step.

With him rode Mrs. Gaynor, his son Rufus, Robert Adamson, his private physician, Dr. Farish, his family physician, and Luke Clark, a hospital orderly, to whom he had taken an especial liking.

Salutes Police Boat Crew.

At the dock where the police boat was waiting he walked across the gangplank and aboard the vessel, without help, saluting the crew which was drawn up to receive him. After the boat got under way he called for Capt. Mott, in command, to come to the cabin, where he sat with Mrs. Gaynor. He complimented Capt. Mott on the fine appearance of boat and crew, smiled, and ordered that the mayor's flag be run up. He seemed insistent on this, and inquired of Mr. Adamson if the flag were up. It had been hoisted immediately.

To Long Island City the mayor rode in the after-cabin, sitting up all the way. Arriving there he walked down the deck and across the gangplank, unassisted, but took a firm hold on the railing, and ordered that the mayor's flag be run up. He seemed insistent on this, and inquired of Mr. Adamson if the flag were up. It had been hoisted immediately.

Because of the landings around his neck covering part of his face, few recognized him as he waited at the Long Island City station. There he was transferred to the private car of President Ralph Peters, of the Long Island Railroad, and this was attached to a special train. He kept silent throughout the journey to St. James, which was without incident.

Neighbors Silent. A crowd of neighbors was on hand

to greet the mayor, but they respected his wish for privacy and quiet, and there was no demonstration. But he smiled and greeted those who were nearest him, then whirled rapidly to Deepwells, arriving there shortly after noon.

Notwithstanding his two previous shows of feebleness, the mayor, in his joy at reaching home, demanded that he be allowed to go up the steps alone. He got only part way, then with a pitiable show of weakness, fell on his hands and knees. He was not injured, nor would he admit that he had fallen because of lack of strength. He insisted that he was strong.

Safe at home, the mayor asked to be allowed to sit on his porch, and Dr. Farish consented. So he sat in the open air throughout the afternoon, reading and gazing at the green country about.

Hopes Event Will Better Him. Only two neighbors were permitted to see him. To one of them, who commented on the attempt to assassinate him, Mr. Gaynor said: "I am content my great hope is that the event will help to make me a better man and more patient and just."

The mayor still manifests a disinclination to discuss the shooting, and these words are practically the statement of his attitude on the matter.

CRIPPEN CHARGED

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ing the return to Liverpool on Aug. 24.

Crippen said: "I want to ask a favor of you, but I will leave it until Friday." Friday was the day preceding the arrival of the vessel at Liverpool.

Crippen Grows Mushy. The inspector replied: "As well now as Friday." Crippen then said: "When you took me off the ship (at Quebec), I did not see Miss Leneve. I do not know how things will go. They may go all right; they may go all wrong. I may never see her again, and I want to ask you to let me see her. I won't speak to her. She has been my only comfort for the last three years."

Crippen was allowed to see his companion in trouble. At this point Solicitor Newton questioned the witness, and drew out the statement that his prisoner throughout had been perfectly calm and collected, and had given no trouble to those who had him in custody.

The Defence. The lawyer for the defence reserved further cross-examination until Sept. 6, until which date they consented that the prisoners be remanded without having pleaded.

Neither Newton or Welfare made any comment on the change of evidence. Upon leaving the dock, Crippen stood back to allow Miss Leneve to pass out before him.

CROPS IN HURON

Grain Yield Is Above the Average, But Apples a Failure.

Goderich, Aug. 28.—Wheat in this section will average 25 bushels to the acre. Barley will be a more than average crop, about 35 bushels, some fields going 50 bushels to the acre. Oats will be about 40 bushels to the acre, and peas, 15. Root crops are good, no rot being complained of in the potatoes, but the apple crop is almost an entire failure.

A Toronto dispatch says: The death of Mr. M. Walker, of Wingham, one of the last of the Huron County pioneers, occurred this morning after a few months' illness following a paralytic stroke. He was in his 76th year. He leaves a wife, six sons and one daughter.

The police "third degree" so frequently used by New York's detective force in cases where prisoners do not know their names, has been found under the ban of the highest court of the State of Washington.

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POLICE STILL AFTER TAGGERT

Insane Murderer Who Escaped From Hamilton Asylum Continues at Large.

ALL SORTS OF RUMORS

Fugitive Is Said To Have Been Seen in Different Places—No Definite Clue.

Hamilton, Aug. 29.—Taggart, the escaped insane murderer, is still at large, though a plentiful crop of rumors about his present hiding place is still flourishing. It was stated this morning that he had been captured, but if he has no word has reached the local police or the asylum authorities.

Taggart is believed to be hiding in the neighborhood of Toronto, his old home. A Toronto dispatch says that ever since his escape the Toronto police have been deluged with rumors from all quarters to the effect that a man answering the description of the missing man was seen loitering suspiciously in different parts of the city.

Saturday Taggart, or someone supposed to be him, made two appearances in Toronto, and in each case the police were notified, but unfortunately, their quarry had moved on before they could get to the scene. In the afternoon he was reported to have been observed in the vicinity of the St. Lawrence market. He did not stay long, however, but just long enough to give the police a clue. His first appearance for the day was made in the Rosedale district, where he is supposed to have a secret place of hiding, but of obtaining food. A lady telephoned in to the Yorkville police station saying that a man whom she was convinced was Taggart was seen in the vicinity of the forenoon. He was not begging, but several other people who have seen the man declare their conviction that he is Taggart.

Police on Trail. Acting upon this accumulated evidence the police have had the district thoroughly scoured. Rosedale ravine, which was looked upon as a likely spot for the fugitive to hide in, was traversed from end to end, and revealed what the police believe to have been Taggart's place of hiding—a kind of natural bower that would not only screen him from casual observation, but would serve as a shelter as well.

The belief that Taggart is in Toronto is given strength by the crederence of a relative of his who resides in Davisville. In conversation with a reporter yesterday he said that Taggart knew a large number of people in Toronto, and was more likely to find but several other people who have seen the man declare their conviction that he is Taggart.

That Taggart was in Davisville, however, looking for friends is almost undoubted. At one time he is said to have peddled the district with bread, and accordingly was on terms with some of the residents. One day last week he is reported to have called at the house of a man named Cook, a cattle dealer, who lives quite near to this relative of Taggart's. At the door, which was answered by Mr. Cook's little daughter, he presented the appearance of an old man begging. He asked for something to eat. The little girl called her father, who came and gave the supposed Taggart what he wanted. On looking at the man Mr. Cook was struck with the idea that he had seen him somewhere before, but could not fix his identity till the evening, when he saw the photograph of

Taggart in one of the Toronto papers, when he became almost certain that the man whom he had helped earlier in the day was the missing murderer. The police in the northern part of Toronto are all on the alert for a glimpse of the missing man, who has evaded their meshes successfully for almost two weeks. It is pretty clear that Taggart is not without friends. In all the descriptions of him sent in by the police by the amateur detectives he was wearing civilian clothes, and from the persistence with which he appears to crop up in the same district it is not unlikely that his inner wants are being supplied. The police are confident that he will be landed very soon, and, no matter to say, every effort is being put forth to effect his capture.

WHERE IS MOIR?

Toronto World Claims To Know His Whereabouts.

The Toronto Sunday World says: "Where is Moir?" Where has he been? And where is he going?"

The above three questions have attracted the attention of the general public the past few days, and only the most dubious answers have been given to any of them. The World has it on apparently good authority that Moir is at the present time located at the Toronto Asylum, on West Queen street, at the foot of Dundas street. Here he was placed on the day after his arrival from Hamilton on Wednesday last. Following an order-in-council, which it is expected will be passed by the provincial cabinet at their next meeting, an insane ward will be created at the Central Prison, in which Moir will have the honor of being the first resident.

Past rumors have led to the belief, that the murderer was located at the Central Prison, following the passing of an order-in-council, which as a matter of fact, has never been passed. The rumor went on to state that Moir was bound to spend the balance of his days in the penitentiary at Kingston, but it now seems almost a certain fact, that he will never again see that institution.

Dr. Clarke, superintendent of the Toronto Asylum, when spoken to, would not say that Moir was confined there.

CHILD TAKES POISON

Little One Got Hold of Dorchester Veterinary Surgeon's Grip.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Dorchester, Aug. 27.—The three-year-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Dundas, of this village, wandered from the house, and was found with the grip of Dr. Gill, veterinary surgeon, of this place. It had taken a bottle of carbolic acid from the case and was tinkling with it. Dr. Banghart, of this village, and Dr. Doan, of Harrietsville, were hastily summoned, and applied the stomach pump.

Fortunately the child had not taken much of the poison. The mouth was considerably burned, but not dangerously. The little one will recover.

The last 100 years under the influence of the modern engineer and scientist have done more for the betterment of the race than all the art, all the civilizing efforts, all the so-called literature of past ages.

DEATH OF A PRIEST.

Windsor, Aug. 28.—Rev. Bartholomew Boubat, 70 years of age, one of the oldest members of the Catholic priesthood in Ontario, died at his home this morning. Father Boubat was born and raised in Clairmont, France, and came to Canada about the middle of the last century.

He was one of a number of young Frenchmen who answered a call made by the then Bishop of Toronto at a time when there was a dearth of priests in the Dominion. His first charge was St. Pierre Parish, in Raleigh Township, near Chatham, and he subsequently occupied 15 different charges throughout Western Ontario, including Sandwich, Windsor, Simcoe, Ingersoll, St. Marys, Sarnia and Ridgeway.

BONUS BYLAWS PASSED.

Owen Sound, Aug. 28.—The by-laws to grant a bonus to a drydock and shipbuilding plant, and to loan \$20,000 to a new furniture factory, both carried by large majorities yesterday. British capital is behind the shipyard and drydocks, which are cost \$1,000,000. The ratepayers have now sanctioned a bonus of \$50,000 to the firm, and the taking of \$50,000 stock in addition. J. A. Minchner, Stratford, is promoter of the furniture factory. His agreement calls for the expenditure before June 1 next of \$20,000 in buildings and machinery, and the employment of 50 hands for eleven months of the year.

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LONDON AND DISTRICT

Inquest Tonight.
The inquest into the death of Anson Wallace, who died on Thursday last in Victoria Hospital, as a result of injuries sustained in a collision with an auto on Horton street, will be continued tonight before Coroner MacLaren.

London Representatives.
Rev. R. S. W. Howard, rector of Christ Church, and Rev. J. M. Perkins, of Ingersoll, left today for Halifax, where, with Canon Dyson Hague, of the Memorial Church, they will represent the Diocese of Huron at the Anglican tercentenary. Canon Hague left for Halifax some days ago.

Byron Services.
Mr. A. H. Mitchell, of the Empress Avenue Methodist Church, conducted special services in the church at Byron yesterday. Two solos sung by Clifford Robinson, also of the Empress Avenue Church, were much enjoyed.

Many Tourists.
Automobile tourists were very numerous in the city yesterday, and many large cars went through on route to Chatham, Huron, Toronto and other points. The passengers reported that the weather was ideal for touring, and all said that they had had most pleasant trips. Not a few commented on the splendid quality of the roads through the district.

IMPORTANT POSITION FOR REV. MR. PERDUE

Former Londoner is Named Secretary of Irish Auxiliary.

Rev. J. G. Perdue, former curate of St. Paul's Cathedral, has been appointed to a most important post in the Anglican Church in Ireland. The Irish Times, Dublin, has the following to say of the appointment:

"The Rev. J. George Perdue, M.A., has been appointed secretary of the Irish auxiliary of the Colonial and Continental Church Society, in place of the Rev. Gordon J. Walsh, M.A., who has become rector of St. Peter's Parish, Athlone. Mr. Perdue was ordained for the curacy of Lisnaskea, County Fermanagh, and was afterwards for three years in charge of Trinity Parish, near Enniskillen. For the past four years he has been assistant minister at St. Paul's Cathedral, London, Canada, to the late Rev. A. G. Dann, rector and predecessor of the cathedral, whose sudden death has caused widespread sorrow, not only in Canada, but here at home. Mr. Perdue was one of the Dublin volunteers at the time of the Boer war, and spent some 18 months in South Africa on active service. His colonial experience should be of great value to his work for the Colonial and Continental Church Society, whose activities are mainly in connection with the homefolk who emigrate to the distant portions of Canada, Africa and Australia."

The Window at the White Cat

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ERIE REST EN FETE GALA DAY AT PORT

Event Long To Be Remembered By All Who Were Present.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Port Stanley, Aug. 27.—Friday was a gala day at Erie Rest, and one long to be remembered by the many cottagers, who entered so heartily into the games and sports arranged by the beachers, as a fitting close to what has proved to be a most enjoyable season. Old and young entered into the games with a zest that speaks well for the invigorating breezes of Old Erie. Not the least refreshing thing about the afternoon's fun was the amusement with which the youngsters watched their elders "cake-walk" up to the starting point, and the gusto with which they cheered on their respective papas and mammas to victory. Very amusing also was it to see the wee tots of 3 or so, in capturing some of the numerous prizes for the occasion. Perhaps the most mirth-producing numbers on the programme were the elegant dance, baby shoe, and the string-chewing contest. At 6 o'clock after refreshments were served a thoroughly satisfied crowd of adults and youngsters dispersed to the beach to prepare for the evening entertainment.

Shortly after 8 o'clock about one hundred reassembled in merry masquerade and marched in torchlight procession down Spring street, to the beach, to join some two hundred others gathered around an enormous bonfire. The sight was both picturesque and amusing, as the gay revellers moved about among their friends, with merry jest and gay badinage. So successful and ingenious were the masqueraders in their choice of costume, that the judges found it difficult in awarding the prizes. The choice finally fell upon the following: Mrs. Charles Wilson, as Topsy; Mr. C. R. Mills as a Lady of Quality, Miss Zella Gillies as Britannia, Jack Dyer as Rube, Gladys James as Bo-Peep, and Arthur Gillies as Bugler.

Masks were then removed, and a supper of a rather unique kind was served, after which the time was spent in the charming songs and recitations. The prize for the best comic song was awarded to Mr. Wm. Ward and Mr. Charles Keene, costumed as Mr. and Mrs. Pankham, who sang a duet, their usual inimitable manner, provoking much laughter and applause. The happy gathering dispersed at 11 p.m., after singing "Auld Lang Syne" and "God Save the King."

The success of what all pronounced to be a most delightful wind-up to the season's outing is due to the indefatigable efforts of the following ladies and gentlemen: Mesdames Keene, Rowe, Graham, Wilson and Simpson, and Messrs J. Graham, Keene, Ward, Rowe, Dyer, Willis, R. Cleveland and Rev. Mr. Cleveland, and the Misses Graham Rowe, Keene, Simpson and Cole.

BISHOP FALLON ORDAINS HIS FIRST PRIEST HERE

Rev. Father Francis Morrissey Elevated to the Priesthood on Sunday.

Father Francis Morrissey has the honor of being the first priest to be ordained by His Lordship Bishop Fallon in this city. The ceremony took place yesterday at St. Peter's Cathedral, and was of a most impressive nature. Bishop Fallon sang mass, during which the ordination service was performed, and at the close spoke of the high honor, which had been conferred upon the young priest, and asked the prayers of all for his success as a priest. He mentioned that Father Morrissey, the first priest he has ordained, and hoped that he would do a great work.

Father Morrissey, at the close of the service, gave his blessing to his parents and to the congregation. Father Brennan, of Windsor, was elevated from the sub-deaconship to deacon.

RAILWAY TRAFFIC WAS VERY HEAVY SUNDAY

Many Passenger Trains Came Through With Extra Coaches.

Sunday was one of the heaviest days of the year for railway traffic, and all the through trains carried many extra coaches, and were well filled even then. In addition to hundreds of people on their way home from the summer resorts, there were numerous passengers en route to Toronto for the fair, to Montreal for the Bucharistic Congress, which opens next week, and many horsemen went through to Windsor to the races. Railroad men say that the summer is the best they have ever known, and that traffic has never been so steadily heavy.

Last night on the Grand Trunk a second section of express No. 5 was made up of eight coaches, filled with Swedes and Poles, en route for Chicago and Dakota.

REV. MR. McDOWELL'S FAREWELL MESSAGE

Minister Says, "Good-Bye" to the Congregation of the First Methodist Church.

"I am the master of my fate, I am the captain of my soul."

These lines from W. E. Henley's poem, "Invictus," formed the keynote of Rev. Dr. McDowell's farewell message in the First Methodist Church last night. Speaking on the theme, "What is your life?" Dr. McDowell declared that life is what we make it, being as it is the sum total of our ideals, thoughts, words, and deeds. Men never are the victims of circumstances. At the morning service he preached from the text found in the Epistle to the Hebrews, "The Lord is My Helper." This, said Dr. McDowell, is the one truth, the acceptance of which means success in life. Real life always means a struggle. There are two forces in life, the constructive and the destructive, each striving for the supremacy. To live, implies a conflict. To find ourselves for this battle of life, is the central teaching of St. Paul.

God does not aim at making life easy for us, nor does He help us to bear burdens, or solve problems which He never intended for us. God's purpose is to make manhood and womanhood, but the purpose of our life is service. God's help is personal. It remains for each one of us to trust in the everlasting arms of divine strength.

REV. MR. WHITING RETURNS TO LONDON

Pastor of First Methodist Church Returns From Holiday.

Rev. Richard Whiting, pastor of the First Methodist Church, returned to London yesterday, after a two-months' vacation in Europe. His holiday was divided chiefly between London, Paris, Lucerne and Brussels, and was terminated by a delightful week in the rural quiet of Wales. While in Brussels Mr. Whiting attended the exhibition, which was packed with the most beautiful exhibits, which has since been destroyed by fire, together with many valuable works of art. Rev. Mr. McDowell, who has been supplying in Mr. Whiting's place, returned last night to Wellington Street Methodist Church, arrived in London on Friday, and resumed charge of his pulpit yesterday.

Rev. H. A. Bingham, the new pastor of Tabbot Street Baptist Church, will begin his pastorate next Sunday.

A FLOWER SERVICE

Held for the Children in Southern Congregational Church.

A children's "Flower Service" was held at the Southern Congregational Church Sunday morning, when the pastor, Rev. W. H. A. Claris, delivered a most helpful and interesting address, taking for his text, Luke, xiv, 27: "Consider the lilies, etc., and spoke of the flowers as an emblem of purity and goodness, and how they teach us how great and good God is who made them. The same God who arranged the flowers wants us to array ourselves with beauty, love and goodness. We must pray God to give us grace to pure lives, and shed a brightness as the flowers do—every flower has a lesson. Everything that God made was not for man's pleasure only, but also to teach him a lesson. God wants us to love the beautiful. The church looked very pretty in its decorations of lovely flowers brought by the children, who also admirably rendered choruses, duets and trios. Children's hymns were sung throughout the service, and a bright time was enjoyed by all present.

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SARNIA MAN'S BODY FOUND 30 MILES AWAY

Recovery of James Mulligan's Remains—Sleeper on Track Run Over by Engine.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Sarnia, Aug. 29.—The body of the late James Mulligan, who was drowned at the chain works' dock on Friday night, Aug. 19, was found floating in the river near Algonac, about 30 miles south of here, on Sunday morning. The body was brought here and taken to deceased's late residence, Christina street south. The funeral will likely be held on Tuesday morning to the R. C. Cemetery. Coroner Dr. Logie summoned a jury which met this morning to inquire into cause of deceased's death.

The tug Sarnia City, of the Reid Wrecking Company, while towing a raft of 45,000 logs across the Georgian bay, ran aground on Saturday morning, which dashed the raft on the Duck Islands, causing it to break up. A number of the logs were driven ashore. Many of the logs will not be recovered, but the tug will tow the remainder of the raft to Sarnia.

The last chapter in the story of the tragic death of George Fralick was closed today, when the dismembered arm of deceased was found floating in the river near South Park, Port Huron. The arm was brought over to Sarnia, and will be buried alongside deceased's body in Lakeside cemetery.

Council Meeting.

The town council met as a court of revision on Friday evening. Several complaints of errors in measurements of sidewalk and overassessments were heard, and referred to the proper authorities for adjustment, and the court adjourned. At the special meeting of the council which followed, communications were read from S. E. Todd, of Petrolia, proposing the holding of a public meeting to discuss the question of advertising Lambton County. Referred to industrial committee. Owing to the numerous complaints that have been brought before the mayor relative to the speeding of automobiles in the south end of the town, his worship stated that at a recent meeting of the police committee it was decided that a special constable should be placed on duty in that part of the town for a couple of months. Reeve Milne said some action should be taken to keep the railings at the top of Cromwell and Lochiel street hills free from loafers, who congregate there so frequently. Mayor Johnston replied that the police have been doing their best to keep loafers away, but one crowd is no sooner dispersed than another crowd gathers. Petitions were received from residents on North street, Cameron and Forsythe streets, asking for granolithic sidewalks. The clerk reported them sufficiently signed, and the work will be proceeded with. A bylaw was passed appointing Chief Crawford an inspector under the act regulating the manufacture and sale of bread, after which council adjourned to meet on Sept. 12.

Thomas Roddy has been appointed a special constable for patrol duty in the south ward.

Lottie Hitchcock has returned to her home at Point Edward after a three weeks' visit with friends in Cleveland, Ohio, and London.

Mrs. L. T. Constable, of Hamilton, is visiting her sons, W. T. and Louis T. Constable, of the Hamilton Steel and Iron Company.

Run Over by Engine.

A man named Dench, who came to Sarnia from Point Edward, recently had a marvellous escape from death on Friday evening. Dench went to sleep on the G. T. R. track at Point Edward and was run over by a shunting engine, which crushed one of his feet badly. He was removed to the general hospital here, where his injuries were attended to. It is not thought that he will lose his foot.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Havers, whose death occurred on Friday morning, was held from her home on Talford street to Mooretown cemetery, yesterday. He was the son of Fred, of Port Huron, and one daughter, Mrs. John McGurk, of Sarnia.

KILWORTH BRIDGE.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Kilworth bridge, Aug. 27.—Mrs. Fred Fonger has returned home after a pleasant visit with relatives in Detroit and Sarnia.

Mr. George Routledge and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Burley Doyle.

Miss Loretta Johnston is spending a week in London.

Miss Florence Bingham is attending the Western Business College in London.

Work has been commenced on the new Kilworth bridge.

Mrs. Edward Sharpe and daughter, Beatrice, have returned from a week's visit with Dr. Morris Sharpe at Tilbury.

Mrs. Mitchell has returned to her home in London, after visiting her brother, Mr. Fred Fonger.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Adair spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Culter.

Mr. Gordon Evans, of Yarmouth, and Mr. Edgar Evans, visited their father, Richard Evans.

Thrashing wheels are heard in all directions, and grain is proving to be a fair yield.

Mr. and Mrs. Evans and daughters, Ethel and Ella, of London, spent Sunday with Mr. Evans' brother, Richard Evans.

THEODORE ROOSEVELT WITH ROUGH RIDERS

He Says the Spirit of the West Is Still Alive—Does a Stunt Himself.

Cheyenne, Wyoming, Aug. 28.—I'm here to see what you fellows can do on the hurricane deck of a broncho," Theodore Roosevelt said yesterday, as a group of cowboys, the hardest riders in the west, gathered about him, mounted on their horses. He saw all that the wild west of today had to show him in the way of deeds of skill and daring, and said that the spirit of the west was still alive.

As Mr. Roosevelt watched the cowboys at their work, heard the Indians yell, and saw the familiar sights of more than twenty years ago, when for a short time he was a plainsman, the spirit of it all came over him again, and he climbed down from the flag-draped reviewing stand and mounted a big white horse. He galloped about the half-mile track at Frontier Park and past the crowded grand stand, while the cowboys yelled, Indians gave their warwhoop and the rest of the crowd joined in a tremendous shout. He dismounted after one lap, smiling, and went back to his place to see the rest of the fun.

Every cowboy who had drawn a week's pay and could get here, came. There were a great many of them, and a number of cowgirls. They came on horseback from miles around, some of them hundreds of miles. The streets were thronged with men and women on horseback, in picturesque attire. There were a good many thousands of other persons, too, eastern tourists and the tradesmen and plain farmers of the region, but they got little attention. It was the day of the old wild west.

By the time Mr. Roosevelt arrived here, shortly after 9 o'clock, this celebration was under way. They met him at the station with a band and an escort of cavalrymen, but there was a parade. The exhibition at the park followed, and then there came a dinner which Gov. Brooks gave to the former president. A smoker at the Industrial Club and a theatre party wound up the day.

MELBOURNE.

Melbourne, Aug. 27.—Mrs. G. L. Griffith and Mrs. George Pratt are spending the summer at Port Stanley.

Mr. Donald McDougall, of the Home Bank, is taking a trip to Rosetown, Sask.

Mrs. McLeod, of London, has returned home after a short visit with friends here.

Mr. Orville Richard is visiting in Detroit.

Mr. Merritt, of the Union Bank, has resigned his position and intends leaving here with her parents.

The baseball team will hold a social in the village on Monday evening. A game of ball will be played between the team and picked nine of the old players. An interesting time is anticipated, as each team expects to win, and much interest is being taken in the game.

Mr. McNeill, of the Union Bank, has resigned his position and intends leaving here with her parents.

Frank McLean, of Mayfair, has been appointed secretary-treasurer of the Agricultural Society here.

The annual excursion to Port Stanley Wednesday proved to be a bumper. The officials at St. Thomas stated that it was the largest ever carried over the line, there being over 1,200 tickets sold.

The company being advised of the prospect of a large crowd, the previous day, were equal to the occasion, and sent out a special, regular train taking the passengers from Melbourne East, which filled seven coaches, the other section bringing up the rear, with nine cars packed to their limit.

Melbourne contributed about 325 passengers. Everybody seemed to enjoy themselves. The lake being very rough, the pleasure of bathers, and few took advantage of a swim. A delay of nearly two hours was caused in St. Thomas going down, and fully an hour coming home.

Miss Addie Griffith, of Hamilton, is spending a few days with Mr. G. L. Griffith's family here.

Mr. Leslie Poole, of London, formerly of Smithville, is visiting Mr. Merritt.

Mrs. Alex. McNeill is taking a trip to Michigan, visiting friends in various places.

The waiter's art is a serious, clever, bright profession in Germany, and is seriously studied with attention in Paris, Berlin, London, Rome and New York. In the great hotels in the world's great resorts.

PEACEFUL ANNEXATION OF KOREA TO JAPAN

No Enthusiasm of Extent Marked Passing of the Hermit Kingdom.

Tokio, Aug. 28.—The official promulgation of the treaty of the annexation of Korea by Japan under the name of Sun was made at 9 o'clock this morning. There is not the slightest excitement here of jubilation over the annexation. Reports from Seoul say the people there accepted the annexation quietly.

The most important paper accompanying the treaty orders the existing Korean export and import customs to remain in force for ten years, and foreign vessels are permitted to enter the coast trade for the same period.

The foreign office has issued a statement outlining the negotiations for annexation. The newspapers are issuing extra editions giving full accounts of the ceiling of Korea to Japan.

A rescript by the Japanese Emperor says that in 1905 Korea was placed under the protectorate of Japan, but that notwithstanding the partial success of the existing government, Korea was unable to preserve order. Suspicion and misgiving permeated the peninsula, and therefore, in concert with the Emperor of Korea, he arrived at a plan for the permanent annexation of Korea to Japan.

The emperor expresses the belief that Koreans in future will enjoy prosperity, and that the new states will serve as a firm guarantee for the enduring peace of the Orient.

AYLMER.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Aylmer, Aug. 27.—H. B. Youell is spending a few days at Port Stanley.

Mrs. John Campbell left last night to visit her daughter, Mrs. (Dr.) Marse Lenon, of Chicago.

Miss Jean Matthews expects to leave in a few days with her father for the west.

Mrs. Middleton, of Alvington, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. E. W. R. Hill.

Mrs. Alex. Bailie is laid up with a sprained ankle, the result of a fall down the cellar steps.

Mrs. D. C. Davis entertained at the tea hour on Thursday evening in honor of her guest, Mrs. John Simpson, of Hamilton.

Dr. Harry Hughes and sister, Mrs. John Dunnet, left this morning to spend a week with the latter's son, Alfred, of Toronto.

The funeral of Mrs. A. Severance took place from the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Joseph King Dunbyne at 9 a.m. to Cultus, about twelve miles east of Lenna.

Miss Florence Wegman has returned from a three months' trip to the coast, and will resume her duties on Monday as teacher at the Springwater school.

Mr. John Walker, who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. McArthur for the last three weeks, has returned to her home in Buffalo.

David Wright and family, of Brantford, motored over to Aylmer yesterday, and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Wright.

Dr. J. L. Hoffman and wife have returned to Arkona.

Now that the races are over, and that there is to be no fall fair held here this year, Aylmer is looking forward to the way of sport to look forward to.

Aylmer will not send a team to Delhi on Labor Day to compete in the big baseball tournament. Taylor brothers, of the Aylmer team, however, will attend, and act as battery for the Tillsonburg club.

Right Rev. A. Foley, Wilmington Ingram, Bishop of London, arrived in town from Grosvenor on Friday afternoon, and after enjoying a pleasant drive about the town, left for Ottawa.

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THE BISHOP'S MOVEMENTS.
Ottawa, Aug. 28.—The Archbishop of London, in the guest of the Archbishop of Ottawa at Blue Sea Lake for a few days. This morning he preached here at Christ Church Cathedral.

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