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John W. Thompson, keeper of the reptile house at the Zoological Gardens in Philadelphia, is one of the most expert snake sculptors. He describes his work as follows:

"My assistant makes a slipknot with a piece of strong twine, attaches it to a long pole, and, opening the cage, places it over the snake's head. The reptile, struggling and squirming in fear and anger, is lifted out, and should be one of those deadly varieties there is some exciting sport before he is finally conquered. I hold a sponge saturated with chloroform to his nostrils. In a short time he is, for the time being, and to all intents and purposes, dead to the world, and the cast is then made with all possible expedition.

"Quills are placed in the reptile's nostrils so that he may breathe, and the mixed plaster of paris is poured over him. After the plaster has had time to harden, the snake, which has been greased in advance to facilitate its removal, is carefully pulled out of the cast and returned to its cage, usually none the worse for the operation.

"The inside of the cast is now flushed with soapy water, the grease which fills up the pores and prevents sticking. The plaster is then poured in and the cast remains undisturbed for 24 hours in order to insure perfect hardening.

"The next step is the chipping away of the outer shell, which has to be done with extreme care lest the delicate outlines of the impression plaster may be irretrievably ruined. Fortunately this is true of the head and eyes, which are always left until the last. When all the shell is chipped away an exact reproduction of the snake down to the finest details has been secured, and all that remains to be done is the painting in the original colors.

"It is the painting which is the really crucial feature of the operation and the one which determines the success or failure of the effort. It is very tedious work and much time is spent on each specimen. For this reason usually placed in a glass box beside the artist, who studies the color as he works. Each scale receives separate treatment. The task usually requires several days.

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## GRAND DAY FOR GOOD FAIR; A BIG CROWD AT THORNDALE

### Annual Exhibition of the West Nissouri Society—Large Entries—Speeding Events.

GOOD fair and a good day for it was the unanimous opinion of those who visited Thorndale yesterday. A thousand dollars in prizes were offered by the directors of the West Nissouri exhibition, and as a result the entries were very creditable. Upwards of 1,500 people visited the grounds during the day, including a number of Londoners, who thoroughly enjoyed themselves.

The show of stock was perhaps the greatest feature of the exhibition, some of the best in the county being shown. The cattle were particularly commended upon. The horses were also exceptionally fine, and in connection with this class, it might be mentioned that the races were eminently satisfactory.

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## DOMINION LANDS ACT IS DROPPED

### Military Estimates Discussed in Supply.

### RAILWAY AID IN THREE YEARS

### The Premier Refers to Chamberlain's Speech—Banquet to Mr. R. L. Borden.

Ottawa, Oct. 8.—In the House of Commons this morning the Premier announced that Mr. Sifton's bill to amend the Dominion lands act was dropped.

Mr. Wilson was informed that in 1900 subsidies were voted for 865 miles of railway, and in 1901 there were 1,103. Taken at \$5,200 per mile the amount voted in 1900 was \$2,672,000, and in 1901 it was \$5,562,000. The amounts paid on account of subsidies were: 1901, \$525,371; in 1902, \$218,600; and in 1903, \$578,406.

Mr. Monk drew attention to the reports of Mr. Chamberlain's speech, and asked if anything had transpired at the colonial conference regarding the establishment of new industries as indicated by Mr. Chamberlain.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier said he had read Mr. Chamberlain's speech, but drew from it the impression that the ex-colonial secretary was making an argument not a statement. The remarks made at the colonial conference were in the blue book.

### MILITIA ESTIMATES.

On the House going into supply the militia estimates were discussed.

Sir Frederick Borden traced the origin of the militia for the defense of the country. At Confederation there was an annual expenditure of \$1,000,000 per annum should be spent on militia. At that time the revenue of the country was \$15,000,000, now the revenue was \$40,000,000, and the expenditure had not increased in proportion.

Last year the expenditure was \$8,541,000, the highest year of expenditure having been 1886, when the rebellion expenses were paid. He proposed to increase this expenditure, and asked this year \$3,802,000 on account of capital expenditure, and \$2,000,000 ordinary expenditure. The country was prepared to do its best, and would not contain a long and an expenditure was wise and in a proper direction. There were only 40,000 rifles in the country. There ought to be at least 100,000, and many more. The artillery were hampered by the guns which ought to be thrown away and new guns provided. For this \$1,300,000 was set aside. This would only mean a commensurate increase in the vote to have to be repeated five or six times.

Proceeding, Sir Frederick developed his scheme. A year or two ago he expected that the militia would have a force of 100,000 men throughout Canada ready to do service. This now appears certain. They now wanted to have from 45 to 46 per cent. of these men trained annually. Twenty-two per cent. would be selected men. It would be necessary to have the same staff at peace as at war. It was necessary to have those officers, non-commissioned officers and men or selected men thoroughly trained. These would form the skeleton on which to build an army. Already 60,000 out of the army of 100,000 had been enlisted. They had established rifle associations, in which 29,000 men were enrolled.

They had rifle ranges at Ottawa, London, Hamilton, Niagara, Kingston, Montreal, Lewis, Three Rivers and other places. They had increased the output of ammunition at the cartridge factories from 1,500,000 to over 3,000,000. Now, in order to carry out the necessary education, it was decided to form a central camp where all the officers in the service could come, where the permanent corps could come and carry out evolutions, such as in time of actual war. The mounted force must be doubled, if not tripled or quadrupled.

## Mr. Bert Logan,

### Energetic President of the West Nissouri Fall Fair.

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Building Up Our Defenses.

Opinions may differ as to Canadian obligations in the matter of imperial defense, but all are agreed that Canada's first duty is to place herself in a state of efficient self-defense.

Sir Frederick Borden is the first Minister of Militia in many years who has tried to grapple with the problem in an adequate manner.

For years the militia force has not only been inadequate as to numbers and training but there have not been rifles enough to go round in case the companies should be raised to emergency strength.

The active militia will number 40,000 or 45,000, of whom 22,000 selected men will be drilled annually.

Perhaps the most interesting feature of the new scheme is creation of the citizens' reserve. It is proposed to enroll about 60,000 men, who will not be regular to drill, but will be given rifles and ammunition to use at home.

In preparing to take care of herself and render her own soil inviolate, the Dominion is making a direct contribution to imperial defense by relieving the mother country of the task of protecting her greatest colony.

The British Land Laws.

Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, the British Liberal leader, in commenting upon Mr. Chamberlain's Glasgow speech, declared that "the existing land system is a greater drain upon the industry and well-being of the people than any conscription that can follow from the operation of tariffs."

The English land laws appear to Canadians to be an amazing anachronism, and it is not hard to understand why the doctrine of Henry George have taken so strong a hold in Great Britain, particularly in urban communities.

In Great Britain there is a small, almost nominal, land tax for national purposes, based on assessments which have not been altered since the reign of Charles II.

Dr. Bruce sighs for faster ships that they may complete his record. They will also beat it. The young doctor of 25 or 30 who today begins sailing the sea may complete 1,200 trips and more and 4,000,000 miles even at present speed.

where so many reforms have been made in the national revenue, the system of local taxation, with its absence of special exemptions (L. C., for betterment), its exemption of non-productive realty, or land held for speculative purposes, and its impositions (in the first instance), on the occupier, means the relative overburdening of the poorer classes.

Russian and Japanese Fighting Strength.

In the event of war between Russia and Japan British sympathies would naturally be with Japan. It is not so certain that it would be a case of sympathy with the under-dog.

There are about 45,000,000 Japanese, and among them some of the best fighting people in the world. The morale of the Japanese army is probably vastly superior to that of the Russian army, recruited from a mass of ignorance and misery.

The Japanese navy numbers 164 ships (most of them very modern) with a tonnage of 248,000. Russia has 267 ships of all classes with a total tonnage of 403,814.

The Manchurian situation shows that Russia regards possession as tenets of the law.

If pig-iron is a barometer of industrial conditions, as many affirm, the drop in the price is an ominous sign.

A general treaty of arbitration between France and Great Britain, which is said to have been concluded, would be a great gain for the peace of the world.

The new Canadian Associated Press describes Mr. Aylesworth as one of the Canadian counsel before the Alaska tribunal.

Two dollars a word is what Conan Doyle is receiving for bringing Sherlock Holmes to life after seven years.

A Chance for Some One. [Ottawa Journal, Ind.] Doyle is receiving for bringing Sherlock Holmes to life after seven years.

2,500,000 Miles at Sea. [New York World.] Surgeon-Brice, of the White Star liner Germanic, holds a record which could never have been made by living man but for modern invention.

Canada's Retaliation. [New York Sun.] When Canada in 1897 decided to give England a preferential rate on goods imported from the mother country, Germany set up a claim to a corresponding rate, on the basis of a "most favored nation" treaty effected with England in 1865.

Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman points out that according to Sir Robert Griffen, house rents in England have doubled within twenty years.

Prof. Bellman, one of the

promises to be somewhat more expensive for Germany than for Canada. But it is a fair guess that our cousins across the line would have done the same thing had the conditions been reversed.

The Strong Man of Britain. [Collier's Weekly.] There is only one adequate adjective for Chamberlain; he is strong, strong in a modern sense as the mechanics and the seaman of Kipling's stories are strong.

While the Premier leans back in his seat on the Unionist side, Chamberlain is erect, with arms folded, head thrown forward—a bit armored cruiser always cleared for action, whose eye-glass may be as puzzling as a search-light.

Even the man who pays as he goes may go broke. It raineth alike on the silk and the cotton umbrella.

Marriage occasionally sobers a man who is intoxicated with love. Time and tide wait for no man, but the undertaker is more obliging.

Sometimes a bank cashier saves up enough to pay his running expenses. The price of liberty is eternal vigilance—and it is always payable in advance.

A few years more, and there will be no log cabins left for great men to be born in.

Sometimes a man's warm love melts a girl's heart, and sometimes it is his cold cash.

Soon the strenuous furnace will begin to draw about seven-eighths of a man's salary.

A man never knows what a woman thinks of him until after he has been married to her for six weeks.

The man who grows about his wife's cooking three times a day will eat any odd thing with relish when he is camping out for a week with a stag party.

Burning alive is too merciful a punishment for such human tigers," says the London Free Press with reference to the slayer of Irene Cole.

Another step, hitherto unnoticed, in the process of making the British Empire feed and clothe itself, is the establishment of a 150-acre cotton experiment station in Cayman.

Telephone mistakes may have their serious sides. A man who wanted to communicate with another named Jones looked in the directory and then called up a number.

At Father Point—Kenington, from Liverpool. At Genoa—Lahn, from New York. At Havre—La Loraine, from New York. At Liverpool—Repton, from New York.

Contributors' names are not published but all letters should be signed and dated.

night, Oct. 15. The London harpers will provide the music.

Henshall, Oct. 8.—Oliver Geiger, of the Molsons Bank, Toronto, is spending his holidays here with his parents.

On Wednesday afternoon there was a joint meeting of the Ladies' Aid of Bethesda and Henshall Methodist Churches.

On Sunday, Rev. Dr. Mead preached two thoughtful and instructive sermons in connection with the anniversary at Cheshurst Methodist Church.

The charter for our new carriage factory arrived from Toronto last Friday.

On Tuesday evening Rev. Dr. Mead lectured at the Bethesda appointment.

Mr. W. Stoneman and daughter assisted in the musical part of the programme at the promenade concert on Monday in connection with the reopening.

On Oct. 8.—A landslide on the Buffalo and Allegheny division of the Pennsylvania Railroad yesterday, caused the death of W. L. Nelson, a fireman at Pittsburg, who was crushed under the locomotive, and fatal injuries to Geo. Beale, engineer, of Pittsburg.

St. John N. B., Oct. 8.—A turned switch caused quite a bad accident on the I. C. K. at Petticoat, between here and Moncton yesterday.

Buffalo, Oct. 8.—Dora Goldstein, 6 years old, was burned to death last night, and Joseph Dewese, who tried to smother the flames that enveloped the child, was seriously burned.

Calgary, N. W. T., Oct. 8.—Wm. Steele, of the firm of Macdonald & Steele, manufacturers' agents, committed suicide last night by cutting his throat with a razor.

Albion, Ont., Oct. 8.—Mr. George Lillie, a well-to-do farmer of Plum Hollow, committed suicide by hanging himself with a halter attached to a manger in his horse-stable.

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The Rose of Wentworth. She was a bright, dainty creature, and her hands she held a bunch of brilliant flowers...

CHAPTER XLVII. "Did you climb those crags?" he cried, astonished. She shrugged her pretty shoulders...

Do Your Feet Get Sour? Sour, sweaty, ill-smelling feet cause many people a great deal of discomfort...

Her gray hair makes her look 20 years older. And it's so thin, too. Tell her all about Ayer's Hair Vigor.

TROTTERING KINGS AND QUEENS ARE TO MEET AT MEMPHIS

Boston Ties Pittsburg in the Championship Series—Bar racks Lose Two Games. The second game was called after five innings, with the score 2 to 1 in favor of Cincinnati.

AN ALL-LEAGUE TEAM SELECTED. Strong Nine Will Contest Post-Series With the Champion Londoners. Arrangements for the post-season games to be played at Tecumseh Park on Thanksgiving and on the coming Saturday have been completed.

Long Distance Flying. In the last issue of the American Racing Pigeon the writer appeared an editorial regarding the cruelty of the Cleveland Association Homing Club shipping birds to 1,500 miles.

YESTERDAY'S TURF WINNERS. At Lexington, trotting—Nervalia, Brown and Sadie Mac, Bessie Brown and Queen Bond.

INDOOR BASEBALL. BAR RACKS WAS BEATEN. The Wolsley Barracks team was defeated yesterday in a game of indoor baseball by a team from D Company.

BASEBALL. BOSTON AND PITTSBURG TIED. Pittsburg, Pa., Oct. 8.—A big crowd witnessed the third home game in the world's championship series today.

BASEBALL. CLEVELAND WON FIRST. Cleveland, Oct. 8.—Windy and rainy weather made it possible to play only one of the two games scheduled here today between the Cleveland American League and the Cincinnati National League baseball clubs for the state championship.

Abbey's Effervescent Salt. It is just the pleasant tonic—laxative that delicate women and girls need.

DOWIE'S ADVANCE UPON NEW YORK. Chicago, Oct. 8.—In four days, Zion's host of crusaders will be on their way to New York. The past hours have been utilized in packing literature into the cars which will transport it east.

HOW HE BECAME MILLIONAIRE. Not Many Years Ago Dowie Was a Tasmanian Convict—Owns a Whole City. Whether he was worth that amount when the statement was made a little over a year ago, only Dowie himself knew.

His March Will Begin in a Few Days. Zion's host of crusaders will be on their way to New York. The past hours have been utilized in packing literature into the cars which will transport it east.

Whether he was worth that amount when the statement was made a little over a year ago, only Dowie himself knew. How much his wealth has increased since that time Dowie only knows, and since the financial world has become rather firmly convinced of his financial strength and since criticism has taken other avenues of attack, this wonderful man is not likely to be measured even by the most conservative of the millions.

Every dollar that belongs to the Zion City Corporation is in his name and subject to his order. It would be to attempt to fly across the Atlantic Ocean in our present day. But who knows but that in two or three centuries to come they may even have birds to do it.

1888—Dowie released from short term in Tasmanian prison, lands in San Francisco, California, and in 1890—Came to Chicago; says he had \$300.

1903—Increased value Lake county land holdings, \$1,000,000. Zion Land and Investment Association, \$101,000; Zion lace industries, \$196,000; Zion general stores, \$33,000; Zion City Bank, \$200,000; other Zion City industries, \$100,000.

GOOD DIGESTION SHOULD WAIT ON APPETITE. To have the stomach well is to have the nervous system well. The delicate are the digestive organs. In some so sensitive are they that atmospheric changes affect them.

GREAT SOAP SALE SATURDAY. 262 large bars of Genuine Shell Brand Castile Soap, the price in all other stores is 20c and 25c. Our price Saturday will be, bar...

Big Sale of Slipper Soles Saturday. 10 dozen Slipper Soles, with heavy lambswool lining in Ladies' and Children's sizes, value 25c pair, Saturday, pair...

LADIES' WAISTS, SATURDAY 43c. Ladies' House Waists, in American cotton flannel, in fancy stripe and check, in blue, cardinal, navy, green and pink, plain back, full front, bishop sleeves and collar to match, sizes 32 to 40, special, Saturday, at...

75c Gowns, Saturday 50c. Ladies' Gowns, in blue, white and pink, fine outing flannel, made in three sizes, with roll collar and sailor collar, front collar and sleeves trimmed with frills edged with lace, value 75c, Saturday...

SATURDAY EVENING SPECIALS. 6 BARS LAUNDRY SOAP FOR 10c. Large bars best quality Ruby Laundry Soap, value 3 for 10c, Saturday evening at 7:30, 6 bars for...

25c HOSE, SATURDAY 15c. Ladies' Heavy Early Fall Fleece-Lined Cotton Hose, fast black, spliced heel and toe, seamless feet, value 25c, Saturday, pair...

SPECIALS IN OUR BASEMENT SATURDAY. Another lot of 6-piece Toilet Sets, several designs, value \$2.00; your choice Saturday, set...

SPECIAL SALE OF BRUSHES SATURDAY. 10 dozen Extra Quality Scrub Brushes, value 20c and 25c, Saturday 15c; 3 dozen Scrub Brushes, Saturday, each...

SPECIALS IN WALL PAPER SATURDAY. Are exceptionally good and it will be advantageous to the purchaser. A large stock to choose from.

WOODS' FAIR. Parlor Lamps, Saturday from \$1.50 Up. Some Rare Indian Relics. According to Charles Gibson, Indian Journalist of Eufaula, the two most sacred relics of the Creek or Muskogee tribe are in the keeping of the To-ka-par-chie clan.

WOODS' FAIR. The package containing the plates was delivered the cloud moved away and there was a clear sky. The old man took his charge back to their square house and hid it until the time of their annual celebration or green corn dance, when the plates were introduced into their festivities.

Piles. To prove to you that Dr. Chase's Ointment is a certain and absolute cure for each and every form of itching, bleeding and protruding piles, the manufacturer has guaranteed it. See testimonials in the daily press and ask your neighbors what they think of it.

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HALLELUJAH WEDDING

Ensign White and Capt. Howlett Married at the Citadel.

There was a joyful time at the Salvation Army Citadel last evening...

THE FORT ERIE KIDNAPPING

Miss Keefer Arrested at Strathroy—Her Religious Title.

Niagara Falls, Ont., Oct. 8.—Chief Mains brought back this afternoon...

THE WOMAN ARRESTED.

Sister Magdalen was placed in the back-up here and was behind the bars...

The authorities feel that the woman had some motive in stealing the...

Thanksgiving Day! JUST ONE WEEK AWAY

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LONDON AND DISTRICT

—Miss Weatherall, of this city, was married here on Wednesday to Mr. John Trosley, of Aylmerton.

DEATH OF LONDONER'S BROTHER.

Thomas Wilkie, of the Royal Bank of Scotland, only brother of Mrs. (Rev.) W. Wright, of this city, has died at his home in Granton, near Edinburgh.

DUE TO LONDON COMPETITION.

The Hamilton Master Bakers' Association, the member of which have been serving a four-pound loaf of bread at 12 cents and two pounds at 6 cents, have decided to reduce the size of the loaf to three pounds and 1 1/2 pounds, and sell at 10 and 5 cents.

DEATH OF MRS. (JUDGE) HUGHES

Mrs. Sarah Hughes, wife of D. J. Hughes, senior judge of the county of Elgin, passed peacefully away Tuesday evening at the family residence on Metcalfe street, St. Thomas, after a lingering illness extending over a period of about five years.

—She was the daughter of the late

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WHY WAIT UNTIL THE RUSH

BELTZ, LEADING FURRIER.

Richard Richardson, who was the first cashier of the Bank of Upper Canada in this city, died yesterday morning at an early hour from an attack of pneumonia.

Mrs. (Rev.) Henderson died on Wednesday morning at an early hour from an attack of pneumonia.

INTERRED AT LAMBETH.

The funeral of the late William Smith, who died Wednesday in Victoria Hospital, was held yesterday morning from J. T. Stephenson's undertaking establishment to Lambeth cemetery.

DIED IN ROCHESTER.

Mrs. Nicholson, widow of the late John Nicholson, of this city, died at Rochester yesterday after an illness from typhoid fever.

ATLAS LOAN CREDITORS.

Among the claims which appear in the list of creditors of the Atlas Loan Company, published in the St. Thomas Journal of Oct. 3, are the following:

THE ELGIN LOAN COMPANY hold as collateral security 575 shares of Dominion Coal stock which they have not as yet valued.

HOME TRUSTEES MEET.

The trustees of the Protestant Orphan's Home held their monthly meeting this week, the president, Mrs. McCullum, occupying the chair.

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THE CONVENTION ENDED

Officers Elected by the Woman's Missionary Society.

London Strongly Represented in the List Resolution of Condolence.

The conclusion of the most successful convention ever held by the Woman's Missionary Society of the London Methodist District, was reached yesterday afternoon at the Askin Street Church.

The election of officers was completed, and several other minor matters disposed of. The officers are as follows:

First Vice-President—Mrs. J. H. McMechan, London.

Second Vice-President—Mrs. Fowler, London.

Third Vice-President—Mrs. (Rev.) T. E. Harrison, London.

Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. Cunningham, Kincardine.

Recording Secretary—Mrs. G. Acheson, Goderich.

Treasurer—Mrs. Tennant, London.

Representative to the Executive at Toronto—Mrs. McMechan, London.

Organizers—London, Mrs. Harrison; Stratford, Mrs. Dunsmore; Goderich, Mrs. Leach; Wingham, Mrs. Deuse; Berlin, Mrs. Marshall; Kirkton, Mrs. Stratford; Mrs. G. S. McMechan; Windsor, Mrs. Freeman; Ingersoll, Mrs. Sarna; Mrs. Canine; Chatham, Mrs. Bond; Ridgeway, Mrs. Kaus; Highgate, St. Thomas, Mrs. J. Risdon.

Mr. C. J. Beal was re-elected auditor.

A resolution was passed expressing regret at the death of Rev. Mr. McLachlan, whose wife is a member of the association.

BOY WITH A BROOM THREW TROLLEY FROM THE RAILS

Serious Accident Narrowly Averted on Richmond Street—Little Girl Injured.

A PAINFUL INJURY.

Among the passengers was a Mrs. Noxon, of 267 Dundas street, who has been in the city but a short time, coming from Toronto here, and with her a babe in arms and a pretty little golden-haired tot of about 3 years.

The accident occurred at the corner of Lorne street and Adelaide street, and the system was tied up for an hour, so that between both accidents the street was not running for about an hour and a half of the afternoon.

BOARD OF WORKS BOWLED MR. McMECHAN OUT AGAIN

On an autumn evening, when the crickets are out enjoying life, too, it is very interesting to be able to tell the temperature of the air by the number of the cricket makes per minute.

It seems that the rate of chirps is affected by the temperature, and the exact relation of the temperature to the number of chirps has been estimated.

Mr. McMechan expostulated calmly, but it was of no use. Mayor Beck got into the discussion, too.

"We don't want to hear you. You shall not address this committee. We've heard too much from you already."

"I don't see why we should hear Mr. McMechan," he said. "We have heard his views on pavements for three years. Upon altogether too many occasions this man has assailed the council's time. I don't think he should be heard."

Chairman Wyatt—Despite all that has been said, I think Mr. McMechan should be heard.

Ald. Gerry—So do I.

Ald. Cooper—I don't. Put it to a vote. We've had enough of him already.

Mr. McMechan further informed the committee at this stage that he asked as a citizen on behalf of a committee of citizens, to be heard, but the mayor said he wasn't aware that Mr. McMechan represented anybody.

The discussion was continued for some time and then the chairman took the vote, and the result was that Mr. McMechan lost, Chairman Wyatt and Ald. Gerry voting to hear him, and the mayor, Ald. Cooper and Ald. Abram voting nay.

Mr. McMechan had wanted the vote of the committee to address the committee, which he had the effect upon Ald. Cooper that a red rag has upon a bull.

"What's the matter with you?" inquired Ald. Cooper, "you're out, and

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other purposes. Mr. Pearce was advised to wait on the water commissioner and lay his views before them at their next meeting.

The committee will also recommend the council to pass a bylaw making it the duty of the contractor to have a trip taken from the park ranger.

A section of the Ontario statutes gives the council permission to do this. Mr. Pearce said it was a shame the way trees in various parts of the city were being mutilated, and he thought it was time a stop was put to it.

The park ranger will also be furnished with gravel for the walks in the park, so that they may be put in proper repair before the winter comes on.

The seats in the park will be stored in one of the buildings in Queen's Park, there are not being sufficient accommodations from crushed stone to common gravel.

The tenders will be called for both in bulk and separate, for the curbs and gutters of the sidewalk and the concrete of the sidewalk.

Mr. A. Kenney was present and asked that a small tree be put in on the north side of Bathurst street, between Marlborough and William.

Mr. Pearce proposed that the committee order the contractor to remove the rustic house in the park, and dispose of it as he sees fit.

In the course of the discussion on the matter, some of the aldermen did not favor going away with the house, but the mayor said he for one would not want to pass the house with a lady at night, as any person was liable to be insulted. This settled the case in the minds of the committee.

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