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CEREAL MEN WON'T TALK

Toronto, November 29.—Mr. Ches. Strowger, secretary treasurer of the Canadian Cereal Company, would say absolutely nothing this afternoon, as to what transpired at the shareholders' meeting to-day.

MR. W. McLEAN INSPECTED SCHOOLS

Yesterday afternoon Mr. A. Gay of Oshawa, the contractor who built Lindsay's new schools, and Mr. W. McLean, of Woodville, who was appointed by the Board of Education to look over the schools and report as to whether or not they were built according to plans and specifications.

A few bargains left yet at the

FIRE Sale

AT R. J. MULLIGAN'S Druggist, Omemee

RELATIVE OF JESSE JAMES' SLAYER WOULD LIKE TO KILL CHIEF CHILTON

From Thursday's Post. At this morning's session of the police court held before Magistrate Jackson, one, Robert Ford, was charged with being drunk, swearing and disorderly in public places.

It will be remembered by our readers that this same man was in police court this past summer, charged with assaulting a boy. He was fined for that offence, but not having any money, he was sent up the hill.

Some difficulty was experienced in landing Ford "under the stable," but it was finally accomplished. A telephone message was received at the police station shortly after 8 o'clock from the G.T.R. station to the effect that there was a drunken man in the ladies' waiting room and that nothing could be done with him.

Chilton and Constable Short left immediately for the scene.

Ford's head is adorned with a crop of red hair and when the officers of the peace attempted to put him under arrest he strenuously objected, and used considerable unprintable language. During the scrap Ford's head met the station platform with the result that a bit of skin was knocked off.

In the Palace of Justice this morning he told the Magistrate that he had been working on the new railroad at Orillia and Brechin. Ford thought he would give Lindsay a wide berth after this as the officers of the peace always seemed to get him whenever he came to town.

HEROISM OF BRAVE ORILLIA HUNTERS HOW THEY SAVED DR. BUSHNELL'S LIFE

The Orillia Times has the following: "The choicest stories of the hunters who go annually into the woods in quest of health and vigor, and incidentally deer and other game, are not told when they return to civilization, but are reserved for the camp fires of another year.

"The Red Tam Hunt Club, of Orillia were spending the two weeks' open season in Longford township. They learned of the illness of Dr. Bushnell, dentist, of Toronto, a member of another camp, some five miles distant in Anson township.

"Mr. E. Long, always the life of any company, which he is among, called for volunteers to make a stretcher and carry the sick man out. He with Mr. W. H. Tudhope, M. D. C. Thompson, and Dr. A. R. Harvie, undertook the

work and a formidable undertaking it was. Four and a half miles as the crow flies, it seemed like four and a half leagues over rock and down ravines, through brush, and through swamp up to the knees in water.

"It was after 2 o'clock when Capt. Long and his three helpers got lunch, and then the return trip to camp was commenced. Part of the journey back was made by canoe, but the wind was so strong that the craft swamped several times, and threatened to capsize. At dark the four reached camp, after their practically twenty miles tramp, wet and weary, but with the satisfaction of knowing they had helped a brother in trouble.

"The incident shows the stuff of which the Red Tam Club are made. The new Archbishop is a man of great piety and prudence, and has been greatly loved by the various congregations over which he has been called to preside.

CONSECRATION OF ARCHBISHOP SPRATT NATIVE OF LINDSAY HIGHLY HONORED

KINGSTON, Nov. 30.—Rev. Michael Joseph Spratt, a native of the township of Ops, near Lindsay, and brother of Mr. R. P. Spratt, of that town, was this morning consecrated as the eighth prelate to the Roman Catholic See of Kingston, which was established in the year 1826 and which is the second oldest in Canada.

St. Mary's Cathedral was crowded to the doors for the ceremony. Mgr. Stagni, Archbishop of Aquila, Apostolic Delegate to Canada, presided assisted by Dean Murray, of Brockville, and Rev. Thomas J. Spratt, of Wolfe Island, as deacons of honor.

The musical part of the service was effectively rendered by a choir of men and boys. Prof. Paul Denys, of Montreal, presided at the organ.

Bishop Fallon, of London, was the preacher. His sermon was an eloquent and forceful one, in which he dealt with the spiritual authority of the Roman Catholic Church.

Among others who attended the consecration were Hon. C. J. Doherty

FIVE DOCTORS GAVE UP ALL HOPE

Said she Would Die of Kidney Trouble

"FRUIT-A-TIVES" CURED HER

MOUNTAIN, ONT., Dec. 14th, 1910. "For six years, I suffered from dreadful Kidney Disease. My legs and lower part of my body were fearfully swollen, and the pain was awful. My people thought sometimes I was dead, as I would faint from the agony.

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Minister of Justice, representing the Dominion Government; Hon. M. F. Hackett of Stanstead, Que.; C. J. Foy Perth and M. J. Haney, of Toronto.

This evening solemn vespers were chanted, presided over by the new Archbishop.

Among the relatives of Archbishop Spratt who attended the ceremony were: Messrs R. P. Spratt, a brother, and family, of Lindsay; Mrs. Wm. O'Keefe, a sister, Minto, N. Dakota; Mrs. Cathro, Lindsay.

SKETCH OF HIS CAREER.

Rev. Father Michael Joseph Spratt who was consecrated Archbishop of Kingston in St. Mary's Cathedral, on Thursday morning, is the eighth prelate to preside over this archdiocese. He succeeds Archbishop Gauthier, who was transferred to the see of Ottawa last January after thirteen years of rule at the archiepiscopal palace here.

The new Archbishop is a man of great piety and prudence, and has been greatly loved by the various congregations over which he has been called to preside.

ANOTHER RURAL MAIL ROUTE

Millersmith, Jan 30.—Mr. Jas. F. Kennedy and Mr. John G. Ashmore have been successful in their petition for a rural mail route from Lindsay north and east to the marsh on 14 of Emily, thence south a mile and west on 13th to boundary, south again to McGinnis' corners and west to Lindsay.

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ANOTHER SUCCESSFUL MEETING IN OPS LIBERAL POLICY MAKING MANY CONVERTS

(From Friday's Evening Post)

One of the most successful meetings of the provincial campaign in this riding was held last night at Jackson's School House, Ops township. There was a splendid attendance of the electors and the reception accorded the speakers was a most encouraging one.

Mr. Byrnell made a most efficient chairman.

Mr. E. A. Totten was the first speaker and in a convincing address outlined the Liberal policy on the great question of temperance and exposed the wabbling attitude of the Whitney Administration and its subservience to the liquor interests as exemplified in the enactment of the three-fifths clause in connection with local option contests.

THREE YEARS AT KINGSTON PENITENTIARY SENTENCE METED OUT TO GRAHAM TODAY

(From Friday's Evening Post)

"Three years in Kingston Penitentiary."

Such was the sentence meted out to Graham this morning. The "standing room only" sign was hung out at the police court this morning. The case that excited so much interest was that of Harry Malcolm Graham, the "Electric Railway" promoter.

Mr. George Jordan appeared for Graham. He said his record had been looked up and he had nothing to say.

Mr. L. V. O'Connor was counsel for the men who lost their money through the false pretences of Graham. He had pleaded guilty to the four charges which were laid against him, of obtaining money under false pretences. There were some fifteen men who had been employed by him and who would not be paid. Mr. O'Connor said that at first he had hoped that his friends would come forward to pay off the men, and on that account a lenient view of the case might be taken. But

Mr. J. P. Donald's address on tax reform and other features of the Liberal policy was listened to with great attention and left nothing to be desired.

Dr. White dealt with the educational policy of the Whitney Administration and pointed out that the Whitney Government had disappointed the people on this as well as every other plank of the platform promulgated when the Conservatives assumed the reins of office.

Ops township will be in line for Liberalism on Dec. 11th.

Such was not the case and Graham would have to take the consequences of his folly. The probable reason was that in view of his past record, friends had deserted him. The sentence for an offence of this kind was three years.

Magistrate Jackson said that Graham had robbed the men of their money—what they had saved as well as what they had earned while working for him. He did not understand how he got off so easy at St. Catharines. He had been convicted there on a similar charge and in addition to that they had his record before that time, which was none of the best. In giving sentence the Magistrate said that he could not follow the precedent set by St. Catharines. Graham was young in years, but old in crime. The public must be protected. There was some doubt as to his sanity, and he would send him to a place where his mental condition could be looked into. His worship imposed a sentence of three years for each of the four charges, the sentence to run concurrently (which means that they all run at the same time thus making the sentence three years.)

Graham took his sentence quietly. The prisoner had evidently been expecting the worst and was prepared.

COMPENSATING INJURED WORKMEN

In caring for those who suffer through casualties in the great army of productive industry, Mr. Rowell has declared for the adoption of the British system, while Sir James still clings to existing waste and uncertainty.

The law courts as reformed by the Whitney Government are things to be dreaded and avoided, and in these the incapacitated worker must risk his small savings for a chance of fair remuneration. With those dependents who find their bread-winner suddenly taken away, the case is still more helpless, for they must risk their meagre savings in preparing for or conducting a legal action for the chance of securing compensation. The natural tendency under such conditions is for employers to ensure their workmen, and the insurance companies to fight all claims in the courts, thus impressing by a record of losses the folly of making claims. The experience of the United States in this regard may be made to serve as a guidance and warning, because accurate statistics have been collected. The premiums paid to accident insurance companies during the seven years, from 1894 to 1895 aggregated \$99,595, 076 and the amount paid in compensation for injuries was \$43,599,498, or 41 per cent. From this payment must be deducted the incidental costs and outlays which have lessened the net returns and also the money wasted in unsuccessful legal actions.

Two years of actual test has proved the practical benefits of the British system, so there is no attempt to venture on untried ground. Of 328,957 cases in which compensation was paid in 1908, only 5,358 were taken into court, and of these 1,563 were withdrawn or settled. Only a small fraction over one per cent. of the claims went to trial. In the following year compensation was paid in 335,953 cases and of these only 6,188 were taken to court. Settlement was effected in 1,789 cases without trial. During the former year there were 7,514,765 employees covered by the returns. There were 3,447 fatal accidents on which \$2,074,430 was paid in compensation, and 323,224 non-fatal accidents, for which the compensation payments aggregated \$7,617,460. In 1909 there were 6,560,745 workmen under the act, and the payments were \$2,535,275 for 3,308 fatal accidents and \$8,614,900 for 329,294 cases of injury. This is a practical test, and shows that the British law effects the desired purpose

of inevitable accidents with the minimum of delay, uncertainty and cost.

VOTE FOR C. E. WEEKS, A CANDIDATE WHO WILL WORK IN YOUR INTERESTS IN THIS MATTER.

ANNUAL MEETING OF CEREAL COMPANY

Montreal Herald: The annual meeting of shareholders of the Canadian Cereal and Milling Company was held in Toronto yesterday.

At the termination of the meeting, Mr. Walter Strowger, the secretary-treasurer, said that it had been decided not to make public any of the figures regarding the operations of the company for the year.

"All that I can say," he remarked "is that when the conditions of the milling trade for the twelve months is taken into account, we did just as well as good expected."

Mr. Strowger would not admit that the Company had lost \$150,000 in the period under review.

"In view of the circumstances" he said, "the report was satisfactory."

CEREAL DIVIDEND NOT DECLARED.

Toronto, November 30.—"The preferred dividend was not declared" said Mr. Walter Strowger, secretary of the Canadian Cereal and Milling Co., when asked to-day for a statement regarding yesterday's meeting of the shareholders. "You may say that there will be no further statement given out for publication," he said.

An Early Marriage

The Bancroft Times says:—A rather unique wedding took place here on Saturday last. The bride, a daughter of Walter Lazier, was only fourteen years old, and had been attending school in Bancroft until a short time ago. No wonder there is a race of degenerates growing up.

Promising Prince Rupert

Prince Rupert, British Columbia, the Pacific Coast terminus of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway, is going a pace, and for a young city the business that is now done there is remarkable. During the month of September there were 80 steamers loaded at the port and 81 departed.

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ORILLIA TO HAVE A SPLENDID ARMORY

Orillia News Letter:—The deputation, Messrs J. B. Tudhope, R. H. Jupp and G. H. Clark, which visited Ottawa last week, received assurance from the Minister of Militia that an armory and drill hall would be built at Orillia, but on a much greater scale than proposed by the late Government. The structure instead of costing \$20,000 will run into \$60,000. Col. Hughes believes in an aggressive policy for this department.

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