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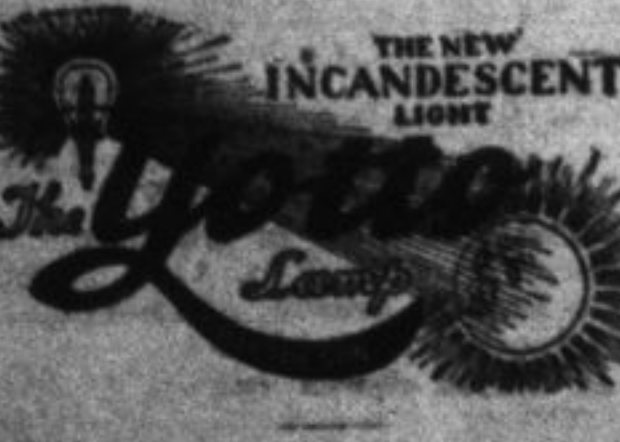
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T. F. HARKISON CO., UNDERTAKING, ETC. PHONES—DAY USE, 21-22; NIGHT CALLS, 21-23



BRECK & HALLIDAY, SOLE AGENTS.

Cook's Cotton Root Compound. It is especially used monthly by every woman. It is a powerful purgative, and is the best medicine for all kinds of female ailments. It is sold in bottles of 10, 25, 50, and 100 pills. Price, 10c, 25c, 50c, and \$1.00 per bottle. It is sold by all druggists.

The Kingston Rag & Metal Co., 389-391 Princess St.

IN IMPERIAL INTERESTS

BROAD RESOLUTIONS PASSED BY BOARD OF TRADE.

Questions Which They Want Premier Laurier to Discuss in London—Many Subjects Dealt With at the Meeting Last Evening.

Some days ago the board of trade received a communication from the Toronto board, stating that a convention of all the provincial boards would be held in Toronto on June 4th and 5th for the purpose of deciding what questions the business men of the province desire Sir Wilfrid Laurier to discuss at the conference of colonial premiers in London during coronation week. The local board was also to pass resolutions giving its opinion upon four named subjects and to elect delegates to attend the convention.

Imperial Defence.

After the president had explained the purpose of the gathering, Mr. Chadwick introduced the subject of imperial defence, saying: "This is a very broad question, and should, in my opinion, receive consideration by the proper authorities at the earliest possible moment. Canada is rapidly becoming a nation whose condition as to trade and commerce has changed materially within the past few years. It therefore, becomes a question as to how to best conserve the interests, the supremacy of the seas being necessary for the safety of British trade. It is quite time that Canada should do something for the navy. Therefore, in my opinion, Canada should assist in imperial defence by setting aside an amount of money yearly, and maintain a naval reserve worthy of this great dominion. Therefore I have much pleasure in moving the following resolution: "Whereas Canada, from the time it first acknowledged the British flag, has enjoyed, not only the actual protection of vessels of the British navy, but also the protection of far greater importance, which the prestige of the British navy affords; "And, whereas, the continuance of such support is of the greatest benefit in assuring either continued peace or efficient protection and defence; "Be it resolved that in the opinion of this board of trade, Canada should not only acknowledge the substantial benefit received, but should also make some material contribution towards the cost of this protection, and that for this purpose it would be advisable to adopt at least two methods of giving assistance, viz., (1) the establishment of naval reserves, and (2) the annual appropriation of a sum of money in the dominion budget as a contribution towards the actual cost of maintaining the navy."

Cables and Postage.

G. Y. Chown moved the following two resolutions: "That it is of first importance to have the best means of maintaining the freest and cheapest intercourse between all parts of the empire; that therefore, the policy adopted in establishing a state-owned cable from Canada to Australia, should, as soon as practicable, be continued, in order that there may be a complete line of British cables around the globe." "Whereas, newspapers and magazines from the office of publication in Great Britain and the United States at the domestic rate of the two countries; and whereas, the postal rate on newspapers and magazines in Canada and Great Britain, and vice-versa, are so heavy as to discourage the interchange of publications; and, whereas, such interchange would do much to strengthen an imperial unity and that association of interest and aims upon which unity can only safely be based; "Resolved, therefore, that in the highest interest of Great Britain and the empire, the interchange on newspapers and periodicals should be lowered to the domestic rate of the same as letters; "Mr. Birmingham seconded the motion in a few appropriate remarks, and it was carried.

The Preferential Tariff.

Mr. Richardson moved the following resolution: "That, whereas, it is desirable that the products of the different parts of the empire should receive preferential tariff treatment when exchanged within the empire; "And, whereas, Great Britain has received and is now enjoying a tariff preference upon its products when imported into Canada; "And, whereas, such preference in favor of Great Britain must necessarily prejudice Canada's relations with other countries, who may adopt retaliatory measures, Germany having already imposed a practically prohibitory duty upon our wool; "Be it resolved that the tariff on wool should be lowered to the domestic rate of the same as letters; "Mr. Birmingham seconded the motion in a few appropriate remarks, and it was carried.

Brain Food Nonsense.

Another ridiculous food fad has been branded by the most competent authorities. A correct diet will not only nourish a particular part of the body, but it will sustain every other part. Yet, however good your food may be, its nutriment is destroyed by indigestion or dyspepsia. You must prepare for their appearance or prevent their coming by taking regular doses of Grape-Nuts. Flower, the favorite medicine of the healthy millions. A few doses aid digestion, stimulate the liver to healthy action, purifies the blood, and makes you feel buoyant and vigorous. You can get this reliable remedy at Wade's drug store.

The St. Lawrence Route.

Capt. Donnelly moved, seconded by Mr. Dalton, that the board of trade believe that in the interest of the whole dominion, and to lessen the cost of transportation between the great lakes and the sea-board, the

INCIDENTS OF THE DAY.

PARAGRAPHS PICKED UP BY OUR BUSY REPORTERS.

The Spice of Every Day Life—What the People Are Talking About—Nothing Escapes Attention.

Colored shirts for the boys. Bibby's. Have a hand in booming Victoria day celebration.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Movements of the People—What They Are Saying And Doing.

Archbishop Gauthier is visiting the Napanee parish.

Harry A. Wilton, has removed from 60 William street to 189 University avenue.

Mrs. Gilhooly, Kingston, is receiving treatment at St. Vincent de Paul hospital, Brockville.

Mrs. E. Reynolds, Verona, left today for Milwaukee to visit her daughter, Mrs. L. W. Boyce.

J. E. Deygan, Brockville, is here today to unload the slate for roofing Queen's university, of which he has the contract.

T. K. Carnovsky has been appointed the representative of Brock street Methodist church at the Kingston district meeting.

Harry A. Wilton, of McKelvey & Birch's, left today for Toronto, to repair the bell signal system in the steamer Kingston.

Mrs. J. A. Leahy, and children, Lordburg, New Mexico, with her sister, Miss Lulu McGee, is visiting B. McGee, Portmouth.

Rev. Dr. Campbell, Perth, stricken with a paralytic stroke a few weeks ago, is rapidly recovering and is feeling well enough to attend church service on Sunday.

Thomas Briceland, Watertown, N. Y., died on Tuesday, aged forty-six years. He was a son of Thomas Briceland, Wolfe Island, and a brother of William and Edward Briceland, Wolfe Island, and James Briceland, Glenburnie.

Rev. W. R. Young, B.A., D.D., pastor of the First Methodist church, St. Thomas, left today for the funeral of the late Dr. Grant, left for his home today. While here he was the guest of his sister, Mrs. Robert Patterson, Nelson street.

William J. Kingston, and Miss Helen Black, Belleville, were married on Tuesday night. Rev. Dr. Crothers officiating. A dainty wedding supper was partaken of, and the happy couple left for their future home in Kingston, followed by good wishes.

LAST NIGHT'S FIRE.

Three Frame Houses On Ontario Street Burned.

About ten minutes to nine o'clock last night, fire was discovered in the frame building on Ontario street, opposite the locomotive works, owned by the Frontenac milling company, and used as a cooperage shop. The fire was called out, and had a hard task. The blaze quickly spread to the adjoining two frame houses, owned by J. Lovett, one of which was untenanted, and the other occupied by Mrs. Hand as a shop. In a very short time the structures had been destroyed, with all their contents. Had there been a wind, the whole line of frame houses on Ontario street would have been burned. Mr. Lovett's loss will be between \$300 and \$400, fully covered by insurance. The Frontenac milling company building was worth \$100. Mrs. Hand, a widow, loses all her effects.

He Wouldn't Divulge It.

While A. Chadwick was reading a resolution at the board of trade meeting last night, a man entered the council chamber, and walked up to Capt. Gaskin, who was in the mayor's chair. "Do you want to register your protest?" he asked. "No, sir," was the reply. "Who are you going to vote for?" was the next question, but to this the man smiled and shook his head, while the members of the board laughed. The man then informed the visitor that if he would return Friday to the chamber he could register.

Notes Regarding the Movements of Vessels.

The steamer Ramona is being repaired in Davis dry-dock.

Seward's wharf: Schooner Fleetwing, from Oswego, with coal. Rattray's wharf: Schooner Fleetwing, from Oswego, with coal.

Crawford's wharf: Schooners Acadia, from Oswego; Tradewind, from Seaboard; schooner John Milne, Smith's Falls, to Seaboard.

The steamer Victoria, of Rockport, is out of Davis dry-dock, after receiving extensive repairs. She leaves on Saturday to begin her route between Gananoque and Brockville.

To Install a Travelling Crane.

The boiler shop at the locomotive works will ere long be considerably changed. The second story and the stoke partition will be removed, and a powerful travelling crane installed. This crane will be able to lift an entire boiler almost to the ceiling and carry it, over the tops of the other boilers, building in the shop, to the engine house, which runs alongside of and parallel with Ontario street. The end of the present boiler shop will be torn out, and an entrance made at the side of the engine shop, so that there may be a continuous passage of the travelling crane from the far end of the boiler shop to the engine shop. This will save a great deal of time and labor. The work of installing the new system will soon be commenced.

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Mrs. Gilhooly, Kingston, is receiving treatment at St. Vincent de Paul hospital, Brockville.

Mrs. E. Reynolds, Verona, left today for Milwaukee to visit her daughter, Mrs. L. W. Boyce.

J. E. Deygan, Brockville, is here today to unload the slate for roofing Queen's university, of which he has the contract.

T. K. Carnovsky has been appointed the representative of Brock street Methodist church at the Kingston district meeting.

Harry A. Wilton, of McKelvey & Birch's, left today for Toronto, to repair the bell signal system in the steamer Kingston.

Mrs. J. A. Leahy, and children, Lordburg, New Mexico, with her sister, Miss Lulu McGee, is visiting B. McGee, Portmouth.

Rev. Dr. Campbell, Perth, stricken with a paralytic stroke a few weeks ago, is rapidly recovering and is feeling well enough to attend church service on Sunday.

Thomas Briceland, Watertown, N. Y., died on Tuesday, aged forty-six years. He was a son of Thomas Briceland, Wolfe Island, and a brother of William and Edward Briceland, Wolfe Island, and James Briceland, Glenburnie.

Rev. W. R. Young, B.A., D.D., pastor of the First Methodist church, St. Thomas, left today for the funeral of the late Dr. Grant, left for his home today. While here he was the guest of his sister, Mrs. Robert Patterson, Nelson street.