

ANNUAL MEET

OF LOCAL UNION OF CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

There is an Encouraging Amount of Vitality in the Organization—The Officers Selected.

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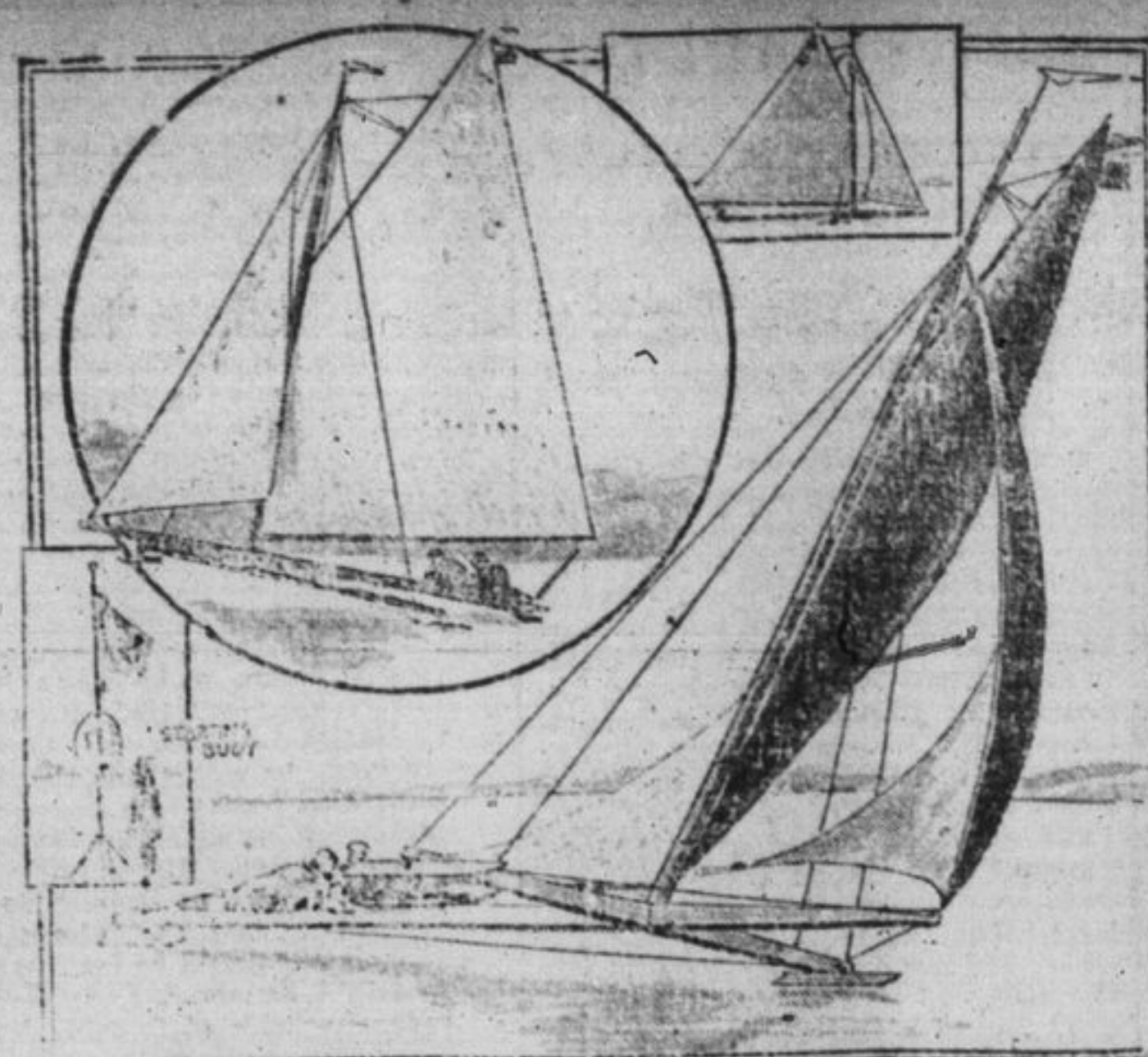
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The fastest ice yachts of the United States and Canada are contending for the world's championship this week on Gull Lake, near Kalamazoo, Mich.

INCIDENTS OF THE DAY.

Local Notes and Also Things in General.

Rev. E. B. Laneley, Port Hope, is in the city on a brief visit. Rev. W. T. G. Brown, preached missionary sermon in Pembroke on Sunday.

Rev. Elmer Crummy preached at Adolphstown on Sunday and lectured on Monday on Japan.

Miss Dorothy Cotton has come back to town from Ottawa, and is with her aunt, Miss Penner, Earl street. The men of the R.C.F.A. have constructed a splendid skating rink on the old Garvin property, Orleans street.

The county council will not convene until the 26th inst. It was to have met Tuesday of this week but was postponed.

Rev. J. L. Holah will take charge of St. Luke's parish, Peterboro, for three months, during the pastor's absence in Germany.

The regular meetings of the fire and light committee hereafter will be held on the Friday succeeding meetings of the city council.

Miss Irene Armstrong will return Saturday to the sanitarium at Danville, N.Y., to resume her studies as nurse-in-training.

W. D. Mace, Winnipeg, was a visitor in the city for a few days. He is now in the rear of Frontenac, but will return in a few days.

A party of young people drove down to the home of W. Vanborne, Pittsburg township, and despite the cold weather had a most enjoyable time.

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SPAIN'S MOUNTAIN OF SALT.

It Isn't Safe To Explore This Natural Mystery.

Spain's salt mountain possesses a formidable gully, who slowly but relentlessly gnaws it from the inside. Scattered about in the mountain are tiny openings—"monkey holes," they are locally styled—and from out of each of these comes a rivulet, so tiny that it seems powerless to do harm.

Let the visitor, however, proceed a few steps further from the ceiling depend stalactites of salt innumerable whiteness, to all appearances—handrails; the streamlet seems to descend from a crystal bowl, and the water point of each stalactite scintillates like a diamond by candlelight. Suddenly the guide pulls you back, calling your attention to a "well sound skin" to that outlet, he warns you; it is hardly perceptible to the ear, and yet it sounds a warning of an imminent salt slide.

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CHIEF BAILLE'S REPORT.

Of Statistics Compiled in the Police Department.

At yesterday's meeting of the police commissioners, Chief of Police W. M. Baille presented his annual report as here given:

Offenses for which persons were arrested—Assaults, 7; aggravated assaults, 1; assault and robbery, 1; begging, 4; carrying fire arms, 3; drunks, 195; disorderly, 8; drunk and committing nuisance, 1; disorderly, 1; fighting, 4; drunk and begging, 1; embezzlement, 1; exposing his person, 4; grossly insulting language, 2; insane, 2; indecent assault, 1; non-support of wife, 1; obtaining money by false pretense, 1; personation, 1; thefts, 35; threatening language, 1; trespass, 8; unsound mind, 1; vagrancy, 10; total, 310.

How disposed of—Bound over to keep the peace, 1; committed for trial, 4; discharged, 27; dismissed, 91; total, 102; five months in jail, 1; one month in jail, 9; one year Mercer Reformatory, 1; one year Central Prison, 1; one year Penitentiary Reformatory, 1; one year 354 days Central Prison, 1; sent to House of Providence, 1; sent to Rockwood hospital, 2; suspended sentence, 15; six months Central Prison, 2; six months Penitentiary Reformatory, 2; six months Infants' Home, 1; three years Kingston Penitentiary, 1; two months in jail, 7; three months in jail, 4; two years Kingston Penitentiary, 1; two years Penitentiary Reformatory, 1; three months Central Prison, 2; whipped with consent of parents, 25; withdrawn, 1; no action, 2; total, 310.

Nationalities—English, 12; Irish, 25; Scotch, 8; Canadian, 254; American, 6; miscellaneous, 171; Roman Catholics, 139; Males, 301; females, 9; single, 83; per hundred males, 10; total, 310; write, 308; could neither read nor write, 2.

Age—Under fifteen years, 12; over fifteen and under twenty-five years, 66; over twenty-five and under thirty-five years, 84; over thirty-five and under forty-five years, 61; over forty-five and under fifty-five years 35; over fifty-five and under sixty-five years, 34; over sixty-five and under seventy-five years, 13; over seventy-five and under eighty-five years, 5; total, 310.

Occupations—Agents, 5; bakers, 5; bricklayers, 1; butchers, 2; barbers, 3; boiler makers, 7; blacksmiths, 1; bookkeepers, 1; commercial travellers, 1; carpenters, 11; cooks, 3; carriage trimmers, 1; clerks, 2; clerks, 5; doctors, 2; druggists, 1; engineers, 7; farmers, 8; hotelkeepers, 1; housekeepers, 3; laborers, 159; lawyers, 1; machinists, 9; milliners, 4; painters, 2; printers, 1; poddlers, 2; plumbers, 1; soldiers, 3; students, 4; stonecutters, 2; servants, 5; sailors, 19; tinmiths, 2; tailors, 8; no occupation, 26; total, 310.

Number of times imprisoned in police station—First time, 264; second time, 35; third time, 11; total, 310.

Summons for an infraction of city by law and other offences—Assaults, 30; abusive and grossly insulting language, 29; aggravated assault, 1; cruelty to animals, 2; drunk and house breaking, 1; disorderly conduct, 13; damage to property, 3; fighting on the streets, 7; furious driving, 1; infraction of liquor license, 1; infraction of Humane Society act, 1; infraction of penitentiary act, 2; infraction of city by-law, re cartage, 4; infraction of city by-law, re opera house, 2; infraction of city by-law, re water rabs, 9; infraction of city by-law, re butchers, 2; infraction of city by-law, re streets, 23; infraction of city by-law, re second hand stores, 1; infraction of city by-law, re health, 3; non-payment of wife, 1; non-payment of wages, 4; street loitering, 1; selling goods on the Lord's day, 5; thefts, 6; trespass, 8; total, 201.

How disposed of—Bound to keep the peace, 7; dismissed, 56; discharged, 3; and, 85; one month in jail, 4; paid wages, 1; suspended sentence, 23; stands, 1; withdrawn, 19; left the city, 2; total, 201.

During the year there were 86 alarms of fire, 69 trunants and absences reported and attended to, and 1,188 lights reported out.

IN OUR OWN CIRCUIT.

News of the District on Both Sides of the Line.

William Hillis, Athens, is chief of police for 1901. D. W. McClary, grocer, of Lansdowne, has made an assignment. Mrs. J. W. Leach, formerly of Brockville, but latterly of Ironville, died very suddenly there on Sunday, from heart failure.

E. H. Bisnet, Brockville, goes to Toronto as city manager of the Canada Life Assurance company. He will start on his new duties, February 1st. Mrs. Milton Andresser, wife of the well-known St. Lawrence street merchant, died in an attack of influenza at the Brockville General Hospital.

C. F. Smith, a well-known resident of Belleville, died as the result of a stroke of paralysis, on Monday, aged seventy-two. The deceased leaves a widow and a son and daughter. Two men were heavily penalized in Peterboro for infractions of the game laws. Nelson Windover, got a fine of \$30 and costs, for selling venison; Stephen Nichols, \$20 and costs, for unlawfully disposing of two other skins.

Hardest Kind of Work. There is no harder work than that of a woman washing. Make it easy by buying a washing machine, which lessens labor and use of soap. A woman does not have to stand exposed over a steaming tub, if she has one of our perfected washing machines. They make wash-day easy. From \$3 to \$5 at Leman, Claxton & Lawrence's this week.

Death of Miss Van Horne. Montreal, Jan. 19.—Miss Mary Van Horne, youngest sister of Sir William Van Horne, died at Sir William's residence in this city.

Prices That Talk. Men's \$2.35 box call boots, now \$1.50; men's \$1.50 packards, \$3.50; all men's \$3.50 boots, now \$2.50. Don't miss these at Sutherland's sale.

The Cook's Good Morning

No matter how expert the chef, he cannot produce a better breakfast dish than a steaming bowl of Tillson's pan-dried Oats. It makes strong bodies and quick active brains. A food, not a fad. Try it for breakfast to-morrow.



STOCKS, GRAIN AND COTTON. We execute orders in all New York stocks in lots of 10 shares and upwards up in a five-point margin, commission only one-eighth for buying or selling; grain on three-point margin and one-tenth commission; cotton on margin of \$1 per bale, commission 83 per hundred bales. Direct wires to Chicago, New York, Boston, and Montreal. Correspondence invited. McMillan & McGuire, 68 Queen Street West.

Could scarcely get up or down without help. Had a severe pain in the small of the back. Was treated in the Hotel Dieu, Kingston, but not cured.

Kidney trouble was the trouble. Doan's Kidney Pills. Cured Mr. George Graves, Pitts Ferry, Ont. of a very bad case of kidney trouble.

He tells about the cure in the following words: "I cannot recommend Doan's Kidney Pills too highly. I never took anything that did me so much good. I had a severe pain in the small of my back and could scarcely get up or down without help. I could hardly urinate, but when I did the pain was terrible. I was in the Hotel Dieu, Kingston, last winter and when I came out I was some better but not cured. It was then I saw Doan's Kidney Pills advertised. Since taking them I have been completely cured and have not had any trouble with my kidneys since."

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