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THE DAILY WHIG. "Optim per Orbem Dico."

Buying Up Railways. Chicago, by the overwhelming vote of the people at the last municipal elections, authorized the purchase of its street railways. But the order of the people to pay is one thing, and possession is another thing. Judge Dunne, who is the new mayor, with municipal ownership as his great purpose in office, has not made up his mind what he can do, but he is proceeding cautiously.

He has decided to call to his aid, as an adviser, an expert from Glasgow, where municipal ownership has reached an advanced stage; he will appoint a commission whose duty it will be to collect all the available information respecting street railways, and suggest plans for Chicago's benefit; he will undertake to buy the present lines and equipment, and pay for the same out of the earnings of the road, the same being guaranteed by certificates issued under what is called the Muller law. Meanwhile he will establish a car service on streets not already traversed by cars, and he will use the police in seeing that the old traction companies are reasonably accommodating with their outfits.

There are two difficulties in the way of success. The traction companies' property is valued at \$81,000,000, and only \$27,000,000 of it is tangible. The rest is water—water that is not visible. The financiers who have been exploiting the stock market have played havoc with the street railways. They pay handsomely, on a reasonable basis, but they cannot afford a return of interest for many millions of stock which represent only the nerve of the men who sold it.

The city wants the property only, not the watered stock, and the difficulty is to acquire the one and not the other. The people who own the stock, who bought it in some cases as an investment without having anything to do with its manipulation, will fight desperately against any action which means a depreciation of their security.

Moreover if the companies have financed the railways where they cannot be made to pay how is the city going to reap in profits, and pay out of the earnings the enormous sums at which the plants are valued? Before anything is accomplished there will be law, law, and lots of it, and Judge Dunne may have occasion to run two or three elections.

Protesting Without Effect.

On February 21st, the expert employed by the city reported to the chairman of the light, heat and power committee, that certain improvements were necessary in the plants belonging to the city, and that these should be undertaken as soon as possible. He estimated that the repairs and changes in the gas department would cost \$8,523-\$8,950 being required for work on the building and contents, and \$4,573 on the outside service. He estimated that \$10,000 would have to be spent on the electric department in order to make it efficient, \$5,900 in repairs, machinery and instruments at the power house, and \$5,000 upon the outside service.

It was further pointed out that these improvements should go on without respect to the street railway services. "In the latter part of 1904," said Mr. Campbell, "an additional engine was put in, and even then, when the street railway was operated, the lighting plants were last winter working up to their full capacity, and if it is your intention to supply the street railway company with power it will be necessary to make an expenditure of from \$15,000 to \$20,000 in new engines, boilers and buildings." This expenditure will not be embraced in the \$10,423 already referred to, but \$15,000, or \$20,000 more, and exclusively for street railway purposes.

The street railway question can be considered later on, and upon its merits. The point under consideration is the importance of going on with the improvements which Mr. Campbell has recommended. He is the city's expert adviser. He is being paid \$2,000 a year for his knowledge of electrical machinery, and he tells the light, heat and power committee that certain changes must be made at once. He fixes the latest date on which these can be commenced, when he says, in the report of February 21st: "In making these estimates I would particularly draw your attention to the fact that it will not be advisable to operate the generators of the street railway company from the recent engines after June 30th next." The cars were running at that time. They ceased to run soon afterwards.

The time is passing. A month hence it will be too late for this year to do anything with the plants. What is it that prevents the committee from taking up the reports of the expert now, and acting upon them? It does not approve of his recommendations; it should say so, and at the same time it should assume all the responsibility of letting things drift. Meanwhile the cost of electricity is more than consumers can stand, and they are protesting, without effect.

Editorial Notes. The woodpecker is doing great damage to the maple trees. He is a sap sucker, and a most degenerate bird. The seat formerly occupied by Mr. Greenway in the legislature has been vacant for months. Now Mr. Roblin wants to fill it, and he is terribly hurried in his work. Why? Mr. Carleton, M.P.P., calls the inheritance tax "confiscation." The Ottawa Journal says "he is wasting his breath, and he ought to have sense enough to know it."

A RUSSIAN HEBREW BECOMES BISHOP OF EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

And Translates Bible Into Mandarin and Wani—Is a Man of Courageous Faith, in Spite of a Body Racked With Pain. The Bible is the most beneficent book in the world. Wherever it is taught and obeyed, blessings priceless and innumerable abound. China is the most populous nation in the world, with a language unsurpassable in difficulty. He who gives the word of God to China's millions, has reached one-quarter of the world's population. The contemplation of such an achievement is inspiring in its actual accomplishment, is sublime. There was imperative need of a man or group of men with an extended and accurate knowledge of Hebrew and Greek, equally well versed in Mandarin and Wani.

Who would have dreamed that the man who would best do this vital work would be a Russian Hebrew by birth, trained by his devout parents to be a rabbi. In his student days at the University of St. Petersburg, he studied the Bible in Hebrew, and by studying it that Jesus was the Christ. Knowing well the bitter opposition which would come from his parents and co-religionists, and that even the government would be opposed to any change in his religious faith other than his admission to the Orthodox Greek Church, he came to America that he might enjoy both civil and religious freedom. In the General Seminary in New York, he acquired a knowledge of Greek. Hearing and obeying the Macedonian call of China's millions, "Come over and help us," he offered himself as a missionary. He was ordained in St. George's Church, New York, in 1859, and travelled to Shanghai. After a brief service here, he was sent on to Peking. He speedily distinguished himself by his devotion and earnestness, and his ability as a translator of the Bible into the Chinese language. His year of self-denying toil won for him quite early in his life the high honor of being one of China's missionary bishops of the American Episcopal Church.

For six years he honored this exalted position, when a stroke and fever so paralyzed him that he has never been able to stand nor walk in twenty years; the only members of his body which he has complete control are the index or fore fingers of each hand. What would you think of writing out the Old Testament on a typewriter, when you could never use more than two or three fingers, and when even they were so weak that he was obliged to press the keys down with a stick? Think of writing out the notes of his translation with a pen-holder tied to the forefinger of his right hand, when he is so physically handicapped that he cannot hold a pen, and he has written the entire Bible in the best Mandarin and Wani versions yet produced. The American Bible Society has set its seal of approval by publishing it for him. Not satisfied with this noble work, his seventy-fourth birthday, is nearing on that he may complete the references for these versions, and yet hopes to complete the translation of the Apocrypha.

In the presence of such courage and faith one must stand with bated breath and uncovered head. With every physical, mental and spiritual power at his command, he would have been a great life work for any man. When, however, we remember that his wife must attend to his correspondence, his daughter wait upon him with unceasing care, and his stalwart son carry him to and from his study every day, whilst his body is constantly racked with pain, we know not what to say. John Milton, poet and prophet, said to the victorious Cromwell: "I have been a victor, but less renowned than war." Much as we marvel at his achievement, we wonder still more at the heroism of soul which has kept him from losing faith in God. From this hero we have come no bitter lamentations. With the reverence of Saint Paul, his question has ever been, "Lord, what wilt Thou have me to do?" and when he had seen the "good thing" possible, he gave himself over to its accomplishment with Pauline zeal and fidelity. Under such conditions nine hundred and ninety-nine men out of every thousand would have been overwhelmed with bitterness and despair. All hail to the man who can carry on in such sublime, patient, joyous fashion. Those who are privileged to meet him declare that his eyes flash with the fires of abundant life, and that his voice rings with the good cheer of a hero of triumph. All Christendom has reason to thank God that in His mysterious Providence he kept Saint Paul away from the imperial city until after he had written his marvellous Epistle to the Romans. May it be that God, in shutting Bishop Samuel I. J. Schereschewsky out of the activities of life, and forcing him into the solitude, has enabled him to render a nobler and more enduring service to China's millions than would have been possible for him had his physical powers remained unbroken. In the long and illustrious roll of those who have defied difficulty, and endured hardships as good soldiers of Jesus Christ, his name will find enduring place.

The Healer At Work. The influence of the healer is an important factor in the Ontario story of the past. At Kingston an inspector was appointed and the former one dismissed. The defeated party candidate went to Toronto, got to work, and found that his name had been put to hand by the defeated party. The old inspector had been asked to get for a time. The party is "fighting like blazes" for the spoils.

Burned To A Crisp. Ithaca, N.Y., April 17.—Mary, the six-year-old daughter of Henry Brock, of Enfield, near here, was burned to death last night. The girl was playing round a bonfire, just removed from her father's house, when her dress caught fire. Her small body was burned to a crisp and death followed an hour later.

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As a result of a powder explosion at Trenton, Tenn., three men were killed and several injured. A French cruiser has been sent to Newfoundland to protect the rights of the French fishermen there. One of the largest private banks in Michigan, with deposits of \$300,000, has closed its doors at Orono. Mrs. Howard Dunham, Norristown, Pa., sees Lizzie McMichael for \$15,000 for alienating the affections of Howard Dunham.

Tarbo's case is in the ascendant, now that Sifton's case has clouded, and he may be made a member of the tariff commission. Richard Stuz, a cigar maker, was arrested at London, Ont., and will be taken back to New York state to answer a charge of murder. Johann Hoch, a German, to be tried April 19th, in Chicago, demands a German judge, and threatens to kill himself if he doesn't get one.

Mrs. Kioni, of Cave Creek, Arizona, lives in a tent and makes a good living selling coyote and lynx skins. She shoots the brutes herself. The greatest gathering of the bench and bar, known in the history of the Inns of Court, London, was addressed by Ambassador Choate, who spoke of the relations between Britain and the United States. A tomato seed became lodged in the throat of a woman at Winsted, Conn., remaining there for some days without her knowledge. After a time it began to cause her pain, which led to an examination. The seed had become imbedded in the flesh and when removed by a physician, a tiny sprout was plainly visible.

A half-tone picture appeared in the New York paper, showing the imperial family, and all the Romanoffs, lying dead in their coffins. The publishers disclaim all knowledge of the cut, laying the blame on the students employed on the paper. Dr. Wilfrid Grenfell, the English doctor, called the missionary of the deep sea fishermen, will take back with him to Labrador, two young women, Miss Koons and Miss Harris, who have done settlement work for 860,000, and a contribution from Carnegie for loan libraries.

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MURDERER TO BE SET FREE. Trenton, N.J., April 17.—Libbie Garrabrandt, thirty-three years a prisoner and the only woman ever sentenced in New Jersey to life imprisonment, is soon to have her freedom. Her case, which has been before every court of pardons for the last twenty years, has now received favorable consideration. Libbie Garrabrandt is now past fifty years of age. She was only seventeen years old when she was convicted in the Passaic county courts of the crime of killing a man with whom she had been living. Her love for him had turned to hatred, and one night while she was preparing his meal she put poison in his coffee. Her youth was all that saved her from the gallows.

Buy the best candies for Easter, Boyler's, from New York; McCone's, from Toronto, at Gibson's Red Cross drug store; Pauline's, from Port Arthur. Citizens will request Ontario government to withhold the promised grant to the Grand Trunk Pacific until the line is built into that town.

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PUBLIC OWNERSHIP

Extend Electric Railway Through Good Community. Port Arthur, April 17.—Port Arthur is fast becoming the leading municipal ownership town of Canada. A scheme is now on foot which will likely result in the construction of an electric railway from this place to Kakabeka Falls, a distance of twenty-two miles. With this road in operation the town would gain control of the trade in the whole farming community which lies around Port Arthur, and it is thought that it would be a paying investment from the start. The municipalities are all eager to get the line extended through their territory, and they have offered to go in with the town for the construction of the line.

A STRONG APPEAL

Campbell Herald. James Potter, for many years doing his day work among the sailors on the lower lakes and rivers, preached at the Presbyterian church, Sunday, at morning service. The aged gentleman presented his subject in a very able manner, and made a strong appeal for aid in this home mission work. A new building is being erected in Kingston, where sailors have respectable lodging while in that port.

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