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HIS THROAT CUT

VERY MYSTERIOUS CASE AT WINDSOR STATION.

The Sufferer Was Not Dead, But He Cannot Speak—He Had a Large Quantity of Money on Hand.

Montreal, Feb. 7.—Oscar Sundstrin, of Kenora, was found in the Windsor station, to-day, with his throat cut from ear to ear. He was found lying in the smoking room, and life was not extinct, although he seemed dead. He had cheques for money and fifty dollars of Canadian money in his pocket. He was unable to speak, so the case is somewhat shrouded in mystery particularly as no knife was found.

PERSONAL MENTION.

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

J. J. Behan is in Peterboro.

J. Scholer and W. A. Delaney left here yesterday for Cape Vincent.

Harry Tisdale has left for Toronto, where he has secured an excellent position.

Harry Williams, of Peterboro, has returned home, after a week's visit in this city.

W. H. Graham, traveller, has purchased the residence of S. Roughton, on Alfred street.

Principal Gordon and Registrar Chown accompanied the legislators to Toronto last night.

Charles Sherwood, Elgin, is spending a very pleasant visit at A. Harding's, 65 Rideau street.

Rehals, Tandy makes his first appearance in Winnipeg, on February 15th, in Madougal Methodist church.

James J. King, Division street, who has been sick for the last two weeks, is at the hospital, has returned to his home.

H. P. May, a Queen's graduate, has been appointed teacher of history and geography in Brockville Collegiate Institute.

Mrs. Strangman, McTavish street, Montreal, entertained the 14th Regiment, Mrs. Stewart, Robertson, Kingston.

Miss Anglin has been elected a vice-president of the Epworth League of the Montreal Methodist conference in session at Carleton Place.

James S. Coulson, the well-known marine diver, left to-day, with his brother, who will meet him at Ogdensburg, on a two weeks' visit at Pittsburgh, Pa.

Mrs. Louise Guay, with the May A. Bell Marks, repairer company, died of Bright's disease at Marlboro, Mass., on Monday. She was a native of Ogdensburg.

Meers, Robertson and Wallis, representing respectively the Toronto World and Mail, came to the city with the members of the legislature from Toronto, and reported the proceedings.

RACES AT BATTERSEA.

Kingston Horse Races First Money in the Free-For-All.

The free-for-all race at Battersea, on Wednesday, resulted as follows:

1st, Holan B., owned by McCue brothers, Kingston; 2nd, Frank C., owned by W. Gibson, of Gannouque; 3rd, Pretty Nell, owned by McCue brothers, Kingston. Time, 2:33, 2:22, 2:22.

Basketball at Y.M.C.A.

The results of the basketball competition at the Y.M.C.A. have just been announced. In the school boys' competition for the Keeley cup, the team captained by Arthur Cook came out in the lead. The standing was as follows:

Won. Lost.

Arthur Cook 5 1

Philip McDonald 3 3

William Goodell 1 1

Louise School Won.

At the Royal rink, Tuesday night, a game of hockey was played between the Louise school team and the Granite street Rovers. The ice was in good condition. At half time the score was 1 to 1, and at full time the score was 3 to 2, in favor of the Louise school team. H. E. Law was the referee, and proved satisfactory to both teams. The Louise school team will play Victoria school from nine to ten o'clock, Saturday morning.

A Win For Kingston.

In the ladies' curling bonspiel, at Montreal, this morning, the Kingston Granite rink, captained by Miss Dalton, defeated Montreal, skipped by Miss Dunlop, by a score of 17 to 10. Miss Dalton's rink will now meet Heather No. 2, which defeated Mrs. R. J. Hooper's combination.

Miss Dalton secured third place in the points competition, securing 23, the highest score was 26.

Press Comments on Game.

Toronto Globe says the 14th Regiment "won handsily." Vancouver, V. Richardson and Potter were Kingston's best players.

Toronto World remarks that although Kingston did have things easy, Midland should beat them here on a 5th. Which the former is good, the defence is weak. Argonauts will also give them a run for their money.

Toronto Mail intimates that the Kingston won "won handsily, and they were much in the running for the leadership of their district, they fail to exhibit any of the real marks of a "real" champion team. The visitors look of pleasure came into her face that I felt sure was the genuine happiness of a man who had won her.

To-Night's Game.

The Wholesalers and R.C.H.A. play a City League game, at the Royal rink to-night. The City League games will be played in the covered rink. The finale will likely be between Wanderers and Frontenacs.

IN THE POLICE COURT.

Two Cases Before the Magistrate To-Day.

Sydney Goodman, aged twenty-six, an Englishman, who has only been in this country but a short time, had not been found frozen to death but not Constable Mulligan happened along in the nick of time, and escorted him to the police station. Goodman took three glasses of Scotch whisky, and it went to his head. He started out Ontario street to see some friends, but fell on the sidewalk. He was in a helpless state when the police constable came across him, and was suffering from the cold.

"You might have been found frozen to death," said the magistrate to the prisoner, as he imposed a fine of \$2 and costs, with the option of fifteen days.

Francis Brazout did not cause the police any trouble whatever. Although well under the influence of liquor he knew enough to get to the station and was locked up for the night. He was fined \$1 and costs, or ten days.

RAILWAY BUSINESS

Heard at Ottawa—Some Measures Reported.

Ottawa, Feb. 7.—The C.P.R. has applied before the railway committee for power to increase the bonding power of the Toronto-Sudbury branch to \$40,000 per mile and to build branches in the North-West of about 10,000 miles. The matter was allowed to stand.

Bill passed were Alaska & Yukon railway, for 700 miles; Klondyke Mines railway company, extension of time. The bills reported were: Northern Colonization Railway company, Athabaska Northern railway company, Central Counties railway company, new bond issue of \$12,000 per mile and extension of time.

Lady Grenfell's body leaves by special train, and will be transferred at Halifax to the steamer for England.

SENT UP FOR TRIAL.

A Young Fellow Who Played the Game.

Hamilton, Ont., Feb. 7.—The preliminary trial of J. A. R. B. McIntosh, on a charge of obtaining money under false pretences, took place at the police court, this morning, and the prisoner was committed for trial. Only one case was taken up, the complainant being Robert Mulligan. Altogether McIntosh got about \$1,600 representing his family by the means of the trial. He was arrested by James J. Hill, and that a big deal was to be put through in January, which would net Mulligan forty or about \$15,000. No evidence was offered for the defence.

Private room for sale of sick-room goods, at Dr. Chown's.

Watch for Semi-Ready Clothing.

FOUND IN BOOKS

QUEER THINGS LEFT BY ABSENT MINDED PEOPLE.

Instances Rare When Books Are Badly Traced—Many Letters Found Between the Pages—Librarians Learn Secrets.

That strange things are sometimes found in library books is well known, as a rule, librarians are not very willing to disclose information on the matter. The writer, however, recently interviewed a gentleman who has charge of one of the biggest of our public libraries, and from him were gleaned some facts which are well worthy of record. It may not be generally known, perhaps, that most libraries all returned books are thoroughly examined, dusted with "disinfectant rag" (as it is termed in library parlance) and if necessary, repaired before being replaced on the shelves. As a rule, books are read fairly well by their borrowers, but at times one comes back to find a book so dispirited and soiled a condition that it has to be destroyed. In such instances, if the delinquent is known or is made to pay for a new copy and membership is suspended or a time. These instances, however, are very rare, says a writer in *Fit Bits*.

Eternal Hairpin.

In every big library, said my informant, after cogitating deeply as to whether he should give the information or not, there is one man whose sole work consists in examining books that have been returned, and that he occasionally finds queer things between the leaves he brings to me, and I am sometimes amused to find a hairpin hidden in a book. Few volumes, for instance, borrowed by lady readers come back without at least one hairpin which has been used as a book-mark, but I would rather they used that implement of feminine usefulness than turn down the pages, which is unpardonable.

Kitty's Secret.

Many letters fall out of volumes which have been returned to the library, and in one case I remember the missive, which we were unkind enough to read, contained a proposal of marriage addressed to "My Dear Kitty." The letter was not in an envelope, and, though we might have found the name and address of the owner, we are far from certain that such important things as love letters. But the next day a pretty young girl appeared, asked to see me, and when she had let a letter in "The Heart of Midlothian" and would be glad to have it back I had the misfortune to come across the letter, which I felt sure was the genuine happiness of a man who had won her.

Best Kind of "Lover."

Paper money and cheques are sometimes found between the leaves of books returned to a library, and occasionally the sums involved amount to quite a high figure. I read recently a copy of "Much Ado About Nothing," was returned with a ten-pound note and a letter written in the margin, which read as follows: "As nearly every person is always more or less in love with me, I have decided to use this wretched thing, as you will find it will fall into the hands of one who needs it. With it goes my best wishes. From one who has Shakespeare and is a lover of Shakespeare."

Foreign British Peers.

There are three peers, if not more, who belong to families that have for generations been settled in distant countries, and which have practically had nothing to do with our own land for very many years. Indeed, some of them have never even set foot in England at all.

There is, for instance, the Earl of Seafield. Early in the last century he then sailed to New Zealand, and married there. His sons have never seen their father's native land. The family has remained in New Zealand, thirty years of age, and also married, is the undoubted Earl of Seafield, though he never uses the title, but works hard with his hands to earn his living, just like any newcomer into the colony.

Then there is Baron Fairfax of Virginia long ago. The present Lord was born in America in 1870, and certainly never used his title until he came to England until he was well past thirty.

Even more striking is the case of Baron Aylmer, who is a Canadian by every way, for both he and his father were born in Canada. Lord Aylmer is practically unknown in this country, says the London Express.

Shelley's Notebooks Sold.

Following the manuscript of Milton's "Paradise Lost," three unique note books of Shelley, which were sold by the late Dr. Richard Garnett, who was for many years chief librarian of the British Museum, have entered into the possession of F. R. Halsey, owner of the best Shelley collection in the United States.

These note books were given by Shelley's widow to her son, Sir Percy Shelley, who passed them on to Dr. Garnett.

All his other note books are in the Bodleian Library, at Oxford, and it is much regretted in England that the three books in question were not saved for this country. They are especially valuable, as so much of the matter contained in them is unpublished.

Dolls As Educators.

Every school should have a class for the education of the little girls in the care of babies, says Dr. Lauder Brunton, the celebrated English physician for children. *Female World*. Dealers are authorized to replace instantly and at our cost any Pen-Angle garment found to be material or making.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

Whole Bible Or No Bible.

Kingston, Ont., Feb. 6.—(To the Editor): If contradictions or falsehoods, errors or mistakes can be found in the Bible, it is foolish to claim that the book is from God. Higher criticism presumes to treat this Book as it would treat an ignorant and inaccurate man, and back from the living oracles comes the crushing proof. "You, let God be true but every man a liar." Romans iii. 4. Paul says: "All scripture is given by inspiration of God." Higher critics say parts of it are not inspired. John, in the gospel, tells us, "He whom God hath sent speaketh the words of God;" see John iii, 33 and 34.

turn to I Thessalonians ii, 13. Paul, writing to his brethren says: "For this cause also thank we God without ceasing, because when we received the word of God, which we heard of us, we received it not as the word of man, but as it is in truth the word of God." We are exhorted in I Timothy ii, to "preach the word."

Paul warned Timothy to avoid the "vain babblings," for they will not endure sound doctrine, but after their own lusts, shall they heap to themselves teachers, having itching ears, and they shall turn away their ears from the truth, and shall be turned unto fables." II Timothy iv, 3. Paul warned Timothy to avoid the "vain babblings," for they will increase unto more ungodliness. II Timothy ii, 16. After Lord Jesus' crucifixion and resurrection, when only two to Emmaus with two of His disciples, we are told, in Luke's gospel, that "beginning at Moses and all the prophets, he expounded unto them the scriptures that concerned Himself."

In conclusion I want to ask one question: Are we today to believe the "vain babblings" of those who say "scripture cannot be broken." Heaven and earth shall pass away, but never one of His words. We are told in Luke's gospel that when the faith which was once delivered unto the saints, "Thou hast kept my word" is what He approves. The faith once delivered unto the saints in the Bible, How great our responsibility then. May we take God's word as a lamp unto our feet.—PHISGULLA.

MASQUERADED AS A MAN.

Young Woman Said She Was Engaged to Another.

Beaumont, Feb. 7.—A strange case of dual personality came to light here recently. On Dec. 17th of last year, a person apparently about twenty-five years of age, who gave the name of Perry Martin, secured employment at the Oaks hotel as bellboy, remaining until last Friday, when it was learned that the sex of the employee had been changed. Charged with masquerading and confessed her sex. She declared she had been compelled by circumstances to don a man's apparel and pleaded to be retained in her past life, not allowing her to remain in his employ, she left yesterday for her home.

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Get Coal From Australia.

San Francisco, Cal., Feb. 7.—Several large cargoes of Australian coal are being discharged here for the Harriman railroads. At the docks in Australia the coal cost \$10 per ton and discharged here the cost totals up to \$16 a ton. The shortage of freight cars and locomotives on the Harriman system, however, is such that the railroads save money by getting Australian coal, instead of taking cars and engines from general traffic and using them to haul domestic coal.

Queen's Hockey Excursion.

Saturday, February 9th at 11.30 a.m., by special train, G.T.R. Fare, \$3.70. Return good by any train except No. 4, till Tuesday night.

In the year 1890 a huge meteor was seen near Normandy, and next day no fewer than 2,000 pieces of meteoric stone were picked up.

More poisonous snakes are found in Canada than in any other part of the United States.

THE LAST EXECUTION IN NEW JERSEY.

Newark, N.J., Feb. 7.—Frank Banskuk, twice sentenced to death for the willful murder of Thomas Hoff, was hanged in the jail here, this morning. Banskuk, who is a Slav, and can neither speak nor write English, was on the 24th May last first sentenced to death for the murder of Hoff, and on the 25th May last he was hanged. His story was that the murderer had been too friendly with Mrs. Hoff, and on a walk, filled him with drink, hit him on the head with a hammer, and then laid him on the tracks of the L. & N. train, which was passing at the time. The case came before the court of appeals, on November 19th, when the court ruled that it could not interfere. Since his arrest the prisoner, who maintained his innocence, appeared to be very ill-fortuned to his fate and caused the executioner no trouble whatever, while being hanged. The law changing the method of execution to the electric chair goes into effect in this state on the first of March.

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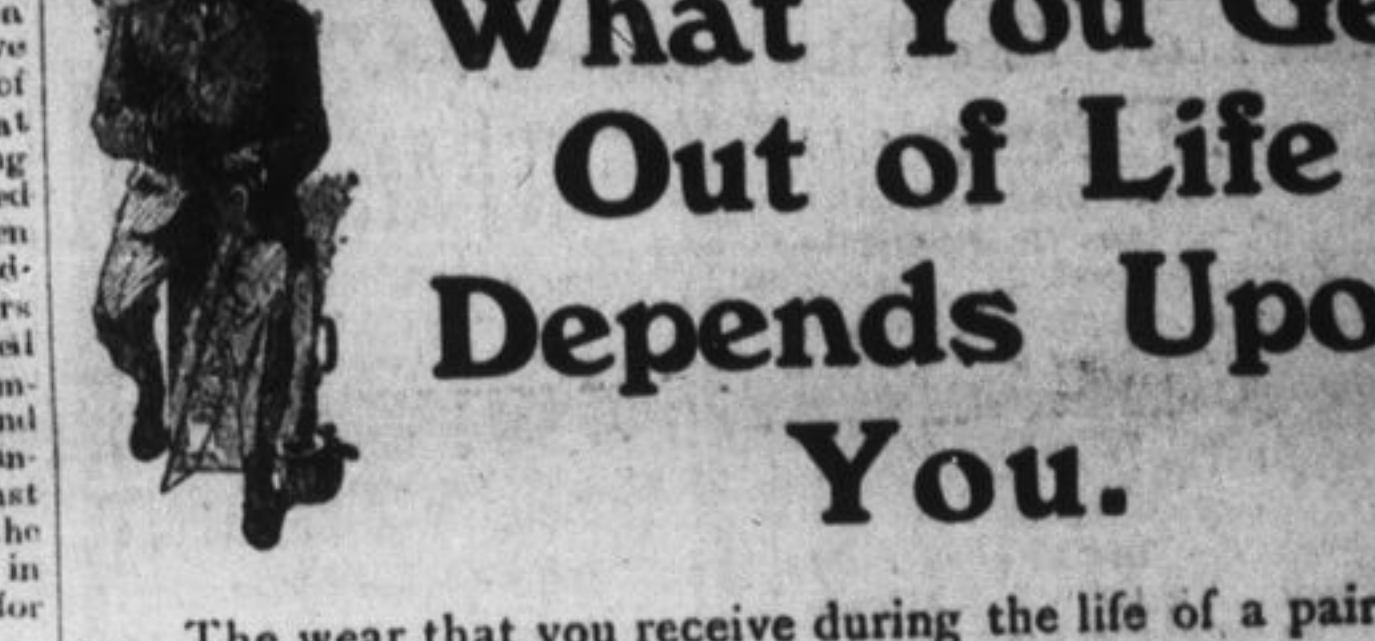
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