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**AN ILLEGAL SEIZURE**

**MADE BY BAILIFFS AT A BARRIEFIELD HOUSE.**

Mrs. Ann Smith Awarded Ten Dollars Damages—True Bill Against the County For Not Repairing the York Road.

The fall sitting of the county court opened at the court house, on Tuesday afternoon, before Judge Price and jury. The following were sworn in on the grand jury: James McGlynn (foreman), Joseph Dechastel, Richard Draper, Robert Smith, John E. Davey, Jacob Liffine, Robert McCulloch, William Morrison, Alexander McCann, George Smith, Moses Spafford, William Shillington and Albert Webb. In charging the grand jury, the judge said that there was only one matter to occupy their attention, but that was an unusual one. It was a case against the county itself, for not keeping the York Road in repair.

The plaintiff was shown from the following: W. J. Arthur, Wilmer Boyd, Arthur Campbell, William Davis, William Dean, William Dickson, E. Day, Alexander Darling, Charles Friendship, William J. Fair, Thomas P. Feeney, Frederick Johnston, James Gordon, W. C. Gardiner, Henry Grey, David Hartwick, William H. Hughes, John Jenkins, William Lawson, Burly Lake, James McNeil, Charles F. Mansie. The first case was an action brought against Henry Saunders, for wrongfully detaining Mrs. Smith in a rooming house for putting her out of her house. In addressing the jury, A. B. Cunningham stated that, last April, Saunders and another man came to the house occupied by the plaintiff, and, after breaking the door and windows, put her out, and put all her furniture out on the street. The house was owned by Mrs. Watts, who claimed that the plaintiff was behind her rent.

The plaintiff was the first witness called by Mr. Cunningham, and stated that she had lived on Barrieffield for some time in a house owned by Mrs. Elin Watts. On April 2nd last, Saunders and a man named James came to her house, forced their way in, and Saunders began to throw her furniture out on the street. Saunders also took a small axe belonging to her, and broke in the door and windows. According to the story of the witness, it took Saunders and his helper two days to clean out the cottage, and that her dishes and furniture were broken in the process. She also had \$22 in a tin box on the mantel shelf, which was taken, and a box full of books, mostly the history of Scotland.

Cross-examination by Mr. Farrell, brought out that nearly every thing the witness owned was thrown out in the street. She could not tell exactly what she lost, but nearly everything. She owned two trunks. One of the trunks she had on the property for the first two years, but after Mr. Smith left home, she refused to pay them. There was never any agreement that she should pay them. Witness stated that on Saturday before her property was thrown out on the road, she received a letter from her landlady, telling her that she was four months behind in her rent, and demanded instant payment of instant possession.

The evidence of Mrs. Watts was read out, as the witness was too feeble to be brought into court. It brought out that the plaintiff hired the house seven years ago for \$24 a year, payable monthly. After a few months this was changed and it was made payable quarterly.

**THE BOARD OF HEALTH**

**CONSIDERS GARBAGE DISPOSAL QUESTION.**

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**A YOUNG STAR.**

She is to Be Seen at the Grand, To-night. Among the so-called youngest leading women on the American stage, Miss Bianca West, appearing in the title of Dorothy Vernon of Haddon Hall, is the youngest, and one of the most successful, of the current season. She is to be seen at the Grand, To-night.

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otherwise, Miss West's first appearance was with "Colorado," and her success was so pronounced that she appeared the next season in "Her Lord and Master." In this play Miss West made a distinct hit, and was then cast as Glory Quayle in "The Christian." The next season she appeared with great success in "The Duchess of Devonshire," which followed an exceptionally clever performance of Flora Campbell in "The Bonnie Brier Bush." Miss West was selected as the most suitable young woman to succeed in the part of Dorothy Vernon of Haddon Hall. Miss West will be seen at the Grand to-night, with a company of capable players, presenting "Dorothy Vernon of Haddon Hall," under the management of Ernest Shipman.

**TURKEYS FOR CHRISTMAS.**

Farmers Say There Will Be Good Supply. Several farmers, spoken to yesterday about the Christmas turkey, verified the statement already made, that there would be a good supply of turkeys this year. It was pointed out by one farmer that the farmers do not want to keep anything this winter that will eat feed, and it is also stated that there is a surplus of the big fowl in the country. On the market on Saturday last there was a good assortment of turkeys, all kinds and sizes. Of course, there is always the chance of the price going up, just at Christmas, but this is doubtful.

**An Excellent Thing.**

Habitual constipation and stomach trouble are the dread enemies of so large a percentage of our race that anything which can be relied upon to give any degree of permanent relief is greatly welcomed. The following simple and harmless ingredients—all of which are strictly of vegetable origin—have been found invaluable by the most eminent physicians, and are well worth trying. Compound Tincture of Rhubarb, 4 drams; Fluid Extract of Brodiaea, 4 drams; Heparidia, one ounce, and enough Peppermint water to fill a four ounce bottle. Shake well and take a teaspoonful before each meal and at bedtime.

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Dr. Campbell has removed his office to 130 George Street, opposite Queen Street church, on December 9th. This is the time for champagne vests. Get the best, so call at Gibson's Red Cross drug store.

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The health officer said that the board's attention to the matter, and of the necessity of taking some action. The chairman intimated that the board some time ago had appointed a committee to study the problem, and that the committee had reported to the board. The health officer said that the board had decided to take action on the matter, and that the committee had been instructed to report to the board on the subject.

**SUITS IN FOUR DAYS.**

Presents Difficulty of Getting Tailors' Apprentices. The week after the Semi-Ready company announced that they would make suits to order in four days they had applications for twenty-four special order agencies from different towns in Canada. Nearly half these applications were from merchant tailors who complained of the scarcity of getting journeymen tailors. Young men will not apprentice themselves to the trade since it is recognized that the custom tailoring is going through the same revolution which destroyed the custom shoemaking on the introduction of Godley machinery.

**SHOULD BE STOPPED.**

Practice of Throwing Bottles on the Street. A practice which has become altogether too prevalent in the city, and one which has been brought to the attention of the police, is that of throwing of bottles and slabs on the roadway. On Princess street, just a few days ago, a pile of broken glass was noticed, and as this is not only a drawback to the appearance of the street, but a dangerous factor for the horses, which have to travel to and fro all the day, it should be stopped. There is a by-law prohibiting the dumping of glass on the street, and citizens should have a care in the future. Cases are known where the glass has penetrated a horse's hoof, thereby causing the animal to suffer intense pain.

**RAILWAY ACCIDENT.**

Ten Cars and Contents Scattered Over Tracks. An east bound G.T.R. freight train blowing along about three o'clock, this morning, met with a serious accident at the Collins Bay, through the breaking of a truck. Ten cars, with their contents, were scattered over the two tracks from fence to fence. There were four cars of street, two of pork, one of lumber and one of package freight. The bulk of the debris was on the south-bound track. The auxiliaries from Brockville and Belleville were hurried to the scene of the wreck. The north-bound track was shifted sufficiently to allow the passenger expresses, east and west, to pass. This occurred at ten o'clock. No one was hurt in the unfortunate accident.

**Arrivals At B. A. Hotel.**

M. McLarty, Boston; H. E. Cooper, F. Burt, John J. Durance, J. Norman O'Mather, D. Morrison, Hugh C. Macbeth, P. M. Inglis, R. M. Fearsall, T. W. Rogers, Toronto; C. J. Carroll, O. Kingman, B. McLellan, A. E. Ogilvie, J. A. Cuttle, L. G. Read, John A. Thunders, G. W. Barrington, Meredith Rowland, R. L. Col. J. L. Biggar, M. P. Kinella, Ottawa; C. M. Cook, Cornwall; B. S. Hammel, Pittsburg; R. J. Bendew, Buffalo.

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**WATER POWER HIT**

**GAS ENGINE WILL SUPPLY POWER CHEAPER.**

An Expert Engineer Addresses the Board of Trade—Gas Will Supply Power Here at Half the Present Cost.

Last evening, the Board of Trade members listened to an interesting and comprehensive address on the power question by L. G. Read, expert engineer, member of the Colonial Engineering company, of Montreal, an English concern. Mr. Read spoke chiefly on the cheap power that the gas producer engine supplies. He showed that the Hydro-Electric Power commission of the Ontario government couldn't possibly furnish power for general use at less than twice the amount that gas producer engines would furnish it.

Mr. Reid took Kingston as an example. Suppose the Hydro-Electric commission offered power at \$20 a horse-power a year. The city must take so many horse-power whether used or not. The commission does not sell by units of power. A \$20 rate for Kingston would actually mean \$40 if measured by units of power utilized. Not so with the gas producer engine, which can supply power cheaper than water falls or steam can. By gas engine, power for Kingston can be produced for \$20 a horse-power a year, and the consumers would have to pay only for what they used. Manufacturers who wanted power for ten hours a day would not have to pay for twenty-four hours a day, as they would by the Hydro-Electric commission arrangement.

Mr. Read said that his company was at present installing a gas producer power plant in Chatham. That town has been paying \$67 a year each for street arc lamps. The gas power plant will supply the lights at \$30 each, less than half the cost. Although Chatham has natural gas, it is using coal as fuel, because coal will actually produce the power cheaper. In the gas producer plant, any fuel can be used. The city's garbage can be burned in the furnace, as it will supply gas quite capable of producing power. That is one solution of the garbage question.

Montreal is paying \$110,000 a year for 1,712 street arc lamps, or \$62 each. Mr. Read's company has offered to install a gas power producer plant that will do the street lighting for \$60,000 a year, or less than the present cost. Gas producer engines are being used largely in Europe, England and the United States, for they can produce power at half the cost of any other power.

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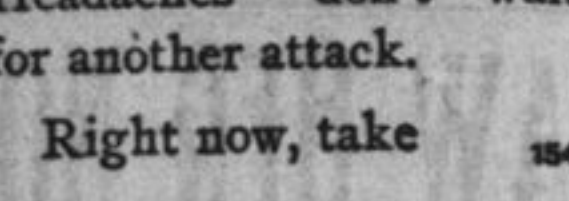
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