

WILL BE DEPORTED

A YOUNG GIRL FOUND IN A DETROIT RESORT.

Said She Had Been Sent From London, Ont., to Prevent Her Testifying Against a Citizen, Who Was Charged With Serious Offence.

Detroit, Mich., March 16.—The immigration officials are investigating the case of a girl who arrived here on Saturday, and went at once to a resort, where she was found later in the day by the police, while on a tour of inspection and taken to headquarters. The girl says she was sent to Detroit by a man in London, Ont., to prevent her from testifying against a citizen of that place who is charged with a serious crime. She was told to remain here and she would be taken care of. The girl claims to be nineteen years old, but looks younger. Her presence in the United States is a violation of an international treaty, and she will be deported.

Port Huron, Mich., will be visited soon by Countess De T. Metzer, a former Port Huron woman, and the daughter of Louis Laforet, the first white man born in Sarnia, Ont. Twenty years ago, Miss Mary Laforet was wedded to Count De T. Metzer of France, and she now writes her brother in Port Huron, that she will visit this country in the near future. The countess and her husband have been travelling through Italy and foreign countries for the last four years for the benefit of the countess's health.

MESSAGERS AND PAGES.

Senators Talk of Their Religious Proclivities.

Ottawa, March 16.—Senator Cloran called attention in the senate to a reported statement of Dr. Sproule, M.P., at Mount Forest, to the effect that French and Irish Catholics were unduly favored in appointments made in the departments of the government and of parliament. Through the Catholics were only forty per cent of the total population, Dr. Sproule had said there were seventy-six pages and messengers in the commons, and of these fifty-six were Roman Catholics and only twenty were Protestants. The senate had seventy-one messengers and pages, and of these forty-two were Roman Catholics, and twenty-nine were Protestants.

Senator Choquette objected to the time of the senate being taken up with such stuff. It should be treated with the silence it deserved.

Senator Watson, chairman of the senate internal economy committee, said the senate did not by any means have seventy-one pages and messengers and four pages. "So far as their religious proclivities are concerned," said Senator Watson, "I do not know anything about them."

URGENT CASE.

Dr. Rush (to bicycle policeman)—You mustn't arrest me for speeding. I'm in a hurry to see a sick man. Bicycle policeman—Come back with me and see the sick man your auto just ran over.

Colombian Cabinet Changes.

Bogota, March 16.—Gen. Marechal Vargas has been given the portfolio of minister of government, and F. J. Urrutin that of foreign affairs in the cabinet of President Reyes.

Clergyman Dropped Dead.

Watertown, N.Y., March 16.—Rev. C. E. Doerr, of this city, aged sixty-five, a prominent Methodist minister of the Northern New York conference, dropped dead at Plackville.

Killed In A Cave-In.

Ottawa, March 16.—While digging in a gravel pit John Henderson, aged thirty-four years, residing near Billings Bridge, was buried beneath a cave-in and was killed.

Bubonic Plague In Chili.

Santiago, Chili, March 16.—There has been a recrudescence of the bubonic plague at Antofagasta. Forty new cases have been reported in the last few days.

PARTIZAN SERVANTS.

Requiring the Government For Good Treatment.

Montreal Herald. George Johnson, sometime dominion statistician, is out with a vigorous criticism of the present way of taking the census of manufacturers, seasoned with personal abuse of Hon. Mr. Fisher. It is perhaps not difficult to comprehend Mr. Johnson's lack of confidence in Mr. Fisher. For years before the conservatives left office Mr. Johnson was one of their most useful friends, for he had a way of producing just what the party in power most required in the production of a blast of figures by reference to which conservative orators could always establish their contentions. His way of taking the census, however, had been criticized year after year by the liberal opposition, and then it came the turn of the liberals to take a census. They felt that Mr. Johnson was hardly the man to give effect to their views of how it ought to be done. He was consequently replaced in this function by another, and his letter shows, if it shows nothing else, that the change was a wise one, unless the liberal ministry was prepared to abandon its own views and submit to the dictation of a very excellent—but very partisan—official.

This letter of Mr. Johnson's, with its assembly and malicious abuse of the minister of agriculture, does not seem worth while to mention a recent phase of party political development of which we may hear more before long. It gives open voice to a movement which is fairly strong, and becoming more open, in Ottawa in recent weeks. It is coming to be a question whether a large number of old conservative appointees to the Ottawa civil service are to be considered as non-partisan servants of the several departments, and loyal to the minister of the day, or as partizan supporters of the opposition, using their positions as civil servants to act as spies upon the liberals. During the recent three days' session members on both sides of the house were treated to the spectacle of a prominent member of the opposition engaged in long and frequent consultations with a prominent employee of the department under attack. And this consultation, like Mr. Johnson's letter, differed from a lot of other conspiration only in being somewhat more open. It can fairly be said of the liberal administration at Ottawa that the old conservative appointees have been treated not merely fairly but even generously during the eleven years the liberal party has been in office. It is rather a pity the beneficiaries of that generosity are showing how little it is appreciated, because it will undoubtedly be necessary, before long, to re-establish a correct relation between the ministry and the bureaucracy by punishing some of the worst offenders. A man must be master of his own house, as Sir Mackenzie Bowell used to say.

WARD STILL WITH HIM.

Says He is Tired of Being An Outcast.

San Francisco, March 16.—Rev. Jere Cooke, who eloped with his ward, Floretta Whaley, from his home at Hempstead, L.I., finally admits that he is tired of being an outcast. He declares that he has found he "cannot buck the world." Cooke and the girl and their little baby were found living in a cozy flat in one of the best residence neighborhoods of the city. There was no outward sign of poverty, although the former preacher has appealed to the girl's relatives for aid. He was well dressed and appeared in good health. The girl also looked as if she was enjoying life. Cooke and his companion were first located here several months ago. At that time they were living in a plain but comfortable flat and the pastor was working as a painter. Lately he has been unemployed.

To The Ladies Of Kingston.

Millinery display, Tuesday March 17th, we are prepared to execute all orders as usual, and respectfully solicit your patronage. The Somerville Co.

A despatch from London reports the discovery of a plot to establish a military dictatorship at Lisbon.

DENIED THE CHARGE

THE BODY OF GIRL TO BE EXHUMED.

Two Men Accused of Crime in Toronto—No Evidence Yet Taken—The Body to Be Brought to Toronto.

Toronto, March 16.—Dr. A. G. Fletcher and Harry Saunders appeared in the police court, this morning, charged with murder in connection with the death of Jessie Ellen Gould, a waitress, who came to Toronto from Peterboro and whose alleged death on Tuesday last, from the effects of an operation. Both prisoners pleaded not guilty. No evidence was taken, the crown not being ready to go on and an adjournment was made for a week. The attorney-general's department, this morning, granted an order for the exhumation of the body of Jessie Gould. Detective Mackie left for Peterboro, where the interment took place and the exhumation will be made this afternoon, and the body brought to Toronto to-night.

The Globe says: "It was learned upon excellent authority, Saturday, that the constituency of Cardwell would be allowed to stand in the coming redistribution bill. Premier Whitney has intimated that county boundaries will be adhered to as far as possible, but it has been found extremely difficult to reach matters regarding Cardwell, which does not comprise one county in itself. It is rumored that Monck will also be allowed to remain.

During last year the province of Ontario paid out nearly \$30,000 in lawyers' fees alone. In the legislature a few days ago C. N. Smith drew attention to the frequency with which lawyers' names were scattered throughout the pages of the public accounts. These individuals' fees vary from \$25 to \$8,164, while the average fee is about \$70. With very few exceptions these lawyers are members of the regular provincial departments.

Several amendments to the municipal act are proposed by members of the legislature. Mr. Downey proposes to extend the privileges of a mayor and board of control to all cities; Mr. Bradburn, Peterboro, proposes that aldermen be elected for terms of two years; J. J. Preston, Durham, proposes to give cities and towns power to pass a by-law providing that no nominations may take place on the last Monday in November and the election on the first Monday in December.

About eight o'clock, this morning, a real winter storm passed over Toronto and the western part of Lake Ontario, the snow and wind for a time making things look like a north-west blizzard. The wind at first blew from the south, but veered around to almost north and at the same time a sudden fall in the temperature was noted. At 8 a.m. the mercury registered thirty-four degrees, but by nine o'clock the column had fallen to twenty-six degrees, a decrease of eight degrees within an hour. The storm, however, was of short duration and by 9:30 o'clock the sun was out shining in the spring-like style.

The special meeting of the shareholders of the Sovereign bank, called to consider the affairs of the bank, opened in the Temple building at noon, and was still going at 2 p.m. It is evidently a warm session, and Mr. Stavert, the trustee, shows little disposition to afford any information to shareholders regarding the affairs of the bank. Information asked for by some shareholders was refused. C. P. Martin, Stouffville, moved that the committee be asked to appoint a commission to investigate the passing of the bank, while Canon Downie, Port Stanley, moved that a committee be appointed to try to find out how the losses occurred.

One thousand unemployed men marched on the city hall, to-day, to demand that the city give them work. They crowded around the doors of the city hall while the committee of seven went in and saw Mayor Oliver in his office. The committee demanded that the city open some of its locked-up wealth and spend money on public works, in order that the prevailing distress might be relieved. One of their suggestions was that the city build 100 lavatories. Hundreds of men, it was declared, were on the verge of starvation. The mayor said the Salvation Army could place 400 men on farms if they would go, and this brought the report that the Salvation Army was largely responsible for the present trouble by bringing men to Canada when they were not required. One delegate said he hoped the workmen would starve before they accepted charity from the Salvation Army. The mayor promised that when the weather opened work would be commenced on sidewalk construction, etc. The city of Toronto has spent this winter \$41,000 on relief work and given \$13,000 to various charitable institutions.

William Ailingham said to have been the oldest living Orangeman, died, yesterday, at the home of his son, Michael, at the age of ninety-eight years. He was a native of Donegal, Ireland, and was for many years engaged in farming in this country. His wife, whom he married seventy years ago, and who is ninety-four years old, survives him with three sons and one daughter, twenty-three grandchildren and eighteen great-grandchildren.

Was Lincoln's Operator.

Binchampton, N.Y., March 16.—De Witt Fuller, of Hancock, who was private telegraph operator for President Lincoln during the civil war, was killed on the Erie tracks at Newburgh on Friday afternoon. Mr. Fuller was about seventy years old and was employed by the Erie as a telegraph repair man. He had been in the employ of the road for about forty years. He was riding the track velocipede, when he was struck by a passenger train.

Justice McLennan To Retire.

Ottawa, March 16.—Justice McLennan, of the supreme court, will complete his twenty-five years on the bench next October, and will then be entitled to retire on full salary. It is understood to be his intention to ask for his pension this and resume his residence in Toronto.

FITH OF THE NEWS.

The Very Latest Culled From All Over The World.

Belleville is to have penny banks in the schools. John Pikkaman, Finlander, committed suicide at Cobalt by hanging. North Brant liberals nominated George L. Teller for the legislature. The Beaver hotel, in Sandwich, Ont., has been sold to R. J. Roy, Quebec. The Allan steamer Grampian arrived at Liverpool at 11 a.m. on 16th. Robert Robertson, one of the best known building contractors in Toronto, died on Sunday.

At Cannes, Prince Stephen, the five-year-old son of Prince Mirko, of Montenegro, died on Monday. In an address to the London Chamber of Commerce, Lord Ashbury advised that savings banks be compelled to hold gold reserves.

The Moose Mountain mines will begin shipping iron ore by the opening of the navigation, according to a statement of D. D. Mann. The subaqueous are adopting new methods of raising funds, touring London with barrel organs and sandwich boards.

At New York, Saturday night, the Toronto University team defeated the champion Crescent Athletic Club hockey team, by 12 to 3.

The Allan liner Virginia, for Liverpool, sailed from Halifax, on 14th, with 29 first-class, 39 second cabin, and 198 steerage passengers. The Stanley cup hunters, from Toronto, returned, this morning, feeling highly elated at the knowing they made against the famous Wanderers. Frederick Underhill, Aurora, liberal candidate for the legislature in North York, has been compelled to retire from the contest owing to breaking his leg.

Announcement is made that the entire plant of the Sharon, Pa., Steel Hoop company will resume operations on Tuesday. About 1,000 men are affected. When Keir Hardie, M.P., arrived at Johannesburg, a large crowd had assembled at the station, and he was mobbed, eggs, tomatoes and stones being thrown at him.

At St. John, N.B., the resignation of the Robison government is expected, and will be tendered on Thursday next, at the Hazen government will then be formed. The British admiralty has sent orders to the British cruisers Indefatigable and Cressy, which are both in West Indian waters, to proceed forthwith to Hayti for the protection of British interests.

The fire which broke out, on Sunday night, in a big biscuit factory, at Lyons, France, and which spread over a block of buildings covering twenty-two acres, is now under control. The loss is placed at \$400,000. At Antwerp, Miss. eight persons were killed, one was seriously injured, and property valued at \$200,000 was wrecked, Sunday, as the result of an explosion of gas in the basement of a five-story building occupied by the Natchez drug company.

The government has unearthened a fraudulent passport manufacturer at Omori, a seaport in Northern Japan. Several arrests have been made, including two police officers, who are charged with having sold over 300 passports to America for \$150 each.

The Late E. J. Hickey.

The death occurred, this morning, at Augusta, Georgia, of Edward J. Hickey, formerly of Kingston. On Saturday he was stricken with paralysis and passed away within two days. The deceased was the second son of the late James Hickey, and was born in Kingston about fifty-seven years ago. He was a veteran of the Fenian raid of 1866, serving with the local volunteers. For many years past, Mr. Hickey was a resident of Augusta, Ga., where he conducted several barber establishments. He was survived by a wife and several children. Mrs. James Hickey, of Kingston, and Mrs. John Hickey, of Toronto, are sisters, and O. J. Hickey, of Kingston, is his brother. The remains will be interred at Augusta.

To Enlarge Order Of Merit.

London, March 16.—It is believed the king contemplates the enlargement of the Order of Merit from twenty to twenty-five members. The order is absolutely in the personal gift of the king. Among the present members of it are Admiral Lord Boscawen, Prince Yamagata and Oyama, and only two British admirals, Seymour and Fisher. But it is thought that Admiral Sir Arthur Wilson will soon be added, with Andrew Lang, the author, and Major-General Sir George French.

Found Dead In Bed.

Toronto, March 16.—Samuel Parr, Blackstock, Ont., one of the best known young merchants between Toronto and Peterboro was found dead in bed in his room at the Wilson House, 111 York street, this morning, with the gas turned on full. There was no light in the room. Parr came in last night from Blackstock and seemed to be in splendid health and spirits.

Worthy Of A Place.

Toronto Globe. Prof. Shortt of Queen's University, has succeeded in bringing the dispute between the Coal company and its employees, at Glace Bay, to a satisfactory termination. A rumor has gone abroad that Mr. Shortt has been offered a place on the enlarged dominion railway commission, if this is correct, and if he has accepted it, the whole country is to be congratulated.

Prize Fowl Stolen.

On Saturday night, the hen roosts of Robert J. Bennett, Ordnance street, were visited by thieves, who carried away some of his fine Plymouth Rocks. Mr. Bennett has a good idea as to the identity of the thieves, and awaits the return of his prize fowl.

Call To Rev. A. F. Follock.

Cobourg, March 16.—A unanimous invitation has been extended by the Congregational churches of Cobourg and Cold Springs to Rev. A. F. Follock, B.A., Danville, Que., to become their pastor.

At three o'clock, this afternoon, no change was reported in the condition of Ald. John Gaskin.

HAS LEFT THE JOB

HE HAD TOO MANY OFFICES TO FILL.

Held a Provincial Government Job and Also Dabbled in Politics—The Government's Attention Called.

Montreal, March 16.—Wilfrid Paquette, president of the Federation of Textile Workers, has found that a multiplicity of occupations is vexatious and he has resigned the presidency. Paquette, besides dabbling in politics, has a provincial government job at the court house and he has found it difficult to maintain all three without getting into hot water hence the resignation. The matter was recently brought up in the legislature, and it is understood that it was recently pointed out to Paquette that it would be in the interests of good government if he retired from at least one of the roles.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

Prices Furnished by F. W. Boschen (Per W. Hector H. Hume, Manager.)

Stocks	March 16th.	Opening	Close
Amal. Copper	105	105	105
Am. Loco	38 1/2	38 1/2	38 1/2
Am. Sug. Refin. Co.	120	118 1/2	118 1/2
Am. Smelt. & R. Co.	62 1/2	62 1/2	62 1/2
Am. Car Foundry	30 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2
Anaconda Min. Co.	57 1/2	57 1/2	57 1/2
Atchaf. Top & St. Fe.	74 1/2	74 1/2	74 1/2
Balti. & Ohio	83 1/2	83 1/2	83 1/2
Brooklyn Rapid Tr.	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2
Central Leather	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2
Canadian Pacific	145 1/2	144 1/2	144 1/2
Chicago Great West.	42 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2
Cheapeake & Ohio	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2
C. Mil. & St. Paul	119 1/2	118 1/2	118 1/2
Colorado Southern	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
Cons. Gas N.Y.	103 1/2	103 1/2	103 1/2
Col. Fuel & Iron	20 1/2	19 1/2	19 1/2
Delaware & Hudson	157 1/2	157 1/2	157 1/2
Distillers, sec.	31 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/2
G. North Ry., pfd.	124 1/2	122 1/2	122 1/2
Kansas & Texas, com.	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
Kansas & Texas, pfd.	51 1/2	51 1/2	51 1/2
Louisville & Nashville	98 1/2	98 1/2	98 1/2
Missouri Pacific	36 1/2	36 1/2	36 1/2
Min. St. P. & S. St. M.	104 1/2	102 1/2	102 1/2
N. Y. Central	100 1/2	99 1/2	99 1/2
Erie Railroad	15 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2
N. Y. Ontario & West.	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2
Northern Pacific	127 1/2	127 1/2	127 1/2
Penn. R. R.	118 1/2	117 1/2	117 1/2
People's Gas	88 1/2	88 1/2	88 1/2
Reading	105 1/2	105 1/2	105 1/2
Rock Island	14 1/2	13 1/2	13 1/2
Rock Island, pfd.	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
Southern Ry.	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2
Southern Pacific	74 1/2	73 1/2	73 1/2
Sloss Sheldahl	49 1/2	49 1/2	49 1/2
U. S. Steel, com.	34 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2
U. S. Steel, pfd.	97 1/2	97 1/2	97 1/2
U. S. Rubber, com.	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2
Union Pacific	125 1/2	123 1/2	123 1/2
Wabash	9 1/2	9 1/2	9 1/2
Wabash, pfd.	16 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2
West Union Tel.	49 1/2	49 1/2	49 1/2

CHICAGO PRICES.

Wheat	March 16th.	Opening	Close
May	96 1/2	96 1/2	96 1/2
July	91 1/2	91 1/2	91 1/2
Corn	61 1/2	61 1/2	61 1/2
July	62 1/2	62 1/2	62 1/2
May	12 50	12 27	12 27

Too Modest To Begin.

Washington Star. "Would you advise me to go into politics?" "Young man," answered Senator Sorghum, "the mere fact that you are so modest as to ask advice about it proves that you are unfit for the profession."

Lenten Theatre-Going.

In St. Mary's cathedral yesterday, the rector, Rev. Father A. J. Hanley, spoke very plainly to the people regarding theatre-going during the Lenten season. He told them that this was in violation of the church's rules.

The death occurred at Almonte of Mrs. David Gilles, who was Anna Florence Houston, daughter of John Houston, Appleton. Deceased was married last April, and her husband residing for a time in New Ontario, but returned during the fall. She suffered from lung trouble. She was twenty-two years of age. Dr. W. A. Kyle has given up his medical practice in Lanark county to enter holy orders in the Anglican church. Sunday morning the Bishop of Ottawa ordained him deacon, and will send him to work as such in the parish of Beaufort.

Robert McLaughlin, with Guy Brown, minstrels all season, is visiting at his home in Kingston. He will probably go into vaudeville next season. The engineer and firman of the steamer Rosedale arrived in the city, to-day, to put the vessel in shape for the season. A settlement has been made in the case in which a young man was alleged to have stolen wood from Whitney's coal and wood yard, and the case will not be aired in the police court.

William B. Skinner, King street, and son, will shortly leave on a trip to Bermuda to remain a month. H. S. Folger returned home from New York to-day, after a several days' business visit. Another batch of notices were sent around the city, to-day, to statute later delinquents.

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