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Effects Of The Wind.

The heavy wind this morning caused many a citizen to make use of strong language and others to want to. Many hats were blown around in the dirt and many women had their head gear badly damaged.

Local Option By-Law.

An application was made before Justice Clute, in single court, on behalf of Lake Joyce, to quash the local option by-law of the township of Pittsburg. Judgment was reserved.

Only a few more days remain in Best's guessing competition. There was no business for the police court this morning.

King Leopold is seriously ill.

Your Order Please

May we have your Spring Suit order now? Our variety of fine and exclusive fabrics in Suits, Trousers, Overcoats and Vestings, etc., is now at its best.

We take pleasure in showing the new styles to men who are looking about swell things.

We would particularly draw your attention to our beautiful assortment of **New Brown Suitings** The correct color for Spring wear.

LIVINGSTON'S.

THE 5 P.M. EDITION

ELJOU OPEN AGAIN.

Reasons Why it Was Closed on Wednesday.

"The Bijou was closed on Wednesday," said Manager Burrows today, "because the film sent on by agents in the east was not worth the price of admission. We tried to get a better film in time, but failed, and we would not open the house with what we had. If we cannot give our patrons their money's worth, we prefer to lose their business. We have maintained the reputation of the Bijou for quality after the hardest kind of a struggle, for it is extremely difficult to get clean, fresh films, and they can only be obtained by a constant struggle with the agents of the manufacturing houses. No matter how high the price paid, the agents will always try to work off 'junk' on the exhibitors. I do not know any business in which there is so little business principle, and such absolute disregard of business courtesy as in the film renting business. However we would rather close the house than accept our patrons' money without giving a good equivalent. Whenever the Bijou is open the public may depend on seeing a good show indeed."

LINE TO KINGSTON.

Wainwright Says G.T.R. Prepared to Build It.

Ottawa Citizen.

"The Grand Trunk railway is prepared to build a short line from Ottawa to Kingston as soon as the holders of the present charter get the municipalities along the line to accept certain bonuses that were voted," stated William Wainwright.

"And if the bonuses are not voted?"

"Then it will be a matter for the management to deal with," Mr. Wainwright stated that the company is ready to finance and build the line as soon as the arrangements indicated are made. It will materially shorten the distance between Ottawa and Toronto.

Began Quite Romantically.

An earthquake romance at Kingston, Jamaica, had a very happy sequel on Tuesday. At the home of Mrs. Barker, Rowanwood avenue, Toronto. Her son, W. D. P. Barker was married by Rev. C. J. James to Miss Ruby St. John Hepburn, of Jamaica. Only those relatives living in Toronto were present, but they made "a prodigious company." Richard Cowan, partner of the groom, was his "best man," Miss Florence Glass bridesmaid. The young couple left for New York for their honeymoon. Mr. Barker is a Kingstonian—our own Kingston—and his visits here have been very agreeable to his friends, who freely wish him all the joys of the happy wedded state.

Two Boy Travellers.

Two bright looking little boys, one aged ten and the other thirteen, arrived at the station here on Tuesday morning. They came from the Barnardo Home, in London, at St. John's way to a farmer, at St. John's, who will adopt them. The boys, with a number of others, from the same home, came out to Canada on the steamer Dominion. The others went on to the branch home in Toronto, but as these two were booked for St. John's, they were not taken on. The boys are being cared for at the Orphans' Home, until the arrival of the good farmer.

Dangerous To Pedestrians.

J. H. Malcolm writes as follows: Permit me to call the attention of the civic authorities to the dilapidated condition of the covering over one of the drains at the crossing of West street, leading to the court house. Small pieces of board a few inches wide and about a dozen in number, take the place of what I think should be one broad piece. Needless to say that these small pieces in their present condition are dangerous to pedestrians.

Brother Of Kingston Doctor.

Dr. D. M. McCarthy, of Prescott, who was awarded a medal by the Canadian Humane Society, for rescuing a lad from drowning last July, is a brother of Dr. William McCarthy, of Kingston, and also a Queen's Medical College graduate. The doctor is well-known here.

Met With Accident.

James McCulla, grocer, Montreal street, was the victim of a painful accident a few days ago. While working a meat cutting machine one of his fingers slipped in the way, and the top of the member was cut off.

Queen's University convocation will be held on April 29th.

THE 'M' MANUS CASE

CHECKS STOLEN HAVE NEVER BEEN CASHED.

What Sheriff Foley, of New York Says—What McManus Confided to Rev. Father McDonald—Pinkerton People Satisfied.

The New York Sun has the following to say regarding the "M" McManus case:

Sheriff Foley has got the express company to drop the case, and it is certain now that the French government won't push it. Big Tim Sullivan also has been interested with the sheriff in saving McManus. Sheriff Foley has gone so far as to put up a bond with the express company as a guarantee against any loss which the company might sustain through the cashing of any of the stolen travel-traveler's checks. McManus himself has told what he did with this negotiable paper, amounting in all, it is estimated, to \$5,000 or \$10,000, and the Pinkertons believe that it has been destroyed.

Sheriff Foley declared yesterday that his sole interest in the case was to name McManus had been born of a clean Irish family in Grand street. The sheriff knew him as a boy and has been acquainted with the family all his life. McManus at one time owned two saloons, one Third avenue and the other in West street, but neglected the business for a bad woman and things went against him, said Sheriff Foley.

"I know he is a crook through and through. I've known that for many years. I told President Fargo of the express company that he wouldn't be a good citizen for this country, not good for himself or for anybody else. But there he is, prison crazy, after a confinement of eight or nine years a fit subject only for a sanitarium. It was merely to see whether he should be sent to end his life in the Asylum, with no hope for his family of ever even recovering his body, or whether he should be brought back here and allowed to end his days under their care."

The Pinkerton detective agency, which has been handling the case for the express company, did not object to this disposition of the case. They were inclined to regard the eight years of confinement which McManus had undergone in Canada as a sufficient punishment for a man of his class. Foley's interest in the case Superintendent Dougherty said:

"If there were only more men like 'Tom' Foley, who were willing to give a helping hand to the fellow who's down and out there would be less work in the world for the police and detective agencies."

McManus got away to London, and there he learned of the arrest of his pals. What he did after that he has recently told to Rev. Father McDonald, of the penitentiary at Kingston, who has taken an interest in the case and who has reported the results of his investigations to the Pinkerton agency.

McManus was afraid of being taken with the travelers' checks in his possession, so he checked them in a small room in a sporting club in London. He gave a check to one of his London friends, with instructions to hold it for him. Then he left England for Canada. He had been there but a few weeks when he broke into a store with a pal and blew two safes. The police were more alert than those in Paris, where, it is said, there hasn't been a safe cracked in forty years except by American criminals, and McManus was caught in the store.

Father McDonald, when McManus confided to him his story of the leather valise, got into communication with the man who had the check in London. The reply came back that the man with the check had reformed, had got the valise a good many years ago, and had destroyed all the checks. The Pinkertons, it is understood, investigated the story, and they do not believe that any such stolen paper is in existence. The express company has never had to pay out a cent on any of it.

CASE QUITE SERIOUS.

No Change in Condition of Arthur Reilly.

At the Hotel Dieu on Thursday afternoon it was reported that there was no change in the condition of Arthur Reilly, the Corrigan street lad, who was shot in the back of the neck. The lad is in quite a serious condition. Wednesday afternoon the X-rays were used in another attempt to locate the bullet, but the examination proved unsuccessful. Although quite serious, it is believed that he will be able to pull through, and that the bullet will be secured in the next attempt which is made.

The lad had been working in a downtown shop for some time and was doing well. Much sympathy has been extended to the lad's parents. The latter have not yet been able to ascertain just how the accident occurred and the investigation carried on so far has revealed nothing.

Narrowly Escaped Drowning.

Tweed, Ont., March 26.—Charles Fobear, a son of Louis Fobear, of this place, narrowly escaped drowning in Stocco Lake yesterday. He was skating over the channel and was into an open spot slightly frozen over.

He sprang for help and was heard by a man on shore, who, with others, managed to save him, after he had been in the water twenty-five minutes.

Setback To Newspaper Men.

New York, March 26.—The effort on the part of the American Newspaper Publishers' Association to secure legislation by congress putting print paper and pulp wood on the free list has received a sudden shock because of the absolute refusal of the ways and means committee even to give them a hearing.

All Important Question.

To-morrow evening the civic finance committee will meet to tackle the budget of 1908. The all-important question is: Will the tax rate be increased half a mill?

INCIDENTS OF THE DAY.

Merry Paragraphs Picked Up By Reporters On Their Rounds.

Dates, Edwards & Jenkin.

Are you going to wear a Merry Widow hat this season?

William Swaine, piano tuner. Orders received at McAuley's. Phone 778.

H. M. Folger is greatly improved, today, and will be around again shortly.

A number from this vicinity have gone to New Liskeard within the past few days.

Quite a number of the students at the dairy school have returned to their homes.

Andrew Y. Thompson, B.A., came down from Belleville, to-day, for a few days' visit.

The schooner Dundee, costing \$17,000, has been sold for \$700 to Capt. S. H. of Belleville.

H. Cunningham, piano tuner from Chickering's. Leave orders at McAuley's Book Store.

D. McDonald, of the Bank of Montreal, Tweed, visiting in the city, returned home, to-day.

William Thompson, of the Thornton & Douglas company, Hamilton, is in the city on a business trip.

The board of education meets this evening to consider the question of better fire protection in the schools.

Charles Deyo is accused again after an attack of typhoid fever. He will soon be on the K. & P. again.

Fellows' Compound Syrup of Hypophosphites, is sold in Kingston at Gibson's Red Cross Drug Store.

Mrs. C. Deyo and Miss Joyner left by the K. & P. RR. at noon, for Wilbur, to visit friends for a day or so.

Lieut. E. J. Long, who has been taking a signalling course in the city, returned to his home in Napawan on Wednesday.

James Kenny, formerly of Elliott Bros., left on Wednesday, for Lethbridge, where he has secured a position.

The pool tournament at Baker's, last evening, was won by R. A. Elliott, with "Mary" Walsh a close second. Handsome prizes were awarded the winners.

Oranges, Edwards & Jenkin.

Miss M. E. M. Butler and Miss E. A. Butler are leaving on a trip to Liverpool. They will sail from St. John, N. B., Saturday, on the steamer Lake Erie.

Don't forget Y.W.C.A. open session, to-night, and basketball match between junior gymnasium girls and Caranqui school girls, at Y.M.C.A., 8 p.m. Admission 5c.

W. D. Joyner, Hazelock, has returned home after a few days visit with friends in and about the city. His little daughter, Deborah, is still at Charles Deyo's.

Tax Collector Bartels is issuing police court summonses for those who have not paid their statute labor tax. Young men, pay up, and don't be called upon to go to the police court. Save the costs.

Honorary Captain and Quartermaster W. K. Butcher, R.C.R., Toronto, has been authorized to attend the Royal Military College at Kingston in preparation for the promotion examinations in May next.

The last curling of the season was done at the rink on Wednesday evening. The ice was in fairly good condition and a couple of thirteen-point games were pulled off. The prizes will be presented to-night.

Oysters, Edwards & Jenkin.

The public will be welcome in the large English classroom, at Queen's, on Friday afternoon, at four o'clock, when Dr. Bonar, master of the mint, will give an address to the Political Science Club, on socialism, mainly in its English aspect.

AN IMPORTANT DECISION

Regarding Requirements for Step Payment of Cheque.

A case of much interest to bankers and their customers was tried by Judge Madden at the last division court, in Kingston. A customer sued his banker for negligence in paying a cheque for \$50, drawn by him on his bank account, the payment of which he claims was stopped before the cheque had been cashed. The judge, in a written judgment, finds on the question of fact that the notice was not proved to be in time. He also finds as to the law of the case that such a notice to be effectual should be given to the manager of the bank and in writing. In the case tried, verbal notice was given by the customer to his teller keeper and was entered by him in the customer's account. The amount at stake was not large, but such a case—the stopping of a cheque, frequently arises, and it is well for both bankers and their customers to know what course they should take to protect themselves in similar cases, that is to say if the judgment of his honor is sound.

Killing Measures.

Albany, N.Y., March 26.—The assembly has moved to kill the Meade bill, increasing the flow of water through the sixty-mile level. The Frisbie bill, to stop all work on the canal, was killed.

The assembly codes committee, to-day, voted unanimously to report favorably the bill which makes it a felony to operate a bucket shop in the city. The bill is similar to a bill which is on the order of final passage in the senate.

Death's Short Separation.

Pittsburg, March 26.—Mrs. Louisa Schelbauer died at her home at Thompson Run. Twenty minutes later her husband, overcome by his grief, and stricken with heart failure as a result, also expired. The couple will be buried in the same grave. They were affectionate, having known each other as children in Germany, and had again, to be married, in this country.

Social At Methel Church.

The Ladies' Aid of Bethel church held a most enjoyable social, on Wednesday evening, which was largely attended. Refreshments were served, and afterwards a short program of music was rendered. The pastor, Rev. G. A. Mackenzie, and George Mills, gave short addresses.

Two Dozen Twenty-Five Cents.

Oranges or lemons, Edwards & Jenkin. Phone 778.

BECK HORSE CASE

MR. MATHESON HAS MADE EXPLANATION.

Five of the Horses Sent to the International Horse Show Belonged to Mrs. Beck, Wife of the Power Minister.

Toronto, March 26.—Before the Public Accounts committee of the legislature, this morning, Hon. Mr. Matheson explained what has come to be known as the Beck horse incident. He said the government had promised the money to help in the exhibition of horses in London, Eng., and that large entries had been promised from the other owners of thoroughbred stock besides Hon. Mr. and Mrs. Beck. The promise was verbal, however, and was not carried out. Nine horses were sent to the old country and five of these entries had been promised from the other owners of thoroughbred stock besides Hon. Mr. and Mrs. Beck. The exhibition cost Mrs. Beck, at least, \$1,000 in addition to this.

Douglas B. Findlay was brought back from Athlone, about two miles out of Tottenham, in charge of detectives shortly after noon, to-day, to answer to the charge of robbing his employers, McDonald & Mayhew, cat dealers. The amount involved is said to be \$42,000. Findlay is only twenty years of age. He was not arraigned before the magistrate as the court was over. He probably will come up to-morrow.

The winding-up petitions were filed at Osgoode Hall, this morning, one against the W. J. Gardner Co., watch case manufacturers, Toronto, nominal capital \$40,000; the other against the Instrument and Chemical Co., Toronto, nominal capital \$1,000,000. Argument on both petitions was adjourned for a week.

FOUND SURGEON'S LANCE.

Inside of Victim Operated on For Appendicitis.

Vancouver, March 26.—William Argyle Campbell, laborer, forty, died yesterday, apparently as the result of gross carelessness of a surgeon several months ago. Campbell suffered from appendicitis and an operation being performed, he recovered. After recommending work he was attacked by pains in the side, which increased so that he nearly became insane. A new operation in the abdomen was performed, but the surgeon found the lance used in the first operation.

Campbell was unable to recover from the shock of the second operation.

FIRED WAREHOUSE.

Night Riders Visited Covington, Ky., During Night.

Cincinnati, Ohio, March 26.—Night riders visited Covington, Ky., this morning, and applied the torch to the huge tobacco warehouse of T. S. Hamilton & Co. When they left the warehouse with its 500,000 pounds of tobacco and six neighboring residences were in flames. The loss will reach \$150,000.

Child Died Of Burns.

Huntsville, Ont., March 26.—Viola, the five-year-old daughter of W. J. Fletcher, of Ravenscliffe, a village six miles distant from here, set her clothes on fire while playing about the kitchen stove, last night, while her parents were temporarily absent, and was burned so badly, when found by her mother, that she died within an hour.

Busy Black Hand Men.

Buffalo, N.Y., March 26.—Threatened with death and assured unless a contribution of \$5,000 is received from his church will be dynamited, Rev. Father Kaelin, pastor of the Catholic church, at Eastoken, in this county, has appealed to the Hamburg authorities and the police of the city to protect him against a band of Buffalo Black Hand men.

Found Dead In Chair.

Ottawa, March 26.—John Lawrence Gunn, just down from the shanties at Cartier, was found dead in a chair at St. Louis hotel, yesterday afternoon. He had consulted an hospital as to an illness and was recommended to another for treatment. That is the last that was known of his movements. He was an Ottawa man, forty-nine years old.

Secured The Man.

Chatham, Ont., March 26.—A Seakoor, a fruit dealer, of Port Huron, was arrested, by Sheriff Davidson, for the United States officers at that place, yesterday. Seakoor is wanted by the police here on the charge of fraud. It is alleged that he got goods from wholesalers, made a quick sale and then vanished.

To Resume On Full Time.

Pottsville, Pa., March 26.—Orders were issued by the Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron company, for the resumption on full time of the fifty-five collieries and washeries of the company on half time for the past two months. This will effect about 25,000 men and boys.

Hurt While Hunting Coos.

London, Ont., March 26.—While trying to poke a coon out a tree, George Nixon, eighteen years of age, fell a distance of nearly fifty feet, breaking both arms and suffering internal injuries. His condition is critical.

The name of the Western Ontario Good Roads Association was changed to the Ontario Good Roads Association.

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