

DROWNED IN BAY**BOAT HOUSE AT FOOT OF BATHURST STREET**

In Toronto Was Burned and Quite a Heavy Loss Resulted—The Cricket Team to Go to Philadelphia.

Toronto, Sept. 11.—The boathouse at the foot of Bathurst street was burned, early this morning, together with nearly seventy boats, canoes and launches. Joseph H. Passome, 631 Gerrard street east, was in the building at the time, and was drowned in making his escape. Mystery surrounds the whole affair and an inquest will be held, for which the names of six men have been taken as witnesses. The boathouse was a fine new structure; part of it was used for storing launches and boats belonging to citizens. In the main structure were stored a number of new boats and canoes, either just completed or partly completed, while upstairs was a large workshop containing thousands of dollars' worth of machinery used for boat building.

The following team has been chosen by the Canadian Cricket Association to represent Canada against the United States in the international cricket match which takes place on the Mainheim grounds, in Philadelphia, on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday next: A. H. Gibson, G. H. Southampton, Hamilton Cricket Club; L. Black, Grace Church Cricket Club, Deseronto; J. Colborne, St. Albans Cricket Club, Toronto; Dr. W. E. Deane, Toronto Cricket Club; H. J. Heygate, W. Johnson, H. Ackland, Ottawa Cricket Club; Angus Heighington, Toronto Cricket Club; W. S. Marshall, Montreal Cricket Club; W. C. Barber (captain), McGill Cricket Club, Montreal. The team is strong in bowling, batting and fielding.

It was announced, at the parliament buildings, to-day, that Albert Hannon, a turnkey at Sarnia jail, has been dismissed for disobedience and disregard of the rule, resulting in allowing a prisoner to escape. Warning has been sent out that in future where escapes of prisoners are found to be due to the carelessness of officials, the officials will at once be suspended.

Robert Snow, the young lad, who was one of the principals to escape from the Toronto jail, on July 27th, was tried, this morning, for jail breaking and sentenced to two years' imprisonment. Other charges against him were dropped. Though hardly more than sixteen years of age young Snow has had a bad record.

The Toronto street railway receipts for August were \$305,962. This was a decrease of \$22,660 compared with August of 1907.

C.N.R. Engineers Want Board.
Winnipeg, Man., Sept. 11.—The engineers of the Canadian Northern railway have made application to the dominion government for a board of arbitration to decide their differences with the company. The increase in wages will run from ten to twenty per cent.

Carloads For Argonavsky.
700 baskets blue and green grapes, 300 baskets assorted plums, 300 baskets freestone peaches, 150 baskets Bartlett pears. Cheap sale, Saturday night.

Judgment Reserved.
St. Catharines, Ont., Sept. 11.—The case against the St. Catharines Country Club, charged with selling liquor without a license, came before Police Magistrate Campbell, this morning. After hearing the evidence of the stewards and waitresses, the magistrate reserved judgment until Saturday.

Moore's Early And Niagara Grapes Fresh. Edwards & Jenkins.

Right On Top**HALF CENTURY IN WILDS.****Orkney Islander Homeward Bound From Canadian North.**

Edmonton, Sept. 11.—After forty-six years in the north at Fort Chipewyan where for almost half a century he remained constantly without a visit to outer civilization, William Wylie, a long-bearded patriarchal looking blacksmith in the employ of the Hudson Bay company, came to the city yesterday, and leaves shortly to visit with his wife and sons in the old home in the Orkney Islands. Wylie came overland from Norway in 1862.

Held In Reserve.
Hamer's Weekly.

An American woman visiting in London engaged a cab to convey her to Euston Station, and urged the cabby to drive fast, as her time was limited. After proceeding a quarter of a mile at a funeral pace, the passenger warned the cabby to whip the horse lest she should lose her train. He did so, but speed soon subsided to the original pace. Again the lady remonstrated, saying:

"Can't you whip your horse a little faster to make him up? I'm sure I'll be late." The tetchy looked at her a moment and replied soberly, "Well, miss, I've hit the poor old till over 'is body except 'is left ear, and I'm keepin' that for the Euston Road."

Inspection Of Cars.
Ottawa, Sept. 11.—Up to August 31st, the end of the grain inspection year, the number of cars inspected at Winnipeg was 63,982, out of which 58,815 were of wheat. This compares with 81,507 inspections last year, of which 68,536 were wheat.

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PITH OF THE NEWS.

The Very Latest Culled From All Over The World.

Montreal defeated Toronto in the polo match by five to two.

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Pomeroy, Ont., Sept. 11.—The editor of this paper desires thus publicly to thank the person who stole his cucumbers the other night, not for the stealing particularly but for what the said person left behind. The purse found among the vines the next morning, which contained three dollar bills, a silver dollar, a half and two quarters, very fully paid the price of 250,000 for the first bushel to that figure. The market is tied up good and tight and there is little prospect for a short to get in unless he comes pretty quick. September corn in all of the outside markets moved up sharply yesterday. St. Louis closing at 80 cents. In Kansas City it was 76 cents at the last, advancing four cents of your son to call me Hank."

Had To Come Some Time.
Detroit News-Tribune.

Here is the latest story about honeymooners.

This time the happy couple had gone to the lakes for their trip, and spent the first morning before breakfast boating gloriously about Winona.

"Oh, Tom," said the bride, "isn't it heavenly? Let's send a telegram to papa and mamma, and tell them what a perfectly scrumptious time we're having now!" Let's say: "Getting on splendidly, Grand row before breakfast."

Forty minutes later a telegram was laid on the breakfast table of the parents.

The old man read it, and sadly shook his head.

"Ah," he exclaimed, dolefully, "they're begun already my dear!"

"Mamma," the little voice was very eager now, "do you suppose when I get there David will just let me hold his shiny shorts a little while?"

Your alleged funny stories will always get a laugh from the man who owes you money.

A girl hasn't much use for a young man who carries his small change in a pocketbook.

Every time you get your own way you make an enemy.

A Matter Of Business.

A story told by the late Ira D. Sankey on himself and published in The Boston Herald in 1894 has been revived since the evangelist's death. One day in Geneva he entered a music box shop and asked to see some music boxes. The salesman graciously showed him a number, but none was what he wanted.

"Have you none that play sacred music?" he asked.

"Why," answered the salesman, "we have some kind that play a kind of half-way sacred music."

"What?" enquired Mr. Sankey.

"Oh, those Moody and Sankey hymns; I can't imagine what the people see in them, but we sell thousands of the boxes that play them. We have enormous orders for these boxes," continued the salesman, "from every part of Europe," and then he added, apologetically, "it's a matter of business you know with us."

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THE FOREST FIRES**FANNED INTO RENEWED FURY BY WIND.**

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Flames in Forests in Webb's Reserve in the Adirondacks.

Detroit, Mich., Sept. 11.—The forest fire in the northern part of the state which had shown signs of subsiding were fanned into renewed fury, last night, by a strong wind. Last night's messages bring reports of three deaths and at least a million dollars of damage.

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Corn—Cash Corn firm in all markets

yesterday. Strong interests were buyers of May and December. We expect to see December and May sell well into the seventies.

Oats—Movement continues liberal

with apathetic demand. Strength in corn principal sustaining influence. Market also tired.

Inter-Ocean—Those

who are in a position to know, say that September corn can easily sell at ninety cents. Local buyers who have been short moderate time in that price would be paid eighty cents for the first bushel to that figure.

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