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UNDER THE CITY DOME

APPLICATIONS MUST BE IN ON MONDAY

For the Position of Fire Chief—Power For Street Railway—Town Clock Contract Expires To-Day.

The time for receiving applications for the position of chief of the fire department expires on Monday, and the fire committee may meet on Tuesday to consider the applications and make a recommendation to the city council. As yet the finance committee has not reported that there are on hand the necessary funds to meet the additional expenditure of $650 for the half year. If this committee reports that it cannot provide the funds, then the fire re-organization scheme will have to remain in abeyance till next year. If the city gets $1,500 or $2,000 from fort hospital dues, there will be money sufficient to meet the needs of all the civic departments.

Street Railway Power.

The Light, Heat and Power committee will have two very important matters before it on Tuesday next. One is the consideration of the street railway company's request as to whether the city intends to continue to give it the present rate for power supply. The company plainly says it cannot afford to pay more, and the truth of that statement is well known. The probability is that the present cheap rate will be continued for a year at least. The other matter before the committee is with reference to the defective foundation of the new gas tank. This foundation must be attended to soon, if the tank is to be operated next winter.

Should Now Be Erected.

The contract time for the installation of the bell and clock in the city building's dome, expired to-day, whereas a start has not even been made. Delay in transit is one cause of the "town clock" not ticking to-day. The delay in installing the bell, is due to some misunderstanding as to steel framework supports for it.

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MAURICE ALEXANDER.
A young McGill Student in his second year of the law course, was presented with a testimonial from the Royal Canadian Humane Society for having saved two lives during a holiday taken at St. Agathe des Mts.

"NIGHT OF ENTERTAINMENT."

Scheduled For the Opera House, on May 25th.

So quietly have its promoters been perfecting their plans that but little has been heard of the affair which the Daughters of the Empire will put on a week from Tuesday. Attracuve as is the name given the melange of good things, a glance at the rough sketch of the programme shows that name to be a most descriptive one. There will be singing, dancing, and tableaux. Mrs. "Jock" Harty will be a soloist, and in one of her numbers will have a chorus of six dancing girls—Miss Helen Gordon, Miss Norah Macnee, Miss Norma Hughes, Miss Roberta Macdonald, Miss Kathleen Carruthers and Miss Helen Drury, of Halifax. Clever Miss Mabel Gildersleeve, and her partner, Miss Beatrice Tandy, whose names are synonymous with perfection in whatever they undertake, have taken toll of the town and picked up every pretty girl they could see to help them out in the various parts of the entertainment, which, as every one knows, is in aid of the anti-tuberculosis fund of the Daughters.

A fascinating novelty will be on the first part of the programme, and will show the stage arranged as a bachelor's cozy den who, dreaming idly in his easy chair, sees pass before him lovely women, from gentle Ruth, to brave Boadicea, and on down the line till the modern girl steps out of the frame, and the unattached dreamer, rousing from sleep, takes her hand, and the vision becomes reality. After this little girls will distribute ballot papers among the audience who, for the price of a small coin can vote on the woman they thought the prettiest.

There will be sweets too, for sale, Miss Mabel Brownfield intending to conduct a candy booth in one of the boxes.

A play, with Captain and Mrs. Kenneth Blair, and Mrs. Frank Cartwright in the cast will come on the second part of the programme, and after that there will be a huge tableaux, the Daughters of the Empire, women of nearly every nation under heaven, surrounding Britannia, the Queen of the Seven Seas.

There never was an entertainment got up for a better object than that for which this is given, viz: the amassing of sufficient money to take up a winning fight against that dread enemy, consumption, and every one who cares for the public good and for individual happiness, is asked to aid it.

MARINE NEWS.

What is Found About the Wharves.

The steamer Aletha made her regular trip from bay points to-day.

The sloop Mary Louise, cleared for Rideau canal ports, with freight.

The steambarge Ida E. cleared for Oswego, to load coal for Kingston.

The schooner Keewatin cleared from Swift's on Friday for Sodus, N.Y.

The schooner Suffell has arrived at Collins Bay, with coal, from Oswego.

The schooner Acacia cleared for Oswego, and will load coal for Kingston.

The tug Frontenac is loading withs at the Kingston and Pembroke wharf to-day.

One hundred and eighty-three thousand bushels of wheat arrived for Richardson's elevator, on Friday.

The steambarges John Randall and Kenwing arrived from Smith's Falls, on their way to Oswego, to load coal.

The steamer Alexandria arrived at Folger's wharf at 10.30 o'clock last night, from Montreal, and discharged considerable freight, for Kingston dealers.

The steamer Canadian was unloaded of her cargo of wheat, at Richardson's elevator, at 4 o'clock this morning, and immediately cleared for Toronto. Work was then commenced on the steamer Edmonton, and will be completed by midnight, to-night. The Edmonton will then clear for Hamilton.

At M. T. Co's elevator:—The steamer Rosemount, from Fort William, 108,000 bushels of oats, and barge Quebec, with 60,000 bushels of wheat; tug Bronson up, three barges, cleared for Montreal, with three barges; steamer Westmount and barge Ungava, cleared for Fort William.

The M. T. Co. had quite a rush of grain this week, the figures going to show that 800,000 bushels arrived from Fort William. The vessels are certainly making up for the lost time in the opening of the season, and from now on to the end of the season, it is expected that there will be a big rush of grain for Kingston.

LOOKING FOR CURE

STATE IS BUYING RATS TO FURTHER RESEARCHES.

Number of Cases Has Increased to Alarming Extent in the Past Few Years—Considerable Success Met With.

Albany, N.Y., May 15.—If you have mice which are afflicted with cancer send them to the State Cancer Laboratory in Buffalo, and you will receive $2.50 a piece for them. Dr. Harvey R. Gaylord, in a report to the state commissioner of health, says there is a standing reward of that sum for every mouse so affected and until last year there was a reward of $25 for the first animal having the disease.

It is because the cancer is killing the people at a rapidly increasing rate and also for the reason that knowledge of the nature of cancer as a disease is limited that this peculiar inducement is made. The state has taken upon itself the humane policy of aiding by scientific research in the important task of finding some chemical or physical agent capable of destroying the germs of the disease.

How rapidly cancer is growing is shown at a glance by the records of the state commissioner of health. In the state, in 1885, the number of deaths from cancer was 1,887; in 1895, 3,554; in 1900, 4,871; in 1905, 6,055, and last year 6,554. At the present rate there are seventy-seven deaths from cancer in every 100,000 population each year.

Dr. Gaylord says that he received several mice with cancer of the breast from a breeding place in Massachusetts last year. Experiments have been made on these and other animals. These experiments consist of repeated injections of affected tissue and in 51 per cent. of the cases the inoculation was successful.

Encouragement was found in the progress of the research for knowledge of potent immune forces. Three bulldogs having tumors were treated with injections of fluid blood from an immune dog. In the experiment the blood was kept from hardening by the addition of chemical properties. Dr. Gaylord reports that all tumors so treated retrograded and ultimately disappeared and the dogs have remained free from tumors since.

Another matter that the scientists in the state's laboratory are giving their attention is equally important. They are seeking positive means of recognizing cancer in its incipient stages, by means of a serum or bio-chemical test.

How long it will be before a cancer antitoxin is discovered as a result of this experimentation is not known, and the difficulties surrounding the work have led many to declare that the laboratory is a waste of state funds. That it was the intention to continue the state laboratory for another year, is shown by the item of $200,000 for its support in one of the appropriation bills now before the governor.

A LAKE THAT HEALS.

Remarkable Discovery Made on G. T. Pacific.

Winnipeg, May 15.—The construction of the Grand Trunk Pacific railroad across Western Canada has brought to light many interesting and valuable mineral deposits. In the most unexpected places these natural riches have turned up, in some cases exposing to civilization ancient Indian customs, which had been safely guarded by the redman for centuries past. One of the most interesting of these is the lake at Watrous, Sask., containing water which has cured many stubborn cases of skin diseases, asthma, consumption and rheumatism.

Watrous is situated on the main line of the Grand Trunk Railroad, less than 400 miles west of Winnipeg, and already people from all over the continent are visiting there to benefit from the waters; and a prominent New York specialist now has plans in preparation for a sanatorium to be erected there. Here were seen Indian "sweating lodges," to which the suffering redmen have been taken for ages past, calling it Manitou, or Great Spirit. Only recently a Montreal skin specialist heard of this lake and went up to Watrous to test the healing qualities of its waters. So efficacious did they prove in curing several skin diseases of long standing, that he now regularly receives barrels of this water shipped to Montreal.

FLED FROM HUSBAND.

Sped Hatless and Coatless From Wedding Supper.

New York, May 15.—Hazel Drew McGreal, heiress to $150,000, whose elopement and five months' secret honeymoon trip ended with her husband's arrest yesterday, has broken with her husband, and is now with her mother, determined to secure annulment of the marriage. She has barricaded her mother's home at 272 Sixth avenue, Brooklyn, and no representative of the McGreal family is permitted to enter.

Mrs. McGreal left her husband in the middle of the wedding supper her father-in-law had provided, and fled to her mother's without hat or coat. Her flight followed a visit to her mother to beg forgiveness, and a dispute which ended when the young man choked her in a rage.

TO BUILD DREADNOUGHTS.

Italy Spend $52,800,000 to Strengthen Navy.

Rome, May 15.—The minister of marine, Admiral Mirabello, has obtained the approval of the cabinet to a naval programme that provides for the construction within three years at a total expense of $52,800,000 of four Dreadnoughts and a number of fast scout cruisers.

A local paper says the decision to build these vessels was reached after Italy had learned that Austria-Hungary was going to spend $40,000,000 on increased naval power.

12½c. Sugar Cured Roll Bacon 12½c
Rolls or half rolls sugar cured bacon; 12½c. J. Crawford's.

Patterson's "Private Stock."
Chocolates, $1 lb. Edwards & Jenkin, exclusive agents. 'Phone 775.

The schooner Ford River will load felspar at Richardson's, on Monday, for Charlotte.

Use Furniture Restorer for cleaning old furniture, at James Reid's.

MRS. THAW HITS BACK.

New York Preacher Referred to His Record.

New York, May 15.—In a letter to the Evening Journal, Mrs. Mary Copley Thaw, the mother of Harry Thaw, replies to the remarks recently made by Rev. Dr. Parkhurst about the Thaw case. Mrs. Thaw says:

"Dr. Parkhurst properly deprecated the effects of newspaper reports of criminal trials, and cited the Thaw trial as an example of dealing with matters lying at a low moral level.

"Has Dr. Parkhurst forgotten his self-appointed crusade some years ago, when night after night he visited houses of ill-repute; then published broadcast the accounts of his observations? Right-minded persons, at the time, regarded this exposition of indecency as both useless and disgusting.

"Homicide trials are a grim necessity. Grossly misconducted as the Thaw trials were, and horribly repulsive to those immediately connected, they were essentially warning, especially to careless mothers. Gilded vice, in its most repulsive form, was painted in sulphurous colors. The effect was not unlike that produced on the youth of Athens, when drunken slaves were introduced to emphasize lectures on sobriety and temperance.

"Dr. Parkhurst professes to be a Christian minister, yet this is not the first time he has gone out of his way to throw a stone at this defenceless man. Gifted as my son is as a writer, he is powerless to reply to such attacks by reason of restrictions at the place where he is now illegally detained. I shall shortly give out a statement uncovering the infamy which no one has had the courage or the honesty heretofore to expose."

INCIDENTS OF THE DAY.

Newsy Paragraphs Picked Up By Reporters On Their Rounds.

See Livingston's $15 suits.

This begins to look like real weather.

Almost safe to pack the furs in camphor now.

There was no session of the police court, this morning.

25c. cooked ham, 12½c. roll bacon. Jas. Crawford's.

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

The market was only fairly well attended, this morning. Butter and eggs were the chief offerings.

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

Sitting hand in hand June newly weds will soon be wondering why so many people sent olive forks.

Bacon, sugar cured rolls or half rolls, 12½c. Crawford's.

Of course, there is no use trying to convince your wife you planted the sweet peas if they fail to come up.

One of the things a boy can never understand is why the lawn must be mowed the afternoon the other fellows are going fishing.

Bacon, sugar cured rolls or half rolls, 12½c. Crawford's.

The tennis and croquet grounds of the Y.W.C.A. will open May 24th. Season tickets, 50c. to members. Apply at the rooms, 196 Johnson street.

Bacon, sugar cured rolls or half rolls, 12½c. Crawford's.

By the time she has eaten a couple of nut sundaes, purchased by the young man just introduced to her, a girl feels as if she had known him for years.

Prof. John Watson will, in the autumn, go into the house on the corner of University avenue and Union street, which has been occupied by the Misses Gibson.

Bacon, sugar cured rolls or half rolls, 12½c. Crawford's.

To-morrow is Rogation Sunday, in the Anglican church, and the three days following will be Rogation days, the season set apart, in earliest times, for asking a special blessing on the crops.

AGGRESSIVE WORK

To Be Started By the Templars Next Fall.

The members of the Star of Hope Juvenile Temple, I.O.S.T., were given a very interesting address by Dr. Nash at their session, on Thursday night. At the subsequent session of the Hope of Kingston lodge, four new members were initiated, and it was decided to procure a set of regalia. Final arrangements were made for a social, next Thursday, the last of the present season, and a short programme was contributed by Misses A. Eastwell, L. and F. Sewell, and H. F. Norman. Both the lodge and temple are now on a good footing, having a membership of over sixty adults and eighty juveniles, and, with the assistance of the new lodge at the depot to depend on, are looking forward to commencing some agressive work in the early fall.

Stealing Park Flowers.

Ald. Kent, chairman of the parks' committee, and Superintendent Phillips, this morning, asked the Whig to warn boys that they must not pick flowers from the parks. On Friday, a couple of tulip beds in the city park and Clarence park were depleted, and in the former the lads who plucked the tulips were seen, but got away when chased. The chairman and the superintendent would like parents to warn their children not to touch the flowers in the park. There's going to be trouble if the stealing continues, for the superintendent declares that the first boy he catches will be summoned before the police magistrate. It's against the by-law to touch park flowers.

Kingston's Cheap Bread.

R. H. Toye returned, this morning, from Montreal, where he attended a big fruit sale, and purchased two carloads of oranges and lemons. He says that Kingston has no reason for complaint in regard to its bread rates. In Montreal, twenty-two ounces of bread are sold for nine cents. In Kingston, twenty-four ounces are sold for six cents, so that the people of Montreal pay over fifty per cent. more for their bread supply.

25c. Cooked Ham 25c.
Sliced cooked ham, 25c.; rolls or half roll bacon, 12½c. Jas. Crawford's.

Austin Sprague, a well-known resident of Sophiasburg, died on Big Island on Sunday, at the age of seventy-two years.

Special Sale

Saturday Night, 7.30 O'clock

318 Motor Veils and Chiffon Scarfs

Regular values 90c., $1.00, 1.25

For 48c Each.

These Veils are extra wide and long. In all the latest Paris styles. Sky, Navy, Tan, Grey, Brown, Royal, White, Turquoise, Cream, &c.

218 Pairs Long Kid Gloves

Blacks, Tans, White, 19 inches long, opened at wrist, made of fine French kid, regular $2.00, 2.25.

For $1.48 Pair

All sizes—6, 6¼, 6½, 6¾, 7.

47 Pairs White Lace Curtains

3½ yards long, extra wide, regular $1.50, 1.60, 1.75.

For $1.18 Pair.

R. WALDRON

7.30 to 10 To-Night | **AFTER SUPPER SALE** | To-Night 7.30 to 10

WHY you should come here To-night is best explained by reading our advertisement carefully. Two really good things have been secured, and held for To-night's selling.

130 Women's Nightgowns

Made from good quality English Underwear Cotton—fine—slip over style with lace yoke—beading and ribbon—full sleeve finished with frill and trimmed with lace—also same style trimmed with embroidery.

Either of these styles of Nightgowns are worth $1 or more.

Yours To-Night As Long as Lot Lasts, 50c.

300 Pairs Boys' and Girls' Black Ribbed Cotton Stockings.

The famous "Leather Knit" quality. Some of these are slightly imperfect, but so slightly as to hardly be able to detect the slip stitch, all sizes. Worth 25c.

Yours To-Night, 18c Pair.

Extra Special, Monday

All Day, commencing at 9 a.m., we will hold our Annual Spring

Remnant Sale

After a busy 3 months' selling hundreds of Remnants have gathered, and in spite of the loss we have decided to sell the entire lot at a very low price, and in one day, when

Every Remnant of Dress Goods

Including both Black and Colored Dress Goods, ranging in length from 1½ yards up to 7 yards, mostly this Spring's Goods, and EVERY REMNANT of

Print, Summer Muslins,
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30 Pairs Ladies' Patent Blucher Cut Lace Boots, light easy soles. A splendid Boot and a bargain

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