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## AT POINT OF REVOLVER

### TWO MEN WERE HELD UP AND ROBBED MONDAY NIGHT.

Two Men Attacked and Robbed John Pratt and Amos Green When They Were Walking Along the Railway Tracks off Monday Night.

That they were held up by two men at the point of a revolver and robbed while walking along the railway tracks in the vicinity of the C. P. R. round house about 10.30 Monday night is the story of two men, John Pratt and Amos Green, both claiming Gannanogue as their home.

They have reported the matter to the police and an investigation is being made. Green says that all the men got for their trouble from him was ten cents, but Pratt states that they robbed him of \$40.

According to what can be learned of the affair the two men were walking along the track when suddenly two strange men came out from between a couple of railway coaches and confronted them, demanding that they give up all their money, at the same time pointing a revolver at them.

It is stated that Green, after being robbed of his ten cents ran to the police station to give the alarm and while he was on his way to the station Pratt was attacked by the two men who succeeded in getting his money away from him and afterwards taking to their heels. One man assaulted Pratt with a piece of hose which the police now have in their possession. No shots were fired from the revolver and it is not known as to whether the weapon was loaded.

Police hurried to the scene just as soon as they were notified but the men had made good their escape.

## HERE FROM NICARAGUA.

### Spaniards and Indians Are Death Against the Germans.

Arthur A. Holland, B.Sc., a Queen's graduate, interested in mining in Nicaragua, arrived in Kingston on Tuesday morning, enroute to Napanee to join his wife. He has been in Nicaragua for the past eight months, and will return there shortly.

Mr. Holland says that the war has ruined all kinds of business in South America except mining. There are a good many German mercantile houses in Nicaragua, but their business has been killed. The Spaniards and the Indians are death on the Germans, hating them like poison, and Germany trade in that region is a thing of the past.

## POLICE COURT BREVITIES.

### Joseph Foster Strongly Denied Being a Vagrant.

When Joseph Foster was arraigned in the police court on Tuesday morning he was charged with drunkenness and vagrancy. He admitted being drunk but strongly denied the charge of vagrancy. Constable Leslie Clark told of Foster sleeping in a barn off King street Monday night. "I was drunk and went there to sleep," said Foster. "I was supposed to go to Cataract to work today." The magistrate fined Foster \$3 and costs or twenty days. Michael McNally is in again. He fell by the wayside on Monday and was charged with being drunk. He was fined \$3 and costs or one month.

## A DISTINGUISHED VISITOR

### The Japanese Consulate General Was in Kingston.

Kingston had a very distinguished visitor on Monday in the person of Y. Takeda, chancellor of the imperial Japanese consulate-general, at Ottawa. He was in the city with his wife to see the Thousand Islands, but they were unable to go down the river as there was no boat running. Mr. Takeda and his wife came to Canada just three months ago, but owing to a course in a Japan university under American instructors, they were able to speak English without difficulty.

## SAD CASE IN COURT.

### Young Man Attending Mother's Funeral Arrested for Being Drunk.

There are many sad cases before the magistrate in the police court, but none so touch the heart more than one which came before the court on Tuesday.

The accused, a young man, was up for drunkenness, and it was his first time. He said his home was outside the city, and when asked by the court for an explanation, he said: "I came here to bury my mother and got drunk." He was given his liberty.

## MAN ON THE LIST.

### Charged That Kingstonian Secured Liquor For Him.

Henry Bird was charged in the police court on Tuesday morning with being under the influence of liquor when a member of the "prohibited list." When called to the box to tell where he had secured the liquor he gave the name of a young Kingstonian, and the case was enlarged till Friday for further investigation.

## Working At The Safe.

An expert safe man arrived in the city from Toronto and is at work on the safe of Robert Crawford, which suffered as the result of a visit paid to the office during Sunday night by some unknown thief. The handle of the safe was broken off thereby destroying the combination and the safe door has now to be opened by other means.

## Rodden Was Not Drowned.

A telegram received in the city on Tuesday by Patrick Kennedy, one of the members of Queen's senior rugby team, states that Michael Rodden was not drowned at New Liskeard.

Good tooth brushes at Gibson's.

## CITY AND VICINITY

### Excursion To Picton.

S.S. Aetha leaves 7 a.m. Wednesday, Sept. 23rd, for Picton fair. Tickets, 50c.

### The Late Humphrey Young.

Humphrey Young, a prosperous farmer, residing one mile east of Lansdowne, was found dead in his barn on Monday. Heart failure is given as the cause. The late Mr. Young, sixty years of age, is survived by his wife and one son.

### Great Clearing Sale.

In boys' and youths' suits for school, Prevost, Brock street, has a great assortment in tweeds and blue and black serge and cheviot. All new goods, prices extremely low to make room for winter goods.

### Charge Was Dismissed.

Several more witnesses were heard at the police court on Tuesday morning in the case of James Fazio, charged with the theft of \$21.30 from Constas Solaris, fruit dealer, after which the magistrate dismissed the charge.

### Wolfe Island Fair.

Come and have a good time at the Wolfe Island fair to be held Sept. 22nd and 23rd. Trial speed and bull games. Both days steamer Wolfe Island leaves foot of Clarence street, 8.30 and 11.30 a.m., 1.45 p.m., 3 p.m. Returning at 5.15, 6.30, after the sports are over.

### Portsmouth Council.

At a meeting of the Portsmouth council held on Monday night a by-law was passed giving the Civic Utilities commission permission to extend their water main on to Alvington avenue. This was the only matter before the council. Reeve Halliday presided, and all the members were present with the exception of Councillor Forsythe.



MISS DOROTHY DE VONDA. The leading lady balloonist, making ascensions at Kingston's Only Fair, Sept. 20th and 21st. October 1st. She will drop 1,500 numbered cards, the child obtaining the correct number will receive a prize valued at \$5.

### Statements Denied.

To set at rest statements made throughout the city, it is positively declared that the expenses associated with the War Relief Fund, are met by the workers themselves, a most patriotic act. The workers are anxious to make the expenses as light as possible and, at noon, each day, meet, at their own expense, to eat and report results.

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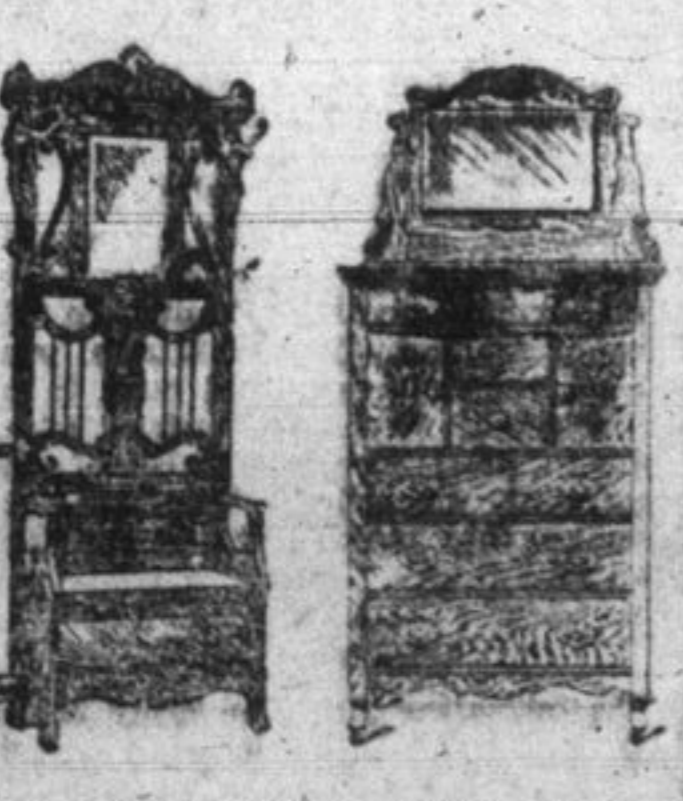
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