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EXPLOSION OF AN OIL STOVE

Causes the Death of Two Women at Family Reunion In Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 10—(Special)—An explosion of an oil stove in the home of Walter Clifford, where a small family reunion was being held yesterday in the north eastern section of the city, resulted in the death of Mrs. Jennie Thomas and Mrs. Minnie Clifford and serious injury of two other persons.

G. T. PACIFIC WILL BE OPENED

Between Edmonton and Winnipeg by July, Want of Sleepers Made Delay.

OTTAWA, Feb. 10—(Special)—Messrs Morse and Hayes who are here today state that the G. T. Pacific will be running trains between Winnipeg and Edmonton before the first of July. The road would have been in operation last autumn if sleepers could have been obtained.

A MOTHER AND FIVE CHILDREN

Burned to Death in Their Home at New Liskeard, Ont., in Morning.

NORTH BAY, Ont., Feb. 10—(Special)—On Sunday morning, between seven and eight o'clock a terrible event occurred at New Liskeard, when a mother and five children were burned to death in their home. The father, Mr. Hickey, rose early Sunday morning and built a big wood fire and then went to the barn. He had been away longer than he intended, and when he returned the house was a mass of flames. Mrs. Hickey was taken out with her two days old baby, but all efforts were fruitless to save their lives.

SQUADRON HAS NOT RECEIVED ORDERS

British Ships Ordered to Pacific Still at West Indies

BOSTON, Feb. 8—At the British Consulate in this City yesterday, it was stated that the fourth cruiser squadron which Halifax advises will be ordered to the Pacific Coast some time this year, is now stationed in the West Indies. The only British war vessel now on the Pacific Coast of America, so far as is known at the Consulate here is H. M. S. Shearwater, with headquarters at Esquimaux, no squadron being at present attached to that base. Nothing has been heard at the Consulate regarding any movement of British vessels to the Pacific.

CANADA'S CATTLE MUST STAY OUT

Carrington Says Will Never Consent to Removal of Exclusion Law

LONDON, Eng., Feb. 8—The Earl of Carrington, president of the Board of Agriculture speaking Friday night at Lincoln, referred to the agitation of the protectionists against supplying American and other imported beef to the army. He strongly dissented from the claims of the protectionists, and declared that the feeding of the army on home bred meat would mean an annual increase of \$750,000 to the army budget. The Earl of Carrington also said that he never would consent to any alteration in the law excluding Canadian cattle from the country. The cattle interests of this country he declared, were so phenomenally large that it would be a crime to run the risk of again infecting British herds with disease.

ST. JOHN MAN HELD FOR THEFT

Now Meets the Further Charge of Murder in Somerville, Massachusetts.

BOSTON, Feb. 10—(Special)—Oscar Kelson of St. John, who has been held since Tuesday at East Cambridge jail on a criminal charge of stealing trading stamps six years ago in Cambridge, was on Saturday surrendered to the Somerville police and held under charge of being concerned in the murder of Chas. E. Mushee a Somerville druggist who was brutally beaten in his store on the night of Jan. 12 and died last Thursday.

TWO MILLIONS AND A QUARTER

Is Dominion Steel Company's Claim Against Dominion Coal Company.

MONTREAL, Feb. 10—(Special)—In a statement today to the shareholders of the Dominion Iron & Steel Company announcing the dismissal of the Dominion Coal Co's appeal against the judgment of Mr. Justice Longley, upholding the Steel Company's contract for coal supply, J. H. Plummer, President, makes a statement to the effect that the Company's claim amounts to \$2,251,209.57.

FAINTING BABIES CRY FOR BREAD

Terrible Suffering In New York From Cold And Hunger Some Startling Tales Of Hardships Endured

NEW YORK, Feb. 8—After having dropped to a low record mark for the season, the temperature late yesterday lifted just enough to shake loose the second real snow storm that New Yorkers have seen this winter.

ages 5 and Minnie, aged 4 crouched on the floor, their hands clutching the stove in which the fire had long since died. The stove and a broken down rocker constituted the furnishings, and there was no food in the place.

The snow was timed to catch the homeward-bound thousands who had gone to office and shop rubberless and without umbrellas on as perfect a winter morning as could be imagined. The weather promised for the morning was several hours behind its schedule and when daybreak came the mercury was but one degree above zero, only seven points short of the coldest weather ever recorded here. But the humidity held at 66 and this happy combination afforded a clear, crisp delightful day that coaxed out throngs on Fifth Avenue and filled the parks where the suspended red ball invited the tens of thousands to skate to their hearts content.

TEST WINNIPEG SUNDAY LAWS

Chief of Police Has Selected 232 Cases From 1,500 Arrested

WINNIPEG, Feb. 8.—The Attorney-General was supplied with a list of 232 names by the chief of the police yesterday in connection with the activity of last Sunday under the Lord's Day Act. These are the cases in which flats are requested permitting prosecutions for alleged violations. A large number of names reported by the police were struck off as trivial, or as not, in his judgment, constituting an offence under the act. Whether this action of the police will come within the definition of the Attorney-General that no discrimination shall be made in the matter of prosecutions will be determined later. The names of the newspaper men, some of whom were engaged in editing sermons of local ministers delivered during the day when their office was invaded by the police, it is said have been left off the list of those slated for prosecutions. A complete test of the law as applied in Winnipeg under the act will be made.

THE CITY'S MONEY.

Sir:—In reply to the brilliant ex-councillor in this morning's Guardian I would say that it is in error about the present Council using the money deposited in the bank to the credit of the City. If he will take the trouble to look at the city report he will find \$48,334.47 and with the sinking funds for the market house and permanent works (which the present Council inaugurated) he will easily see that there is more money to the credit of the city now than when the Council took the management of civic matters. TAX PAYER.

WONDERLAND TONIGHT

Presents Le Pelletiers-- Motion Pictures Vinnicombe's Orchestra And Illustrated Song

The initial appearance of Le Pelletiers at Wonderland tonight is a strong inducement to all lovers of the drama in its best form to attend. "On the Cheyenne Trail" is a story of Western life, in its heartiest story unequalled on the stage today. Le Pelletiers are spoken of everywhere as being the biggest success of any attractions in the houses they are engaged for. They carry special scenery, their costuming is most elegant, and the playlet they put on has its mingling of thrilling situations, scenes of pathos and strong affection, and tragedy as well. The engagement is but limited, and as they are sure to have crowded houses after they are seen once, it is

well not to delay seeing them too long. The motion pictures as announced in another column are fine, especially the one entitled "The Darkest Hour." It is a splendid story of an old doctor's unselfishness and readiness to answer to every call. How he is trapped, nearly killed and afterwards rescued; how he saves the very man who intended to kill and rob him, is told minutely by the wonderful films, and the lesson taught is worth learning. An illustrated song by Mr. Trainor and Vinnicombe's Orchestra, along with Le Pelletiers, form a list of entertaining numbers seldom equalled, and never surpassed even by Wonderland itself. Go this evening and spend an hour of real enjoyment.

WIVES MAY GO ON STRIKE NEXT

That Is To Say, If Organizers Of Kitchen Squads Go As Far As Seems Likely

NEW YORK, Feb. 8.—The workers of the kitchen are fast getting into the clutches of Grand Organizer Emanuel Koveleski. "I've only been on the job a few days," he said, "and they are flocking to the union in great numbers. The dishwashers, waitresses, cooks, chefs, waiters, bartenders and sausage men are being persecuted, and I am coming to their rescue. I intend to send out five organizers to get the twenty-five thousand kitchen workers to join the union, and thus make the work complete. "An organizer must be energetic and, more than that, must talk well. Imagine, housewives, when the door bell rings, to see an organizer walk into your apartments. "Madam," he will say, "bring out your kitchen workers. I want to talk to them." "Oh, dear," laments the housewife, "what does this mean?" "It means, my good woman," replies the organizer, "that you do not treat your help properly. How many nights off do you give your help?" "One night off a week and every second Sunday off, as we all do," replies the woman. "Not enough," thunders the organizer, here is my card, handing cards around to each of the help. "Come around and join the organization. We are going" to help you get all the time off you want so that you can enjoy yourselves." "Well, I declare," the housewife will be apt to say, "it will be time for the wives to strike next; we are working all the time."

PEOPLE SHOULD COUGH EASILY

NEW YORK, Feb. 8.—Few people know how to cough properly, said a writer in "Health." It never occurs to ordinary individuals that there is a right and wrong way of doing it. Yet it is a matter of no small importance. If every sigh means a drop of blood out of the heart, as people say, every cough means some greater or less proportion of sin knocked off one's life. Most people cough as loudly and forcibly as they can. But it is rather costly, not to the single reason that it tears and inflames the lungs. The lungs consist of an extraordinarily delicate spongy-like tissue, which sometimes gets inflamed and choked with phlegm. When we try to get rid of this substance we cough. But obviously, we remove it violently, we must necessarily injure the delicate lung tissue. The effort, train yourself to cough as gently as possible.

FRENCH SOCIETY LADIES WORK AS ARMY NURSES WITH THE TROOPS

Daughters Of High French Families Are Working In Morocco Dainty Paris Debutantes Wash Soldiers' Shirts

PARIS, Feb. 8.—M. de Valence, Secretary general of the French Red Cross Society, who has just arrived in Paris, from Casa Blanca, gave some interesting information about the work which is being accomplished in the French hospitals by a number of Parisian society women. "Our work is particularly interesting," he said, "because it is the first time that we have ever made such an experiment. The War Office having accepted our offer, we sent a squad of twelve volunteer nurses to Casa Blanca to organize and take care of the hospital service. All of these amateur trained nurses were women of the very best families. For example, one was the daughter of a French major-general. Their names you will notice have been scrupulously kept out of the newspapers. "Well those young women, whom we are used to seeing in Paris dressed in the height of fashion, at the opera, and on the first nights at the principal theatres, donned the white blouse and stuck to it with the ease and perseverance of so many veterans. One of them, a daughter of a director of the ministry of foreign affairs, had just done a big day's washing when I called on her to say good-by. Alone and unaided, she washed ninety-six shirts in a single day. These shirts were of the coarse, heavy kind worn by our soldiers. It is extraordinary. "You may imagine how hard their work is when I tell you that these young society women, debutantes, some of them, get up at five o'clock in the morning and work in the hospital wards until noon, changing the bed linen, caring for the patients, and are on duty until six o'clock. At taking temperatures, etc. At half past one they return to the wards, eight o'clock two of them by turns take up the night service. These two go thirty-six hours practically without sleep. And they have plenty to do—at Casa Blanca there is a continual average of two hundred and fifty sick or wounded. "The moral effect has naturally been considerable. Even our rough, Algerian sharpshooters in the presence of such nurses are full of respect and submission. The soldiers swallow without protest the bitterest medicine, and follow the hardest regimes with good grace when ordered to do so by the lady in the white bonnet.

POSED AS A MAN FOR SEVEN YEARS

Travelled Over Most Of United States and Canada Working

LOUISVILLE, February 8.—After masquerading for seven years, as she admits, in boy's clothing, "Jimmy Allen," twenty years old, porter on the Louisville and Kentucky River Packet Company's steamer Falls City, was arrested to-day and found to be a girl. She said that she had been living with a family at Terre Haute, Ind. When thirteen years of age they reprimanded her for acting like a "tom-boy" and she ran away. For seven years she has worked as a man on steamboats and in other occupations, having travelled over most of the United States and Canada. She is good looking, five feet five inches in height and weighs about 140 pounds. The arrest followed information from a girl admirer, who had been fooled by the supposed young man.

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CASTELLANE TRIAL A MERRY FARCE

Brings Pleasure Loving Parisians To Court Room In Doves. Count Boni Explains Attack On Prince Helie

PARIS, Feb. 8.—Everybody strove for a place on the day the Sagan-Castellane affair was tried. First Prince Helie de Sagan entered from the witness room clad in black with a top hat and white gloves, a silk lined cloak falling from his shoulders. His tall figure and good carriage gave him a distinguished appearance. A little later Count Boni and his brother made their entree, and an approving murmur arose from the audience, which plainly favored them. Count Boni gave his evidence clearly and firmly. Count Boni de Castellane said he thought the Prince meant to deliberately insult him by staring at him in church and then putting on his hat and walking out. He followed the Prince to the street, he said, and spat in his face. The Prince tried to strike him with his cane. "But I was too quick," said Count Boni. "I broke my cane over his head and knocked him into the gutter. Of course, while he was prostrate I did not lay a finger on him." On the other hand a jeweller and a chauffeur swore that Count Boni did not touch the Prince after he fell, said the Count's attitude was entirely laughable when the chauffeur The aristocrats in the audience ly proper.

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PADEREWSKI \$5,000 FOR A RECITAL

Mrs Harold McCormack Of Chicago Paid Fee For Afternoon's Work

CHICAGO, Feb. 8.—That Chicagoans are bound to have good music and great musicians at any cost is indicated by a recital given in the palatial home of Mrs. Harold McCormack, on the North Side, with Ignace J. Paderewski as the presiding genius. Although this lady announced the owing to the strenuousness of the times she had concluded to curtail expenses in providing herself with a very simple dress for the Living Pictures (given in behalf of the general charity fund in Orchestra Hall), she did not hesitate to pay the price when it came to having the distinguished pianist as an entertainer. Mr. Paderewski, it appears, has an intense dislike for private recitals, and thought he would make the price prohibitive in the case of the McCormack recital. He named the figure as \$5,000 for his afternoon, and much to the surprise the lady promptly acquiesced.

THE WEATHER.

TORONTO, Feb. 10—(Special)—Westerly to southerly winds, fine and milder.

CHICAGO MARKETS

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sweetheart while I have a girl like you." Mr. Harney will sing two of the latest songs of the day and Mr. Maddison will assist in the choruses. Mr. Maddison will sing the illustrated strongest musical teams in the provinces and their work has won the highest praise from the large audiences which have thronged Fairlyland this week. The moving pictures are of exceptional excellence and will prove a strong feature of a strong performance.