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AN ONTARIO CASE.

The case of Townshend, the Barnado boy, convicted of forging a check for \$4.50 at Oshawa, Ont., and sentenced by a magistrate to four years in the penitentiary, is to be reviewed by the Minister of Justice, and it would not be a matter for surprise should he decide to make a substantial reduction in the sentence. The case has been much discussed in the newspapers of Ontario, and the case of an official sentenced to four years imprisonment for embezzling \$40,000 is held up in striking contrast. The Attorney General of Ontario must have been convinced that the sentence imposed on Townshend did not fit the crime as he engaged counsel to appeal the case to the Superior Court. The penalty was reduced from four to three years, but in handing down the court's decision one of the judges took occasion to point out that Townshend's record was not good, inasmuch as he was known to have stolen apples from an orchard. This of course was urged in justification of the sentence imposed by the magistrate. The very fact that any mention was made of apple stealing only goes to show the unfairness of the prosecution, as there are few red blooded men in the cities and towns of Canada today, who in their youthful days of real sport have not been tempted to crawl over a fence and fill their pockets with ripe apples hanging temptingly near the roadside. Why such a charge should have been trotted out against a poor, friendless immigrant boy is difficult to understand. While it is urged that a term in the penitentiary would give Townshend an opportunity to learn a trade, it would also give him an opportunity to rub elbows with hardened criminals, and a trade learned under such conditions might not be of much use to him. No doubt he would have derived much greater benefit from a year spent on the Ontario prison farm. The sentence imposed upon Townshend was unduly severe and should be reduced.

"Niagara in Politics," is the title of a book from the pen of the late Prof. James Mavor, Emeritus Professor of Political Economy at the University of Toronto, and issued from the press of Dutton & Co., of New York. Prof. Mavor deals in a trenchant manner with the history of hydro electrical development in Ontario, which he describes as "the greatest government in business that has yet been tried in the Western Hemisphere." Being emphatically opposed to government ownership of public utilities he takes the ground that the result of Ontario's venture in hydro development has created a political oligarchy that has dominated the government, controlled elections, quieted the public through propaganda, and has to a considerable degree operated to stifle democracy.

Henry M. Flagler built a huge hotel in St. Augustine, Florida. For a time it had everything but guests. Once Flagler got a telegram from the manager. It said: "Hotel empty except for band playing at one end. What shall I do?" Flagler wired back: "Engage a band to play at the other end." That kind of man always makes a success. But it takes much nerve mixed with judgment.

It is said that part of Theodore N. Vail's value to the American Telephone & Telegraph Co., lay in the fact that he captured the imagination of the public. He was different. He had personality. And he made people think of the telephone as a romantic undertaking, as a great adventure in the march of humanity. Whatever your job, try and express yourself. Don't be a cog-dub.

There are people who go through life mostly concerned with their "rights." Their pettiness costs them a great price. Because of it they are doomed to travel on a low plane and to associate with the dwellers thereon.

A New Jersey court has held that a man has the right to spank his wife. An Indiana court has discharged a woman who horse-whipped her husband. Hereafter New Jersey men who marry Hoosier brides should move to a neutral state.

A husband declares in divorce court that his 260-pound wife floored him and sat on him to keep him from filling an engagement. He concedes a crushing defeat.

After they get railroad trains on ball bearings and cement roadbeds, there probably still will be drivers to think they can beat the limited to the crossing.

A man in Tulsa, Okla., dropped dead last week while making an after-dinner address. He is survived by his audience.

Who remembers the old-fashioned Florida ad whose chief inducement was \$5,000 a year in the orange business?

One of the grandest of reducing exercises is to fill a shovel with wet snow and throw it over the shoulder 691 times in rapid succession.

THROUGH OUR SIEVE

Trotzky, it seems, has got his old job back, ballyhooing the world's greatest sideshow.

We now have the normal rich, the new rich and the new bootleg rich.

About the time one begins to feel gloriously optimistic along comes somebody to say "yes, but—"

A bachelor is an unattached man who thinks the fathers of twentieth century babies walk the floor with them at midnight.

What has become of the old-fashioned mother who used to welcome the ninth or tenth baby as one more blessing?

Radio has grave responsibilities as well as great opportunities. While it is developing dancing legs it should also cultivate musical ears.

"Now and then," remarked the Man on the Car, "you meet a fellow who seems to be fighting the process of evolution."

If there is anything funny in the threatened breach of promise suit against Bud Fisher it is probable Mutt and Jeff will see it.

First we endure and then embrace. You have thought, more than likely how easy the eye has accustomed itself to galoshes.

If you do not already believe human nature is the same everywhere there is the radio for further proof. Tune in and get your own emotions as they come back to you from miles upon miles.

Died Last Night.

Laura May Parker died Sunday night at her home 347 Charlotte street aged thirty-eight years. Surviving are her mother, five brothers and seven sisters. The brothers are Shepherd, Rainsford, Frank and Ralph of Fredericton and Harry of Pinder. The sisters are Mrs. Frank Langard of Fredericton, Mrs. Ralph Nason of Barker's Point, Mrs. Carl Balinsky of Fredericton, Mrs. Fraser Marney of Fairhaven, Mass., and the Misses Dorothy and Lysta at home. The funeral will take place Tuesday with service by Rev. I. A. Corbett at 3 p. m. Interment will be in the Rural Cemetery.

Fire Department Changes.

The captaincy of No. 1 Hose Company of the Fire Dept. vacated by the resignation of J. Duff King, is to be filled by Charles Williams second captain until May 1st. It is probable that a transfer of a member of the Salvage Corps will be made to keep the Hose Company at strength.

Firemen Were Busy.

The firemen during the week-end were called to the residence of John Kirk, Church street, for a burning chimney and the residence of W. P. Edwards, Carleton street, for a like cause. They also were called to the residence of Mrs. L. W. Bailey, University Avenue for an overheated pipe.

Portrait Presented.

A fine portrait of the late John J. Weddall has been presented to the Sunday School of the Wilmot Church by Charles H. Weddall and Miss Daisy Weddall his son and daughter. The deceased for the greater part of his life was an official of the Sunday School.

DIED.

PARKER—On the 3rd inst., at her home 347 Charlotte street, Laura May Parker, aged 38 years. Funeral Tuesday afternoon with service by Rev. I. A. Corbett at three o'clock. Interment in Rural Cemetery.

PERSONAL MENTION

Miss Katherine Lynch, who spent the Christmas holidays at her home in this city, returned to Quebec Saturday evening.

Rev. Dr. Geo. C. McLeod of Toronto arrived today and will have charge of St. Andrews congregation during the month of January.

Miss Margaret Porter of Chipman, who is taking the place of Miss Margaret Lynds at the Normal School, arrived in the city on Saturday.

Miss Alice Sterling of Jersey City N. J., who spent the Christmas Holidays with her father A. A. Sterling returned to her home Saturday evening.

Miss Hazen Allen who has been on sick leave for some months, returned to her position in the Departmental Building today.

Miss Mary Palmer, who has been spending the holidays at her home here, will return to Boston tomorrow.

Miss Helen Scott, B. A., left on Saturday for Milltown to resume her duties as teacher on the staff of the public school at that place.

The Misses Phillips, daughters of His Worship the Mayor, have returned to Maine where they are engaged in teaching.

The Capitol.

The Arab is the photo play at the Capitol for the first half of the week featuring Ramon Novarro and Alice Terry. There is also a comedy completing a fine programme.

Notice Of Meeting

To the Citizens of the City of Fredericton:

Ladies and Gentlemen:—

You are cordially invited to attend a Public Meeting to be held in the City Hall Friday evening, the 8th instant. Civic affairs of interest to all will be discussed by myself and other members of the Aldermanic Board who are offering for reelection on the 11th instant. The Chair will be taken at 8.15 o'clock.

R. L. PHILLIPS, Mayor.

City Hall, Fredericton, N. B., January 2, 1926.

CARD TO THE ELECTORS

To the Electors of the City of Fredericton.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

At the request of a large number of citizens the undersigned have consented to become candidates for the City Council at the approaching election.

Our platform is ECONOMY and Exercise of care in civic affairs. In order that taxation may be kept down and the several departments conducted most efficiently.

For this purpose and for co-operation in all that makes for our City's progress, we ask the enthusiastic support of the tax-payers.

For Mayor—W. G. CLARK

For Aldermen—MOSES MITCHELL  
FRANK H. RICHARDS  
J. A. THOMPSON  
ALEXANDER DAVIDSON  
PARKER CURRIER

Committee Rooms in the Edgcombe Hall, York Street, open on Monday evening, January 4, at 7.30 p. m. to all favorable to above platform.

To the Electors of the City of Fredericton

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the members of the Fredericton City Council whose terms of office expire in January next, having conducted the business of the City to the best of our ability, have decided to offer for re-election.

A public meeting of the ratepayers will be called at the City Hall during the week previous to election at which the various civic problems will be discussed and our platform presented.

You are most earnestly requested to watch for announcement of this meeting.

For Mayor, R. L. Phillips.

For Alderman for Wellington Ward, W. L. Jennings.

For Alderman for St. Anne's Ward, F. L. Cooper.

For Alderman for Carleton Ward, David McCaughey.

For Alderman for Queen's Ward, W. E. Farrell.

For Alderman for King's Ward, David W. Olt.

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Notice of Meeting

MUNICIPALITY OF YORK

The Semi-Annual Session of the County Council of the Municipality of York will convene at the Council Chamber, County Court House, Fredericton, on TUESDAY, the 5th. day of January, 1926, at 2 o'clock, p. m.

JOHN S. SCOTT

Secretary-Treasurer

WANTED

LARGE MONTREAL MORTGAGE CORPORATION desires to make a connection in this city with salesman or brokerage house to handle Bonds and Guaranteed First Mortgages. Inquiries invited. Dominion Financial Corporation, Limited, 232, St. James, Montreal.

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