

A N. S. TRAGEDY.

Boy Dies as Result of Blows from a Companion.

THE HOMICIDE PLACED UNDER ARREST.

Several Distinguished Canadians Invited to the Coronation

CECIL RHODES ALMOST IN THE GRASP OF DEATH.

Railway Bridge Injured by Ice Shove

LOOKS LIKE THE END.
(Special to the Daily Herald.)

Capetown, March 15.—Cecil Rhodes at this hour is in a very critical condition. He passed a very bad night.

BRIDGE INJURED.

(Special to the Daily Herald.)

Chambly, Que. March 15.—Ice shove in the Richelieu river carried away two spans of the Central Vermont Railway bridge.

VOLCANIC ERUPTIONS.

(Special to the Daily Herald.)

Janeau, Alaska, March 15.—Violent volcanic eruptions occurred at Kenaiano, Cooke Inlet. The whole side of the mountain split open and fire and lava poured from it. An earthquake which accompanied it caused tidal waves which did great damage.

TREASON COURT DISBANDED.

(Special to Daily Herald.)

Durban, March 15.—The Civil Treason Court has been disbanded. Hereafter people charged with treason will be tried by court martial. Of 800 rebels in Cape Colony 500 have been tried, the sentences ranging up to ten years, and in some cases fines as high as £5000.

KILLED BY COMRADE.
(Special to Daily Herald.)

Halifax, March 15.—Carl Pye, 14 years old, son of Registrar of Deeds Pye, of Guysboro County, died yesterday at his home in Sherbrooke as a result of injuries inflicted a week ago by John Murdock, a chum, 16 years old.

They got into an altercation and Murdock hit Pye with a clothes pole an awful blow on the face.

Last night Pye died in awful agony. Both belong to respectable families.

Murdock has been arrested.

INVITED TO THE CORONATION.
(Special to Daily Herald.)

Montreal, March 15.—The Star publishes a cable today which says all knights of the grand cross of the order of St. Michael and St. George have been invited to the coronation. The Canadian knights of the Grand Cross are Lord Minto, Lord Strathcona, Sir Charles Tupper, Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Sir Richard Cartwright and Sir Oliver Mowatt. Lord Pauncefote, the British ambassador at Washington, is also a knight of the Grand Cross.

BOY BURNED TO A CRISP.

(Special to Daily Herald.)

Mt Vernon, N. Y. March 15.—During a fire early today which destroyed the main business block in the village of Pelham, one life was lost and 10 persons had narrow escapes from burning to death. Many were badly injured by jumping from the windows.

Rudolph Yocum, 13 years old, was burned to a crisp in his bed.

The second floor was devoted to living apartments, and the occupants were caught in their rooms by flames which surrounded them and were forced to leap from windows in order to escape being burned.

Mrs. Thomas De Wayne was ill with pneumonia and was rescued with great difficulty. She may die. Mrs. Adeline Yocum was dangerously injured while rescuing three of her children from the flames. She will probably die.

THE CITY FATHERS

Formally Sworn by Mayor Crocket.

STANDING COMMITTEES APPOINTED FOR THE ENSUING YEAR.

Ald. Stockford Chairman of Fire Committee

AND ALD. FARRELL ONCE MORE PLACED IN CHARGE OF ROADS AND STREETS.

The new city council held its first meeting last evening in the council chamber with Mayor Crocket in the chair and all the members in their places. After explaining the object of the meeting, His Worship administered the oath to the members of the board, and they signed the roll in turn, commencing with Ald. Stockford.

After administering the oath His Worship briefly addressed the council, extending a hearty welcome to the new members, and expressing the hope that all would work together harmoniously in the interests of the city. He stated that he had decided to have the committees appointed early so that the several chairmen would have an opportunity to familiarize themselves with the affairs of their department and ascertain what is needed for the ensuing year before the assessment is made up.

On motion of Ald. Farrell the rules of order followed last year were adopted for the ensuing term.

Ald. Farrell suggested that the council retire to one of the outside rooms for the purpose of selecting committees, which suggestion after some discussion was put in the form of a motion and adopted. The council then adjourned to re-assemble at nine o'clock to ratify the appointments.

Mayor Crocket having placed his private room at the disposal of the committee, an adjournment was made thereto.

The aldermen after an hour's deliberation in committee returned to the council chamber, when it was announced that the committee slate had been agreed upon as follows:

Water—Moore, chairman, Vanwart and Maxwell.

Assessment appeals—Clark, chairman, Stockford, Boyce, Farrell, Ross.

Alms house—Vanwart, chairman, Ryan, Jago, Maxwell and Moore.

Administration of Justice—Moore, chairman, Maxwell, Vanwart, Jago and Stockford.

Burial ground and market—Jago, chairman, Moore, Maxwell, Ross and Ryan.

City hall—Vanwart, chairman, Maxwell, Clark, Boyce and Stockford.

Contingencies—Ryan, chairman, Clark, Farrell, Jago and Vanwart.

Fire—Stockford, chairman, Maxwell, Clark, Ross and Jago.

Finance schools and printing—Clark, chairman, Vanwart and Farrell.

Roads and streets—the whole council, Ald. Farrell, chairman.

Street lights—Moore, chairman, Ryan, Ross, Boyce and Farrell.

Wharves—Ryan, chairman, Ross, Jago, Maxwell and Clark.

Revisors—Clark and Maxwell.

Ald. Moore was nominated for the position of chairman of roads and streets, but only received three votes. Ald. Clark was nominated for chairman of the administration of justice committee, but the council divided in favor of Ald. Moore. Aids. Farrell, Vanwart and Maxwell voted for Clark.

For some years past it has been customary to name the committees in two divisions, but that rule was not followed at last night's meeting.

Ratified by the Council.

On the council reassembling the appointment of committees was ratified in the order above stated.

Ald. Farrell on being nominated as chairman of roads and streets, on condition that he was not hampered or interfered with by a sub-committee as was the case last season. He was perfectly willing to take his orders from the council and transmit the same to the Roadmaster and he wanted it understood that the latter was to take his order from him as the representative of the council.

It was decided that the mayor should be a member ex-officio and presiding officer of all committees except water, and that the committees should meet on the Monday before the first Tuesday in each month.

Ald. Vanwart informed the council that John Jordan, of Queensbury, was

anxious to purchase one of the old boilers at the pumping station and had made an offer of \$100 for the same. He wanted an answer as soon as possible.

Ald. Moore stated that Donald Fraser had made an offer of \$250 for the other boiler, there being two at the pumping station not in use.

After some discussion it was decided to accept the offers of Messrs. Fraser and Jordan.

The council then adjourned sine die.

Ice Cream Biscuit.

Fresh Water Ice, Imperial, Windsor and Graham Wafers, with other lines of fancy biscuit just opened at G. T. Whelpley's, —d.

Gordon Groves of DeBerville died from injuries received in a game of hockey at St. Catharines.

To Let**TO LET.**

That convenient house and barn situate on George street directly above residence of R. W. L. Tibbitts, Esq.

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Feb. 20—dtf

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FRANK I. MORRISON.

Fredericton, Jan. 28—dtf.

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SATURDAY, March 15th.

Some of the bargains: 2 pairs Ladies' Seamless Cashmere Hose for 35c. 2 pairs Ladies' Seamless Heavy Ribbed Cashmere for 50c. Boys' Heavy All-wool Hose Ribbed, sizes 4½ to 10 in., from 10c. to 19c. per pair.

DEVER BROS.

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