

METHODISM INCREASED BY NEARLY THOUSAND

In the Hamilton Conference During the Year Just Closed.

Table with 2 columns: District Name and Financial/Statistical Data (Membership, Funds, etc.). Includes districts like Hamilton, Galt, Simcoe, etc.

FATAL FIRE TEST

Brutal Galian-Husband's Victim is Dead

Winnipeg despatch: Annie Zohryna, a Galian woman, died in the hospital here this afternoon of burns said to be the result of her husband putting the contents of a coal oil can over her and then touching a match to her clothing.

A TRAITOR'S DEATH

Austrian Sold War Plans to Russia.

Suicided When Treachery Was Discovered.

Vienna, June 2.—Knowledge that his treachery in selling to Russian military plans concerning Austro-Germany actions in the event of a war with Russia, had reached the ears of his superiors was, it was learned here today, the cause of the suicide of Col. Albert Redl, of the general staff of the Eighth Army Corps, who shot himself in a hotel here on Monday last.

THE DISCIPLES

Ontario Body is Meeting in Owen Sound.

Owen Sound despatch: This is the fourth time the local church has entertained the Ontario Co-operation of Disciples of Christ in its annual meetings since the society was organized 27 years ago.

DR. FRIEDMANN'S MONTREAL PATIENTS.

Montreal, June 2.—"One child, Papineau Marlowe, has died, four patients have taken turns for the worse, and one woman has developed a tumor," was the announcement made to-day by Dr. Eugene Grenier, medical director of the Branchet Institute for Consumptives.

DOG SAVES FIVE LIVES.

London, Ont., despatch: Charles Baker, of Ridout and Brick streets, a well known nurseryman, was awakened at 2 o'clock this morning by the barking of his pet collie outside his bedroom window.

NOT LESS AGAIN

Boys Plugs Ear to Avoid Ma's Nagging

Washington, Ind., June 2.—Just because he did not wish to take a scolding from his mother, Clinton Fitzgerald, 12 years old, son of Milton Fitzgerald, former Sheriff, carried the rubber off the end of a new lead pencil in his ear this morning.

TUGS IN 30 MINUTES

Reach Liner and Take Off Passengers.

A Queenstown cable: The American liner Haverford, with 750 passengers aboard, bound from Liverpool for Philadelphia, ran aground on Cork Head in a dense fog to-day.

FLEET SENT TO RESCUE.

The Admiralty station received the first message of distress, which it transmitted immediately to the American Line office, and at the same time despatched the big Government tug Hellepont and Stormcock to the liner's assistance.

CURE IS BANNED

N. Y. Health Board is Against Friedmann.

New York, June 2.—The Board of Health adopted this afternoon a motion forbidding the use of living bacterial organisms in the inoculation of human beings for the treatment of disease unless permission is first obtained from the board.

PIPE SAVED HIS LIFE.

Paris, June 2.—A hairdresser named Castel was saved from drowning at Corbeil recently because he smoked a pipe. Accompanied by a friend, M. Raboulin, who keeps a restaurant, he went fishing in a small boat on the river.

CONSTABLE FISHED ON SUNDAY.

London, Ont., despatch: A fine of \$5 and costs has been levied by County Magistrate Wallace, of Melrose, on Constable Alex. Shaver, of Westminister Township, who was convicted on a charge of having fished on the Sabbath in contravention of the provisions of the Lord's Day Act.

NEWS OF THE DAY IN BRIEF

Gibson Murder Trial Jury Unable to Agree.

Winnifred Wraugham, five years old of Cartier, died at Sudbury hospital from burns received at a bonfire at the home of her parents.

MISSIONARY DEAD

Eight Silver Grey Fox Puppies Caught.

The Dominion Department of Finance has received \$361 as conscientious money from an anonymous correspondent. The envelope was postmarked Halifax, N. S.

STEFANSSON OFF

Took Leave of Ottawa and is Hopeful.

Will Sail in June From Victoria.

Ottawa despatch: "So long for a little while. If Providence is good to us we will be back all right. There are lots of 'ifs' in this game you know. We may dare too much, but that remains to be seen. However, even if the world loses sight of us for three years there need be no cause for worry. I do not believe in any relief party being sent after us. Well, good-bye."

FELL INTO WELL

Galt Woman Drowned When Rope Broke.

Galt despatch: The body of Mrs. James Tutton was found this afternoon in a cistern at her home, Pleasant Grove, five miles south of Galt. There was little more than four feet of water in the well, but the head was submerged. There was no other person in the house at the time except her baby, which lay on a lounge in the sitting room.

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