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SHERBROOKE, QUE., WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 2, 1901.

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THE GRAND JURY REPORTS.

Finds "A True Bill" in Each of the Ten Cases Submitted to it—Petty Jury Sworn and Pick Pocket Case Proceeded With.

At 5 o'clock p.m. yesterday the Grand Jury made their presentment in the following cases:

The King vs. Alfred Lacharite, as assault with intent to prevent lawful apprehension. A true bill.

The King vs. George F. Whitcombe, attempt to obtain goods under false pretences. A true bill.

The King vs. George F. Whitcombe, using a counterfeit token of value. A true bill.

The King vs. Charles Campbell, attempting to steal from the person. A true bill.

The King vs. Allan McAulay, seduction. A true bill.

The King vs. Frank Haynes, obstructing a public officer. A true bill.

The King vs. James McLellan, shop breaking. A true bill.

The King vs. Abner Haynes, obstructing a public officer. A true bill.

The King vs. Edward L. McConnell, using a counterfeit token of value. A true bill.

The King vs. Alfred Lacharite, as assaulting officer and rescue. A true bill.

The King vs. the following report in his name and for the other jurors:

The Grand Jurors for the District of St. Francis, at the present term of the Court of King's Bench here represent that:

(1) They beg to tender their thanks to His Honor Mr. Justice Lemieux, the presiding judge, for his clear and able charge.

(2) They would inform the Court that they have visited the jail and find it in a good order and conditions.

(3) They would thank the Court, the King's attorneys and officers of the Court generally for the kindness and attention shown them during the session.

PICKPOCKET CASE PROCEEDED WITH.

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TILL OCTOBER 8th.

TURKISH BRIGANDS WILL GIVE AMERICAN BOARD TIME TO RANSOM MISS STONE.

Constantinople, October 2.—(Special.)—The brigands who captured Miss Stone have given the American board of missions till October 8th to pay the ransom of \$110,000.

The hiding place of the brigands is not located.

GAS EXPLOSION.

TWO MEN INJURED AND PROPERTY DAMAGED AT INDIAN HEAD, N. W. T.

Indian Head, N. W. T., Oct. 2.—(Special.)—An explosion of acetylene gas in Benson & Co's store here last night, injured two men and damaged the store to the extent of seven hundred dollars.

LYNCHED IN MONTANA.

MOB TAKES LAW INTO ITS OWN HANDS.

Helena, Montana, Oct. 2.—(Special.)—James Edwards was lynched Tuesday by an infuriated mob for committing an assault on Ida Pugsley, a five year old child.

THE ROYAL PARTY.

HAVE NEARLY CONCLUDED THEIR VISIT TO THE COAST.

Victoria, October 2.—(Special.)—Their Royal Highnesses took part in no public ceremony today.

They went up Victoria Arm in a steam yacht and made a few calls. Wherever they appeared they were loudly cheered.

CLARKE WALLACE SLIGHTLY IMPROVED.

Woodbridge, Ont., October 2.—(Special.)—Hon. Clarke Wallace's physicians report that he is slightly improved.

TURN TOWARD HOME.

Royal Visitors Will Start on Their Return East Today.

A PLEASANT DAY SPENT IN BRITISH COLUMBIA'S BEAUTIFUL CAPITAL.

Victoria, October 2.—The Duke and Duchess of Cornwall completed their westward tour through Canada yesterday and today set their faces eastward, and toward home. They arrived here yesterday morning and were given one of the most enthusiastic receptions of their trip. There were many Americans in the crowd that gathered here for the royal visit, and addresses presented to the Duke by the American British League of Seattle was acknowledged in the general response made by the Duke to the formal welcome.

Perfect weather prevailed throughout the day and the city was in an attractive dress of flags and bunting.

The last stage of the westward trip from Vancouver to Victoria was made on the steamship Empress of India, which was accompanied by the cruisers Warspite, Amphion, Phaeton and Concorde, the destroyers Sparrow Hawk and Virago, and the Dominion steamer Quadrant. As the fleet neared Victoria the cruisers ran ahead, dropped anchor and dressed ship, and when the Empress of India steamed in their guns roared out a royal salute and the blue jackets manned the yards. A shore battery at Work Point took up the refrain of the guns, firing another salute.

Great crowds filled the shore, driveway and the streets radiating from the outer wharf, and when the royal party landed there was a long cheer of welcome. Sir Wilfrid Laurier presented Lieutenant-Governor Sir Henri Joly and the members of the local reception committee, who showed the Duke and Duchess to their carriage. The drive to the Parliament buildings, where the formal welcome was extended, was through crowded streets decorated with flags and streamers.

KRUGER LOSES ANOTHER SON.

Pretoria, October 2.—Tjaard Kruger, a son of the former president, who recently surrendered to the British, has just died after a short illness.

CITY NEWS.

Hon. M. F. Hackett was in town yesterday.

The Guild of St. Faith met on Monday afternoon.

H. Belisle, N.P., of Wotton, was in town yesterday.

Mr. Chas. Jenkins, Stanstead, was in town yesterday.

Mr. Geo. W. Dunn, of Cornwall, is in town on business.

Mr. Henry Lovell, M.P., of Coaticook, was in town yesterday.

Mr. James E. Sears, of Burlington, Vt., is in town on business.

Mr. Denoville Baehand has gone to Boston to resume his studies.

Miss Florence Mitchell has returned from a visit to friends in Montreal.

Mrs. Fraser and Miss Fraser are spending a few days in Montreal this week.

Messrs. J. Venet and Geo. St. Pierre, advocates, of Coaticook, are in town on legal business.

Justice Tellier returned to St. Hyacinthe yesterday to open the term of Superior Court.

Mr. A. H. Ingram is out again after being confined to the house for the last two weeks with rheumatism.

Unity Lodge, I. O. O. F. has decided to postpone till Tuesday, Oct. 15th, the social which was to have been held on the 8th.

Mrs. C. A. E. Lefebvre has returned home from a three weeks visit to Nashua, N.H., and other towns in the Eastern States.

Two men named John Wilson and Wm. Bellman were arrested yesterday for loitering on the C.P.R. track below the R.C. Hospital.

Mr. James F. Morkill, collector of Provincial revenue, and High Constable H. Moe have gone to Rutland, Vt., as witnesses in a smuggling case.

The Ladies' Aid of the Congregational Church will meet tomorrow, Thursday afternoon, at the chapel. Tea will be served by the newly elected officers from 4 to 6.

In the acknowledgements of donations to the Sherbrooke Protestant Hospital in yesterday's issue, Mr. Wm. Farwell is credited with a donation of \$25.00. It should be \$250.00.

Several families have left Sherbrooke in the last few weeks for Brompton Falls, the men having secured remunerative employment in the building operations which are going on there.

Mr. J. Boydell from Bury, and his family have arrived in town and have taken possession of the pretty cottage on High street, formerly owned and occupied by Mr. John Thompson.

Mrs. LaRoque and the Rev. Fathers Lepoutre and LaRoque drive from Spalding to Whittton tomorrow and mass will be celebrated in the parish church of St. Cecile. On Saturday, His Lordship will be in Popolpis.

Dr. E. Martin, of Rimouski, who has been taking a special course in New York in eye and ear diseases, intends settling in Sherbrooke, to practise his profession, and is in town today, making preliminary arrangements.

The Rev. John Buchanan, who is passing through Sherbrooke on his way to take charge of the Presbyterian mission at Grand Mere, will conduct the prayer meeting at St. Andrew's church this evening.

Mr. Justice Doherty has returned to Montreal. It was remarked by the friends in Sherbrooke who met the Judge that he was looking remarkably well and vigorous for one of his years, and that he was as genial and entertaining as ever.

Mr. E. F. Dawson, who has just entered Kingston Military College, having passed a good examination, has been at Bishop's College School for the last two years. Mrs. Dawson, his mother, spends her winters in Lennoxville, where she has another son at school.

The committee of the Council appointed to make preparations for the coming visit of the Duke and Duchess to Cornwall to Sherbrooke, held an informal meeting yesterday afternoon and will meet again today. The committee will report to a meeting of the city Council to be held next Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Frith, of Lennoxville, left home for Montreal yesterday to attend the wedding of Miss Louise Smith, Mrs. Frith's sister, to Mr. Archibald Elwell, of Montreal. Miss Lilian Smith and Miss Constance Frith will be bridesmaids, and the Ven. Archdeacon Roe, of

Richmond, will perform the ceremony, with Dean Carmichael, of Montreal.

Sergeant-Major Cummins and Mr. LaFrenaye, from Magog, were in town yesterday.

The Inland Revenue returns for the month of September, Sherbrooke division are \$26,283.21.

No answer has yet been received to the city's offer to the purchase of the property in old Market Square.

There was Thanksgiving service at St. Peter's Chapel this morning and celebration of the Holy Communion.

Mr. Joseph Belanger, of Farnham, was in town this week on his way home from a visit to his brothers at Eaton and La Patrie.

The total duty collected for the month of September, 1901, at the port of Sherbrooke was \$12,204.04; corresponding month last year, \$11,333.12; increase, \$870.92.

Mr. Charles H. Jackson, from Cheshire, Conn., who has been visiting his uncle, Mr. John Wearn, at "Belmont," near Sherbrooke, is now staying with friends in Capleton.

The adjourned meeting of the Y. M. C. A. Lyceum will be held tomorrow evening. All interested are invited to be present. The executive committee appointed at the last meeting are requested to meet sharp at 8 o'clock to prepare report for the subsequent meeting of the Lyceum.

"The horn of the hunter is heard on the hill," or more strictly speaking, the sound of the gun, for the sportsman is abroad these days, in the pleasant autumn woods. Partridges are said to be very plentiful and in good condition this season, the last summer having been a favorable one.

The little five year old son of Mr. Wilbrod Gaboury, formerly of Sherbrooke, had a very serious fall at his home in Three Rivers. While at his father's warehouse he ventured to go up in the goods elevator and fell about 12 feet, cutting his head badly. He was taken home and a doctor called, and under his care the child is recovering.

BREEZY TIME.

The musical farce comedy, "A Breezy Time," at the Clement Theatre, last night, drew a large house. The play is well named as there is not a calm moment in the whole play. It is mirth provoking from beginning to end and those who enjoy a good laugh found the evening enjoyable. The musical numbers were good and well received. Among the characters—the special favorites were Hans Boltz (Thos. L. Smith), Reuben Merrifield, of Vermont (Melvin Seek), and Wary Walton (Jack Daube). "A Breezy Time" may be put down as an all round show. It has been much improved since last year. The company plays in Mr. Clement's other opera house at Berlin, N. H., tonight.

SEMINARY LAW COURT.

The election of officers for the Law Court of St. Charles Seminary took place early this week, with the following results: Judge, Louis St. Laurent; president, B. Couillard; vice-president, G. Letendre; secretary, Henri Desjardins; treasurer, A. Picard. Two organizing officers were also elected and a committee. This court is by no means a frivolous diversion, but is entered into, with perfect seriousness by the pupils of the Seminary. The officers pass an examination in the code before they are permitted to practise; sometimes a civil and sometimes a criminal case is on the docket. The arguments are carefully prepared, and the judge's charge is often a model of forensic eloquence. A better method can scarcely be imagined of overcoming the painful self-consciousness which is so often seen in public speakers, and teaching young men to say what they have to say, clearly, concisely and to the point.

(City News Continued on Page 4.)

MEETINGS AND AMUSEMENTS.

CLEMENT THEATRE.

Saturday, Oct. 5th

THE SWEETEST SINGER.

Accompanied by an Excellent Company of Artists in the Beautiful Irish Comedy Drama.

GAME KEEPER

A TOUCH OF NATURE.

O'Neill's Castle, Dublin County, Ireland. The home of "THE GAME KEEPER," "The Lodge in the Forest," by Moonlight. The Beautiful Illuminated Chapel.

SMITH O'BRIEN SING "The Light of My Life," "You, None But You," and "Salvation."

Prices 35c, 50c, 75c. Children 25c.

YESTERDAY'S YACHT RACE.

Shamrock Was Half a Mile Ahead When the Race Was Called Off for Lack of Wind.

New York, Oct. 2.—Yesterday's attempt to sail the second of the present series of international yacht races for the blue ribbon of the sea, proved a dismal failure.

Between 25,000 and 30,000 people who crowded the pleasure fleet off Sandy Hook lightship in the hope of seeing a repetition of the thrilling sport of last Saturday, witnessed instead more of a drifting match than a race.

The wind was exceedingly light and variable, falling so low that the wind pennants which are as light as thistle-down, hung limp against the masts of the big single-stickers. The wind, with crews lined up on the lee-rails was not sufficient at any time to make the racing machines heel to their lines.

At the end of four and a half hours the two yachts had covered less than one-half of the prescribed course of thirty miles, and as there was no possibility of their finishing within the time limit the Regatta Committee declared the race off.

When the gun was fired announcing this decision, the challenger was about half a mile ahead of the defender, and to that extent yesterday's trial was a victory for Shamrock II. But the fluke demonstrated little as to the question of supremacy between the two boats except, perhaps that Sir Thomas's new champion is more dangerous in light air than was supposed after her two former meetings with the white flyer, to which the Yankees are planning their faith. In fluky winds of variable strength, shifting as they did through six points of the compass, luck cuts almost as much figure as model and seamanship, and fortune was unmistakably with the foreigner.

ALL QUIET AT KOWEYT.

Difficulties in the Way of Attack.

London, October 2.—A despatch to the Times from Simla says the latest news from the Persian Gulf is that all is quiet at Koweyt. The Amer of Nejd has been threatening to attack the place, but the presence of the British gunboats in the harbor caused him to abandon his intention. It is suggested that Turkey intends to attack Koweyt from the land—still, though to do so would require a march of one hundred miles across a desert.

SERIOUS BOER DISASTER.

The Loss at Fort Itala Was Greater Than First Reported.

Lady Smith, Natal, October 2.—The British success at Fort Itala is now known to have been greater than was at first reported. Two hundred Boers were killed and more than 300 wounded or captured.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES.

October 2.—11 a. m.—Forecast for the next 24 hours, issued by the Meteorological Bureau:

Strong winds and gales from westward showery and cooler.

KITCHENER'S RESIGNATION AGAIN DENIED.

IF YOU WANT SATISFACTION INSURE WITH DRESSER & CO.

W. S. DRESSER. J. W. McKEE. BOTH TELEPHONES.

McCarthy Block, 29 Market Square

FOR SALE! Building lots in East Sherbrooke, on Council Avenue, lot 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th, 10th, 11th, 12th, 13th, 14th, 15th, 16th, 17th, 18th, 19th, 20th, 21st, 22nd, 23rd, 24th, 25th, 26th, 27th, 28th, 29th, 30th, 31st, 32nd, 33rd, 34th, 35th, 36th, 37th, 38th, 39th, 40th, 41st, 42nd, 43rd, 44th, 45th, 46th, 47th, 48th, 49th, 50th, 51st, 52nd, 53rd, 54th, 55th, 56th, 57th, 58th, 59th, 60th, 61st, 62nd, 63rd, 64th, 65th, 66th, 67th, 68th, 69th, 70th, 71st, 72nd, 73rd, 74th, 75th, 76th, 77th, 78th, 79th, 80th, 81st, 82nd, 83rd, 84th, 85th, 86th, 87th, 88th, 89th, 90th, 91st, 92nd, 93rd, 94th, 95th, 96th, 97th, 98th, 99th, 100th.

CANADIAN PACIFIC PAN-AMERICAN EXPOSITION

Sherbrooke to Buffalo AND RETURN. Tickets are sold every day at \$12.80, good to return within 9 days \$15.15, good to return within 16 days \$22.60, good to return until Nov 30

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM

BUFFALO! RETURN FARES FROM SHERBROOKE. Every Day \$12.80 9 days \$15.15 15 days \$22.60

QUEBEC CENTRAL RAILWAY

SUMMER TIME TABLE. In Effect Monday, 10th June, 1901. LEAVING SHERBROOKE. THROUGH EXPRESS, Leave Sherbrooke 7:00 a.m. arrive St. Francis 11:20 a.m.; arrive Lévis 11:40 a.m.; arrive Québec 12:10 p.m.; arrive Montréal 1:40 p.m.; arrive Toronto 6:00 p.m.; arrive St. Louis 11:00 p.m.; arrive New York 11:30 p.m.

BOSTON & MAINE

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A Banner Month For Weddings

During September we have furnished more homes for newly married couples than in any previous two months. As a general rule good furniture has been bought and prices have ranged from \$75.00 for the modest apartment to \$500.00 for the more elaborate home, complete with furniture, bedding, carpets and window shades.

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BOSTON EXPRESS WRECKED.

Burlington, Vt., October 1.—The New York and Boston express train on the Central Vermont Railroad, due here from Montreal at 10.06 p.m., is lying in the ditch opposite the Government reservation at Fort Ethan Allen, having left the track at State Line Crossing. All the passengers and train crew escaped injury. The accident was caused by the heavy rain of last evening washing a large quantity of earth from the high-way on either side upon the track, covering the plank crossing to a depth of a dozen inches. The locomotive passed safely through the mud, but the baggage car jumped the track to the right. The combination mail and smoker, passenger car and New York Pullman car followed. When the train came to a standstill only the forward trucks of the locomotive were on the track, which is torn up several hundred feet. The passengers and baggage were transferred to a train made up here which went to the scene of the accident, and left over the Rutland road at midnight.

RUSSIAN BANK FOR PERSIA.

Report That One Is Soon To Be Established In St. Petersburg. London, Oct. 1.—A despatch to the Times from Odessa says that according to a telegram from St. Petersburg, it is proposed that a new bank operating principally in Persia be founded in the Russian Capital.

McKee's CARPET NEWS

The season's carpet trade is booming right along and sales are more satisfactory than we had expected. The inference is that styles and qualities and values are best here while the prices are probably lower than ever before.

New Carpets, New Rugs, New Oilcloths, New Mattings, New Linoleums, SHOWN HERE.

Table with 2 columns: IDEA OF PRICES. Left column lists items like Brussels Carpets, Brussels Stairs, Brussels Border, Tapestry Carpets, All Wool Carpets, Union Carpets, Jute Carpets, Window Shades. Right column lists prices per sq. yard or per set.

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ENEMIES OF EMPIRE.

LONDON TIMES SO REFERS TO THE NATIONALISTS.

London, October 1.—The Times reports an important speech by Mr. Asquith to his constituents at East Fife, Scotland, on the Irish question. Mr. Asquith said Mr. Redmond (the Nationalist leader) made no secret of the aggressive intentions of his reconstructed party, and Mr. Chamberlain had threatened to retaliate upon the Irish by punitive redistribution of their representation in the House of Commons.

MISS STONE BEARD FROM.

Well Treated by the Brigands—A Ransom of \$25,000 Turkish. Constantinople, October 1.—The Rev. Mr. Haskell, a missionary at Samakot Bulgaria, has received a letter from Miss Helen H. Stone, the American missionary, who was carried off by brigands 11 days ago. She says she is in good health, and has been well treated by the brigands, especially in the earlier stages of the abduction.

THE RUSSIAN CROP.

St. Petersburg, September 30.—The official returns as to crops in Russia for the present year show 650,000,000 pounds of wheat, 670,000,000 of oats and 1,000,000,000 pounds of rye. This return is 6 per cent below the average for the 10 preceding years.

UNDER THE HAPPY INFLUENCE OF BROMA.

The disease is arrested and the return to health is surely affected. Take it for all blood and nerve diseases. For sale everywhere.

SHERBROOKE'S PROTESTANT SCHOOLS.

Whether or not the Protestant Academy is the source of the recent outbreak of diphtheria is still a question. At any rate the Board of Health is doing all it can to put the building in a sanitary condition. Dr. Stevenson, of Coaticook, inspector of public buildings, was in the city a few days ago and among other buildings visited the Academy. In conversation afterwards he said he did not care to express an opinion as to its sanitary condition. On being asked if the ventilation was good, he said the communicators were taking steps to improve it.

MARKET COLUMN.

Montréal, Tuesday evening. CHEESE.—There is a marked easier tendency and actual business has been done at a fractional decline. Perhaps the temper of the market is best shown by the sale of 10,000 boxes of cheese at the wharf, the cheese going at 9c to 9.1-4c, a decline of fully 1-2c from last week's level. The range is as follows:—Finest Ontario Septembers, 9.3-4c to 9.7-Scfinest Ontario Augusts, 9.1-2c to 9.5-8c; finest Townships Septembers, 9.1-2c to 9.5-8c; finest Quebec Septembers, 9.3-8c to 9.1-2c.

LIVE STOCK TRADE.

London, Oct. 1.—The tone of the market for choice American cattle was stronger yesterday and prices show an advance of 1-2c since this day week, with sales at 13 1-4c. Choice American sheep sold at 12c. The trade is good. Canadian Cattle was firm at 12c, while the market for ranchers was firmer than a week ago at 10c to 10 1-2c.

MONTREAL.

A firmer feeling in the market for ocean freight rates referred to in these columns a week ago has been fully maintained under a steady demand from shippers, and the bulk of the space to all ports has now been engaged up to October 15th. This has, no doubt, been due to the more encouraging advices from abroad during the past week, and the fact that sales have been made at satisfactory prices to shippers. A very fair trade has been done in export cattle in the western market, there being a good, steady demand from shippers, and as the supply has not been in excess of the requirements prices have ruled steady. Good to choice cattle have sold at \$4.75 to \$5 and medium at \$4.25 to \$4.40 per 100 lbs. The exports of live stock from this port for the month of September show a decrease of 1,203 cattle and 2,990 sheep, as compared with the same month last year, and the total shipments for the season to date show a decrease of 13,002 as compared with the same period in 1900. The total shipments of live stock from this port and all American ports for the month of September, 1901, were 37,580 cattle and 21,260 sheep.

OUR NEW MINISTER TO-NIGHT.

The history of the stage the past season would make a barren and uninspiring narrative, for failure followed failure with a rapidity that was unfortunate for managers as it was alarming for devotees of dramatic art. Production followed production, and nearly all followed the same depressing fate. In this dearth of things dramatic, and among the very few plays destined to hold the stage to the present time, is Denman Thompson and George W. Ryer's "Our New Minister." It will be seen here for the first time tonight at the Clement Theatre, and lovers of comedy have a treat in store for them.

UNITED STATES SECRETARY OF WAR ELIHU ROOT.

says of the Pan-American: "It is a splendid Exposition, worthy of being seen by the whole world." Daily excursions are now run by the Grand Trunk Railway System. See advertisement on page 2 of this paper.

KITCHENER WANTS MORE MEN.

It Is Believed That He Has Asked for 25,000, and That He Wants More Power.

London, October 1.—There seems to be no doubt that Lord Kitchener has requested twenty-five thousand more mounted men and larger powers for dealing with the Boers in the field. One rumor goes that Kitchener insists on powers to hang all rebels without further reference to the Home Government. All, however, that is known definitely is that the British commander is eager to bring hostilities to an end as quickly as possible. He has issued orders that everything is to be done to secure the utmost mobility for the flying columns, while Lord Milner has issued a proclamation giving directions as to the disposal of the properties of burghers now in the field for the maintenance of their families.

MARKET COLUMN.

Montréal, Tuesday evening. BUTTER.—There was no change in butter, but demand is not active at present. At the wharf this morning 900 packages of creamery were turned over by factorymen, who received 21c for it. Finest September creamery, 21 1-4c to 21 1-2c; finest August creamery, 20 1-4c to 20 3-4c; undergrades, 19 1-2c to 20c; Western dairy, 16c to 16 1-2c; Manitoba dairy, 14 1-2c to 15c.

MONTREAL.

A cable from Liverpool reported that the supply of foreign and domestic cattle was light. The demand was fairly good and prices slightly higher for American cattle at 12 3-4c to 13 1-2c. Another cable from Liverpool quoted choice Canadian cattle at 12c, and sheep at 10c.

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THE KICKER'S COLUMN. We rejoice that this paper has opened a "Kicker's Column." A good kicker—male or female—is a blessing to any community.

MASSACHUSETTS. October 2.—Mr. George Taylor, of Boston, who has lately left the Boston hospital after a serious operation for appendicitis, has arrived home for a few weeks' stay to regain strength.

CLARK GORDON, 132 & 134 WELLINGTON STREET SHERBROOKE. MILLINERY OPENING, FALL 1901. Our MILLINERY DEPARTMENT being under the care of an able and long experienced milliner, we can assure our customers entire satisfaction.

COATICOOK. (Mrs. G. O. Donk, Correspondent.) October 2.—The Ladies' Musical met yesterday afternoon to reorganize for the season.

THREE VILLAGES. (Miss B. M. Parker, Correspondent.) October 2.—Miss Edith Murdoch, operator for the Bell Telephone Co., at Albany, Vt., returned home on Saturday, somewhat ill, but her many friends wish her a speedy recovery.

WINDSOR MILLS. (Mr. A. McLean, Correspondent.) October 2.—Mr. M. T. Stenson, collector of customs, and Mrs. Stenson, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Dooley Monday evening.

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MAGOG. October 2.—Mr. R. R. Burrage, representing the Guarantee Company, was in town yesterday looking up the shortage of \$464 in the Police Department.

DANVILLE. (Miss B. M. Stockwell, Correspondent.) October 2.—Mr. James Ballentyne, of Montreal, was in town Monday the guests of Dr. Speer.

SCOTSTOWN. October 2.—Children's Day service was held in the Presbyterian Church on Sunday last. The church was nicely decorated with potted plants and flowers.

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MARRIAGES.

OWEN-HOSIE.—At St. Andrew's church, Sherbrooke, on Tuesday, Oct. 1st, by the Rev. William Shearer, William John Owen, of Capleton, to Agnes Walker Hosie, daughter of John B. Hosie, of Capleton.

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New York, Oct. 1.—A circular in relation to the charges recently made against Deputy Police Commissioner Devery and addressed to the commercial, financial and professional interests of Greater New York, has been mailed by the Merchant's Association to 14,000 firms in the city. It runs, in part as follows:

The Merchant's Association from past experience is convinced that the scandalous condition of the police department is working an injury to every interest in the city, down to the newsboy on the street. That the rank and file of the department are honest and want to do their duty is almost certain. The people of America turn with loathing from a city where vice is rampant and unchecked. They despise a community where moral forces are too feeble to resist and control crime.

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Dumleigh. "I should like to know what synax meant this morning?"
Littleton. "What was it he said?"
Dumleigh. "I happened to say I didn't tell all I know, and he said he should think it impossible for me to tell any part of it."

CITY NEWS.

Judge Mulvena is holding court at Sweeteburg today.

Mr. G. E. Fraser has returned to town from North Hatley.

Miss Blue visited "The Cedars," North Hatley, one day this week.

Dr. Wm. S. Allen, Dentist, Bell Telephone Bldg., 31 Wellington, Sherbrooke. Tel. 303. Night and day attendance.

Rev. J. W. McLaughlin, a former pastor at Huntingville, will preach in the Universalist church there Sunday afternoon.

"Our New Minister" will be given at the Clement Theatre tonight. There is reason to believe that it will be a first-class play.

The Rev. Geo. H. Hubbard of Springfield, Mass., is in town and will speak tonight at the mid-week service of the Congregational Church.

Mr. V. A. Olivier, who has been spending a week or two at home in town, has gone to Quebec, en route to the Lower Provinces, on his usual trip.

The condition of Mr. J. A. Lomas, at the Protestant Hospital, continues very serious. He was thought to be a little better last night, but his condition became very grave this morning. He has been sinking gradually during the day.

The next meeting of Princess Rebekah Degree Lodge, No. 4, I.O.O.F., will be held on Thursday, 3rd inst., instead of 10th inst. This change has been made so that the members may have the opportunity to attend the W.C.T.U. convention to be held in this city next week.

"The Game Keeper" that will be produced at the Clement Theatre, Saturday, Oct. 5th is Con. T. Murphy's latest effort. We all remember his former successes, "The Ivy Leaf," "The Fairies of the Well," "Killarney," etc., etc. who cannot remember his beautiful touches of pathos, also his unbounded wit? "The Game Keeper" has all the crudities illuminating from it that any of Mr. Murphy's former plays possess. Messrs. Rowland and Clifford in staging this beautiful Irish ideal have selected the famous Smith O'Brien to interpret the part of "Derry," the Game Keeper, and have surrounded him with a most competent cast, including such well-known and talented artists as Thos. J. Smith, Stanley Johns, Clara M. Langley, Louette Babcock, Eva Lewis and Baby Mandoline.

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He Refuses to Yield to Boer Invaders.

CATTLE RAIDED BY A PARTY OF FORTY BURGHERS.

London, October 2.—A despatch from Pretoria to the Times says that while Botha was attacking the Natal forts a party of forty Boers invaded Zululand and raided cattle. The burghers then offered to return the cattle if the native chief would undertake not to defend the border against the Boers. The chief replied that he would remain true to his king. Botha's move on the border, adds the correspondent, enabled him to strike a point a long distance from any railway. Now, however, that he has been defeated at Fort Italia, his only alternatives are the invasion of Zululand or a rapid retreat along its northeast frontier.

While Lord Kitchener's order prohibiting the carriage of pianos and kitchen ranges with mobile columns is exciting the ridicule of the French and German press, it does not indicate the real source of the weakness of the British campaign in South Africa. Military men who know the secret history of the operations assert that the luxurious habits of the officers have been a less serious obstacle than the lack of harmony and esprit de corps. They state that the British officers have stood by each other and worked together during the first stages of the war, but that for the last year they have been pulling apart and intriguing against one another. Military feuds and jealousies have thus been the chief obstacle encountered.

HIGHER PROTECTION.

German Minister of Commerce Says Is Necessary.

Berlin, October 2.—The Minister of Commerce, Herr Moeller, speaking at a banquet yesterday evening in connection with the sitting of the German commercial diet, declared the Government was in a difficult position. It must admit that commercial treaties for long periods were necessary and that higher protection for agriculture was a political necessity.

WAS NOT STRANGE.

When He Had Prof. Smith as a Teacher.

Toronto, October 2.—Prof. Goldwin Smith yesterday morning delivered the first lecture of the session to the students of the Normal School. Talking of his experiences at Oxford, the professor said he had one interesting and delightful pupil, the present King. He taught him and examined him privately on his knowledge of history, and the then young Prince never showed himself bored.

GUNBOAT FOUNDERED.

Copenhagen, October 2.—The Danish gunboat Moen, while at gun practice today, with Prinsant shells, foundered to the eastward of the middle ground. Her masthead can be seen a few yards above the water. The crew of the vessel were saved.

THE SCHLEY COURT.

CAPT. SIGSBEE, OF MAINE FAME, ON THE STAND.

Washington, Oct. 2.—The Schley court of inquiry made good headway again yesterday, concluding with Admiral Evans, and hearing three new witnesses, although the testimony of one of them was not concluded when the court adjourned for the day. Admiral Evans' testimony was along the same general lines as was his statement of yesterday, but some points were presented in greater detail in response to questions by Mr. Raynor. The new witnesses were Capt. Sigsbee, who commanded the scout St. Paul during the Santiago campaign; Mr. Thomas M. Diennaide, a newspaper correspondent, who was on the Texas during the battle of July 3, and Chief Yeoman Gustave E. Becker, who was a clerk to Admiral Sampson during the war.

Capt. Sigsbee's testimony covered his communications to Commodore Schley upon the latter's arrival at Santiago, May 26, 1898, and at subsequent dates and dwelt with the state of the weather at that period. He was asked a great number of questions by the court. Mr. Diennaide described the loop of the Brooklyn as seen from the Texas. Mr. Becker testified as to despatches sent by Admiral Sampson to Commodore Schley.

VENEZUELAN ROUTED.

LATEST DETAILS OF THE ISTHMIAN WAR.

Williamstad, Island of Curacao, October 2.—Advices received here by mail from Maracaibo, under date of September 28, say Venezuela is protecting the Guajira frontier by reinforcements. An expedition composed of about fifteen hundred recruits from La Vela de Coro and Merida, with Vicente Sanchez in command, left here today in schooners for some point at Guajira, whence they will probably move inland towards the frontier.

It is thought that Venezuela will not assume the aggressive. Both the Venezuelan and Colombian Governments show a tendency to place at the head of their forces, the revolutionary leaders of the other country, in order to give a color of political revolution to the contacts between their respective troops. For example, Venezuelan troops under the leadership of a Colombian Liberal, are operating against the Colombian Government forces, and the movement will be qualified as an irregular, and not as an international disturbance. This greatly complicates the situation.

The Venezuelan disaster of September 1, is fully confirmed. Few prisoners were taken. The retreating Venezuelans were caught on both sides of a river, with the bridge broken, and the Colombians overpowered them from three sides scattering the Venezuelans, who were ambushed by the Indians.

Letters received from Tachira, are to the effect that General Uribe-Uribe, is collecting and manipulating his forces in a small way.

CABLE TO PHILIPPINES.

The U. S. Cabinet Considers the Proposal.

Washington, October 2.—There were five of the eight members of the cabinet present at yesterday's meeting. Attorney-General Knox, Secretaries Long, Hitchcock and Wilson, and Postmaster-General Smith. The principal subject discussed was that of a cable to Hawaii, Guam and the Philippines. It is understood that propositions have been made to lay a commercial cable from San Francisco to connect these islands and the question under discussion was whether the under our peace treaty with Spain the U. S. could authorize or in any way encourage of the laying of such cable by private parties.

The Attorney-General will prepare a statement for the President, covering all of the questions involved.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVORERS.

The Provincial Convention Is Now In Session At Granby.

Granby, Que., Oct. 2.—The Provincial Christian Endeavor convention opened here Monday with an informal reception and tea to delegates in the Congregational Church, after which there was a C. E. meeting. Yesterday morning the proceedings were regularly opened by a "Quiet Hour," conducted by the Rev. C. E. Eberman, of Boston; addresses on "Some of the Fruits of Christian Endeavor," by the Rev. F. M. Dewey, and Rev. W. D. Reid, of Montreal; Mrs. Duntin, of Quebec, and Mr. N. V. McLeod, of Granby, followed by a discussion led by the Rev. W. R. Cruikshank, of Montreal West, and a "Worker's Conference," led by the Rev. Mr. Eberman.

SHERBROOKE SENDS CONGRATULATIONS.

The Quebec Telegraph says: "A telegram of congratulations to the new champions has been received by the Quebec Lacrosse Club. It is signed by Mr. T. J. Maguire, on behalf of our old friends the Sherbrookes, and the courtesy is warmly appreciated by the locals, who suitably replied."

WATERVILLE.

Miss Fuller, of Waterville, has opened a dressmaking shop at her home. Tailor-made suits a specialty.

LORD MINTO GOES WEST.

Ottawa, Oct. 2.—His Excellency Lord Minto left today for the West to join the Royal party in their shooting expedition.

EAST ANGLUS.

Oct. 2.—Mr. Alex Gorham arrived in town Saturday night via Q. C. R., after an absence of several years. He enlisted in the 46th U. S. Infantry, and served throughout the Philippine war and China. He is now Sergeant and recommended for commission, and a fine officer he would make, as he is the best ideal of a Hussar, and it's in the blood, too; his great-grandfather was a Coldstream Guardsman and was killed at Waterloo.

Mr. Miller preached his farewell sermon in the Presbyterian Church Sunday. The church was filled to overflowing. The people wish him well in his new occupation. His place here will be filled by Rev. Mr. Turner.

The funeral of Mr. Robert Westgate's child took place in the Methodist Church, Saturday, at 2 p. m. It was conducted by Rev. Mr. Davis, of Cookshire, assisted by Rev. Mr. Dorman. The church was crowded to the doors. The floral offerings were beautiful and numerous. Much sympathy is felt for the family, especially for the mother, who was so prostrated with grief as not to be able to attend the funeral.

Mr. I. Willson and A. Frechette went to the lake Saturday for a few days' fishing.

The members of the Episcopal Church intend holding their Harvest Festival Thursday evening, Oct. 3rd. Supper will be served in the Town Hall.

Mr. Ernie Johnston, who has been away for a few months, has returned to Angus again.

We are justly proud of our war record here. All our young men who served in Cuba or South Africa returned covered with glory. If ever the government wishes to raise a regiment of mounted infantry, a full company can be raised here, with their horses, at very short notice. Clement Theatre will be well patronized from this town.

I. B. Lord has leased his skating rink to Mr. L. Gorham for the season of 1901-02. We may be sure now, that "Lee" will see that everything is up-to-date this winter.

Mrs. Joseph Raff, from Concord, N. H., is visiting her uncle's here, Mr. Sylvester Warner.

One of our most successful local gold miners is about to lead to the altar, one of Westbury's fair young maidens. As the young couple are very popular, it will be a gay and festive scene.

Royal Paper Mills workmen, who have been at Brompton Falls are returning.

Mr. Steel, of this place, plumber, and Mr. Gardner, of Bishop's Crossing, are going to manufacture Acetelino Plants for the lighting of shops, stores and dwellings, etc.

CROKER IS SILENT.

SAYS NOTHING AS TO MAYORALTY CANDIDATE.

New York, October 2.—Richard Croker is still "keeping them guessing" about his mayoralty candidate. He said Croker, yesterday at the Democratic Club that he really knew nothing about the Tammany ticket and that the city convention would make it up on Thursday night.

Mr. Croker's Brooklyn followers have, apparently, abandoned the hope of inducing Croker to accept him and they are looking about for another man.

Col. Low is winding up his affairs at South and will begin his campaign in earnest. In the morning he will have talks at his home with a number of persons with whom he has made appointments and in the afternoon will receive the notification committees from the Greater New York Democracy and other organizations. His letter of acceptance will occupy his time for several days. The letter will not be made public until after the action of the Columbia University trustees on his letter of resignation next Monday afternoon. Mr. Low's first appearance on the platform will be at Cooper Union, at the Citizens' Union meeting on Saturday next.

A BIG QUESTION.

WHAT THE FUTURE OF CANADA IS TO BE.

Toronto, October 2.—The Evening Telegram's special London cable says: The Daily News today commenting on the present royal visit to the Dominion says: "What is to be the future of Canada, is one of the biggest questions that face the British Empire today. Unhappily, English emigration, never very large, has very much declined in the last few years. Canada has even lost in population, and Sir Wilfrid Laurier allowed recruiting officers for the South African constabulary to be drawn from the homes of Canada's precious settlers in the Northwest."

CHURCH NOTICES.

Waterville.—At St. John's church, Sunday service will henceforth be in the morning at 11 o'clock instead of in the afternoon. Next Sunday being the first in the month there will be a celebration of the Holy Communion.

North Hatley.—At St. Barnabas' church, Sunday service will now be in the afternoon at 3 o'clock instead of in the morning.

Capleton and Eustis.—At Christ Church service every Sunday at 7 p. m. as usual.

GOVERNOR RICHARD YATES OF ILLINOIS

says: "If Paradise has anything more beautiful than the Pan-American Exposition has when illuminated, I can't conceive of it." Daily excursions are now run by the Grand Trunk Railway System. See advertisement on page 2 of this paper.

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The redcoat admitted that he had not.

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A REAL VETERAN.

The Provincial Department of Crown Lands has received over 13,000 applications from persons who think they are entitled to lands in New Ontario under the Act of last session. Among the applicants is Mr. Timothy Wiseman of Bellefleur, who has visited the department to see if he was not entitled to recognition for having served in the Royalist forces in the rebellion of 1837. Mr. Wiseman stated that he served from 1837 to 1841 under Sir Allan McNab, at Hamilton, Brantford, London, Woodstock and Paris; at Kingston under Capt. Ritchie and Col. Hill, and at Navy Island under Major Gourlay and Capt. Usher. Though 83 years of age, Mr. Wiseman is erect and active. There is no provision in the Act for veterans of 1837, but Mr. Wiseman was promised that his case would be considered.

A Volunteer for the Transvaal.

Out of the open gateway of the Recruiting Headquarters in Hemmings' Row, Trafalgar Square, came a recruiting sergeant of infantry and a worn-looking individual, decently but shabbily dressed. Both were smiling. The civilian was the first to speak.

"Now, cully," said he, "I reckon I'm jest as much a soldier 'o' the Queen as you are yourself, so if you'll only indicate a quite little private bar where redcoats is welcome, I'll spend my first day's pay on yer."

With the weak smile of condescension—for the sergeant was a sergeant now—the redcoat led the way to an unpretentious tavern, and, a bottle of Bass and two three-penny smokes being supplied to order, the late civilian laid bare his mind.

"I knew one of these Septembers I should go and enlist," he said, "and now I've been 'ont' done it. Hand me my gun and serve me out, my ammunition as fast as you blooming well like; I want to go straight to the front and have a go at these Boers. I've got reasons to want to. Was you ever a married man and a householder?"

The redcoat admitted that he never had been either.

"Ah, well, cully, ten minutes ago I was both. And every September, as Michaelmas came round, my old woman used to start on me, because that was the day when she was to be when we had the option of giving our little villa up, see? We used to give the landlord notice every Lady Day, and—well, take it back every Michaelmas! I give you my word, mate, I could have lived in our little villa in Kensington Gardens for the rest of my natural life, but as sure as ever spring came round, my old woman forced me to give the landlord notice. The rain came through the roof, she said, and no other man but me would stand it. The kitchen range was so simply in a hundred pieces, she said, and literally spoiled the food, a fact as I'd noticed. The drains were in a shocking state, she said, and typhoid only waited for us to open the windows. The outside paint was a standing scandal, she said, and the state of the scullery ceiling fairly menaced to fall on poor little slavey, who wasn't insured in the 'Proo' either. The doorstep had sunk, she said, till accumulating rain came through on to the screened Derby brights and made 'em too wet to burn; and every time you pulled the 'visitors' bell, she said, a part of the carpet doormat came away with the handle. No, she said, the longer we put up with it the longer our landlord would impose upon us; we must buck up and go out together house-hunting! Sergeant, have you ever been house-hunting?"

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