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One Small Failure in London, But Better Tone in Europe, Wall Street Down Again

C. P. R. Stock Holds Up Well in Comparison - - - Cables Say Now That No Serious Trouble Is Feared.

INDUSTRY AMUSED AT WALL STREET.—Chicago Tribune.

A day looked upon with great apprehension in stocks has passed off fairly satisfactorily.

There was only one small failure in London and on the whole, if the European cables correctly interpret things, general sentiment in London and Berlin is much improved.

There seems to be an unanimous belief, in fact, that there will be no serious trouble.

The Wall Street market, however, was again wild, nervous and lower, with some stocks acting very poorly.

Strictly speaking, Canadian Pacific was not one of those, for although it broke a little early in the day it kept above 155, the low level of Saturday.

At 1.30 p.m. the Wall Street market was almost panicky and some new low records were made. C. P. R. sold as low as 155 1-4, Copper 80 5-8, Great Northern 127, Union 122 1-2 and Steel common 32 1-8.

At 2 o'clock C. P. R. had recovered to 158, but the rest of the market was limp.

The announcement was made that New York had engaged close to $2,000,000 gold in London, while call money in that market, after opening at 6 per cent, advanced to 9.

The Montreal market was weak, but not excited.

There was comparatively little selling here and the chief feature was Detroit, which opened at 69 1-2, and sold off to 67 3-4.

Montreal Power was lower at 84, Dominion Steel sold at 17 3-4, and Lake of the Woods common on a couple of small sales broke to 75.

A Berlin cable to J. S. Bache & Co. said: Careful investigation on the part of financial experts in this city develops the fact that the Berlin financial situation is much improved.

Mr. W. J. Wollman, of J. S. Bache & Co., cables from London that the feeling is better with good buying for investment. He does not look for any important failures there.

LOSS OF WIRES IN BROKERS' OFFICES.

Great confusion existed in many of the Montreal offices of the Wall Street houses to-day, owing to the fact that the private wires went out of commission.

Yesterday's snow-storm was disastrous to the wires, and groaning under the feight of the soft clinging snow many of them snapped.

The "tickers" were going as usual, but the absence of private wires was a great handicap.

No news could be obtained from Wall Street or London, while orders between here and New York had to be executed in many cases over the long distance telephone.

The trouble with the wires was said to be confined to the Island of Montreal.

A WILD BREAK IN WALL STREET.

New York, March 25.—Prices of stocks broke wildly again to-day, soon after the resumption of operations at the Stock Exchange. The opening dealings showed a momentary stand against the forces of depression, which was helped by the more cheerful tone of foreign advices. Quotations received from London at the time of the opening here showed some wide rebounds from the New York closing level of Saturday, and this had some sympathetic effect on the first prices here. The scattered gains, however, were not up to the London parity, and there were many ragged declines. Almost immediately prices gave way, and quick succeeding quotations showed some damaging breaches in value. Amalgamated Copper, Reading, the United States Steel stocks, the Harriman and Hill stocks and St. Paul were special sufferers, and the collapsing tendency in these stocks communicated itself to the whole market. The while intervals of the decline between sales marked the urgency of the selling and the prostration of the demand. Great Northern Ore certificates slumped 9 1-2, Union Pacific 4 3-8, Amalgamated Copper 4 1-4, Reading 3 3-4, U. S. Steel preferred 3 5-8, Great Northern preferred and Mo. Pacific, 3, St. Paul 2 1-2, and other active stocks 1 to over 2 points.

From this level Great Northern Ore certificates rebounded 5, Union Pacific 3 1-8, Amalgamated Copper and Canadian Pacific 2 1-2, Southern Pacific and Great Northern preferred 2, and other active stocks a point or more.

Noon. A tide of liquidation swept over the market, which was amended by severe losses and semi-demoralized conditions. The transcontinental group, Reading, Amalgamated Copper and the United States stocks were the chief targets for the selling. Buying orders on a large scale were executed at the low prices, and checked the break. After Union Pacific had rallied 4 points there was another dip. Apparently the subsidence of buying at the higher level prompted renewed attack by the bears. The Minneapolis, St. Paul & Sault Ste. Marie preferred fell 7, Iowa Central preferred, 5; Great Northern preferred, 3 1-2, and Cleveland, C. C. & St. Louis, 3. This decline was arrested for the general list considerably above the previous low level. The market became dull on another rally. Bonds were weak.

ROTHSCHILD SAYS THERE'S NO DANGER.

London, March 25.—"There is absolutely no danger," was the reply of Lord Rothschild, when questioned to-day by a reporter of the Associated Press in respect to the fears that the settlement would result in trouble. "There may be a few small failures, but reports that any big financial houses are in difficulties or any serious trouble anticipated, are mere inventions. The London bold et of American securities have been induced to sell through fear that President Roosevelt contemplates taking steps toward nationalizing the railways, or at least enacting legislation that may curtail the roads earning capacity. For some reason, German holders of American securities have been selling in London. There, of course, there are great demands for money from all points, but I have every confidence in the ability of the market to bridge the difficulties. One thing is certain, there is no panic and there is no danger of a panic in London."

UPS AND DOWNS OF C. P. R. STOCK.

The table shows the ups and downs of C. P. R. stock for a series of years.

Ten years ago the stock sold as low as 68, while last December it jumped to 201 1-2.

	High	Low
1907	195¼	*155
1906	201½	158
1905	*177	131¼
1904	138	109¾
1903	148⅝	116¼
1902	145¼	110
1901	117⅝	87½
1900	100	85½
1899	98½	84½
1898	90¾	70½
1897	82⅝	46

BERLIN CALM BUT STILL FEELS ANXIOUS.

Berlin, March 25.—The tone on the Bourse to-day was calm in comparison with the excitement of Saturday last. Banks, iron and industrials recovered part of the heavy losses they had sustained. Prices, however, are still far from strong, and anxiety continues to prevail regarding the result of the month end settlement. Seven per cent. was charged for loans to cover the settlement.

LONDON CALMER AND PRICES BETTER.

London, March 25.—In spite of the predicted difficulties and the further fall in prices at New York Saturday, the stock exchange here to-day opened much calmer and with less nervousness than during the closing days of last week. This together with the buying for the new account, had a steadying effect. Americans opened at about parity, some a little above and others below, but after the carry over had been arranged there was an all round improvement, the features being Union Pacific, which opened at 134 and advanced to 136 1-2 and d. Canadian Pacific, which went up from 164 1-2 to 165 1-4. Paris began selling Kaffirs, but this was soon stopped, and market became steady. The growing investment demand at low level prices also had a good effect. One small failure, that of a broker, was recorded early in the day, but this had been anticipated.

There was considreable talk of dealers being helped by financial houses, but the bankers denied that any serious demands had been made in this direction. The fall in Canadian Pacific has been the most serious feature for British speculators and investors, many of the latter having been compelled to dispose of their holdings at the lower prices in order to meet other obligations, while in the case of the former Canadian Pacific had been a favorite since Englishmen had commenced to avoid Americans on account of the disclosures made in the course of the interstate commerce investigations into the affairs of American roads and the threats of legislation and reprisals by the roads. But advices in regard to the opening of the Berlin board helped the British market and the improved feeling was evidenced by the rise in consols which opened at 84 7-8 and by noon had reached 85. An hour later consols touched 85 1-8.

Almost the entire list of Americans were above parity by early afternoon, some of them being as much as 4 points above.

The carry-over rates for Americans were about the same as at the last settlement. The stock exchange governing committee has decided that March 30 shall be a holiday and consequently the exchange will be closed from the evening of March 28 to the morning of April 2, for the Easter holidays.

CONSOLS AT 85. LONDON'S CLOSING.

London closing—Consols for money, 85; do. for account, 85. Anaconda, 12 1-4; Atchison, 88 3-4, do. preferred, 98 1-2; Baltimore & Ohio, 97 3-4; C. P. R., 166 3-4; C. & O., 39 3-4. Chicago Great Western, 14; C. M. & St. Paul, 137; De Beers, 25 1-2; Denver & Rio, 29; do. preferred, 84; Erie, 26 1-12; do. 1st preferred, 61; do. 2nd preferred, 39; Illinois Central, 140; L. & N., 118; Mo., Kas. & Texas, 34 3-4. New York Central, 121 1-2; N. & W., 76; do. preferred, 85; Ontario & Western, 37 1-2; Pennsylvania, 61; Rand Mines, 6 3-4; Reading, 50 1-2. Southern Railway, 21 1-4; do. preferred, 75; Southern Pacific, 77; Union, 132 1-2; Union Pacific, preferred, 90; U. S. Steel, 34 3-4; do. preferred, 100 1-2; Wabash, 14; do. preferred, 24 1-2; Spanish fours, 95; Grand Trunk, 28 1-2.

Bar silver, steady, 30 7-16d per ounce. Money, 3 to 3 1-2 per cent. Discount rate: Short bills, 5 to 5 1-8 per cent.; three months' bills 5 to 5 1-16 per cent.

GOLD SECURED BY U. S.

London, March 25.—The United States secured $1,750,000 of the $2,750,000 in gold offered in the market today, paying an advance of 3-8d. The Bank of England got the balance, $1,000,000.

C. P. R. UP IN BERLIN.

Berlin, March 25. — Prices on the Bourse to-day improved on repurchases. Canadian Pacific closed 3 1-2 points higher and B. and O. and Penna. recovered.

BANK MONTREAL MANAGER SEES NEED OF FAST LINE.

Mr. E. S. Clouston, general manager of the Bank of Montreal, returned to Montreal yesterday, after a two months' sojourn abroad.

Mr. Clouston returned via Halifax and expressed the opinion that it was a great pity that Canada had not a faster steamship service with Great Britain.

"The Victorian, on which we came over, is a very good boat," said he, "and the trip from Halifax, via the I. C. R. was quite comfortable, and occupied less than twenty-four hours, but Canada should have a fast steamship line with Great Britain."

Mr. Clouston spent only a short time in London, but could say that the recent trip of Lord Strathcona to Canada, had done the latter a great amount of good.

McGILL MEN LEAD IN NEW YORK EXAMS.

The result of the examinations held in the New York City Hospital to provide house surgeons for that institution is highly gratifying to all the friends of McGill, as first place was secured by A. L. McLennan, Med., '07, and third place went to H. LeBaron Peters, also of Med. '07.

These results are a testimonial to the excellence of the work accomplished at McGill, and will be received with pleasure by Canadians in general in view of the fact that these young gentlemen had as competitors forty other graduates and undergraduates of the various medical colleges of the United States.

Rev. A. Bright Called to Ingersoll.

A former Montreal citizen has just accepted a call to Ingersoll, Ont. Rev. A. Bright, B.A., graduted from the Presbyterian College in Montreal, last spring, and was a member of Taylor Church in this city. He left here to take the pastorate of St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, Peterboro, and has now accepted a call to St. Paul's Church, Ingersoll.

A CLERGYMAN ON 'WOMEN, WINE, GRAFT'

A Letter From Rev. Dr. Chown, Moral Reform Secretary of the Methodist Church.

To the Editor of the Montreal Star.

Sir,—Your trenchant editorials demanding an investigation into the conduct of any representatives of the people of Canada at Ottawa, who may be guilty of flagrant immorality, are challenging the attention of the country.

It is remarkable that the pulpit is so quiescent under such grave circumstances. This is partly due to timidity, and partly to a fear that partizan newspapers are raising a bugaboo for political profit. In the present instance I am convinced that such feelings are unworthy, without warrant and should be flung to the winds.

It would be a reproach to the pulpit, and a calamity to the church if in such a crisis as this, the ministers of the Gospel should give further ground for the charge that they have no message of righteousness for the nation. Personally, I thank you for your splendid campaign, and hope soon to furnish evidence that the press is not the only institution in the land which can rise to the patriotic responsibility which confronts us as a people.

Faithfully yours,

(Rev.) S. D. CHOWN.

Halifax, March 21, 1907.

Note.—Not only is "the pulpit so quiescent," but we know of more than one instance of clergymen (not bound to silence by their holy office, but who bind to silence in honor the recipients of their information), possessing evidence of improper conduct on the part of cabinet ministers, which they are passing over in silence or concealing at a juncture when such a question is a paramount issue with the Canadian people.—ED. STAR.

SENIOR MEDICAL OFFICERS.

Appointments for Quebec and Eastern Ontario Brigades Announced.

Special to The Montreal Star.

Ottawa, March 25.—Militia orders announce that the following officers have been detailed as senior medical officers of their respective brigades in Quebec and Eastern Ontario commands:

EASTERN ONTARIO.

6th Infantry Brigade, Lt.-Col. W. A. Willoughby.

7th Infantry Brigade, Lt.-Col. R. W. Garrett.

8th Infantry Brigade, Lt.-Col. J. A. McCammon.

QUEBEC COMMAND.

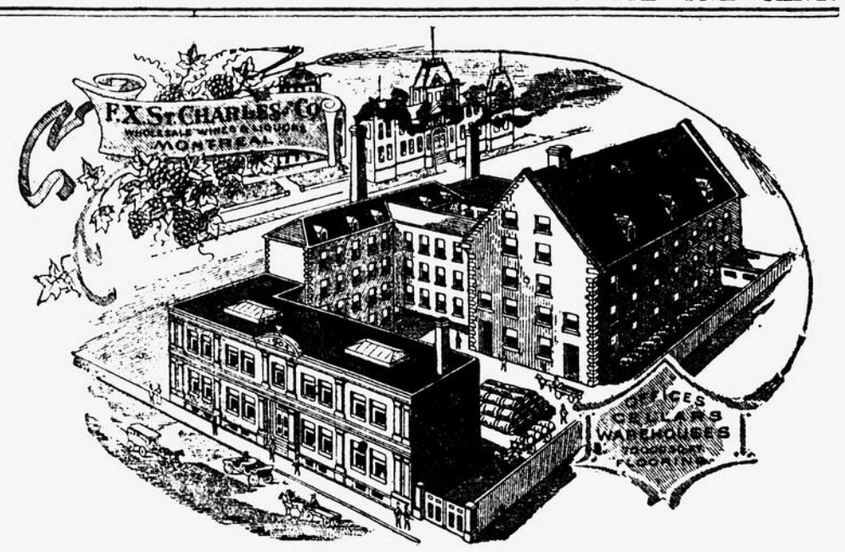
99th Infantry Brigade Lt.-Col. H. Trudel.

10th Infantry Brigade Lt.-Col. J. P. Lord.

11th Infantry Brigade, Lt.-Col. J. E. Grondin.

18th Infantry Brigade, Major E. R. Brown.

20th Infantry Brigade, Major P. Ostigny.



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Mrs. Macdonald, of Montreal, is in Ottawa, the guest of Mrs. H. A. Panet, for a few days.

CHURCH OBSERVED CEREMONY OF PALMS

Montreal Churches Solemnized Rites of Palm Sunday to Commemorate the Entry into Jerusalem.

[illegible] Sunday was observed [illegible] the various churches [illegible] the Roman Catholic [illegible] and the various ceremonies [illegible] of the occasion were performed in all [illegible] places of worship.

The principal feature of this festival, which [illegible] Holy Week, is to commemorate [illegible] into Jerusalem. The [illegible] of Christ in these latter days [illegible] to impress the minds of the faithful with the events of that momentous occasion. At High Mass there is a procession followed by the blessing of the palms. Afterwards the joyous procession is succeeded by a solemn [illegible] in which sadness is the predominating note, and thus begins the final [illegible] of the annual commemoration of the Passion of Christ. At the mass of Palm Sunday [illegible] a recital of the gospel, the Passion, the tragic story being [illegible] a succession of voices [illegible] at the High Mass.

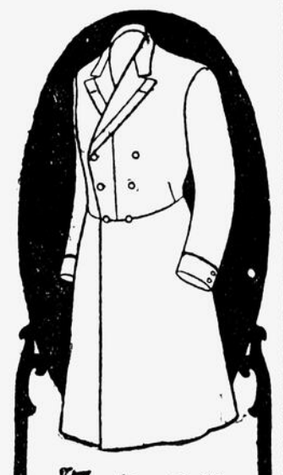
During [illegible] week the Church observes [illegible] impressive ceremonies, all [illegible] to cling to events which [illegible] to Holy Week. The celebration of the mass of the Tuesday in Holy Week [illegible] the Church [illegible] Holy Saturday, when [illegible] stripped [illegible] of its ornaments, with the exception of the high altar, this being done to represent the spoliation of Jesus Christ.

The ceremonies of Good Friday are of a particularly impressive character and are typical of the purpose of the observance. There [illegible] people [illegible] the churches on Good Friday, [illegible] the ceremonies is said [illegible] mass of the Presanctified. The vows are [illegible] during the evening [illegible] of the host consecrated [illegible] the mass of Holy Thursday. On Holy Saturday the water and oil are blessed.

In Knight's History of England some account is given of [illegible] which marked Holy Week. Previous to the Reformation there were pageants on Palm Sunday. An ass was made the principal figure in a procession representing the journey of Jesus. Branches, flowers and pieces of cloth were strewn on the ground by the multitude. A wooden ass was also placed before the door of the church and there the people threw down their palm branches. When the ass had been drawn into the church the people rushed forward to obtain possession of the palm. The authors say that there was a superstition that the palm proved an effectual charm against storms and thunder.

Afterward there was a procession of the children, by whom the wooden figure was drawn on wheels through the town, while the people presented to the youthful devotees money, eggs and bread, half of which was given to the keeper of the ass as his fee. This ceremony was observed in England until 1548.

From the same authority is quoted some information relative to Holy Thursday. "Maundy Thursday," the day before Good Friday, was observed throughout the Christian world in commemoration of the institution of our Saviour in washing the feet of his disciples. On this day kings and queens, and persons of elevated rank, girt themselves with a towel, and as many paupers as there were years either in the life or reign of the person about to officiate, came forward to have their feet washed and kissed by some kneeling lord or sovereign, who, on other days, would perhaps have spurned them with loathing. After this ceremony was ended, food and money was distributed to those poor persons as had brushed, whose probably the name of the day from the Saxon mund, a basket. The ceremony was repeatedly performed by Queen Elizabeth during her reign, after the maids of honor had first prepared the way for her by a previous washing of the mendicants' feet and a perfuming of the water with essences. In the reign of Henry VIII., Cardinal Wolsey, after his disgrace, held his Maundy in the Abbey of Peterborough, where he washed and kissed the feet of fifty poor men, answering to the number of years he had lived and gave to each twelve pence, three ells of good canvas for shirts, a pair of new shoes, a cast of red herring, and three white herrings.



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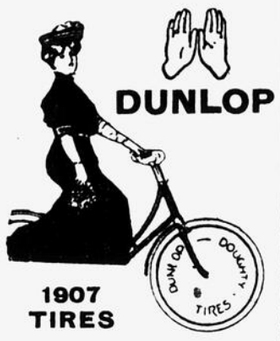

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ATTEMPT TO FORM CANADIAN UNION

Speakers From Ottawa Urged Montreal Printers to Break Away from American Body.

Alderman Charles Pepper, president of the recently organized Ottawa Typographical Association, and Geo. Mecure, one of the chief executive officers, were the principal speakers at the meeting of printers, in the Empire Hall, on Saturday evening, which had been convened for the purpose of forming a Canadian union in Montreal in sympathy with the Ottawa organization. Every precaution had been taken by the organizers to avoid a disturbance of any kind, the meeting-room being guarded by a platoon of police, but the precautions were found to be unnecessary. There were about two hundred members of the craft present, and the chair was occupied by Mr. John Mee, president of the National Trades and Labor Congress of Canada, who warned the gathering that interruptions would not be tolerated.

Alderman Pepper, of Ottawa, when introduced, was given a very good reception. The speaker, who was somewhat guarded in his remarks, gave a history of the Ottawa trouble which resulted in the disruption of the union. He charged the Executive Council of the International Typographical Union with extravagance and discrimination. "When the Ottawa printers were financially embarrassed, owing to excessive assessments and high dues," said Mr. Pepper, "by a resolution of the union we made a request to the Executive Council of the I. T. U. for an officer to help us to try to unravel the difficulty. After waiting several days instead of assistance, in time of need, the answer received was an imperitinent threat that unless all indebtedness was received at headquarters before the end of that month the charter of the Ottawa Typographical Union, No. 102, would be taken away. As it was impossible to collect the money, and rather than be hounded in this way any longer, it was decided by a large majority, at a regular meeting, to break away from the American union and form a Canadian Federation. Some weeks afterwards when the Executive Council saw that they were going to lose one of their best paying subordinate unions two or three highly paid organizers were hurried to Ottawa to try and effect a settlement, but it was then too late, and they went away without accomplishing anything."

Mr George Mercure made a diplomatic speech in the French language. He said it was high time for the printing trades of Canada to break away from the International Union. He believed that the Canadian employees of labor would much prefer to deal with their own employes.

Mr. Thomas J. Griffiths, secretary-treasurer of the National Trades and Labor Congress, made a patriotic address. He urged the Montreal printers to follow the example of their Ottawa comrades.

Mr. Gustave Francq, president of Jacques-Cartier Typographical Union, and vice-president for the Province of Quebec of the Dominion Trades and Labor Congress, defended the International form of organization. He declared that no true soldier would quit the battle-field in time of war, and that was what the Ottawa printers had done. He challenged the Ottawa men to a public debate, which was declined by Mr. Mercure.

Before the meeting terminated an invitation was extended by the chairman to those favoring a purely Canadian union to give their names and addresses to the secretary. Quite a number signed. Messrs. Pepper and Mercure left for the home in Ottawa last evening apparently well satisfied.

The Chinese Opium Raids.

Mr. Recorder Weir heard Saturday morning the cases of those who were found by Captain Millette and his men in the raids on two opium resorts in Chinatown on Friday night. The proprietor, Lee Him, alias Candyman, five other Chinamen and five white men who were found in his place, 42a Lagauchetiere street, entered a plea of guilty. Lee Him was condemned to a fine of $40 or two months in jail. Joseph Charpentier, one of these found in the place, and who once before had been fined in a similar offence, had to pay $20 or pass two months in jail, while the eight others were fined $10 or one month in jail. All paid their fines.

Those who were found in Kee Chong's resort, at 50 West Lagauchetiere street, entered pleas of not guilty and were remanded until Thursday for trial. Six Chinamen and one white man were found there.

Man Poisoned by Gas Recovering.

Joseph Blonz, 28 years of age, an Austrian, is the man who was brought to the General Hospital on Wednesday morning from the lodging-house of I. Farnkoff, 26 East Craig street, where he and a companion named John Youksi were overcome by gas. Youksi was dead when found and Blonz was unconscious. To-day she was able to give his name and address. He said his home was at St. Anne's, but he could not remember what happened in the lodging-house.

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Annual Spring Sale of Turkish, Persian and Indian Rugs, Carpets and Hall Runners, at our New Premises, No. 99 and 101 METCALFE STREET.

Tuesday and Wednesday Afternoon and Evening, March 26th and 27th,

At 2.30 and 8 O'Clock Each Day.

Catalogues ready and will be mailed on application. Rugs now on view.

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FRASER BROS' SALES.

ESTATE LATE HENRY ESSON MILLS

AUCTION SALE OF FARM STOCK, HORSES, CATTLE, IMPLEMENTS, WAGGONS, SLEIGHS, HARNESS, HAY, OATS, HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, ETC., ETC.

We are instructed by the heirs of the estate to sell by auction at the farm, on the UPPER LACHINE ROAD, MONTREAL WEST, adjoining Mr. Trenholme's farm, on

On Tuesday Morning, 26th March.

All the stock and effects thereon, including 10 Cows, 8 Heifers, 5 Calves, 1 Bull, 3 Draught Horses, 1 Filly, Poultry, Market Waggon, Farm Waggons and Carts, Sleighs, Buggies, Single and Double Harness, Mixte Fox Robes, Mower and Reaper, Harrows, Ploughs, Horse Rake, Lawn Roller, Horse Fork, Blocks and Tackle, Chest of Carpenter's Tools, large quantity Hay, Straw, Oats and Potatoes, etc., etc.

Also the Excellent Household Furniture: Mahogany Parlor Suite, Centre Tables, Axminster Carpet, Wilton Stair Carpet, Pictures, Brie-a-Brac, Edison Phonograph, Lace Curtains, Grandfather's Clock in Mahogany Case, Marble Mantel Timepiece, Quartered Oak Sideboard, Dining Table and Chairs, Silver and Glassware, Complete Dinner and Tea Set, Walnut Bedroom Set, Mahogany Bureau and Dressing Table, Chiffonier, Iron and Brass Beds, Hair Mattresses, Pillows, Odd Chairs, Lounge, Kerr Steel Range, Contents of Kitchen, Laundry, etc. All without reserve.

Sale at 10.30.

The Cows will be sold at 1.30.

FRASER BROS., Auctioneers.

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Second-Hand Household Furniture and Effects, Pianos

Carpets, Bedding, Stoves, etc. Large regular auction at our salesrooms,

No. 453 ST. JAMES STREET

Corner Inspector,

On Thursday Morning, 28th Maroh

(Not on Friday as usual, on account of holiday)

At Ten O'Clock

Consignments solicited. Advances made. Quick cash returns. Safe, dry storage for furniture, etc.

Private sales from lots of bedding, carpets, etc. Bargains every day at private sale.

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Estate Late W.B. Sellar

We have received instructions from the Executors to the above Estate to sell by auction at the residence,

No. 457 CLARKE AVE.,

All the Excellent Household Furniture and Effects, comprising D. W. Karn Organ, with 15 stops, Sheraton Inlaid Chairs and Table, Walnut Cabinet, Oil and Water Color Paintings, Real Lace Curtains, Plush Portieres, Electric Gas Log, Walnut Hallstand, Brass and Enamel Bedsteads, Walnut and other Bureaus and Washstands, Large Walnut Wardrobe with Mirror Front, Hair and other Mattresses, Bedding, Walnut Sideboard, Extension Dining Table, Set 8 Plush-covered Chairs, Lounge, Rest Dinner and Tea Sets, Silverware, Glassware, Mahogany Chest Drawers, Oak Desk, Centre Tables, Montreal Gas Stove and Generator, Refrigerator, Kitchen Utensils, quantity of Coal and Wood, etc.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, March 27th, At 10 O'Clock.

M. HICKS & CO., Auctioneers.

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Preliminary Notice.

Sale of Magnificent Household Furniture, Chickering Cabinet Grand Piano, H. W. Collinder, Billiard Table, Grandfather's Clock, Crystal, Brass and Bronze Gasaliers, Valuable Collection of Oil and Water Color Paintings, Steel Engravings, Hand Carved Ivories, Real Bronzes, etc., etc., at the residence, No. 418 ST. ANTOINE STREET.

Wednesday and Thursday,

APRIL 3rd and 4th.

A Catalogue of the Pictures has been prepared, and will be mailed on application.

M. HICKS & CO., Auctioneers.

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TRADE Auction Sale.

HATS, CAPS AND FURS, at our rooms, 69 St. James Street, on

WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY,

27th and 28th Instant,

At Ten O'Clock Each Day:

1,000 dozen Soft Felt Hats, various shades.

1,000 dozen Hard Hats, several brands.

2,000 dozen Straw, Linen, Leghorn, Panama and other Hats.

3,000 dozen Cloth, Velvet, Tweed and other kinds of Caps and Tourmalines.

100 dozen Misses' and Children's Hats.

All the above are assorted sizes and slightly damaged by water.

On THURSDAY, at 2 p.m., 5,000 Skins, Raccoon, Skunks, Otter, Astrachan, Thibet and Opossum, slightly damaged by water at Swift, Copland & Co.'s fire.

Also $65,000 stock of assorted Boots, Shoes and Rubbers, damaged at Daoust, Lalonde & Co.'s fire.

In lots to the trade, and no reserve.

MARCOTTE FRERES, Auctioneers.

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SUNDAY SNOW-STORM PROVED SURPRISE

Probably the Last Big Storm of Season Made Life a Burden to Montrealers.

Yesterday's snow storm was certainly a surprise. People had been looking forward to a spring sunshiny day, fit for a walk round the mountain with all its suggestiveness of the coming summer. It was far from such a day. It was in many respects the most disagreeable day of the whole winter season; the heavy falling snow was mixed with rain half the day and walking was almost out of the question unless one wanted to spend half an hour on a five minutes journey. Vehicles of all kinds had a tough proposition and it was fortunate indeed that in the majority of cases the day was one of rest for the horse. Otherwise with more than half the vehicles now on wheels it would have been long hours of suffering for the animals. There was within a fraction of eight inches of it fall.

The soft, clinging snow upset the calculations of such corporations as the Light, Heat and Power, Street Railway, Telephone and other companies using the wires. The snow hung heavily upon the wires and caused countless breaks. In two cases poles fell to the ground and this resulted in considerable work for the Light, Heat and Power Company and the Fire department. The latter suffered considerably through wires getting crossed as they sagged under the weight. One of the Light, Heat & Power Company's horses driven to the scene of a break in the wires stepped upon a live wire and was instantly killed.

Towards evening the weather turned colder and the sloppy snow on the ground froze. This added to the discomfort experienced in walking and citizens generally were glad to stay at home and hope, anyway, that this was the last storm of the season.

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Attractive Sale Household Furniture

Drawing Room Set, B. W. Cabinet Axminster and other Carpets, Brass Table Rugs, Gasaliers, Lace Curtains, Sideboard, Extension Table, L. C. Chairs, Dinner Ware, Glassware, Hall Stand, Lounge, Combination Bookcase and Desk, Music Stand, Handsome Brass Beds, Mahogany Bureau and Washstand, B. W. Bedroom Sets, Toilet Ware, Hair Mattresses, very fine "Kerr" Range, Gas Stove, Generator, "Baldwin" Refrigerator, Kitchen Utensils, etc.

Unreserved sale at the above address on TUESDAY, 26th March, at 10 A.M.

WALTER M. KEARNS, Auctioneers.

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Preliminary Notice

Estate Late MISS ORKNEY

MOST IMPORTANT SALE

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FURNITURE

VALUABLE PAINTINGS, GENUINE BRONZES, FINE OLD SHEFFIELD PLATE, SOLID SILVER, LARGE QUANTITY OF FINE CRYSTAL, COLLECTION OF RARE POTTERY Etc., Etc.

Sale by order of the executors at

292 St. Catherine Street, West,

—on the—

17th and 18th April,

AT 10 A.M. EACH DAY.

In consequence of the rarity of many of the articles, this sale will transcend in interest and importance any event of the kind that has taken place in Montreal for years.

Further particulars will be duly published.

WALTER M. KEARNS, Auctioneer.

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Very Important Sale.

DAMAGED GOAT SKINS

Ex. S. S. MOMBASSA & S. S. STOLZENFELS.

The undersigned has received instructions to sell by public auction, without reserve, for account of whom it may concern, at the

TERMINAL WAREHOUSE, 36 GREY NUN STREET,

on TUESDAY AFTERNOON, 26th MARCH, at 2.30 O'CLOCK,

80 Bales (more or less) Indian Goat Skins, slightly damaged by water.

Goods may be examined at the warehouse up to time of sale.

WALTER M. KEARNS, Auctioneer.

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AUCTION SALE.

First Sale of Boots and Shoes, Amounting to $75,000.00.

We are instructed to sell by public auction, without reserve, and in lots to the trade, at our rooms, 69 St. James street, on Wednesday and Thursday, 27th and 28th March, at ten o'clock each day, the whole stock in trade of Messrs. Daoust, Lalonde & Co. damaged by fire and water in the late fire on St. Paul st.

150 Cases Men's Boots.
200 Cases Boys' and Youths.
75 Cases Misses'.
150 Cases Women's.
75 Cases Children's.
60 Cases Lady's and Men's Slippers.
20 Cases Men's Shoes.
100 Cases Long Boots.
40 Cases Brogans.
20 Cases Rubber Boots.
230 Cases Men's, Women's, Misses', Boys' and Children's Rubbers, and many other goods.

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And a Large Assortment of Handsome New Carpets, Oilcloths and Linoleums, Pianos, Etc.

We will sell at our rooms, 241 and 243 ST. JAMES STREET, on

TUESDAY AFTERNOON, March 26th,

Consisting of parlor and bedroom sets, iron bedsteads, springs and mattresses, pillows, sideboard, tables and chairs, and a lot of handsome new carpet squares in Axminster, Wilton Brussels and Tapestry, in sizes to fit any room; neat parlor, bedroom and dining room furniture, brass and iron bedsteads, hair and other mattresses, pianos, curtains, bed coverings, cutlery, etc.

Also a lot of good Second-hand Household Furniture, Odd Bureaus and Bedsteads, Carpets, Parlor and Bedroom Sets, and 75 pairs Damaged Blankets.

Sale at 2 P.M.

RAE & DONNELLY, Auctioneers.

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WALTER M. KEARNS' SALES.

AUCTION SALE

FARM STOCK, IMPLEMENTS,

25 superior milch cows (mostly fresh calved)

And 5 Work and Driving Horses, 100 Pure Plymouth Rock Fowl, 4 pigs etc., etc.

By order of Mr. R. H. STUART, at his farm, PETITE COTE, on

WEDNESDAY, 24th of APRIL, at 10.30 a.m.

Particulars later.

WALTER M. KEARNS, Auctioneer.

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SALE OF FARM STOCK

12 HORSES, 5 COWS, 24 FAT PIGS,

Farm Implements, Scotch and Hay Carts, Express Waggons, Double and Single Sleighs, Double and Single Harness, lot of Household Furniture, etc.

Sale by order of MR. DAN. CHURCH at his farm, COTE ST. LAURENT, on

THURSDAY, 4th April, at 1 P.M.

Particulars later.

WALTER M. KEARNS, Auctioneer.

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115 UNION AVENUE

"Jowett & Co." Square Piano HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE

Parlor set, oil paintings and engravings, bric-a-brac, curtains, carpets, B. W. sideboard, E.L. table, crockery and glassware, card table, centre tables, black walnut, oak and mahogany bedroom sets, fine hair mattresses, lots of bed and table linen, blankets, etc., gas stove, kitchen utensils, Etc., Etc.

SALE ON THURSDAY AFTERNOON, 28TH MARCH, AT 2 O'CLOCK.

WALTER M. KEARNS, Auctioneer.

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Preliminary Notice

ESTATE LATE

John Coristine, Esq.,

IMPORTANT SALE

—OF—

COSTLY FURNITURE AND EFFECTS, EASTERN RUGS, BRIC-A-BRAC, BRONZES, CHINA, FINE SILVER-PLATED WARE, Etc.

Also the very valuable private collection of about 150 OIL AND WATER COLOR PAINTINGS, including several Pictures by Eminent Artists.

Sale of the Furniture at No. 4 EDGEHILL AVE., on the 10th of APRIL.

And the Collection of Pictures.

After being duly exhibited will be sold at the undersigned's salesroom, on the 20th of APRIL.

Catalogues are being prepared. This sale is by order of the executors, and will be of unusual interest.

Further particulars will duly appear.

WALTER M. KEARNS, Auctioneer.

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NEAT FURNITURE

"Layton Bros," Upright Piano, Valuable Violin, Mandolin, Etc,

The undersigned will sell by public auction

At No. 404 SANGUINET STREET, (Off the south side of St. Louis Square), on WEDNESDAY, 27th MARCH, AT 2 O'CLOCK P.M.

The contents of a very attractively furnished flat, including splendid upright piano (almost new), violin by the celebrated French maker "Gabriel Maguierl" inlaid mandolin, mahogany parlor chairs and sofas, fancy tables, Brussels and Axminster carpets, good oilcloth, golden oak buffet, oak extension table, plated-ware, china and glassware, "Raymond" sewing machine, imported iron bed, best hair mattresses, mahogany dressing bureaus, oak book case, lady's desk, lounge, clocks, "R. & W. Kerr" gas stove, refrigerator, etc.

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Important Sale Registered Cattle.

The undersigned has received instructions from MESSRS. DAWES & CO. (who are giving up their dairy business), to sell by public auction, absolutely without reserve, at "WILLOWS FARM," LACHINE, on

FRIDAY, 26th April, at 1 O'Clock,

their well-known herd of pure-bred Cattle, including 20 AYRSHIRES and 21 JERSEYS. Also 8 Pure BERKSHIRE PIGS.

Catalogues are being prepared.

Further particulars will be duly advertised.

WALTER M. KEARNS, Auctioneers.

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590 CADIEUX STREET, AUCTION SALE

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.

Parlor Chairs and Sofas, Pictures, Ornaments, Carpets, Curtains, B. W. Sideboard, Extension Table, Chairs, Crockery and Glassware, B. W. Bedroom Sets, Toiletware, Stoves, Etc., Etc.

Sale at the above address on

WEDNESDAY MORNING, 27TH, MARCH, AT 10 O'CLOCK.

WALTER M. KEARNS, Auctioneer.

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Preliminary Notice

AUCTION SALE

FARM STOCK of Horses, lot of Choice Feed, Implements, Waggons, Carts, Harness, etc., by order of MR. JOHN T. CLARK, at his farm, PETITE COTE, on

WEDNESDAY, 3rd APRIL, at 1 P.M.

Particulars later.

WALTER M. KEARNS, Auctioneer.

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MR. F. N. McGUIGAN RETURNED FROM WEST.

Mr. F. H. McGuigan, fourth vice-president of the Grand Trunk railway, returned from the west on Saturday. Mr. McGuigan declined to discuss his appointment as vice president and general manager of the Great Northern preferring he said, to let announcements come from other sources. Mr. Hill has already confirmed the report.

Mr. McGuigan was in attendance last week at the annual convention of the American Railway Engineering and Maintainance of way Association. At that meeting Mr. William McNab, assistant chief engineer of the Grand Trunk was elected vice president.

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K. Wm II, April 9,	1 p.m.	Kronprinz, May 21,	10 a.m.
Kronprinz, Apr. 25,	noon	Kaiser, June 4,	10 a.m.

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CAPTAIN "JIMMY" CRAIG IS TO PLAY RUGBY AGAIN

That is What he Promised Billy Murphy at the Football Dinner on Saturday, for the Latter Would Not Sit Down Till he Did.

There was an informal dinner at the Windsor of the Montreal Rugby Football Club, on Saturday at which a presentation was made to the members of the Montreal Rugby Football team, in commemoration of their successful season last year, when they won the championship of the Quebec Rugby Union. The presentation took the form of a gold ring and a group photograph to each member of the team. Another presentation was made to the team and rendered such thanks for the gifts, this time to the president, Dr. A. D. Irvine, and the captain, Jimmie Craig, by the members of the team. It took the form in each case of a small silver football, mounted on a pedestal upon which the names of the championship team were engraved.

The dinner, though informal, was a most successful, and a very enjoyable time was spent. Among those present were Dr. Cameron, Jimmy Craig, Benoit Lesse, Ted Savage, Fred. Reid, Dr. Irvine, Victor Buchanan, and E. M. O'Brien, Percy Roberts, Davidson, Billy Murphy, Hammy Gordon, Norseworthy, Walter Molson, Percy Molson, Kelly, Brownrigg, Armstrong, Rogers and Ryan.

Davidson attended the dinner on crutches. Many speeches were made, and one of the most effective was that of Billy Murphy, who would not sit down till he had the promise of Captain Craig that he would play again, and Dr. Irvine that he would manage the team again.

"Three men were absent. Allison, who is in Stinson, who is in Hamilton on a vacation, and Ernie Russell, who was busy scoring goals for the Wanderers in Winnipeg.

CURLING IN SWITZERLAND.

Anxiety: The Curler has "Delivered His Stone."

Watching His Shot.

SCOTS AT DAVOS PLAYING A CURLING MATCH.

Nothing could be more remarkable than the spread of the Scotch game of curling in Switzerland within the last two or three years. In every one of the pleasure resorts special curling rinks have been laid down over and above the skating rinks, and hundreds of tons of curling stones from the granite quarries of Scotland have been imported, at considerable expense, by hotel-keepers, who realize that these accessories of winter sport are now as essential as toboggans and skis. Davos, St. Moritz and Gridelwald have hitherto been the headquarters of Swiss curling; but clubs have now been started at such comparatively new resorts as Montana, Villars, Celerina and Klosters; and the biggest curling event of the year—the great Bonspiel—is held at Kandersteg, in the Bernese Oberland. Twelve score enthusiastic Scots travelled a week ago in a special train from Glasgow to London and in another special from Calais to Frutigen (the Kandersteg terminus) to take part in this giant match, with others who came from the various Swiss resorts. The Bonspiel lasts a whole week, and is unique of its kind. Curling at the other resort is rather Anglicised, but at Kandersteg it is "the real thing," as played north of the border for many hundreds of years past.

List of Players Who Leave the Eastern Men Who go to Major League Clubs or Smaller Leagues

When the Eastern League season of 1907 opens next month, fifty or more players who were in the circuit last season will be cavorting about on diamonds in other leagues. Fourteen of these players will be found on major league teams, but whether they will last in faster company is yet to be seen. Toronto does not lose any in the lot, but it is interesting to local fans.

The list of changes are as follows:

Grant, third base, of Jersey City, to Philadelphia Nationals.

Brockett, pitcher, of Buffalo, to New York Americans.

Mullen, second base, of Baltimore, to New York Nationals.

Storke, third base, of Providence, to Pittsburg.

Brodie, outfielder, of Newark, to Trenton.

Barrett, left fielder, of Rochester, to Boston Americans.

Moriarity, pitcher, of Newark, to Grand Rapids.

Huelsman, outfielder, of Montreal, to Pittsburg.

Mowrey, third base, of Baltimore, to Cincinnati.

Barton, catcher, of Providence, to Trenton.

Lachance, first base, of Providence, to Waterbury.

Seibach, outfielder, of Providence, to Harrisburg.

Harley, outfielder, of Providence, to Trenton.

Jennings, manager, of Baltimore, to Detroit.

Wallace, right field, of Rochester and Toronto, to Haverhill.

Rauh, center field, of Montreal, to Lancaster.

Gatins, shortstop, of Newark, to New Orleans.

Wagner, shortstop of Newark, to Boston Americans.

Mason, pitcher, of Baltimore, to Cincinnati.

Yancey, outfielder, of Rochester and Toronto, to Scranton.

Grubb, infielder and pitcher of Rochester, to Hartford.

Butler, catcher, of Jersey City, to Brooklyn.

Mocklman, pitcher, of Jersey City, to Louisville.

Sweeman, catcher, of Rochester, to Utica.

Mack, pitcher, of Jersey City, to Philadelphia Nationals.

McCauley, catcher of Newark, to Wilmington.

Moren, pitcher, of Jersey City, to Philadelphia Nationals.

Case, pitcher, of Rochester, to Kansas City.

Henley, pitcher, of Rochester, to Brooklyn.

Hardy, pitcher, of Providence, to Washington.

ENGINEERS BEAT FUSILIERS BOWLING

The Engineers' Bowling Team played the Fusiliers a return match on Saturday evening at the Colonial Alleys, St. Lawrence Main street, and defeated the Fusiliers by 159 pins. After the match, both teams adjourned to the Fusiliers' quarters, where a few social hours were spent.

Mr. Michael O'Brien kindly acted as referee. The teams and scores were as follows:

ENGINEERS.

J. Richardson	169	178	151—498
J. E. Townsend	138	157	174—467
R. Lyle	94	116	81—291
F. White	179	147	130—447
F. Adams	184	210	155—549
T. Cunningham	193	157	171—521
Total			2773

FUSILIERS.

R. Edison	137	160	137—434
E. Foote	157	134	155—446
W. A. Roberts	94	147	121—362
W. E. Birtles	151	165	145—461
C. L. Morrice	148	170	167—485
W. Davidson	136	148	142—426
Total			2614

Majority for Engineers..... 159

LEWIS AND GANS.

They Will Probably Be Matched Again.

Special to The Montreal Star.

Detroit, Mich., March 25.—A cash deposit of $1,000 was made last night by E. W. Dickerson, manager of Harry Lewis, to back up a challenge in behalf of his protege to Joe Gans to battle for the lightweight championship of the world. Dickerson names 136 ringside as his weight figure, and makes contention that as it was the weight called for in the articles when Gans won the title from Erne, the colored champion should be willing to make the same concession to Lewis. The announcement is made also by Dickerson that $1,000 can stand as a side bet, on the result, if the men are matched, and that the amount will be increased to $5,000 by H. W. Melenbacker, of Grand Rapids, who is backing Lewis.

STAR'S BASEBALL COMPETITION.

As has been the custom in the past, the Montreal Star will again hold a Baseball competition this year.

It will offer two prizes, consisting of a season ticket for a lady and one for a gentleman.

Coupons will be printed from time to time till the 24th of May. The first coupons sent in respectively by a lady and gentleman giving the percentage of the Montreal team, the nearest to what it will actually be after the games on the 24th of May have been played, will win the prizes.

Only one coupon will be received from any one person each day. The first coupon will appear some day this week.

NEW LOCAL MANAGER OF ROYALS IS HERE

He is a Well-Known Horseman and Says if Royals do not do Well it Will not be Because They do not get Enough Money.

His name has been read by hundreds in connection with what is best in horse racing in the United States, but he is not here in connection with the coming races of the new Montreal Jockey Club.

He is here in connection with the Montreal Baseball Club.

He is the new local business manager of the Royals.

For years he has been Mr. Frank Farrell's confidential man, and he was selected this year to look after the Royal team, and to see that everything was done, which the management can do, to make the team a winning one.

RESEMBLES PAT POWERS.

He is a pleasant spoken gentleman. In general appearance, particularly when he takes off his hat, he resembles the immortal Pat Powers once more president of the Eastern League.

He is only here on a flying visit.

To-morrow he will leave for Hampton, Virginia, and travel with the team till the opening of the season.

He saw the team off under Kittredge's charge, when it left for the South, and he says they looked in excellent condition.

He states that the players will receive such excellent treatment that there will be no excuse for them not to get near the top.

He also announces that as usual there will be two ladies' days. One entirely free and one with free admission to the grounds when admission to the grand stand only will have to be paid for.

Needham was with the team, but Morgan and Hartman, the two lawyers, will not join till later on, as they are studying law.

ONE OF OUR BALL TEAM MISSING

Buffalo, N.Y., March 25.—Manager Malachi Kittredge, of the Montreal Baseball Club is anxious about George Needham, the Buffalo boy, who is signed by Montreal to play second base. Needham went down south to play in the hotel league at Miami Beach, Fla., but repeated messages to the speedy infielder have brought no answers. Needham was written to by Kittredge about ten days ago. No reply came and another letter was sent to the player. Still no answer came and then the third letter proving futile, Kittredge became exasperated with the local boy and sent advice on to Buffalo and asked that inquiry be made here. Harry Shortal was pressed into service in the search for Needham and Kittredge stated that unless he heard from Needham he would not bother with him, but would release him here peremptorily. Needham is one of the fastest infielders who was ever turned out of this city. He played a great game last year as captain and second baseman for Columbia in the Sally League. He batted better than ever and his act in not responding to the manager's inquiries is not understood by his friends here.

The Buffalo players who went south are about due to return as they were to have started for New York by boat last Sunday night.

The only explanation that the friends of Needham can give is that he thinks that his job is secure and he may not consider it necessary to answer. Still it may be probable that he has gone to some city to his friends and the letters never reached him. No matter which it is figured the infielder may lose his position in fast company unless he gets a stir on himself and writes or telegraphs to Kittredge.

A Chess Draw Again.

New York, March 25.—The seventh intercollegiate chess match by cable between the American universities, Columbia, Harvard and Yale, and the British universities, Oxford and Cambridge, for the Isaac I. Fice trophy, resulted after a hard fight in a draw. Each side won two games, the other two games being drawn. Brackett, Harvard, and Wolff, Columbia, won their respective games for America, and Hanning and Roughton, both of Oxford, scored victories for England. The trophy is now in custody of Oxford and Cambridge, which won the last decisive match. The contest last year resulted in a draw.

New Boxing Law.

Augusta, Maine, March 25.—The first boxing bouts in Maine, under the new law allowing six-round fights with no decision, were held Saturday in City Hall. Have Deshler, of Cambridge, Mass., and Arthur Cole, of Biddeford, appeared in the main contest. The work of both men was slow. Cole appeared to be the stronger at the close.

The Ten Thousand Dollars Crescent City Derby Was Won by the Favorite on Saturday

New Orleans, March 25.—Chinn and Forsythe's Montgomery, the favorite, won the $10,000 Crescent City Derby with a length to spare, Temaceo, winner of the California Derby, was second, while Gargantua, at 75 to 1, was third, with a neck's lead over Yankee Girl, winner of last week's City Park Derby, and second choice in to-day's betting.

Montgomery's victory was a splendid exhibition of speed. The nine starters in the race rounded the far turn into the stretch so closely bunched that it looked like anybody's race. Up to that point Montgomery had been as bad as fourth, having been cut off at the first turn by Sir Toddington and Morales, Montgomery came through on the turn into the stretch in the lead, with Sir Toddington and Yankee Girl at his heels. From that point until the finish Montgomery, running steadily as a clock, worked his length out.

Yankee Girl looked dangerous for a moment, but her race was ended in a pocket at the eighth pole. The value of the race to the winner was $8,000.

The weather was clear and hot, and the track fast.

In the other events of the afternoon two new track records were made. Mollie Montrose lowered the four furlongs record by a fifth of a second, and Gamester cut the two mile record fractionally.

First race, 6 furlongs, selling: Donna Elvira, won; Boserian, second; Posing, third. Time, 1.13 3-5.

Second race, 4 furlongs—Mollie Montrose, won; Monthert, second; Bitter Sir, third. Time, 47 3-5.

Third race, 5 furlongs—Colloquy, won; Southern Cross, second; Charlie Eastman, third. Time, 1.06.

Fourth race, 2 miles, selling—Gamester, won; Dr. Young, second; Sanction, third. Time, 3.30 3-5.

Fifth race, Crescent City Derby, $10,000; 1 1-8 miles: Montgomery, won; Temaceo, second; Gargantua, third. Time, 1.53 2-5.

Sixth race, selling, 2 miles—Amber Jack, won; Layson, second; Mae Lynch third. Time, 3.32 1-5.

Seventh race, 1 1-16 miles—Agra, won; Bye Bye, second; Delmore, third. Time, 1.47 1-5.

SHAMROCKS TO GO TO BROOKLYN

The Crescent Athletic Club has sent the following lacrosse schedule for this season on the Crescent grounds to Montreal:—April 6, Columbia University; April 13, New York Lacrosse Club; April 20, Harvard University; April 27, Swarthmore College; May 4, New York Lacrosse Club; May 9, Stevens Institute; May 11, Philadelphia; May 18, Mount Washington, at Baltimore; May 25, Toronto University; May 30, Toronto University; June 1, Bradford Lacrosse Club; June 8, Mount Washington; June 15, Tuscarora Indians; June 22, Toronto A.A.A.; June 29, Shamrocks of Montreal.

Visits have been arranged with the following named Canadian teams:—Toronto University, Bradford, Tuscarora Indians, Young Torontos, and Shamrocks of Montreal.

The Crescents will be stronger than ever this year. L. J. Doyle is again manager, and Archie Allan, formerly of Toronto, is captain.

WELLER AND NICHOL.

They Will Meet at Riverside Park To-night.

Billy Weller and Wesley Nichol are in fine condition for their 15-round bout at Riverside Park to-night. Nichol will have a few pounds advantage in weight, and is a favorite in the betting at odds of 8 to 7, but the local boy says he never felt better and feels confident of winning. They are both clever shifty boxers, and the fight should be one of the best yet seen here. Local fight fans have been anxious for some time to see their pair clash in the ring, and there will no doubt be a big crowd on hand when they face each other to-night. There will be two good preliminaries, and Collie Allan, of Ottawa, will be seen in one of them.

HANLAN ATHLETIC SANTA CLAUS NOW

Toronto, March 25.—Ned Hanlon proposes to give some of his many valuable prizes as perpetual trophies to encourage Canadian scullers and oarsmen. He proposes to hand over to the C. A. A. O., the first real championship trophy he ever won, the Ontario championship belt, which he annexed on the Bay here, in 1876. It is his intention to offer it for the senior sculling honors of Canada.

When a mere lad, Hanlon won the championship cup of Burlington Bay, in 1874. Now that an effort is being made to revive rowing in Hamilton, Ned proposes to turn that trophy over to the Hamilton Boat Club as a perpetual cup for the championship of the Bay here, as it was originally.

When Hanlon first went to England to row for the championship of England, they had a cup there emblematic of the title valued at $1,000. Ned won it twice, and finally, by the consent of all parties concerned, it was turned over for competition as the emblem of the world's championship. Hanlon won it again, and it became his property.

It is this famous trophy that the great oarsman proposes to hand over to the C. A. A. O. as a perpetual trophy for eights, to be the Grand Challenge Cup of Canada. It would be named after Mr. Hanlon.

When Hanlon won the championship of England in 1879, his friends over there presented him with a painting of himself in his shell on the Tyne during his race with Elliott. It is 12 feet by 7 feet, and is valued at $500. The frame alone cost $300. This painting he proposes, if his children will consent, to hand over to the city, to be placed in the corridors of the City Hall.

JAY GOULD, COURT TENNIS CHAMPION

Boston, March 25. — Jay Gould, the eighteen-year-old son of George J. Gould, of New York, successfully defended his title to the court tennis championship of America Saturday, by defeating Joshua Crane, jr., on the court of the Tennis and Racquet Club, of this city. Crane is a member of the club, and was the title holder until two years ago. Four sets were necessary to decide the contest. The scores were 6—1, 4—6, 6—2, 6—2.

Gould will sail for England on Tuesday, to try for the British championship.

The result of Saturday's game was not unexpected, except in the second set, the local player could make but little headway against the speedy young champion. Gould played a floor game continually, and by playing defense, gave Crane very little chance of reaching the openings. At no stage did the champion appear weak in either his service or his returns.

WILL BASKET BALL BE FORBIDDEN BY Y.M.C.A.?

Physical Directors Who Have Made a Study of the Subject Claim That the Game is Detrimental to the Health and Morals of Players.

Toronto, March 25. Will basketball be forbidden in the Y.M.C.A.? is the question that is agitating the minds of many admirers of the game, who for some time past have detected a tendency among physical directors and others to discourage the pastime.

So far any opposition encountered by the devotees of the sport on this side of the line, at least, has been more sentimental than real, but the movement, if indications count for anything, will soon take concrete form and it will not surprise close observers of the trend of events if the game received a severe set-back before next season.

Just where the opposition originated is not quite clear, but that it is a reality and constantly growing in strength among physical directors throughout Canada there is no room to doubt.

STRENUOUS AND NERVE WRACKING.

"The game has been receiving more attention than it is entitled to, to the detriment of other and more healthy and invigorating branches of athletic effort," explained a prominent Y.M.C.A. worker.

"It is the most strenuous and nerve wracking indoor sport in the athletic world. This is generally acknowledged, and the fact has led a number of physical directors to make inquiries into the effects of the game on the system in general, and these inquiries have convinced many that it should be discontinued in our Y. M. C. A.'s.

"Apart from the game itself and its injurious physical effects upon the boys, it is felt that in encouraging it the Y. M. C. A. is making a rather radical departure from the course it professes to follow. After all it is not the policy of the association to monopolize and to deal the trophies that are put up for athletic competition.

"Too close pursuit of athletics is liable to cause us to forget that one of our main objects is to prepare a boy morally as well as physically for the battle in after life.

"We cannot give basketball credit for stimulating the moral side of the boy. Rather do many authorities claim that it warps his nature, stimulates too keen a spirit of competition and develops as few other sports do the win at all cost tendency.

"Thus we find the player resorting to mean degrading tricks in order to win games. I contend also that it brutalizes a boy, and my observation leads me to believe that the longer the game is participated in, the rougher the player grows.

"Further, from the gymnasium standpoint the encouragement of basketball works a hardship to other members who are not devoted to the game. In fact it frequently happens that the entire membership of a Y. M. C. A. is deprived of the use of the gym. for athletic exercise just to accommodate ten players who wish to play basketball.

This Man Wants British Columbia Represented On Any Lacrosse Team That Goes to Australia

Rossland, B.C., March 25. A. B. MacKenzie, who is a veteran lacrosse player of Eastern Canada, as well as the coast, in speaking of the sending of a lacrosse team to Australia this season, Saturday said:

"Western Canadian lacrosse players should certainly have an opportunity of going abroad on an all-Canadian team. Take British Columbia, for instance, when lacrosse was languishing in the East early nineties, the game was maintained in this province with the result that the New Westminster team went East and gave all the teams there many pointers on which they have since been supporting themselves. The Eastern Canadian papers said New Westminster was playing old fashioned lacrosse, but nevertheless they won all their matches with the exception of a draw with Toronto, and played under adverse circumstances to them. They met and defeated Shamrocks, Montrealers, Capitals, of Ottawa (champions that year) and Cornwalls. In the following season it was quite noticeable that the style of playing of the New Westminster team was adopted by all of the ten-notchers of the East. Not only that, but the leading teams at the coast are at present able to cope with the best in Canada, which goes to show that if a representative Canadian team is to go to Australia, New Westminster, Vancouver and Victoria should most certainly get a chance, and as there are also good players in the Kootenays, a great deal of good would come about by having the interior represented. I will be at the coast next week and will certainly do all I can to have British Columbia represented on any lacrosse team that may go to Australia."

New York Papers Admit That in Boxing Englishmen Hold the Centre of Stage at Present

It's the English pugilist, says a New York Exchange, that is furnishing all the food these days for the followers of the prize ring. As a matter of fact, the Britons hold the centre of the stage just now in this country. Take this Spike Robson. Ever since he came here he has been in the glare, but since he gave Tommy Murphy such a good argument in Philadelphia he appears to be a very significant person.

When Jack Palmer came here he furnished a bit of fresh news and made the people sit up and take notice because of his businesslike ways. He came here and almost in three breaths said he wanted to fight them all. He is soon to engage in a battle with Twin Sullivan in Los Angeles.

Here in New York there is a dearth of fight talk. What little the New Yorkers hear comes from Philadelphia or the far west. But even the reports have simmered down to almost nothing ever since the Mellody-Thomas fight.

In England they are always busy with the fighting game. Just now all England is interested in the coming battle between Owen Moran and Al Delmont, who are to fight next month for the world's bantamweight championship. Some people in England consider Moran the equal of Joe Bowker, but Billy Nolan, a good judge of a fighter's ability, says that Bowker is the greatest little fighter that England ever produced, and while he has only words of praise for Moran he does not consider the latter in a class with the boy who first wrested a title from Frankie Neil.

In England the fight enthusiasts are raving over Johnny Summers. Indeed, they think he is the greatest ever. They point out that if Spike Robson could make such a good showing against Tommy Murphy that Summers would make Murphy look like a piece of counterfeit American money. They think over there that Summers is Robson's superior. But do these same overzealous Britons remember Summers's visit to these shores and how he was bested in three-round bouts by a lot of fighters whom Murphy could whip in a round?

A Voice From The Stomach

A Bloodless Fight Between a Tablet and a Habit—The Tablet Wins.

At the age of 22, Clarence had good digestion. He had gastric juice that could dissolve doughnuts and turn apple skins into good blood corpuscles.

At the age of 24 he began to be profuse about the waist and lean backwards. He also began to cultivate several chins. In his new-found pride he began to think it his duty to gorge himself on everything, the good and the bad, for appetite feeds on appetite—and every good thing is abused.

His pictures showed that he took on weight after he put his collar on.

At the age of 26 Clarence married and went to boarding. On top of all this, he attended oyster suppers and wine dinners, which reduced the size of his collar from 16½ to 15. With still abiding faith in the strength of his stomach he gulped his meals, and chewed them afterwards.

At the age of 28 Clarence began to hear an inward voice—a warning from the stomach. After each meal, he would feel bloated—and belching became a habit.

He began to be a light eater—and a heavy thinker. He tried to think out a cure, for now he would sit down at his meals absolutely disgusted at the thought or sight of anything to eat.

He would sit down at his meals without the trace of an appetite, just because it was time to eat.

He would often feel a gnawing, unsatisfied "still-hungry" feeling in his stomach, even after he was through eating, whether his meal was well cooked or not.

And he suffered a good many other things with his stomach that he could not explain, but that made him grouchy, miserable, out-o'-sorts and generally sour on everybody and everything.

Finally he read an account, something like this, about the truly wonderful results obtained from Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets in all cases of stomach trouble, dyspepsia, and so on. He bought a 50c box at the drug store, and took the whole box. When he started, he had little faith and less appetite. When he finished he had absolute faith—and more appetite, and more good cheer. Things began to taste different and better to him.

Now he has no more dyspepsia, no more indigestion, no more loss of appetite, brash, irritation, burning sensation, heartburn, nausea, eructations, bad memory, or loss of vim and vigor.

Remember, one ingredient of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets will digest for you 3,000 grains of food, just as it did for Clarence.

This relieves your stomach of the work of digesting until your stomach can get strong and healthy again. Your stomach has been overworked and abused. It's fagged out. It needs a rest.

Let Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets do the work of your stomach. You will be surprised how fine you'll feel after eating, and how lusciously good everything will taste to you.

Heed the call of the stomach now! There's a world of good cheer in one box of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets—at any drug store, 50c.

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Complicated watches carefully repaired. R. Hemsley, 255 St. James street.

FENCING TOURNEY OF M'GILL MEN

The team competition which had been announced to take place between the M.A.A.A. and the McGill Fencing Clubs in the McGill Union on Saturday night, did not materialize, but a pool competition was held instead. Three members of each club took part, every man fencing with each of the other competitors, and counting the first three points for a bout.

Mr. J. de G. Beaubien, McGill, won first place with seven hits recorded against him. Mr. Williamson, M. A. A. A., and Prof. Nobbs tied with eight hits against each, and in fencing off, Mr. Williamson won second place in the competition, scoring three hits to Prof. Nobbs' two. Mr. Brown, M. A. A., held fourth place with ten hits against; Dr. F. Scrimger, McGill, fifth with thirteen hits, and Mr. Desbarats, M.A.A.A., sixth with fifteen hits.

The bouts were fast and well contested.

Dr. Chiaramonte, who last year, as a member of the McGill Club, won the fencing championship of Canada, acted as referee.

The annual meeting of the McGill Fencing Club was held on Friday evening, and reports of a very successful season were received. Mr. Beaubien was winner of the club championship, with Prof. Nobbs second and Mr. H. Millar third.

The following officers were elected:

Hon. president—Prof. C. H. McLeod.

President—H. Slingsby, Sci. '09.

Secretary-Treasurer — W. Spencer, Sci. '08.

Committee—C. S. Burgess and F. Scrimger.

Swimming Records Broken.

St. Louis, Mo., March 25.—A world's and an American indoor record were broken at the aquatic meeting here Saturday between the Missouri Athletic Club and the Illinois University. The Missouri Club won every event.

A. M. Goessling, M.A.C., reduced the American record for the back-stroke for 100 yards, two seconds by negotiating the distance in 1.17 2-5, while E. P. Swatek, of Illinois, in the fifty yard event, clipped one second off the world's record. Time, 34 2-5.

NEARLY ALL TIGERS WILL PLAY AGAIN

Special to the Montreal Star.

Hamilton, Ont., March 25.—The semi-annual meeting of the Hamilton Football Club was held on Saturday night, at which Hugh Murray, honorary president, who occupied the chair, stated that nearly all of last year's players had announced their intention of remaining in the game for at least another year, and that consequently the Tigers would again make a strong bid for the Ontario and Canadian championship. The financial statement presented by Treasurer Agnew was the most satisfactory in the history of the club. The receipts for the season amounted to $7,753.32, and the disbursements were $1,695.14 less. It was decided to hand over $1,400 to the trustees of the Grounds fund, and to leave the balance in the treasury.

EVERTON WON AGAIN IN SEMI-FINALS ASSOCIATION CUP.

Special Cable to The Standard.

London, March 25.—In the semi-finals for the Association Cup, Sheffield Wednesday beat Woolwich Arsenal, 3 goals to 1; Everton beat West Bromwich Albion, 2 goals to 1.

Allen Fought Draw.

Ottawa, Ont., March 25.—Billy Allen, champion welterweight of Canada, met Al. Fellows, of Yonkers, N.Y., in a boxing bout, on Saturday night. They fought 15 rounds, Allen went down for 9 seconds in the last round. The bout was declared a draw. The affair took place in Hull.

Excursion to New York City.

Early application should be made for sleeping car accommodations for New York excursion via Rutland route, Thursday, March 28th. City office, No. 130 St. James st. Phones Main 158 and 4456.

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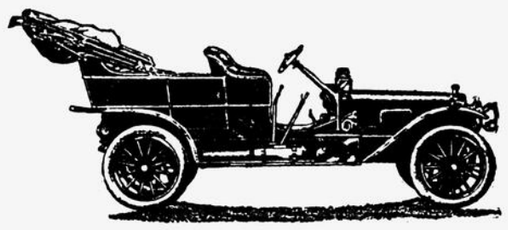

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Tremblay Gets Victory.

Lewiston, Me., March 25.—At City Hall Saturday the decision in the wrestling match between Eugene Tremblay, of Montreal, and Wilfred Barrett, of Lewiston, was given to Tremblay on a foul. The men were to wrestle at catch-as-catch-can. Tremblay won the first fall. During the second fall Barrett used a straggle hold, which was barred.

TOO HOT TO BOWL IN ST. LOUIS TOURNEY

St. Louis, March 25.—The unseasonable hot weather Saturday had the effect of reducing to a considerable degree the spirited animation of contestants in the American Bowling Congress tournament. J. Hubbard, of Cleveland, Ohio, over-estimated his strength in combating the heat, and was taken to the city hospital for treatment.

Many of the bowlers declared that the abnormal condition of the weather was responsible for the comparatively low scores so far made. The regular programme was repeated Saturday, beginning with two-men teams bowling, followed by individual contests, and concluding with five-men team work.

The highest score made in the final flight of two-men teams was by E. Alfred and A. Toemmel, Chicago, 1,155.

The highest score in the final flight of the individual class Saturday, was by C. L. Ketter, Indianapolis, 617.

New York, March 25.—Thomas Hueston, of St. Louis, retains the world's continuous pool championship as the result of the final night's play with Jerome Keogh, of Buffalo.

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Daily Average	62,572
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MONDAY, MARCH 25, 1907.

"WOMEN, WINE AND GRAFT" DEBATE TO-MORROW.

Mr. Bourassa will again to-morrow formally confront Parliament with its responsibilities in connection with the Fowler insinuations. The last time Mr. Bourassa performed this duty, Parliament was very impatient with him. Why should he call the attention of the public to its decidedly unimposing attitude just when it was silently crawling under the barn? In a little time, it flattered itself, the people would have forgotten just where—and why—it had crawled in; and here was that bad boy Bourassa dancing up and down and attracting a lot of unnecessary notice at the very moment when the august form of Parliament was neither in a posture which might have been mistaken for prayer nor yet wholly out of sight under the friendly "barn."

What Parliament seems to desire in this case is a public which will "forget some things." It would apparently be quite willing to let the whole matter go by default. It is true that one member did insinuate that certain other members—including some Ministers—had been guilty of misconduct in connection with "women, wine and graft." But Parliament appears to be ready to forgive and forget all that. Having an abundance of the article, it is willing to turn to the smiter as much more "cheek" as may be necessary to avoid resenting the insult. It is a cowardly spirit which it thus displays; but Parliament is possibly in the state of mind of the man who said that he had rather be known as a "coward" than as a "corpse."

If the conduct of the Ministry in this matter be the conduct of conscious innocence, then all human tradition as to the manner in which an innocent man deports himself must be astray. Let us suppose that Mr. Fowler had resented the meddling with his private affairs of the Ministers of some religious denomination, and that he had endeavored to frighten them into leaving him alone by threatening to expose from "data" their personal connection with "women, wine and graft," does any one imagine that they would have sat silent under this insulting imputation for a single minute? Would they not have demanded on the instant that Mr. Fowler make good his words; or wear henceforth the brand of a cowardly and wanton slanderer? Would they not, indeed, have gone farther and invoked the law to punish him for his libel, if he could not establish its truth? And would they not—what is even more important—continued to arraign any misconduct they had seen in what he called his "private business" with greater earnestness and more insistent vehemence than they had displayed before the threat? At least, it should not be said of them that his threat had cowed them into silence.

Now how does the conduct of the Ministers of the Cabinet square with this programme? Have they sat silent under Mr. Fowler's insulting imputation; or have they insisted that he proceed with his charges or retire from Parliament? Have they tried to punish him for his libel in the perfectly regular and customary Parliamentary manner by expelling him from the House if he fails to make good his insinuations? Have they even continued to arraign what a few weeks ago their supporters were jubilantly promising Mr. Fowler he would hear a good deal of before the session closed; and have they put "more earnestness" and "more insistent vehemence" into it since his "threat?" Have they not—as a matter of fact—carefully left Mr. Fowler alone since he uttered his menace; and is there any likelihood now that they will enquire further into the subjects dealt with by the Insurance Commission before this session rises?

As for the Opposition, does it want the truth to come out or does it not? Is it conscious of the fact that one of its members has bemeaned himself in such a way as to make all association of gentlemen with him impossible unless he is prepared to assume the full responsibility of his degrading insinuations? A sensitive Opposition would give Mr. Fowler about ten minutes in which to decide whether he will "make good" or relieve them of his presence. And a sensible Opposition would never expose itself to the suspicion of having joined the Ministry in a "conspiracy of silence" over a matter which concerns the honor and good name of Parliament.

It remains for Mr. Bourassa to make the escape of Parliament by the back door as difficult as possible. He should press home—not only the insinuations which Mr. Fowler uttered against the Ministers and their supporters—but also the revelations of the Insurance Commission which goaded Mr. Fowler into firing what he apparently now regards as his too hasty warning shot. Then Mr. Bourassa should follow up his demand that Parliament do its duty by pointing unmistakably to the way in which it should be done—that is, failing any adequate action by Mr. Fowler, he should move that that gentleman is not a fit and proper person to sit in Parliament.

There is still, of course, time for all concerned to take the course for which the country has been waiting. Mr. Fowler can rise to-morrow and make his charges—if he has any to make. Sir Wilfrid Laurier can rise to-morrow and notify Mr. Fowler that if he does not either make his charges or offer a full and abject apology for his insinuations, he will be kicked out of Parliament by the toe of the Government majority. Mr. R. L. Borden can rise to-morrow and tell Mr. Fowler that he must either clear himself in this unpleasant business, or else consider himself outside of the Conservative delegation to the House of Commons. Mr. Foster can rise to-morrow and entirely dissociate himself from Mr. Fowler's immoral proposal that there be a "saw off" in scandals between the two sides of the House.

There is time yet for Parliament to vindicate itself; but there is a sickening sensation throughout the country that it is too deep in the mire to do more than wriggle farther in.

A CANADIAN TO ASSIST BRYCE.

There is no need for anybody to be uneasy about what Mr. Bryce and Mr. Root are going to do with Canada. They do not own Canada. They probably have not the slightest intention of doing anything which will not gain the support of the Canadian Government. Britain had about all the experience she desired in over-riding Canadian opinion with respect to Canadian questions when Lord Aberstone performed his great act of showing generosity with other people's property; and Mr. Root ought to know by this time that if there be one sure way to make Canadians antagonistic to everything American, it is to try to over-reach them in a bargain with the Home Government.

Still the nervousness which is shown on this subject gives additional evidence of the need there is for a Canadian representative at Washington. The British Government has just refused to consider a proposal for tunnelling the English Channel on the ground that it would create a state of apprehension in Britain more to be dreaded than actual invasion. This question of a Canadian representative in Washington is much in the same position. Whatever he might do for us in reality he would certainly save us from these periodical attacks of "nerves." He would act as a national sentinel at a point particularly prolific in alarms; and we would sleep the easier when we knew that he was on guard.

Mr. Bryce himself would probably be the first man to welcome such assistance. He is a believer in local self-government. He is not a rough-riding Imperialist who would maintain that the interests of the Empire must be so exceedingly paramount that the interests of the states which make up the Empire must never be even considered. His task would be made the easier, and his path the safer if a Canadian were present to advise on Canadian questions. Even Mr. Root would find it profitable to have a Canadian in Washington who could tell him what to expect from the Canadian Government in the event of certain proposals.

HYMAN.

The Liberal press is calling for Mr. Hyman's resignation. They are nearer to the people than the Minister of Justice and his colleagues; and they know that the people have not been deceived to the slightest extent by the farce which Parliament and its Committee of Privileges and Elections has just played out. There is as good reason to-day why Hyman should give up the seat gained for him by corrupt and dishonest means as there was when he first attempted to write a resignation; and there is fairly good reason to infer from Mr. Hyman's willingness some weeks ago to come back and get to work that he is now sufficiently recovered from his illness to face the onerous task of writing a resignation in the presence of two other persons and affixing his seal thereto.

If Mr. Hyman does not resign promptly now—or produce a physician's certificate to show that his sickness is of an intermittent character and has come on him again—the belief will arise that there has been more behind the dilatory tactics of his friends in the House than a love of hair-splitting. There is no public reason why the resignation should be withheld a day. It is not an impossible distance between Ottawa and California; and there is a good mail service connecting them. Mr. Hyman can resign whenever he pleases, and, unless he was trying to "bunco" the country with his last attempt, he should now make good that intention by return mail. If he holds on to his seat after what has passed, he will put his colleagues in the House in a position so morally uncomfortable that even they—who ought to have grown somewhat callous to such experiences—can hardly fail to feel it. As for the Liberal press which must maintain some sort of an understanding with its subscribers, it will never dare defend such a course.

Parliament should have the resignation of Mr. Hyman in time to order an election before it rises.

"THE MORE THE MERRIER"

Our New Pavements.

To the Editor of the Montreal Star:

Sir,—If the city passed a by-law that not more than two inches of snow would be allowed during the winter to accumulate on sidewalks, the necessity of picks and axes at this period of the year would be rendered unnecessary. It is awful to witness the chunks of new asphalt and concrete taken from pavements laid down last summer and fall. At the present rate of destruction I may tell "Old Curiosity" the new pavements will not last three years.

ALPHA.

Women and Chivalry.

To the Editor of the Montreal Star:

Sir,—Women want the right to vote and meddle in the affairs of the country, and why not give it to them? Of course, take them on the same terms. What a nice sum would be added to the revenue if all single women of 21 years and over were ordered a poll tax! They have spoilt the wages in each and every capacity in which they have entered, and, having placed themselves on an equal plane with men, should be recognized as such. Give them equal rights and equal responsibilities. Chivalry should only apply to the aged and infirm. Raising of the hats, giving up car seats, paying their way in amusements, etc., and the various marks of chivalry and etiquette should be done away with. Women have descended from their exalted position, and must be treated with on a competitive basis.

CYNIC.

Women and Feathers.

To the Editor of the Montreal Star:

Sir,—I will be charmed to vote—if you vow never again to wear "aigrettes, wings, or dead birds." Where can we get an estimable and good-looking young man who will take up the cause of the birds? I notice that a man is always the champion of the underdog. Is it not the duty of Women's Clubs to "Hearts as tender as flowers that grow in the valleys grow . . . Will they help us to unfurl the snowy banner of true womanhood?"

SARTOR RESARTUS.

Miss Campbell's Heroism.

To the Editor of the Montreal Star:

Sir,—The general and generous response with which the Star's appeal for funds to raise a fund for a memorial to Miss Maxwell has been received shows how profoundly the public mind was stirred by the heroism of the Heroine principle. The form of that testimonial, I suppose, has yet to be decided upon, but before the Hochelaga holocaust has been forgotten, it seems to me that the bravery of Miss Campbell, the teacher of one of the upstairs juvenile classes, whose self-possession, energetic work and courage saved every soul of her little charges before she attempted to get out herself, and before the firemen even got their ladders up, should be made known to the Carnegie heroism medal committee or the Royal Humane Society, with a recommendation for a medal.

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RACE HORSES PERISHED.

Eleven Valuable Animals Burned to Death at Sheepshead Bay.

New York, March 25.—Eleven race horses were burned to death in a fire which destroyed three buildings at the Sheepshead Bay race track yesterday. Among the horses destroyed were Fine Cloth, Lady Prudence, Sir William Johnston, and the Star of the Ocean.

Owing to the isolation of the buildings the firemen had to travel three miles to reach the fire, and when they finally reached the spot the flames had spread to a kitchen adjoining the burning stable and to a house occupied by the boys connected with Watt's stable. The three buildings were burned, the loss is estimated at $80,000.

FIRE AT PITTSBURG.

Pittsburg, Pa., March 25.—An explosion in the plant of the Baird Machinery Company set fire to the building. The loss will exceed $250,000. The large warehouses of the May-Stern Furniture Company were threatened with destruction, but the firemen saved them with slight damage.

BREWERY DESTROYED.

Pottsville, Pa., March 25.—Fire of unknown origin destroyed the brewery of the Union Brewing Company and four tenement houses at Minersville, entailing a loss of $100,000.

SPORTING GOODS HOUSE.

Chicago, March 25.—The sporting goods house of A. G. Spaulding & Bros., was partly destroyed by fire, the damage being $50,000.

MANY POISONED BY HASH.

Nine Hundred Army Veterans Seriously Ill, and One Dead.

Leavenworth, Kansas, March 25.—Nine hundred of the veterans in the National Soldiers' Home, poisoned by hash, are in the hospital, while one death has already resulted. There are several hundred men in a critical condition. The Government physicians and nurses at the home have worked to the utmost, and probably succeeded in saving a score of men who were in a dying condition when found.

The infection worked slowly, nearly four hours elapsing between the eating of the meat at breakfast and the development of the symptoms. Then the men began to drop by scores.

Call to Brockville Church.

Special to the Montreal Star.

Brockville, Ont., March 25.—The congregation of the Presbyterian Westport Church has extended a unanimous call to Rev. A. G. Hondeau, of Casselman, Ont. It is thought he will accept it.

The hockey match was played in Winnipeg instead of Kenora. Trust a hockey player to gravitate towards the spot where the gate receipts are biggest.

C. P. R. stock was holding up all right until somebody tip-toes up and sawed away the props.

Move is being made to make the railroad trains go slower. Passengers have come to the conclusion that it is better to be late than dead.

Although the ceiling was the first thing to fall, the Douma is likely to hear something else drop if it manages to incur the anger of both the Czar and the Russian people.

While the Lunacy Commission is at it, the sanity of the lawyers in the Thaw case might also be investigated.

Some of the wise ones who were in the habit of buying stocks will now start over again and try the slower road to wealth.

The Stanley Cup has been withdrawn, but there will not be any locker-player row with Grand Duke Cyril when he realizes that he and his cronies cannot withdraw the money from the box-office.

Effort is being made to close up Montreal's opium dens. After this political pipe dreams will be the only kind allowed by law.

If the enterprising gentlemen who recently abstracted $40,000 from the French mails aren't aldermen, we cannot doubt that they enjoyed the advantages of a thorough aldermanic education.

FROM 40 TO 201, AND THEN DOWN TO 155.

Pretty soon the railroads will be trying to reassure travellers by printing testimonials of people who have travelled over their roads without getting killed.

An English seismologist says the earth has been "ominously quiet" for several weeks. Is it possible that the seismographs failed to record the recent disturbance in Wall Street?

If Mr. Rockefeller has millions for educating the Chinese, he might spend a part of them in teaching the yellow laundrymen to iron collars without putting saw teeth in the edges and without swiping the button-holes of the shirts for souvenirs.

One of the contractors on the Pennsylvania State Capitol is said to have made a profit of 4,205 per cent on his contract. He must have made his estimate with due allowance for the increased cost of living.

A servant who remained with one family forty-five years has just been awarded a medal. A good many families would be glad to award a medal to the servant who will stay with them forty-five minutes.

Tom Lawson is said to have made $2,500,000 the other day by not buying a copper mine. We refrain from buying copper mines every day in the year without gaining anything by it.

Money will do a great many things, but it will not remove the freckles from a man's conscience.

Harriman says that hereafter he will take the public into his confidence. Being in the confidence business naturally he will take the public in.

How can we hope to see a universal era of peace when plans are now under way to equip the Canadian navy with a new Elbert rifle?

IN WALL STREET.

And many a man who ventures there,
Amid its strife and sham,
Imagines he's a bull or bear,
When he is just a lamb!

It's an easy matter for a doctor to relieve a patient of his money.

LUCKY MAID.

Sapleigh—I can't understand why it is that you are always out when I happen to call, dorcher know.

Miss Bright—Oh, that's easily explained. I was born under a lucky star.

Thermometer went to 102 in the shade at Oklahoma City. Couldn't Montreal arrange to lay in a stock of the same kind of thermometers?

Old theories are constantly being exploded. Some time ago there was a prevalent idea that Kenora knew how to play hockey.

While not generally inquisitive we would nevertheless like to know whether this selection is from last winter's or next winter's repertoire.

Franco-Siamese Treaty Signed.

Bangkok, Siam, March 25.—The Franco-Siamese treaty has been signed.

Under the above treaty France obtains three rich provinces, Battanoburg, Hangkor and Sizephon, covering about 12,500 square miles of territory, in return for Port Kralt, the recession of Sansla and other minor cessions along the frontier. Advantageous settlement to both countries is made of all outstanding questions.

Owners Uphold Non-Union Men.

Kingston, Ont., March 25.—The Lake Seamen's and Longshoremen's Union have agreed not to work with non-union men. The vessel owners, who are determined to resist any attempt of the kind, affirm that at the lake ports they have received good service from non-union freight handlers, and they will not refuse to employ them this year should any offer their services.

Body Found in Toronto Bay.

Toronto, Ont., March 25.—What is supposed to be the body of Thomas Topping, of Deseronto, the second engineer of the ill-fated barge Resolute, which went down at the Eastern Gap last November, was picked up in Toronto Bay by Captain Kingston, of the tug Roy Mack.

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Splendid enthusiasm is the chief characteristic of the members of the Quebec Symphony orchestra, this feature was amply demonstrated in the concerts given in the Monument National on Saturday afternoon and Saturday night. At the night performance there was an attendance of not any too great proportion, vacant seats being only too evident. It was a great pity that there should have been such a large absence of the regular concert goers, because the organization is really worthy of generous patronage. However, there was marked appreciation on the part of such persons as did attend, and there was liberal applause after each number.

The orchestra consists of about forty-five players, a dozen being ladies, these latter are distributed among the first and second violins, one is harpist and one a flutist. The orchestra is strong in strings, there being sixteen violins, eight cellis, as many viola, two contra bassi and a harp. There are but a couple of reeds and two bassoons. There are four French horns, and the work of this section should commend itself to people who have listened to seasons of hopeful waiting for good local performances upon this instrument. The brasses of the orchestra are of fine quality, being impressive without overpowering the rest of the choir. The strings appeared to be earnest players and gained excellent effect.

The orchestra showed occasional faults in slipshod attack, but the performance was highly creditable and proved very enjoyable.

The feature number of the programme was Saint-Saens' Danse Macabre. This was done with fine appreciation of the purpose of the work, and in it Mr. J. A. Gilbert played an excellent offset. Goudon's Marche Festivale was well done. A suite by Missa suited the orchestra. The Barcarolle, A Night in Lisbon and a Polish Dance, completed the first part of the programme. The Danse Macabre and a valse de concert by Mr. Vezina were the orchestral contributions to the second part of the programme. Mr. J. A. Priestly and Miss A. Giguere sang. Mr. Vezina proved to be an energetic conductor and showed that he has been generous in the expenditure of labor with the members of the orchestra.

On Charge of Highway Robbery.

Joseph Demers appeared Saturday before Magistrate Lafontaine on a charge of highway robbery and assault. A plea of not guilty was entered by Demers, who was remanded for enquete. It is alleged that Demers assaulted Napoleon Garceau, of Lewis, Que., at the corner of St. James and St. Alphonse streets, three weeks ago, and stole $45 from him. The police had been looking for Demers since then, but could not lay their hands on him until Friday night, when they arrested him in a bar-room in West Notre Dame street. Lieut. Henrichon says that Demers tried to settle the case with Garceau last week by offering to pay back some of the stolen money.

VERDICT OF NOT GUILTY IN THE FRIGON CASE.

The jury in the Court of King's Bench, after deliberating for about two hours, rendered a verdict of not guilty in the case of S. H. Frigon, who was charged with conspiracy to defraud his creditors. It was alleged that in the month of June, 1905, Frigon, a jobber who carried on business in Montreal and in several towns, had transferred his dry goods store in St. Henri Ward to Napoleon Chaille. Subsequently, creditors who had sold a quantity of goods on credit, became suspicious of Chaille's operations, and upon finding part of the goods at the station of the Great Northern Railway, addressed to one of Frigon's relatives at St. Tite, and some in Frigon's possession, they caused both of them to be arrested in January last year on the charge of conspiring to defraud. Before the opening of the March term of the Court of King's Bench last year Chaille skipped his $500 bail and left the country, while the case of Frigon was deferred until this term.

After hearing the evidence, which took a part of the week, the jury acquitted Frigon. This practically means that Chaillee, who is still at large, is also discharged, as one man cannot conspire alone, according to law.

The case of Frigon closes the present term of the Court of King's Bench, and Judge Lavergne announced that he would pronounce sentences to-morrow morning.

Dr. Grenfell at Y.M.C.A.

At the Men's meeting at the Y. M. C. A. yesterday afternoon, Dr. Grenfell gave an interesting address. In plain, unassuming language, he told of his work in Labrador, the needs of that great country, and the means they were adopting in order to bring to them some of the comforts and privileges of our more centrally located cities. "I believe," said Dr. Grenfell, "that in order to reach a man with the Gospel of Christ, we must use means best adapted for wakening in him an interest and desire to live and be a better man." One of the means adopted in the past had been a weekly visit to the ships, living in port, the distribution of a few tracts, and an invitation to church. While this was good in its way it was not the best way to reach the sailors. Owing to the nature of their occupations they were not always welcome to the churches, feeling out of place in their surroundings, the result being they fled to the grog shops, which were all too common in the towns on the sea coast.

Dr. Grenfell, to overcome this, had opened a number of meeting places where men might meet with congenial good surroundings, where the influence of the grog shop would not be felt.

New officers of St. David's Welsh Society for the year are: Hon. President, Mr. Lansing Lewis; President, Mr. E. Pritchard; Vice-President, Mr. G. W. Bitnell; Corresponding Secretary, J. Jenkins, B.A.; Financial Secretary, T. J. Sinfield; Treasurer, Mr. D. Thomas. Executive Committee, Mr. Evan Jones, past president; Mr. Moses Roberts, Mr. Alfred Jones, Mr. David Ross, Auditor, Mr. J. Davies.

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The members are especially requested to attend the meeting on Wednesday evening, March 27th, 1907, business of importance. By-laws and amendments to by-laws to be considered.

By order of the N. G.,
S. J. BOLTON, Secretary.
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St. Andrew's Church Beaver Hall Hill. "The Lion of the Mediterranean and the Fake Prophet." Illustrated Lecture by REV. J. EDGAR HILL, D.D. **Monday 25th Inst., 8.15 p.m.** Collection for Ladies' Aid Society. 70*2

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THIS DATE 30 YEARS AGO.

The late Hon. Peter Mitchell.

The proceedings in the House of Commons last night were wanting in civility and decorum; the Premier's sharp, snappy reply to Mr. Masson was most discourteous. The latter ventured to suggest that the former had been misled in a certain manner, and received for reply a throw back that imputation with the utmost scorn with which it is capable of being thrown back. I can tell the hon. gentleman that I don't care what his opinion is." The Hon. Peter Mitchell administered a very caustic rebuke to the Premier on good manners and courtesy.

THE three Canadian statesmen mentioned played very important roles in their time in the political field of their respective provinces and the Dominion. Hon. Mr. Mackenzie, who represented Lambton, Ont., for a long period was Premier of the Dominion from 1873 to October, 1878 when he went out of office. Hon. Louis F. R. Masson represented Terrebonne in Parliament before and after the Union for many years. He was Minister of Militia in the Sir John A. Macdonald Cabinet from 1878 to 1880, when he resigned owing to ill-health. He was appointed Lieutenant-Governor of Quebec in 1884. Hon. Peter Mitchell represented Northumberland, N.B., in the Provincial Assembly and subsequently the House of Commons for many parliaments. He was a born politician and a hard hitter in debate. He was Premier of his native province on it joining Confederation and was the first Minister of Marine and Fisheries. The three have long since "crossed the bar."

The late T. James Claxton

Messrs. T. James Claxton and James Hutton will be the visiting governors to the Montreal General Hospital for the ensuing week.

BOTH the governors named were well known merchants and prominent in business circles. They had most charitable dispositions and generous in their aid financially to all the city hospitals and institutions for those in distress and needing a little help. The governors passed away long since.

At the fortnightly meeting of the Montreal Veterinary Medical Association on Wednesday last, in the lecture-room of the college an excellent address was delivered to the students by Mr. Louis H. Massue, the vice-president of the Board of Agriculture.

THE late Mr. Massue, who was Seigneur of Ste. Anne, county of Richelieu, represented his county in the House of Commons for several Parliaments. He was first elected in 1878. He was a wealthy farmer and well-known for his strong democracy on the policy of governments doing their utmost in encouraging young men to stop on the farms, instead of rushing into over-crowded professions.

Dark rumor was busy this morning round the City Hall Department, with the resignation of Ald. McCambridge and a couple of others. The composition of several of the committees is said to have caused considerable friction, and ill-feeling among the councillors.

THE late Mr. Cambridge was a member of the City Council for many years, and while there gave satisfaction to his constituents of St. Ann's Ward, at the way he voted on many occasions. He died many years ago.

CARS SHUNTED ON SUNDAY.

Companies Claim Work Was Necessary to Prevent a Tie Up.

Toronto, March 25.—In spite of the fact that the Lord's Day act is now law, and that it prohibits shunting of freight cars containing other than perishable produce in railway yards, both the Grand Trunk and Canadian Pacific worked as usual yesterday. Officials admitted they were breaking the law, as it now stands, but they stated the work was absolutely necessary to prevent a tie-up throughout both systems, which it would take several days to unravel. On the C. P. R. the men were told on Saturday night they did not need to return to work on Sunday, unless they desired, but the customary number were engaged yesterday, though the car repairers were told not to report.

QUIET SABBATH AT NIAGARA

Niagara Falls, Ont., March 25.—The new Lord's Day law was strictly enforced yesterday at Niagara Falls, not a souvenir, ice cream or tobacco and cigar stand being open, nor an American paper sold in the city. Many of the residents who indulge in such luxuries wended their way to the American city and spent the day and their money there, and the Canadian city was as quiet as a churchyard at midnight.

Candidate Chosen in West York.

Special to the Montreal Star.

Toronto, March 25.—At a convention of the West York Liberals held at Weston on Saturday, Mr. George W. Verral was the unanimous choice to be the standard bearer in the next provincial election against Hon. J. W. St. John, Speaker of the Legislature. Mr. Arch Campbell, M.P., was present and with others, addressed the gathering.

Steamer Bornu Arrives at Halifax.

Special to the Montreal Star.

Halifax, March 25.—The new Elder-Dempster steamer Bornu, Captain Skelton, which sailed from Liverpool on March 16, to go on the Canada-Mexico route, arrived in port on Saturday, after a very stormy voyage. The Bornu takes the place of the steamer Dahomey, which went ashore near Louisburg last spring.

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KARN HALL, TO-NIGHT, 8.30. **PEPPERCORN PIANIST** 50c to $2.00 at door.

S. A. A. A. Annual Meeting. The Annual Meeting of the Shamrock Amateur Athletic Association will be held in the St. Anns Young Men's Hall, Ottawa street, on Monday, March 25th, 1907, at 8.30 p.m., to receive directors' report and secretary-treasurer's statement, and the election of officers for the ensuing year. 68*4 W. P. LUNNY, Sec.-Treas.

M. A. A. A. Notice to Members. Arrangement has been made to have a complete report of the Kenora-Wanderer Stanley Cup Matches by direct wire. Bulletins will be read in the Gymnasium. JOHN DAVIDSON, Sec.-Treas.

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JUDGE THROWS OUT CASE.

Toronto, March 25.—Judge Winchester refused to permit the grand jury to take up the question of an indictment against the G. T. R. for failure to supply a two cent rate. The charge was originally laid against General Manager Hays, in the Police Court, and a conviction was registered. The Court of Appeal subsequently negatived that decision. Judge Winchester held that the section under which Mr. J. W. Curry, who represented the complainant, one Robertson, was asking to have the matter laid before the grand jury, did not apply.

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Chinese Dynasty Alarmed.

Washington, March 25.—From Shanghai advices received at the State Department, it appears that the ruling dynasty in China is seriously alarmed over the effect of the spread of famine through the country and the opportunity it offers to seditionary societies to enlist converts to the cause directed against the Government. The suffering of the people is used as capital, it is said, in that judicious assuaging of want places the persons given assistance under obligations to the societies.

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World Gossip

THE GOVERNOR OF JAMAICA.

The Swetenham-Davis episode is now as a tale not twice told, but repeated two hundred times, and has long since been relegated to the limbo of stale news. But though the incident itself has passed from public attention, considerable interest still attaches to the man who found the means of going the earthquake one better as a sensation, and who contrived to complicate the natural disorders of the time with the imminence of strained international relations. This interest, flattering or otherwise, received a revival very recently on the announcement of his resignation from the Governorship.

Mr. Richard Watson, of Chicago, spent some time in this city yesterday on his way back to the Windy City, after a stay of several weeks at Jamaica. In conversation with a Star reporter he spoke of Governor Swettenham and of the popular feeling towards him in the island colony. In this case it would seem that the popular feeling is that the Governor is rather unpopular.

"The Governor's resignation will certainly not come as a surprise to the people of Jamaica," said Mr. Watson, "as it has been confidently looked for almost ever since he wrote his famous letter to Admiral Davis. Nor is it likely to bring much regret, except to his personal friends, for he was far from being popular with the mass of Jamaicans. This is all the more striking, too, inasmuch as Governor Swettenham possessed considerable ability, and the excellence of his intentions was generally recognized."

"What, then, was the cause of his unpopularity?" was asked.

"It was due not so much to his own character as to the character of his administration, though, of course, this may be regarded as being in some measure the expression of his own personality. Jamaicans accuse him of too narrow views of the duties of the position he occupied, and of too hard and fast a devotion to the routine of the office. This seemingly led to his being opposed to every progressive move on the part of the colonies and his doing as much as possible to discourage their initiative. This was all the more galling to Jamaicans that they are now coming to realize more keenly every day the opportunities they possess and to demand more insistently what they deem to be their rights."

Asked what was thought in Jamaica with regard to Governor Swettenham's probable successor, Mr. Watson said that the feeling there was that the people themselves should have some voice in the matter this time, in view of the delicate position in which the island is placed as a result of the great earthquake, and in view, therefore, of the importance for the island of the choice of the new Governor. They realize that if the new official were to be a man of set ideas, who would not or could not adapt himself to the demands of the case, or if, again, he were to be utterly ignorant of the peculiar conditions of the country, his presence would be a greater hindrance than help, and might even be of the nature of a general calamity. So far as individuals are concerned, Mr. Watson stated that he believed Mr. Sydney Olivier, former Colonial Secretary, would be a very acceptable and popular choice.

A CHINESE RECREATION.

There is one force which the great Celestial Empire seems to possess in unlimited abundance, and that is the force of inertia. For about a thousand years or more China has been a distinct failure from the point of view of impetus, but she has been working up a splendid supply of inertia, and has now reached such a point of training that the hold-back muscles stand out in bunches. In 1898 there was a reform movement started there, but it was hit on the head after a brief and by no means frisky career, and was followed not long afterwards by the famous Boxer raid on the "foreign devils." Now it seems that the very latest and newest reform movement is likely to go the way of its predecessor, and that it, too, is likely to be followed by a period of intense reaction. This, at least, is the opinion of Mr. Howard L. Lee who is at present in this city on his way back to England after an uninterrupted stay of over two years at Shanghai.

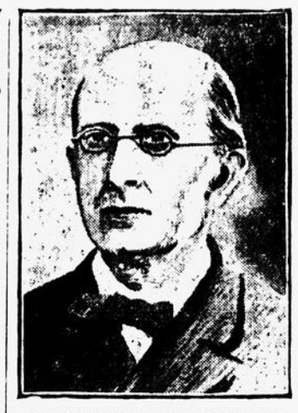
"In China," he said, "progress is apt to consist of one step forward and two backward. The course of reform never does run smooth, but it runs less smooth in China than in any other part of the world. This is about to be once more made plain in the case of the latest reform movement. When the edicts were first published some months ago everyone thought that they foretold a new era for China, but it now begins to be apparent that the promise they held out was little more than a bluff, and that in reality very little reform will be accomplished."

Mr. Lee stated that at present the party of reaction is very strongly in the ascendant at the Chinese Imperial Court, and that this ascendancy is being strengthened every day. The feeling of the Government is also shown in the tone of most of the late edicts, almost all of which display a marked reactive and anti-foreign tendency.

GOVERNMENT IN ALASKA.

A good deal of public attention has been drawn of late to the question of the form of government to be established in Alaska whether the country should continue to be administrative, as at present, or whether it should be raised to the dignity of a territory. Amongst Alaskans themselves are found advocates of both sides, though it seems as though the more responsible element, that is, the established merchant class, favors the continuance of present conditions. Mr. John J. Wilmott, of Seattle, who has spent considerable time in the Klondyke, and has only lately returned from a lengthy stay there, stated to a Star reporter at the Queen's yesterday that in his opinion it would be a great mistake to change the form of government of Alaska.

"If the desires of some of the people for a territory and all it means were to be granted," he said, "it would put a great additional burden on the country. It is true that a territory would bring with it perhaps a better administration of the country, that is, a closer and more detailed administration. But even granting this, the expense would be far beyond the advantages of such an establishment. It would mean that a revenue of three-quarters of a million would have to be raised, and to do this a tax of $25 per head would have to be imposed on every man, woman and child in the country. This would be far too much. The time is not ripe for a territorial government yet."



THE LATE M. POBIEDONOSTEFF.

FAMOUS RUSSIAN REACTIONARY DEAD

Pobiedonostseff Was Procurator of Holy Synod, and Leading Statesman.

St. Petersburg, March 25.—M. Pobiedonostseff, the famous ex Procurator General of the Holy Synod, is dead.

Constantini Petrovitch Pobiedonostseff, ex Procurator General of the Holy Synod of Russia and for many years one of the strongest reactionaries of the bureaucracy, lived many years of his life under the shadow of threats, and that he died in his bed must have been a source of some satisfaction to the friends of the man whose steps had been dogged for years by assassins.

Pobiedonostseff was born in Moscow in 1827, the son of the professor of Russian literature at the University of Moscow. The boy's early studies were under the care of his father until he entered the Imperial Law School at St. Petersburg in 1841. Immediately upon his graduation he took up a diplomatic career, his first charge being a clerkship in the chancellerie. This was when the young man was nineteen. His advance was rapid. One after another various legal positions in the General Assembly at Moscow were filled by him until in 1880 he was made Procurator General of the Holy Synod.

In his position as the civil head of the Orthodox Church of the Empire, Pobiedonostseff exercised an influence almost as great in the affairs of the State as that of the grand ducal cabal at St. Petersburg. In his hands were strings leading to every part of the civil machinery from the Czar down to the smallest headman of a village. For many years his influence over the Czar transcended that of the Grand Dukes themselves, and from that fact sprang the jealousy on the part of the bureaucrats which finally led to the Procurator's downfall.

During a large part of the Russo-Japanese War, and in the midst of the many revolutionary outbreaks that sapped the Government's strength at home, the Procurator General was the leading reactionary force behind the throne and was hatred of all the radicals. Many times his life was in jeopardy. More than once plots were frustrated just at the hour when the Procurator's life was to be attempted. Despite the danger Pobiedonostseff continued to urge upon the Czar and the bureaucracy bitter resistance to the demands of the revolutionists.

The Procurator's downfall was encompassed through the machinations of his rivals in the bureaucracy. In November, 1905, he tendered his resignation to the Czar and it was accepted.

SIX KILLED IN WRECK.

Two Fast Passenger Trains Collided on Santa Fe Railway.

Los Angeles, Cal., March 25.—A special train on the Santa Fe Railroad, carrying scores of students home from an Inter-collegiate meet at Claremont, collided head-on with the outbound limited train while both trains were moving at a rapid rate, within the city limits.

Six persons were killed, and seventeen injured, several of them probably fatally. Both locomotives, one of the baggage cars on the limited, and the smoking car on the special train were demolished.

Portsmouth, O., March 25.—A Norfolk and Western freight train plunged through a 25-foot trestle near Lucasville. The trestle was undermined by the flood. The train fell to the bottom. Fireman D. B. Hutton was crushed to death and Engineer J. T. Houser was fatally injured. The brakeman was caught in the wreck, and his body cannot be found.

CANADA AND CHAMPLAIN.

Plan to Celebrate Anniversary of Discovery of Lake Champlain.

Burlington, Vt., March 25.—A movement to ask the State of New York and the Dominion of Canada to take part with Vermont in the celebration of the three hundredth anniversary of the discovery of Lake Champlain by Samuel De Champlain, took definite form at a meeting of Lake Champlain Tercentenary Commission, appointed by the last Vermont Legislature.

Committees of the commission were appointed by Governor Proctor, who acted as chairman of the meeting, to visit the New York Legislature and Canadian Parliament, with a view of interesting those bodies in plans for a joint celebration to be held in 1909.

Old People Perish in Fire.

Catskill, N.Y., March 25.—A hut on the mountain side west of Cairo, in which resided the brothers Henry and Rufus Denton, and their sister, all over 70 years old, has been burned to the ground. Henry and the sister perished in the flames, and Rufus is badly burned.

Swiss Kills Wife Then Himself.

Atlantic City, N.J., March 25.—August Lindbald shot and killed his wife, Lena, and then killed himself at his home. Lindbald was a Swiss. Six months ago he was committed to the Hudson county asylum for the insane. He was released two weeks ago.

Mr. Stead Will Visit Toronto.

Special to the Montreal Star.

Toronto, March 25.—Mr. A. E. Hustis, secretary of the Canadian Club, has received a cablegram from Mr. W. T. Stead, the well-known editor of the Review of Reviews, accept an invitation to address the club. Stead will be in Toronto late in April.

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SOLDIERS IN CIVIL LIFE.

The British Government, certain of its officials and army officers, have lately been considering methods and making efforts to fit soldiers for duty in civil life. To this end interesting instructions have been issued to officers in England regarding their duties to their commands. They are called on to secure the interest of the men in their probable future employment when they leave the service of the Government. They are to be told of the difficulties attending the obtaining of employment without learning a trade, and the scant likelihood of getting work simply with a "good character" certificate from the War Department. Such privileges will be offered to soldiers as it is possible to obtain from the technical schools in the cities and towns where they are quartered, and civilian instructors and examiners will be engaged by the hour. The Government will put the plan into operation, defraying the initial expense, but the soldiers will be called to pay for the training, which will be greater or less according to the trade or occupation they select. Such efforts on the part of the British Government are bound to increase the interest taken in serving with the colors and will show the men that the Government will attempt to improve their condition in the period of their enlistment.

ANAESTHETICS OUTGROWN.

According to a French physician, chloroform, ether, cocaine and other compounds as anaesthetics have outgrown their usefulness. Patients, it is claimed, can now be thrown into a deep sleep and state of insensibility by directing the ray of a blue electric light on the eyes, and the effects are not only perfectly harmless but a positive pleasure. The sleep lasts two or three minutes, and may be indefinitely repeated, but is generally sufficient to have a tooth drawn. This is good news for all dental sufferers of the future, but, what is better still, it appears that blue lights, combined with blue hangings, furniture, carpet, and so on, in a room are wonderfully exhilarating, and a positive cure for certain persons afflicted with nervous trouble. It quiets the nerves immediately and plunges a person into a pleasant slumber, after which all nervous trouble disappears. The inventor recommends not only blue electric lights, but also blue glass windows, which have a marvellously soothing effect on certain temperaments.

A SHOT THAT ECHOED.

The echo of a shot fired in the middle of the eighteenth century was heard in the Paris law courts the other day. In 1757 the Dauphin—son of Louis XV.—shot and killed a courtier, Yves de la Boissiere de Chambors, and a perpetual pension of $1,200 was awarded to his family. The Dauphin was out ostensibly to shoot game, but either the rabbits were scarce or His Royal Highness got tired of shooting them, but he announced his desire to vary the sport by blowing off the end of a courtier's moustache. The selected victim knelt for the ordeal, the heir apparent rested his clumsy flintlock on the man's shoulder and fired. Unluckily, M. De Chambors appeared at that moment and received the whole of the charge at close quarters, even the wadding, it is said, entering his body. The Chambors pension was one of three not abolished at the revolution and of late years the 6,000 francs, honorably paid by successive Governments, was divided between two direct descendants. One of them died recently, but the treasury refused to pay his share of the pension to the survivor. The survivor brought an action, and the other day judgment was given in his favor.

A GREAT MAN OF SCIENCE.

Of Sir William Crookes, England's great man of science, an observer writes: "He is a gray, thin man, with a high forehead and spectacled eyes which are forever peering forward like a discoverer approaching new land. His voice is pitched rather high, and has a healthy ring to it, as of one who is never tired, and who is always mentally alert. And he walks with a brisk alacrity, a little quick spring in his steps; not like a man in haste to catch a train, but like one who is feeling a sensuous pleasure in exercise and fresh air. He is always in tune with the song of a good workman. He is tremendously interested in the world of men. I have heard him puzzling a banker to explain a problem concerning bullion, gold reserve and paper money. Once I asked him how he was able to content himself with things so apparently material after his profound experience of psychical mystery. He replied that everything in life was of absorbing interest, and that he found his investigations of radiant matter quite as fascinating as any experiences in psychical research. Moreover, he told me, physical science could never hope to explain spiritual reality. 'There is no bridge between the spiritual and the material world.'"

A TYPEWRITING CHAMPION.

A woman in a typewriting contest in Paris recently won a victory over more than 150 competitors by writing 16,500 words in four hours. A man wrote 17,000 words, but he made so many mistakes that he was ruled out. An American woman has surpassed the Frenchwoman's record, for in the ordinary course of business she once wrote 10,500 words in two and a half hours, and made three copies as she went along.

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NORTHWESTERN ON ROCKS.

Schooner Met Misfortune Near Sa louche Island.

Seattle, Wn., March 25.—A despatch from Valdez, Alaska, says: "The steamer Portland arrived here with the passengers and mails from the steamer Northwestern, which was wrecked Tuesday morning on a rock near Beatson's wharf, Latouche Island. The vessel was leaving the bay, en route to Valdez, when a flurry of wind caught her and threw her over on the rocks. Officers of the steamship Northwestern state it will cost $50,000 to float the vessel from the rock where she is impaled.

Weymouth, Eng., March 25.—A collision occurred off Portland between the British battleship Africa and the Peninsular and Oriental line steamer Ormuz, bound for Australia. Both vessels sustained slight damages.

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WAS WANTED FOR A SERIOUS CRIME

An Alleged Fugitive From Wisconsin was Married in Toronto.

A MYSTERIOUS AFFAIR

Wisconsin Officer Arrived and Took Lady From Shuter Street Boarding House.

There was much excitement [illegible] the arrest in Saturday night of a woman who has been living [illegible] Shuter street boarding [illegible] where she was known [illegible] as Mrs. Ober, [illegible] for having married [illegible] while [illegible] of a serious nature.

Some of the Bay street carpenters received a communication from the authorities at Watertown, asking him to look for a middle-aged woman, single and [illegible] Annie Dietz. A description of the woman was given and two of the carpenters kept their eyes open. Finally a man was pointed out Shuter street who answered the description that was given, except that he said the woman was married and that she was there with her husband John F. Ober of St. Paul, Minn.

This was three weeks ago. Every morning Ober was in the habit of going to [illegible] to attend to business. The marked similarity in Annie Dietz and Mrs. Ober continued to attract the attention of the carpenters, and it was finally decided by them that the two were one and the same. Word was sent to Watertown and an officer arrived here on Saturday morning.

With two of the local men, he went to the boarding house and asked for Mrs. Ober. She was alone with the officers called and she told the landlady that she was going down to see her husband. At police headquarters there remained no longer any doubt that she was the woman wanted, and their came questions relating to her new name.

Ober was sent for and between the two the facts come out. After she left Wisconsin she went to Toronto and there she met John F. Ober, a resident of St Paul. Two days after they met they were married by Rev. Mr. Chown. That was on February 25. They then came to Montreal and settled at the Shuter street boarding house.

The questions put to Mrs. Ober and those put to other developed the fact that before they were married Miss Dietz asked Ober if he had ever been married before and he replied in the negative, on Saturday night he claimed this story and said that he had been married and lived in St. Paul but just when he met Miss Dietz he heard that his wife was dead. So he married again.

The officer and Mrs. Ober, the second, left for the West Saturday night, and last night other police officers and left town. If he had stayed here it is likely that he would have been arrested on a charge of bigamy and taken to Toronto.

ARTIST APPRECIATES MONTREAL'S APPRECIATION

"I have looked forward to coming again to Montreal," said Mr. Gierymski, the Peppermint of the Wilson Smith's. I have been living from the time I did reception the people of this city have on my former visit been about three years ago. This is a pleasant city to visit, and a pleasant people to play before. But I do wish the weather was not quite so chilly," and Miss Peppercorn drew more closely about her shoulders the fur [illegible] she wore.

"Do you think Montreal citizens appreciate more appreciative than those of other cities in this country," was asked.

"Well, I don't know that I would like to say so," slowly replied the lady, "I know that I recommended Montreal for its cordiality. But the people of the United States and Canada generally are, as a rule, very appreciative and show real warmth of welcome to a fine thing or an act of merit. Of course the people of every city have little local differences that one notices, for they generally agree in being not very friendly, and perhaps somewhat less critical than the audiences of Europe. In Europe, however, one gets a good reception for pieces which I fear would be rather wearisome for a North American audience. I don't believe I would like to play a British comedy in the country because the people here in their sufficiently accustomed to that sort of composition."

MUNICIPAL POLITICS IN CAUGHNAWAGA WARM.

Sixteen candidates are in the field for the municipal election in Caughnawaga tomorrow. Up to a few years ago the Doncaster reeves, which includes the village of Caughnawaga and the surrounding country was ruled [illegible] local affairs by the chiefs of the band or tribe. The Dominion Government, which has charge of the reserve decided, however, to change the form of government from a tribal to municipal. Six councillors will have to be elected, and for the present all the candidates are sixteen aspirants. Mr. J. L. Iroquois, B.C.L., will act as returning officer, and the voting is likely to be [illegible] lot, as there are three hundred and fifty to four hundred votes to poll, and open voting of such a number will be too lengthy a proceeding.

PERSONALS.

Mr and Mrs. John T. Hogan of Mount Mildred Hogan and Miss C. B. Keenan are at the Hotel Chateau Atwater, Cal.

At the McGill College Alumni Association on Thursday afternoon, March 28th, was announced the marriage of Miss Annie Vineberg, daughter of Mr. H. Vineberg, of Montreal, to Mr. Joseph Shanfield, of New York. The ceremony was performed by Rabbi H. Abramowitz, assisted by Rev. S. Goldstein. The bride, who was given away by her father, wore a gown of white Duchesse satin, trimmed with Irish point lace and opalescence, and carried a shower bouquet of white roses and lilies of the valley. Mrs. Harry Vineberg who was matron of honor, wore a white lace gown. The bridesmaids, Miss Henrietta Shanfield, sister of the groom, and Miss Eva Vineberg, sister of the bride, were gowned alike in white lingerie over pink silk, with picture hats and carried shower bouquets of pink and white carnations. Mr. A. H. Vineberg was best man. Mrs. I. Vineberg, mother of the bride wore a mauve silk embroidered gown. Mrs. Shanfield, mother of the groom, was attired in a gown of black lace over white silk. After the ceremony a family dinner was given at the residence of the bride's parents, following which a reception was held for their many friends. The wedding gifts were numerous and handsome. Mr. and Mrs. Shanfield have left for an extended trip to the cities of the Eastern States before taking up their residence in New York city.

PREMIER MAY GET AWAY TO LONDON

Opposition Said to be Willing to Shorten Session.

HOUSE MAY CLOSE IN APRIL

Western Land Bill Likely to Be Laid Over Until the November Sitting.

Special to the Montreal Star.

Ottawa, Ont., March 25.—It is impossible to [illegible] at the present moment whether or not Sir Wilfrid Laurier will get away to the Colonial Conference. The chances are, however, that he will go and that the session will be over [illegible] to enable Other Cabinet Ministers to depart for Australia. It is expected that the matter will be brought up this afternoon in the House, and that assurances will be given to the effect that everything reasonable will be done to facilitate the departure of the Premier.

The interests of Canada being represented at the conference is fully realized and if the government shows a disposition to be reasonable the Opposition will limit their remarks to [illegible] half an hour. For instance, some Government legislation will have to be dropped, including Hon. Frank Oliver's Western Land Bill. The [illegible] over of this measure has been [illegible] to the bill, as it is drafted, and [illegible] prefer to see it [illegible] at next session.

The Opposition desire to [illegible] arrangements which are being investigated by the Public Accounts Committee can be taken up again as soon as the House resumes business in November next. The committee has worked steadily since the public accounts and return have been available, and the Conservative members consider it necessary that they should be protected against the possibility of loss [illegible] the trusts of their labors. If a satisfactory arrangement can be reached in respect to these matters and no startling developments arise in connection with Crerar's debate on the Insurance report, there would appear to be little doubt that our Wilfrid will be away on April 5, and that subsequent to that date the House will devote itself to the voting of supply and other routine business.

The late Charles P. Sclater, secretary of the Bell Telephone Company, who passed away suddenly late last evening.

The funeral will take place at half past two o'clock on Wednesday afternoon from St. James the Apostle church.

INSPECTORS WILL NO MORE INSPECT

Order Has Been Issued Recalling Medical School Inspectors Through Lack of Funds.

[illegible] being received in the [illegible] regard to the [illegible] of the [illegible] The school inspectors [illegible] their duties after the 1st of March there would not have been much done by the inspectors [illegible].

[illegible] Dr. Lafleur [illegible] that [illegible] to [illegible] the [illegible] as it was [illegible] funds on hand for the [illegible] and that [illegible] Corporation [illegible] and all [illegible] work on the [illegible].

Existing matters more [illegible] of the Health Department said that at the [illegible] of the present year [illegible] three thousand dollars were [illegible] by the Council [illegible] inspection of [illegible]. At the time the money was voted it was expected that the sum would not last long when so many [illegible] had to be [illegible]. In reply to the [illegible] of the Finance Committee stated the funds at the disposal of the [illegible] were enough for a large sum and could not be voted. It might be possible to vote a few thousands more when the May estimates were divided.

The expected has now happened, all the money voted for salaries for the [illegible] has been spent and this important work has to be [illegible].

How very important this branch of the civic work was is seen by a report the inspectors have just compiled and which says that since the work of inspection has been going on there is seventy per cent. less of disease and uncleanliness in the schools. A startling report was made by the inspectors some time ago, showing that itch and other diseases were rampant in the schools. Another report showed that various schools were most unsanitary and ought to be remodelled. The inspectors had to visit the schools every day. A sharp [illegible] was kept on all scholars, showing [illegible] cases of disease. The fear is that when the inspection ceases diseases will become common again in the schools.

A special report is to be submitted, in regard to the shortage of funds to the chairman of the Finance Committee. It was said today at the City Hall that it was likely the chairman of this committee would summon an emergency meeting to consider the situation, which is considered critical by the health authorities.

PERSONAL.

Wanted: A gentleman going on a short trip, desires as companion a gentleman who plays golf. One who speaks French preferred. Address, in confidence, D 4757 Star office.

THE OLIER SCHOOL, THE WINGS OF WHICH ARE FALLING DOWN. CROSSES INDICATE WHERE THE MASONRY HAS GIVEN WAY.

THE OLIER SCHOOL CRUMBLES TO RUIN

Piece by Piece Masonry Is Falling Away From Walls of the New Wing.

Piece by piece masonry crumbled from off the walls of the two new wings of Olier school and today the structures are ruined as completely as if they had been long subjected to the ravages of time, rather than to the life of a few months.

Stones worked clear of the walls of east and west wings on Saturday, and the soft weather Sunday gave further impetus to the work of disintegration, large sections falling out, particularly along the Sanguinet street face of the west wing.

The west wing is in the worst shape, having been affected in the rear and side walls to a more considerable extent. That part of the masonry intended to cover in the second floor of the building, has worked clear and fallen to the street. To save this from immediate collapse timbers has been run up from the streets. These failed to hold the wall but they aided in retarding the fall and guided the falling stones to the ground below, close to the wall itself, and saved any movement toward the residences on the other side of the street.

This morning the timbers were useless there being no wall above their height to prop so workingmen were engaged in pulling them down. The rear wall of this wing was also wrecked to its upper portion but the front wall facing St. Rose street showed no signs of damage. However it is quite evident that all the demolition of the wing will have to be proceeded with.

On the east wing the damage was wrought to the rear and front walls. Cornices of the rear wall fell to the school yard and part of the front rolled onto the front lawn of the school.

On the west wing all of the roof trusses had been set in place before this work had been only half completed on the east wing.

The steel trusses were supported from the middle by two columns, the ends resting on the walls. In order to save the total wreck of the building men were set to work inside to prop up the ends from behind the walls. This was evidently well done as the heavy trusses remain unsupported with their ends hanging clear in the air.

The effort to providing [illegible] or for a [illegible] in the neighborhood. Residents gather all day long and discuss the fine points of buildings and apply theories as to what caused the wreck. Sunday the crowds to and coming from churches had a feast of sight as it was during the hours of service that the walls were falling.

THE BUILDING INSPECTOR DISCLAIMS BLAME.

Building Inspector Charisse was seen today in regard to the falling of the new wings which have been added to the Olier Street School.

"The reason of the walls falling," said Mr. Charisse, "is that the masonry was put up during the winter time when the frost was very severe. The foundations were satisfactory, but the heavy frost affected the mortar in a way that it became unstable when the mild weather set in. The contracting of the mortar caused the walls to sink and finally fall."

"Is it legal to do such work then in the winter time?" was asked.

"Yes. The falling of the walls was a pure accident and could not be avoided. There have been scores of buildings put up in the city during the winter months, but this is the only accident which has occurred."

"Are you supposed to inspect such structures when they are being built in winter?"

"Yes, and I saw the walls of the Olier School go up. There was nothing to show that they were unsafe or that the mortar would act in an unusual way."

"Then there is no one to blame for such accidents?"

"Oh, I suppose the blame must be attached to the contractors; they will have to stand the loss."

"But if anyone had been hurt by the falling walls?"

"The fault would have been on those who put up the building. As far as my department is concerned, it did all that was necessary to see that the building by laws were complied with."

MR. F. H. McGUIGAN WILL LEAVE AT END OF MONTH.

Mr. F. H. McGuigan, fourth vice-president of the Grand Trunk Railway, when seen to-day by a Star reporter with regard to his rumored intention of leaving the Grand Trunk Railway to assume the position of first vice-president and general manager of the Great Northern, said:

"I cannot say much about it now, as there are still some matters to be officially arranged. All I can state is that I will break off my connection with the Grand Trunk Railway at the end of this month, and that in the near future I will join the staff of another line. I would also say that in leaving the Grand Trunk Railway, and the men I have worked with so long, I do so with feelings of the very deepest regret."

CABINET SHUFFLE IN NOVA SCOTIA

Hon. W. T. Pipes Becomes Attorney-General and Mr. Chisholm Gets a Commissionership.

Special to The Montreal Star.

Halifax, N.S., March 25.—Changes in the Provincial Government consequent on the elevation of Hon. A. Drysdale to the Supreme Court Bench, were announced on Saturday. Hon. W. T.

HON. W. T. PIPES.

Pipes was sworn in before the Lieut.-Governor as Attorney-General, Hon. C. F. Chisholm, member of the Government without portfolio, has been sworn in as Commissioner of Works and Mines. Mr. O. T. Daniels, member for Annapolis for the past two sessions, becomes a member of the Government without portfolio.

Hon. William Thomas Pipes, the new Attorney-General, was born at Amherst, N.S., April 15, 1848. His ancestors, on his father's side, came from England while the mother's people were United Empire Loyalists. He was educated in Amherst Academy and Acadia College, and was called to the Bar in 1870. During that year he was an unsuccessful opponent of Sir Charles Tupper in Cumberland for the House of Commons. He was elected to the Legislative Assembly in 1882 and became Premier of Nova Scotia and President of the Executive Council. He resigned in 1884 and was appointed to the Legislative Council. In 1896 he became a member of the Murray administration without portfolio.

MR. J. S. WILLISON WAS GUEST OF HONOR

At the Canadian Club luncheon today, Mr. J. S. Willison, the guest of honor, chose as the subject for his address "An Ontario View of Quebec," paying a high tribute to the qualities of citizenship possessed by the French-Canadian portion of the population. Mr. Willison said that although he had been connected with Ontario journalism for the last quarter of a century he did not want it thought that he was speaking as a national leader, or as a moulder of policies. A newspaper represents the temper of the community in which it is published and the thoughts of the editors. He, however, was speaking as a man interested in public affairs and not voicing the ideas of his paper.

Mr. Willison continued by explaining that in such a country as this, where there were two races so closely intermingled there was bound to be many causes for misunderstanding and difficulties. These difficulties had brought about many important discussions during the past forty years, when confederation was first brought about, and had always been settled amicably. He then referred to the New Brunswick School Bill, the Red River and Riel rebellions, and the Manitoba school question, all of which had assumed national importance and interest.

In settling public disputes and differences integrity amongst the representatives of the people was the first thing to aim for. Within the next generation, possibly within the lifetime of some of his listeners, it was most probable that one half of Parliamentary representation would come from the West of the Great Lakes. Now was the time to bring about legislation favorable to Ontario and Quebec, and the manner of obtaining this legislation should be by integrity.

Mr. Willison closed by explaining that Upper Canadians were at a loss, on the whole, because they did not understand the French language and were unable to get in touch with and truly understand the feeling of their French brethren.

GOVERNMENT BUYS GAZETTE BUILDING

Site Will be Used to Increase Accommodation of Post Office.

NEW STRUCTURE TO BE BUILT

Post Office Department Will Erect Building Equipped for Latest Mail-Handling Methods.

After an occupancy of thirty-seven years for newspaper purposes, the building in St. Francois Xavier and Craig streets, and Fortification Lane, has been sold by the Gazette Printing Company to the Government, and will be used to increase the accommodation required by the Montreal Post Office.

The fact that the building and property had been purchased by the Government was confirmed this morning by Mr. Sneaton White.

It is understood that the price paid was $200,000, and as there is 9,000 square feet in the lot, that would average at the rate of $22 a foot. Craig street property will not run as high as that during a year's transactions, but in this instance the Gazette was so located as to be in the path of the probable development of the Post Office, and for that reason the price was better than the prevailing rates in that thoroughfare.

It is the intention of the department to raze the present structure and upon the site erect a building in thorough accord with the newest and most approved methods of handling mail. By the terms of sale the property is to be vacated within six months, it being the intention of the Government to proceed with the work of building as soon as possible.

The Gazette building has a frontage of 100 feet in Craig street and a depth of 90 feet, running back to Fortification, having in all three frontages and for this reason well supplied with light. The structure is of brick, five storeys in height. The interior construction is of wood, the floors being carried on steel columns.

The building was erected in 1865, being put up by Allan and Thompson, to be used as a furniture warehouse. It had been in use for five years, when in 1870 it was acquired by the White family and since that time it has been in possession of the original purchasers and the Gazette Printing Company. Originally, there were other tenants, but the growth of business drove out other occupants and now the whole space is taken up for the uses of the Gazette.

When the building was originally constructed it lay in a strategic position. At that time Craig street had not been fully filled in and a plan was then being mooted for the extension of La Chine Canal, the object being to extend along the line of the creek which was even then open in Craig street, and so reach the St. Lawrence at some point below St. Mary's current. The plan was never realized, but Craig street grew into a land thoroughfare of vast importance, far beyond the thoughts of the men of those days.

LATE MADAME PELLETIER.

Funeral Service at the Sacred Heart Church Ottawa.

Special to The Montreal Star.

Ottawa March 25. The funeral of the late Mme. C. P. Pelletier, widow of the late Charles Pierre Pelletier, of Quebec, and sister of Sir Adolphe Caron, K.C.M.G., whose death occurred at Ottawa on Friday, took place yesterday from the residence of her brother-in-law, the Hon. Charles Fitzpatrick, Chief Justice of Canada. The service was held at the Sacred Heart Church, after which the remains were taken to the Central Station and placed on board the Quebec train.

In a private car were the Chief mourners, Mr. Charles Caron Pelletier, of Ottawa, and Mr. Henry Pelletier of Montreal, sons of the deceased; Sir Adolphe Caron, K.C.M.G., her brother, and Hon. Charles Fitpatrick, brother-in-law.

Sincere regret is felt in Ottawa, Quebec and Montreal among a wide circle of mourners for the removal of a lady of such charming personality as distinguished the late Mme. Pelletier. It was her custom to live alternately for six months of the year with her two sons and by her remarkable intelligence and winning manner, she had endeared herself to all her friends. She was keenly interested in politics.

In society no one was more popular that Mme. Pelletier, her advanced age having in nowise impaired her alert faculties.

WESTERN LUMBERMAN'S VIEW

Government Should Sell Direct to Farmers in Certain Cases.

Special to The Montreal Star.

Ottawa, March 25. Mr. L. A. Lewis, manager of the Burnet Mills, New Westminster, B.C., was examined at length again to-day before the committee investigating the alleged Western lumber combine. In the course of his evidence he said the association of lumber producers was formed "simply and solely to put the industry on a paying basis, in other words to enable the mills to make an honest dollar."

Asked whether he believed the lumber dealers in the Northwest and Manitoba were selling at fair prices to the farmers he named one concern in Regina which he believed had been robbing the consumers of twenty-five per cent. over a fair profit. This, he declared, was so bad it gave him a "cold chill up the back." He advised the committee to recommend the restoration of the duty on lumber and the appointment of government commissioners to sell direct to farmers at points where dealers were exacting excessive prices.

NICARAGUANS WIN AGAIN.

Capture of Chief Honduran Strong hold Practically Ends War.

Managua, Nicaragua, March 25. According to a statement issued here the Nicaraguan forces have captured Choluteca, Honduras, which was held by the Honduran and Salvadorean troops and President Bonilla has fled by boat. Choluteca is one of the most strongly fortified towns of Honduras. It is on the Choluteca River, about three miles from the Gulf of Fonseca.

WORD RECEIVED IN WASHINGTON

Washington, March 25. Pres. Bonilla has fled from the battlefield, and the Central American war has practically ended, according to cable despatches received in Washington by the Nicaraguan minister, Mr. Corea. The fall of the Honduran capital, Tegucigalpa, is predicted by the Nicaraguan secretary of foreign affairs, Mr. Gamez.

The cablegram from the secretary for foreign affairs follows:

"Choluteca taken. Salvadorean and Honduran combined armies defeated. President Bonilla hiding in San Lorenzo with two hundred men. Sent steamers to capture him. Tegucigalpa will be taken to-morrow."

AFFIDAVITS NOW IN JUDGE'S HANDS

Decision as to Appointment of Lunacy Commission Will Be Given Wednesday.

New York, March 25. Briefs and supplemental affidavits regarding the mental condition of Harry K. Thaw were presented to Justice Fitzgerald at Hempstead today. The court proceedings were brief.

The time between the court session today and Wednesday, when the Thaw trial is scheduled to be resumed, will be spent by Justice Fitzgerald examining the affidavits and other papers in the insanity proceedings as filed by opposing counsel, so that with the resumption of the trial Wednesday the Justice will be ready with his decision. It is stated today that if a commission in lunacy is appointed, Thaw will not take advantage of legal devices to thwart a thorough examination by such a commission. He is said to be eager for a chance to prove that he is sane. Thaw is credited with saying: "I will submit to all phases of an examination that is rational and reasonable."

THAW IN GOOD SPIRITS.

Thaw is in high spirits over the affidavits drawn in his behalf and delivered to Justice Fitzgerald. He is especially pleased with the affidavit prepared by his mother. Counsel for Thaw share the prisoner's belief that Justice Fitzgerald will not find it necessary to appoint a commission.

On the other hand, District Attorney Jerome is confident of the appointment of a commission and the adjournment of the court on Wednesday until the commission will be prepared to report its finding.

Justice Fitzgerald has indicated that he does not wish to listen to verbal arguments for or against the appointment of a commission, so the test of Thaw's sanity at the present time will stand or fall on the material submitted to the court this morning.

MRS THAW'S STATEMENT.

Mrs. Wm Thaw's affidavit is confined wholly to family history, and begins:

"The move by the prosecution for an inquiry into the advisability of a lunacy commission for my son, Harry K. Thaw, affords me the long desired opportunity of giving all the facts in relation to the so-alleged heredity, epilepsy, and insanity, stripped of all verbiage which malicious misrepresentation and gross exaggeration have thrown around them.

"First, I wish to emphatically state that the direct line of descent for four generations if we [illegible] that of the defendant himself, there is no trace of either epilepsy or insanity."

She goes at length into the family history of the Thaws and the Copleys. She denies "the brutal assertion" that Henry W. Copley was "an imbecile from birth." Two vicious boys frightened the lad, at six years old, with horrible masks, into a state of terror. He was ever after of feeble intellect."

Mrs. Thaw concludes: "I beg to be pardoned for going thus into details in giving information. I do this for the reason that I have been obliged to endure for months, with what fortitude I could summon, the cruel insinuations that the mother of the defendant would be obliged on the stand to lay bare the secrets of faint in her own family, and that of her husband," etc. Let me say, once for all, there is no secret to be guarded or family skeleton to be hidden on either side of the family of the defendant."

GOOD HARD ICE FOR STANLEY CUP MATCH

Special to the Montreal Star.

Winnipeg, Man., March 25.—There will be hard ice for to-night's hockey game. The wind changed suddenly to the north last night, and to-day it is freezing so that the rink will be in prime condition.

Both teams are very confident. Officials will be the same for to-night's game as in Saturday's, as neither team has made any objections. Both teams are in the pink of condition, as no one was disabled in any way.

Wanderers say that their performance on hard ice will be even more effective than it was on slush.

The Bulgarian Cabinet Resigns.

Bucharest, March 25. The Conservative Cabinet of Roumania has resigned, and a Liberal ministry has been formed under the presidency of M. Sturdiza, a former Premier.

BIRTH.

SMITH—On March 17th, at 114 Charron street, a son to Mr. and Mrs. A. Smith.

MARRIAGES.

QUIPP-COPPLE—In this city, on March 20th 1907, by the Rev. C. T. Scott, of Douglas Methodist Church, Edith L. Copple to J. Walter Quipp, Liverpool, Eng., papers please copy.

FRAZIER-DEAN—At the residence of the bride's parents, on March 20th 1907, by the Rev. J. J. Wills, B.D., George P. W. Frazier to Margaret J. L. Dean, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Dean, Levis, Que.

DEATHS.

OSTIGNY—At 150 Montana street, on the 24th of March, Gustan Emile, in his sixth year, beloved child of J. D. Ostigny, grocer. Funeral on Tuesday, at 8.45 a.m. to Cote des Neiges.

PICHE—In this city, March 25, 1907, Lawrence A. Piche, sr., in his 65th year. Funeral private, Wednesday at 9 a.m.

RODIER—In this city, at the age of 79 years, Mrs. Angelique Lapierre, widow of the late C. S. Rodier, Senator. Funeral will take place Wednesday morning, March 27th, at 9 a.m., from the late residence, 127 Drummond street, to St. James Cathedral, and from thence to Cote des Neiges Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances will please attend. 71 2

SCLATER—At his late residence, 143 Crescent street, on 24th March, 1907, Charles Page Sclater, aged 57 years. Funeral from Church of St. James the Apostle, on Wednesday, 27th inst. at 2.30 p.m. 71 2

ST. DENIS—At her residence, 374 Wood avenue, Westmount, on Saturday evening, March 23rd, 1907, Grace Taylor, wife of the late Alexander St. Denis, Esq., of Point Fortune, Que., aged 44 years and 11 months. Funeral Tuesday, March 26th, at half past two to Mount Royal Cemetery. 71 2

DEATHS OUTSIDE THE CITY.

ROBERTSON—Suddenly, on the 23rd instant, at Bridgeport, Conn., Alexander S. Robertson, brother of John B. and J. G. Robertson of this city, at the age of 49 years. Funeral notice later. Monmouth (Ill.) and St. Louis, Mo., papers please copy. 71 2

ST. PIERRE—At Three Rivers, Que., on the 18th March, 1907, Mrs. Elizabeth Connoley, relict of the late Antoine St. Pierre, mother of Ant. St. Pierre, Esq., and grandmother of Dr. Charles St. Pierre, of the Notre Dame Hospital, Montreal. Newspapers of Marcocoulomona (County Fermanah, Ireland (her native place) will please copy.

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Misses' New Jackets.
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"Easter" Footwear for Women and Children.
All the fashionable shapes and best leathers.
Women's, $2.50 to $6.50.
Girls' or Misses', $2.00 to $3.50.
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5 Per Cent. Discount for Cash, and Special Attention given to Mail Orders.

Henry Morgan & Co., Limited, Montreal

COMPANY TO CONFER WITH MACHINISTS

Demands Have Been Made on Grand Trunk Railway Company for Higher Wages.

The Montreal machinists have made demands on the Grand Trunk Railway Company for more wages and better conditions, and the result of the conference, which has been arranged between the officials of the company and the representatives of the men is anxiously awaited by the thousands of members of the metal trades in this city.

The machinists employed by the company in their works at the Point and Turcot are all members of the local lodge of the International Association of Machinists.

While every preparation has been made for a fight, it is thought by the workingmen that their demands will be granted by the company.

The men are asking for the Canadian Pacific Railway schedule, as follows:

	Cents an hour
Angus Shops, Montreal	26
Atlantic division	27
Eastern division	27
Ontario division	27
Lake Superior division	28-32

Mr. P. H. Cummins, of Amsterdam, N.Y., first vice-president of the International Brotherhood of Blacksmiths, arrived in Montreal on Saturday to safeguard the interests of his organization, while Mr. Conlon is being assisted by Alexander Champion, of Toronto, second vice-president of the Machinists.

Should a strike be declared, it is said the men employed in the Ottawa shops would be involved as well as the Montreal men.

Mr. Fitzhugh, third vice-president of the G. T. R., and Mr. W. D. Robb, superintendent of motive power, when seen to-day by a Star reporter concerning the alleged demands of the machinists for more wages, stated that the story was without foundation.

"Of course, our machinists want more money if they can get it," said Mr. Fitzhugh, "but this is a chronic condition with them as with all other employes. So far, however, I have received no official notice of any intention on their part to apply for an increase on the threat of a strike if it is refused. Neither have I heard anything about an intended conference."

RYAN WON BOTH SUITS.

Court Declared Bank's Contract With Fowler and Montgomery Illegal.

Special to the Montreal Star.

Toronto, Ont., March 25.—Justice Clute this morning delivered judgment in the two suits in which Peter Ryan and the Bank of Montreal are the chief parties, and in which Mr. G. W. Fowler, M.P., was interested. Mr. Ryan wins both suits. The action of J. D. Montgomery to recover $12,000 from Ryan, being on claims assigned by the Bank of Montreal to Mr. Fowler, was dismissed, the court holding that the bank had entered into an illegal contract with Fowler and Montgomery and had charged Ryan an illegal rate of interest. Ryan also gets judgment for $1,000 and costs in his damage suit against the Bank.

Justice Clute severely scored the Bank's course throughout.

New York Cotton Exchange.

Messrs. J. S. Bache & Co., 20 Hospital street, report the Cotton Market as follows for the Star:

	Opening	High.	Low.	Close.
				p.m.
March	9.28	9.28	9.18	9.26
May	9.35	9.43	9.35	9.42
July	9.42	9.48	9.41	9.48
October	9.72	9.77	9.69	9.77
December	9.80	9.85	9.79	9.85

CHICAGO CLOSING PRICES.

J. S. Bache and Co., 20 Hospital street, report the closing prices to-day as follows:

		Opening	Highest	Lowest	March 25th	March 22nd
Wheat	May	77¾	78¼	77¾	78¼	
"	July	77¼	77⅝	77	77⅝	
Corn	May	45⅞	46⅛	45⅝	45⅞b	
"	July	45⅜	45⅝	45⅛	45⅜	
Oats	May	41⅝	41⅞	41⅝	41⅞	
"	July	39⅝	39⅞	39½	39⅝	
Pork	May	15.55	15.62½	15.45	15.47½	
"	July	16.20	16.25	15.95	15.97½	
Lard	May	8.55	8.55	8.50	8.50	
"	July	8.85	8.85	8.70	8.70	
Short Ribs	May	8.85	8.85	8.87	8.87	8.40
"	July	8.65	8.67	8.50	8.50	

STOCKS CLOSED NEAR THE LOWEST

Stocks in Wall Street were very slow this afternoon, and, apart from C.P.R. the list closed pretty close to the lowest of the day.

Copper near 3 p.m. was bumping bottom around St. Union was 123, U.S. Steel low at 32, Reading at 92⅝, Northern Pacific at 114⅜, Great Northern 127, and St. Paul 143⅜.

C.P.R. held pretty well. It jumped from 155¾ to 158 around 2 o'clock, and then fell off to 156½.

C.P.R. closed away up in New York at 156.

Money, 15 per cent.

A BREAK HERE.

The Montreal list was limp, but rather short. Detroit sold at 67.

Just before the close Twins broke to 89, Street Ry to 205, Power to 82½.

Bank of Montreal was off to 247½.

C. P. R. EARNINGS.

Canadian Pacific for the third week of March showed an increase of $260,000.

Afternoon Transactions.

Pacific 100 at 157⅜, 25 at 157.

Toledo 25 at 29, 50 at 29, 25 at 29.

Soo 10 at 100.

Detroit 25 at 67, 200 at 67, 5 at 67, 25 at 67, 25 at 67, 25 at 66¾, 25 at 66¾.

Telephone Rights—44 at 4¾, 3 at 5, 50 at 4¾, 7 at 4¾, 7 at 4¾.

Power 75 at 84, 25 at 84, 25 at 84, 10 at 84, 150 at 84, 100 at 83, 75 at 83, 50 at 83½, 100 at 82¾, 10 at 83.

Lake of Woods 3 at 75⅜.

Toronto Ry., 25 at 104, 1 at 105, 3 at 105, 10 at 104.

Bank of Montreal, 25 at 248, 2 at 248½, 25 at 247½.

Street Ry., 25 at 206, 10 at 205, 25 at 205, 5 at 205, 2 at 205.

Twin City, 100 at 89.

Molsons, 1 at 206.

Scotia, 5 at 170.

Steel, 50 at 18, 100 at 17⅝, 25 at 17⅝.

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE.

Close	March 25 Ask	March 25 Bid	March 22 Ask	March 22 Bid
Bell Telephone	141	.....	.....	140
B.C. Packers	.....	.....	.....	70
Colored Cotton	.....	.....	.....	.....
Can. Pacific	158	157⅝	163½	162¾
Detroit Ry	66¾	66¼	71⅛	70
Dom. Coal	60	59	60	59
Dom. Iron	17¾	17⅝	19⅝	19
Do. do. Pref.	.....	47	49	48
Dom. Textile	94	92	97	92
Havana Ry	.....	.....	.....	37
Do. do. pref	.....	.....	.....	.....
Illinois Traction	87	84	90	88½
Lake of the Woods	75	.....	.....	76
Do. do. Pref.	100	100	100	100
Laurentide pref.	101	99	.....	.....
Mackay com.	66	.....	67½	.....
Do. pref.	.....	.....	70	.....
Mexican	.....	46	48	46
Mont. Power	.....	82½	87½	85¾
Mont. Ry. com.	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mont. Cotton	125	1.1	127	121
Mont. Street Ry	205	204	214	212
Mont. Telegraph	.....	.....	30	28
N.S. Steel	70½	.....	72¾	71
Ogilvie pref.	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rich. & Ontario	70	.....	75	73½
Rio	.....	.....	4¾	4¾
Toledo	28	.....	29½	25
Toronto Ry.	104½	104	106¾	105¾
Twin City	90¾	89¾	93¾	.....
BANKS				
British N. Am.	161	154	.....	151
Commerce	177	.....	177	175
Union	140	.....	152	140
Royal	246	242	247	240
Dominion	.....	.....	.....	.....
East Town.	165	150½	.....	.....
Hochelaga	.....	.....	155	.....
Ontario	200	.....	210	190
Quebec	.....	.....	140	135
Toronto	.....	.....	228	226

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

March 25

Stocks	Opening	High. up to 2 p.m.	Low	Noon
Amalgamated Copper	89½	89½	89¼	89¼
American Locomotive	53¾	.....	.....	53¾
Do. pref.	.....	.....	.....	.....
Am. Sugar Refining Co.	119	119	118¾	118¾
Do. do. pref.	.....	.....	.....	.....
Am. Smelting & Refining	114⅞	114	110¾	111¾
Am. Car & Foundry	54	54	51¾	51¾
Am. Steel Hoop com.	.....	.....	.....	.....
Do. pref.	92	92	85	85
Am. Cotton Oil	57	57	55¾	55¾
Am. Woollen	31	31	30¼	30¼
Anaconda Mining Co.	61	61	58¾	58¾
Atchison Top. & S.F. Ry.	87¾	87¾	83¾	83¾
Do. do. pref.	104¾	104¾	103¾	103¾
Baltimore & Ohio	107¾	108	106¾	106¾
Do. do. pref.	.....	.....	.....	.....
Brooklyn Rapid T.	70¾	70¾	67¾	67¾
Canadian Pacific	159	159½	156	156
Chesapeake & Ohio	49¾	49¾	48¾	48¾
Chicago Great Western	25¾	25¾	24¾	24¾
Chicago & Alton	35¾	35¾	34¾	34¾
Chicago & N.W.	214¾	214¾	208	208¾
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul	170¾	171	167¾	167¾
Colorado Southern	32¾	32¾	31¾	31¾
Consolidated Gas	147	147	144	144
Delaware & Hudson	180	180	176	176
Del., Lack. & West.	440

Another Very Serious Slump in Wall Street Early in the Afternoon

STOCKS WILD BUT NO TROUBLE WAS ANNOUNCED

London Amazed Everyone by Opening 1 to 4 Points Higher

CANADIAN PACIFIC ACTED PRETTY WELL.

Business Was Dull In Montreal, But Some Stocks Worked Lower Again.

Everybody came down town this morning feeling more than usually apprehensive in regard to the day's markets.

That much of the unrest in the European markets has been partially discounted by the drastic liquidation of Thursday and Friday was the general view, but it was feared nevertheless that there would be more trouble announced.

When the early London prices came in at 9.20 a.m. there was no little amazement expressed at the rally that had taken place.

Prices advanced 1 to 4 points there and Canadian Pacific surprised everyone by selling equivalent to 162 in New York, a 4 point gain.

But Wall Street was in no mood, apparently to follow London, and after an irregular opening the New York list broke severely.

It recovered later, however, and then showed marked nervousness and irregularity.

This was "ticket day" in London, and balances are struck at the 12 o'clock prices.

To-morrow differences will be determined when the various bookkeepers come together to see if their balances agreed.

Wednesday is pay day and it is then that the worst, or best, will be known.

C. P. R. AND "SOO."

Canadian Pacific acted as well, if not better, than many of the leading Wall street issues.

It opened at an advance of 1 1-2 compared with Saturday's close at 159.

Later it broke to 156 1-2, but jumped like a rocket to 158 1-2 immediately afterwards. At noon it was acting pretty well around 157 1-4.

"Soo" was dull at 99, but the preferred was very weak and after selling early in the day at 128 it broke to 123 1-4.

UNION VERY WILD.

Union Pacific acted very wild in Wall street. It opened at 130, broke to 125, rallied to 128 5-8, broke to 126 1-4 and sold at 127 1-4 at noon.

The Hill stocks were very sick again. Great Northern opened at 124 and broke to 129 3-4, showing but little stamina at that level.

Northern Pacific opened at 118 and broke to 116 1-2.

Copper was also very weak, opening at 89 1-2 and breaking to 85 1-2.

U. S. Steel went as low as 32 3-4, but recovered a point.

THE MONTREAL MARKET.

There was no marked liquidation on the Montreal Exchange this morning and although the list was very weak the absence of decided selling pressure was considered to be an encouraging sign.

Detroit United which has been well taken by investors lately was under considerable pressure and yielded a couple of points more and there were also declines of large fractions in one or two other issues.

Lake of the Woods for one, lost a little of its recent recovery from the 94 mark.

MONEY AT 9 PER CENT.

Call money in Wall Street loaned at 6 per cent early in the morning but shortly before noon it was 9 per cent.

MACKAY COMMON.

Mackay common sold as low as 65½ in Wall Street.

HEAVY TRANSACTIONS.

Erie opened at 1½ higher in Wall Street at 25¾ and went off at 24⅝.

Reading opened at 96¾, broke at 95½ and recovered to 96¾.

Transactions on Wall Street were very heavy. The sales in the first hour were 511,000 shares while at noon shares changed hands.

MCRNING TRANSACTIONS.

Detroit—50 at 69½, 25 at 69¾, 50 at 69, 2 at 70, 10 at 69½, 15 at 69, 25 at 68, 50 at 68½, 5 at 68, 50 at 67¾, 25 at 68, 150 at 69¼.

Coal—100 at 66.

Rio—25 at 40.

Canadian Pacific—10 at 160, 1 at 161, 50 at 158½, 50 at 159, 1 at 160.

Bell Telephone rights—37 at 4¾, 4 at 5, 80 at 4⅞, 48 at 4¾, 158 at 4⅞, 512 at 4¾.

Bank of Montreal—24 at 249½.

Union Bank—6 at 142.

Hochelaga Bank—7 at 149.

Twins—100 at 90, 50 at 89½, 75 at 90, 15 at 89¾, 60 at 90.

Power—50 at 84½, 210 at 84, 10 at 84¾.

Richelieu and Ontario—35 at 71, 100 at 71¼.

Lake of Woods—25 at 76½, 25 at 76, 1 at 77.

Soo com—10 at 100.

Iron—200 at 18, 25 at 17¾.

Mackay pfd—5 at 67½, 25 at 67.

Scotia—50 at 70, 15 at 70½.

Price Bros' bonds—$5,000 at 104.

Iron bonds—$2,000 at 75.

Toledo—5 at 26, 185 at 25.

Toronto Ry.—18 at 105, 102 at 104½, 55 at 105.

GENERAL ELECTRIC FIGURES.

Canadian General Electric net earnings last year were $865,655.16, or fully 18 per cent. on the capital, as compared with 16 per cent. for 1905. The annual meeting of the company will be held on Wednesday.

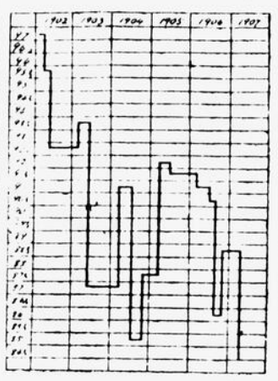
THE FEELING IN PARIS.

Paris, March 25.—Prices on the Bourse to-day were heavy, owing to the advices from New York and the Moroccan situation.

BELL TELEPHONE.

Barrie has given the Bell Telephone Company a renewed five-year exclusive franchise.

A LOW LEVEL FOR CONSOLS!



The fact that British Consols have been selling at the low water mark has attracted about as much attention as any stock market development.

COBALTS—$12,000,000 MORE.

Twelve new Cobalt mining companies with a combined capital of $12,500,000 were incorporated in Ontario last week.

$1,000,000,000 IS WIPED OUT

A London cable says: The fall in stocks during the fortnightly stock exchange account just drawing to a close, is unprecedented in recent years. Estimates of the gross depreciation in securities during the past month exceed £200,000,000.

STEEL-COAL SUIT UP ON 27TH

Halifax, N.S., March 25.—In the Supreme Court Saturday, on motion the suit of the Steel versus Coal Company was set down for hearing March 27.

BIG SALES OF C. P. R. STOCK.

The sales of Canadian Pacific stock in Wall Street last week reached a total of 1(5,400 shares. The high price was 173¾, and the low 155.

C. P. R. 20 POINTS TOO HIGH?

This stock was beaten down by the bears, who have considered that it was 20 points higher than the price of Great Northern, Northern Pacific, St. Paul and Union Pacific justified. The fact that it was a foreign corporation has been to its advantage, but not so much as claimed.—N. Y. Mail.

SALES ON LOCAL EXCHANGE.

The record of transactions on the Montreal Stock Exchange for the past week shows a total of approximately 25,000 shares in the general list against over 39,000 shares for the preceding week.

ROYAL'S PROFITABLE DEAL.

Sold Branch Property at 100 Per Cent Profit.

The Royal Bank has recently closed a deal in Winnipeg that proved extremely profitable.

About three years ago the bank purchased a piece of property on Main street, Winnipeg, for about $600 a foot, the lot having a frontage of 97 feet.

The other day the bank disposed of the property for the remarkable price of $1,200 a foot.

The original idea was to erect a branch on this property, but a little while ago another site was decided upon on the same street, next to the Bank of Toronto branch.

ONE MAN MADE $1,500,000.

Another Chicago Grain Trader Hits the Stock Market.

Chicago, March 25.—It is the gossip here that A. J. Lichtstern, who was squeezed in the advance in Reading about a year ago, has more than recouped for the losses, and has cleaned up over $800,000 in that stock alone. His winnings are placed at nearly $1,500,000. He has been on the bear side of stocks. While he was buying stocks on the recent slump he had brokers unloading 3,000,000 bushels of May corn on which there was a slight profit. As a speculator who is able to cover up his tracks Lichtstern is a success as all his business is through brokers.

HE HAD THE MONEY TO LOSE.

In referring to rumors that John W. Gates and the Gates house had suffered heavy losses in stocks, Charles G. Gates said:

"It's a good thing we had the money to lose."

Coal and Steel Negotiations

Halifax, N.S., March 25.—As a result of the conference which have been held between Messrs. Plummer and Jones, of the Dominion Steel Company, and Mr. Duggan and other representatives of the Dominion Coal Company, the bill before the Legislature to enable the former company to reach submarine areas by passing through the areas of the latter company has been amended.

The preamble sets forth that as a number of submarine deposits of coal cannot be worked, there being no means of access to them, it is desirable in the interests of the development of the province that reasonable means of access be provided.

While this primarily affects the Coal and Steel Companies, it is general law, and will be of great importance in encouraging the development of submarine areas, which are the most valuable of the unworked deposits of the province.

The bill provides that tunnels may be driven through the properties of others to reach the submarine areas, after giving notice. If the parties cannot agree as to the compensation for this privilege, the conditions and compensation will be fixed by the Governor-in-Council.

NO WALL STREET TROUBLE.

Wall street—All the sheets went through the Clearing House without a hitch.

BANK KEPT RATE AT 6 P.C.

Wall street: The National City Bank is lending money at 6 per cent., while others are loaning at 9 per cent.

LONDON EXCHANGE.

The London Stock Exchange will be closed March 29th and 30th, and April 1st.

MONTREAL NOT HEAVILY HIT BY DROP IN C.P.R.

Wall Street Papers Exaggerate the Amount of Local Selling.

MUCH MORE WAS LOST HERE IN "SOO."

Three-quarters of Local Stock is in the Hands of the Investors.

Around the Montreal Stock Exchange the claim is made that the New York newspapers are exaggerating the amount of Montreal selling in C.P.R. stock.

Saturday the papers spoke of a "flood of Montreal selling."

Brokers say that if there was a flood they do not know where it came from.

A few weeks ago, when C. P. R. was rising, everyone was bemoaning their fate that they had none of the stock and it was remarked at the time that never before had Montrealers been so completely out of C. P. R. stock.

Of course a great many traders bought the stock at high prices, but there has been no general slaughter in this city as a result of the drop in that issue.

A broker said: Montreal speculators lost more money in "Soo" Railway than they have lost in C. P. R. It was the early slump in "Soo" that hit our traders worse than anything. The losses in the Hill stocks were also heavy."

Another broker said: "Three-quarters of the C. P. R. stock held in Montreal is in the hands of investors."

A BAD BREAK AT 1.30 P.M.

The slump in Wall street carried prices much lower around 1.30 p.m. and the whole market was extremely sick.

Union broke to 127 1-2, Copper to 80 5-8, Canadian Pacific to 155 1-4, U. S. Steel, 32 1-8, and Great Northern at 127.

A Brokers Opinion Of the Cobalts

"Our advice to our clients," writes a Toronto broker, "if they wish to deal in Cobalts, is to stick to the best. The majority are bound to be wildcats. If possible buy the stock of dividend-payers and make sure that the directors are responsible men of known integrity. The capitalization is a most important feature. The following table will show the present value of the properties of the producers having reference to their capitalization and to-day's prices:

	Stock issued	Approximate value represented by present prices.
Company	approximately.	
Nipissing	$6,000,000	$14,500,000
Coniagas	800,000	1,700,000
Foster	900,000	1,700,000
Trethewey	1,000,000	1,400,000
Silver Queen	1,500,000	3,000,000
Green Meehan	1,500,000	1,275,000

These are dividend-payers with the exception of Coniagas and Green-Meehan Coniagas, however, is so below after the Nipissing, the richest property the stock of which is on the market, and will, we are advised, pay a substantial dividend in the near future. Nipissing, even at above figures, is still the best buy.

STEEL AND COAL OFFICIALS.

Mr. J. H. Plummer, Mr. F. P. Jones and Mr. H. Duggan have gone to Sydney. Mr. A. Dick is in Halifax.

TO-DAY'S LOCAL CLEARINGS.

Today's local clearings showed a good gain:

1907	$4,160,738
1906	2,762,537
1905	3,199,957.

A SAMPLE TIP.

Early Friday, when C. P. R. began to break, a New York agency put this on the wires: "Buy C. P. R. for 175."

ON C. P. R.

Even the most casual observer will notice the great opportunity for the Hon. Jefferson Levy's explanation department to get busy.

TIMID WALL STREET.

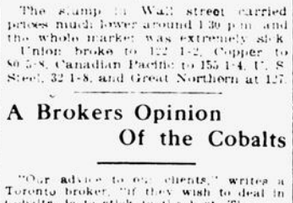
(Kansas City Times.)

Even the mere possibility of the railroads entering upon an era of good behavior is sufficient to cause a big slump in Wall Street.

NO GRANBY.

The wire trouble prevented any Granby quotations coming.

OPINIONS ON THE MARKET



A. O. Brown—The market opened lower and declined sharply under heavy pressure of very big selling orders which were believed to represent liquidation of rather important character. All the important stocks suffered considerably. The ore certificates dropped 9 points to 50, the selling looking like investment holdings. London was a liberal and steady buyer. Call money opened at 6 per cent. and advanced weak. Little rally toward noon but there is no strong support and appears unlikely to hold.

J. S. Bache—Reassuring advices from Europe and engagements of gold came when market looked the worst, and trading fell away with the recovery. Confidence in the stability of the market is at a very low ebb and very few are found bold enough to predict betterment. The bears seem to have no opposition and attack when and whatever they please.

J. R. Picken—There is a marked lack of buying power on the bull side and we believe that stocks will prove to be a sale on all rallies and that there is no present prospects of any large or important improvement.

HAS THE LEVY "POOL" SOLD?

Mr. Jefferson H. Levy, the C. P. R. bull, "A wire stated to-day that Mr. Levy and his following have not yet been shaken out of C. P. R. stock.

TOPICS OF THE STREET

It is a remarkable coincidence, but nevertheless a fact, that five violent movements have occurred in C.P.R. stock this year on Fridays between the hours of 2 and 3 p.m.

Students of the stars, crystal-gazers and believers in the prevailing sun-spot have an opportunity here to explain this curious phenomenon.

When C.P.R. was bounding early in the year three of its most energetic efforts to tour in the clouds were made on Fridays between the hours mentioned.

The record of 261½ was made on a Friday at around 2.45 p.m.

On the present break it selected Friday between the hours of 2 and 3 p.m. as the most propitious time to display tobogganing tactics.

It is true that last Friday's bear movement began at 11.30 a.m., but it was not until after 2 p.m. that the people behind the stick found that it had got beyond their control.

The affinity between C.P.R. stock and Fridays will bear watching.

Not many Montreaders have made money on the short side of the market.

It is not in a Montrealer's nature to sell short.

Some of them regard short selling as one of the cardinal crimes.

We have dozens of traders in this city who have been bearish on the market and have sold out their long stock, but in spite of a strong belief that things were going lower they have refused to go short a share.

One of the biggest traders in Montreal a man who has bought many thousands of shares of stock, said in Senator Forget's office the other day:

"I have never gone short a share of stock and never will. Our local market suffers severely from the lack of a short interest, but people here have never been educated in short selling.

"We are always trying to find reasons why we should buy a stock, but are never looking for reasons why we should sell. The motto in this city is 'buy.'"

The belief of some people on the "Street" is that 10,000 shares is a modest guess of Mr. James Ross' holdings of Dominion Steel.

"The Star," said one broker, "made a pretty conservative assertion when it mentioned that figure.

"I believe myself that Mr. Ross is now by far the largest individual holder of Dominion Steel, and that he owns close to 12,000 shares."

There is every reason to believe that the members of the Montreal exchange will shortly advance their commission rate from ¼ to ½ per cent.

This move has long been under way, and is now, we understand, supported by a majority of the members of the board.

The Star applauded the reduction in the rate from ½ to ¼ as a progressive move, and has stated and states again, that the advance to the old level is a step backward.

At the same time, however, it must be admitted that the ¼ rate has not brought much new business, and if it is true that brokers find it unprofitable to do business here on that basis, and have been putting their clients into Wall Street instead of Montreal, then there is a strong argument in favor of the ½ commission.

But, as stated before, the move is not in accordance with business laws or principles.

Just as water finds its level, so does business gravitate to the cheapest market.

Everything that appears in the papers of the Steel-Coal situation is pasted in a big scrap book, and is preserved for Mr. James Ross to peruse upon his return. Mr. Ross is going to have some thrilling reading.

Bucket Shops and An Effective Law

To the Editor of the Montreal Star.

Sir,—I have seen a great deal in your paper about bucket shops, but no suggestion as to how to dispose of them, is there. In fact, any effective anti-bucket shop legislation?

A READER.

The city of Los Angeles has a very effectively worded law:

"That city has made unlawful any agreement for the purchase or sale of any commodity when such agreement shall be settled, except an actual bona fide purchase or sale with regular delivery of the article traded in. It even goes further, and labels it a punishable offence for any person knowingly to permit any building or room owned by him to be used for carrying on such business. It prohibits, too, the use or lease of any telegraph or telephone wires in connection with such business.

DETROIT UNITED'S SURPLUS.

Shows Decrease Compared With Same Months Last Year.

Detroit United statement, including the Rapid Railway system, Sandwich, Windsor and Amherstburg Railway and Detroit, Munro & Toledo Short Line Railway figures, makes the following showing for January and February:

	1907	1906	1905
2 mos. gross	$821,962	$781,697	$670,107
Exp. & Taxes	619,589	484,554	440,275
2 mos. net	$302,373	$305,073	$229,832
Other inc.	8,987	7,540	7,266
Total inc.	$311,360	$312,613	$237,098
Charges	216,439	154,528	186,407
2 mos. sur.	$94,921	$158,076	$50,691

DETROIT DIVIDEND.

The 1½ per cent. quarterly dividend on Detroit United is payable May 1.

TORONTO ELECTRIC.

Next Wednesday will probably decide whether or not the city may expropriate the Toronto Electric Light Co. The company also awaits the Government's decision on its application to issue $1,000,000 new stock to old shareholders at par.

ROASTS TWO OF THE TRADERS WHO PLUNGE IN C.P.R.

Member of the London Stock Exchange Unloads a Few Words.

C. P. R. HAS GENUINE BRITISH FOLLOWING.

But the Methods of Two Plungers are Not Liked Over In London.

A member of the London Stock Exchange has something to say of the influences behind C. P. R. stock.

He writes:

"If there be a stock in the outside market which has a bona fide British and I might even say European, following it is Canadian Pacific. When it is being thrown overboard in chunks as it has been every day this week, we may be quite sure that it is not bears who are selling. It will be some big holder who has his reasons, optional or compulsory, as the case may be.

"Some "Plungers."

"There are certain notorious operators in C. P. R. whose names jump to everybody's tongue when either a spurt or a slump takes place. Two of these are well known in New York, and they favor London with a campaign visit once a year, generally in the fall. They are sure to leave some characteristic souvenir behind them.

"One of them is remembered as the giver of the hundred-guinea bread banquet, which still holds the record here for costly vulgarity. The other is best known for his sharp deals and the tricks he plays on unwary jobbers. Last fall he started a "shoot-up" in Canada by giving a broker an order to buy 10,000 "without going into the market." The moment he got them he cabled a similar order to New York. Soon afterwards London was trying to cover its sales in New York while New York was trying to cover its sales in London. The price went up four points before the double operation was finished.

"Wall Street as well as Capel Court must have unpleasant memories of that cross-deal in 20,000 Canadas. Neither market would be sorry to know that those are among the shares now being thrown over. It certainly looks suspicious that other pet stocks of the same plunger have also begun to slump. Lindsay's Bays for instance were offered this morning from 115 to 112, and then to 110 without finding a buyer."

Southwestern Houses Large Buyers of Wheat

From the Special Correspondent of the Montreal Star on the Chicago Board of Trade.

Chicago, March 25.—May sold from 77⅞ to 78¼ to 77⅞, and July from 77 to 77⅝ to 77⅜, compared with closing Saturday of 78¼ and 77⅝, respectively. The rains over scattered sections of the winter wheat belt on Saturday night and Sunday, and prediction of rain in the South West, were against the price. In addition to bearish help was the fact that a big line of Crows sold late on Saturday would have to be protected. South-Western houses were heavy buyers of wheat on bad crop report from Oklahoma and Kansas. The character of the buying during the morning was better than selling. Minneapolis and Duluth receipts figured 145,000 bushels for two days showing a let-up in the accumulation as compared with a week. World's shipments were larger than expected at 11,400,000 bushels. A Liverpool special cable says that the ice on the river Danube is breaking, and it is expected that navigation will open in three days.

MONTREAL STOCKS YARDS.

Monday being the regular market day at the Montreal West End stock yards, and Easter being so near, the attendance of drovers and butchers was very large this morning. Among the drovers present were: Messrs. H. S. Nourse, J. W. King, Rogers & Humphries, J. Gordon, J. Mitchell, N. Whitmarsh, W. A. Johnston, R. Bellisle, J. Dempster, A. W. Talbot, D. W. Harvey, M. D. Williams, E. Nixon and several others.

The receipts of cattle were 1,149 head, 66 sheep, and lambs 294, calves 66. Very choice Exporter cattle sold from 6¼ to 6½c per lb. live weight, good cattle brought 5½ to 5¾c, medium 4¾c, and the common stock 3¼c, the sheep were purchased at 5c, and the lambs at 6c, while fancy spring lambs realized as much as 7 cents.

Three good calves weighing about 480 lbs. each sold well, being bought by Mr. Montreal, the calves throughout commanded good prices 6 per lb. being about the average paid.

Hogs were firmer, and $7.40 to $7.50 was readily obtained for selects.

LIVE STOCK IN ENGLAND.

Canadian Associated Press.

Liverpool, March 25.—John Rogers & Co.: Liverpool cable Canadian steers 11¾ to 11¾c. States steers 11¾ to 12¼c, cows 10½ to 10¾c, bulls, 8½ to 9c, trade slow but firm.

Canadian Associated Press.

Glasgow, March 25.—Edward Watson and Ritchie report 630 cattle on market, trade slow and prices worse, owing to Easter holidays, top cattle, 11¾c, and extreme price 12c, secondary, 10½c, bulls, large supplies, top 10c per lb.

CHEESE AND BUTTER MARKET.

CHEESE.—Cheese to-day is very scarce, and the little that is arriving is for fodder cheese and has to be sold immediately as it does not keep. Holders of the few remaining stock are very firm in their ideas and will not sell under 14c, while 14½c is asked.

For fodder cheese quotations are 13½ to 14c.

The total receipts of cheese reported on the Board of Trade for last week were 42 boxes against 86 boxes during the week ending March 16.

BUTTER.—Receipts of finest creamery butter are not as plentiful as was the case last week, some four or five days ago, hence the market is a little firmer although prices have not changed as yet. Should the receipts continue to be scarce, the prices will undoubtedly rise. To-day choicest creamery is quoted at 26c to 26½.

Dairy Butter is very scarce, and there is not sufficient to supply the demand. Prices for this make are from 24c for pastry butter to 25c for choice.

Receipts of butter reported on the Board of Trade to-day are 111 packages. The total receipts of butter last week were 1168 packages, against 880 packages for the previous week.

CHEESE MARKET IN ENGLAND.

London, March 25.—The market for Canadian cheese has been indifferent, and the demand quiet, choicest 67 shillings; finest, 66 shillings.

WEEK'S FAILURES IN CANADA.

Commercial failures in Canada during last week, as reported by R. G. Dunn & Co., numbered 25, against 37 for the previous week, 17 for the week ending March 2nd, and 37 for the same period last year.

Introduced on 'Change: Mr. Jas. Norris, Chicago, by Mr. J. S. Norris.

Mr. W. J. Whyte, London, Eng., by Mr. T. R. McCarthy.

Mr. A. G. Campion, New York, by Mr. T. R. McCarthy.

Mr. J. McWilliams, Father Point, by C. E. Esdaile.

Mr. J. H. Ashdown, Winnipeg, by F. H. Mathewson.

Mr. A. R. Taylor, Milwaukee, by A. F. Read.

Mr. F. Cushing, Portland, Me., by A. F. Stuart.

Mr. S. A. McCaw, Goderich, by A. F. Stuart.

Mr. R. L. Rushton, Camrose, by Mr. H. J. Stevens.

Mr. J. L. Crosthwaite, New York, by Mr. Jas. Cuttle.

The price of Canadian cheese in England is quoted at 65s 6d for white, and 67s 6d colored.

The stocks of wheat at Fort William to-day are 2,770,000 bushels, and at Port Arthur 3,611,000 bushels.

A large number of cheese factories in Ontario are opening up to-day for the commencement of operations for the season.

A representative of the Ogilvie Flour Mills at London, Ontario, says: "The past week has opened up with spring weather very rapidly, and if it continues for another ten days fall wheat will be seen growing.

In Essex county there is little or nothing of a fall wheat crop.

The west part of Kent county will probably have two-thirds of a crop.

The east part of Kent looks better, the top of the wheat is brown, but it looks all right at the bottom.

The Modern Miller gives a bullish report on Texas and Indian Territory, but gives a moderately bullish report on Oklahoma, Michigan and Indiana. They give the conditions in Kansas and Nebraska as being favorable.

St. Louis wired that a sample from Winfield, Kansas, was full of green bugs, and temperatures in the South-West were as high as 100 degrees, with hot winds prevailing.

Kansas City has sent reports of the destruction of green bugs in various counties, but later reports from Kansas and Oklahoma gave crops as all right.

The foreign demand for wheat is not promising at the moment, but Germany is making some bids for wheat.

Broomhall estimates the weekly clearances of wheat and flour to be 1,390,000.

WHEAT A SHADE LOWER.

The Liverpool spot wheat market closed to-day quiet in tone. No. 1 northern Manitoba, 6s 6½d to 6s 7d; No. 2 northern 6s 5½d to 6s 5¾d.

Options on wheat quiet: March 6s 4d, May, 6s 4¾d, July, 6s 1¾d.

Weather in England. Fine; forecast, fine.

The Paris wheat market closed steady, March 22 60, July and August, 22 05.

The weather is hot and cold in the north of France and fine in the south; forecast, cold in the north, and fine in the south.

The receipts of wheat at Winnipeg on Saturday were:

	Cars
No. 1 hard	2
No. 1 northern	61
No. 2 northern	23
No. 3 northern	24
No. 4 northern	7
Winter	2
Other grades	49
Total	157
Last year	79

The Chicago spot wheat market was quoted at noon: May, 78½, against 77¾ to 77½ to 78⅝; July, 77⅜, against 77¼ to 77⅜, at the opening this morning.

The New York wheat market was quoted at noon: May, 84¼, against 84¼ at the opening.

Winnipeg wheat: May, 76¾, against 76¾; July, 76⅜, against 76⅝, at the opening.

Winnipeg oats: May, 36⅜, against 36⅝; June, 35⅝, against 35½; and July steady at 33½.

Duluth wheat: May steady, at 79⅜.

The Minneapolis wheat market was quoted at noon: May 77⅞ to 77⅝ against 77⅞.

Visible supply United States and Canada—

	Mar. 25, 1907.	Mar. 18, 1907.	Mar. 26, 1906.
Wheat	47,590,000	47,171,000	47,697,000
Corn	12,575,000	13,067,000	13,612,000
Oats	9,524,000	10,075,000	25,668,000

Wheat in sight.—

	Mar. 25, 1907.	Mar. 18, 1907.	Mar. 26, 1906.
Vis. supply U.S. and Can.	47,590,000	47,171,000	47,697,000
On pass. to U. K.	33,040,000	31,520,000	33,520,000
On pass. to Con.	17,280,000	16,720,000	16,480,000
Totals	97,910,000	95,411,000	97,097,000

Creditors Accept a Compromise

Toronto, March 25.—Negotiations between the J. D. King Company, Ltd., boot and shoe manufacturers of this city, who have been in financial difficulties for some time, and the firm's creditors for a compromise have been proceeding so well that it is probable that when the application for a winding-up order comes up again at Osgoode Hall on Wednesday, the matter will be disposed of. An arrangement has been reached with regard to the Ontario Bank's unsecured claim for $86,000 or more. The majority of the trade creditors, whose claims total about $60,000, have agreed, it is said, to accept a compromise at forty cents on the dollar.

TEXAS STRAWBERRIES.

Tyler, Texas, March 25.—We loaded first car East Texas strawberries on Saturday. First car last year April 21. Berries in fine condition. Weather dry; crop will be short.

HAY, GRAIN AND FLOUR.

HAY.—English advices on the state of the hay market are, if anything, easier in tone on spot, owing principally to the bad state of the roads. Prices are firmer for top grades of hay, being quoted at $13.50 to $14 for No. 1, $12 to $12.50 for No. 2, and $11 to $11.50 for clover mixed.

OATS.—Stocks of oats are heavy on spot, with a light demand, and prices are easy at 42 to 44c for No. 2, 42 to 43c for No. 3, and 41 to 42c for No. 4.

CORN.—The supply of corn in Montreal continues to be light. Prices are therefore maintained on a high level, varying as to quality from 56 to 60c per bushel.

BARLEY.—Barley is wanted at 52 to 54c in store.

BUCKWHEAT.—There is still a good demand for buckwheat, but as none can be secured, prices are difficult to quote. This grain is worth about 55 to 57c in store.

FLOUR.—The local flour market continues steady, with a fair average demand, with no change in prices. Manitoba grades, $4 to $4.10 per bbl., in bags for strong bakers, and $4.50 to $4.60 for patents. Quotations on Ontarios are $3.75 to $3.85 per bag, and $1.60 to $1.60 for extras.

MILLFEED.—The market is firm and supplies on spot are very limited. Bran is quoted at $21, and shorts at $22.

RAILWAY MEN ARE IN FAVOR OF STRIKE

Forty-nine Railways Will Be Affected if General Strike is Declared.

Special to the Montreal Star.

Chicago, Ill., March 25.—An official count of the strike vote taken by 47,000 members of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen and the Order of Railway Conductors will be announced to-day. Ninety-five per cent. are believed to have voted in favor of the strike, this action on forty-nine railroads.

P. H. Morrissey, chief of the trainmen, and A. B. Gerretson, chief of the conductors, arrived in the city to-day and are preparing to call the chairmen of the different grievance committees together to confer over the situation.

Announcement was made at the headquarters of the railway men to-day that no further conferences will be held with the general managers' committee to discuss merits or demerits of the latest demands voted by the men.

Arbitration will also be refused.

The False Alarm Fiend.

James O'Keefe, the fire alarm hero, was again brought before the Recorder's Court to answer a charge of creating a disturbance in his mother's house. A fine of $25 or two months in jail was imposed on him. The Recorder also ordered that he be examined as to his sanity. O'Keefe is well known to the police, and is the pest of the firemen, as he has a habit of ringing false alarms at times.

Accused of Burglary.

Arthur Galarneau, 21 years of age, residing at 3057 St. Hubert street, appeared to-day before Magistrate Lafontaine charged with burglary. He pleaded not guilty and was remanded until next Thursday.

It is alleged by Detective Connors that the accused was found sleeping in a shoemaker's shop about 1.30 on Sunday morning.

Conscience Money.

The conscience money man is abroad. During the past few days the Montreal Street Railway has received no less than $31.50, the same being sent in in three sums: $30, $1 and 50 cents.

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TOWN OF THOROLD

PROVINCE OF ONTARIO.

Water Works

Sealed tenders will be received by the Town Clerk of Thorold until 8 p.m. on

Tuesday, April 23, 1907

for the furnishing of all materials for, and constructing a System of Water Works for the Town of Thorold, comprising pipe-laying, water pipes, hydraulic pumping machinery, powerhouse, water tower, sedimentation basin, etc.

Plans, specifications, etc., may be seen at the office of the Chief Engineer, 103 Bay Street, Toronto, Ont., or at the office of the Town Clerk, Thorold, on and after March 30th, 1907.

No tender necessarily accepted.

D. E. MILLAR, Esq.,
Mayor, Thorold, Ont.
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Town Clerk, Thorold, Ont.
WILLIS CHIPMAN, C.E.,
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BAILIFF'S SALE—PROVINCE OF QUEBEC, District of Montreal No. 4362. Circuit Court. A. Simpson, Plaintiff, vs. E. E. Leprohon, Defendant. On the 4th day of April, 1907, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, at the domicile of the said Defendant, No. 887a Mount Royal, in the City of St. Louis, will be sold by authority of Justice, all the goods and chattels of the said Defendant, seized in this case, consisting of household furnishings, etc. Terms cash. J. A. PERRAULT, B. S. C. Montreal, 22nd March, 1907.

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DIVIDEND NOTICE.

NOVA SCOTIA STEEL & COAL COMPANY, LTD.

A dividend of two per cent. on the Preference Shares, and a dividend of one and one-half per cent. on the ordinary shares of this company for the quarter ended March 31st, 1907, has been declared payable on April 15th, 1907, to shareholders of record of March 21st, 1907.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 1st to the 5th of April, both days inclusive. By order of the Directors.

71 10 THOMAS GREEN, Cashier.

We Will Sell

100 Quebec Street Railway, $41.00; 2,000 Mergenthaler Horton Basket, 6c; 1,000 Hailey Cobalt, 1,000 Silver Bird, 200 Marconi, $1.50; 50 Quebec Steam Whaling, 200 Green Meehan, 1,000 B.C. Amalgamated Coal, 12c; 500 Abitibi, 27c; 500 King of the North.

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The Traders Bank of Canada.

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Messrs. Clarkson, Cross & Menzies, Bank of British North America Chambers, Winnipeg.

PROSPECTUSES AND INFORMATION CONCERNING THE COMPANY FURNISHED ON APPLICATION TO THE SECRETARY, MR. W. A. FAULKNER, AT THE OFFICES OF THE CANADIAN DISTILLERIES, LIMITED.

405 ASHDOWN BUILDING, - - - - - - - WINNIPEG.

TRAGEDY DEVELOPS MYSTERY FEATURES

Companion of Man Asphyxiated In Lodging House Says That Money Had Disappeared.

Joseph Blonz, the Austrian, who was brought to the General Hospital Wednesday morning from a lodging house at East 26 Craig street, had sufficiently recovered at noon to-day to make a statement to the authorities of the hospital. Blonz stated that John Youksl, the victim of the tragedy was his half-brother. They had been working at St. Anne's, and had come to Montreal to look for a house.

He said they had spent a little money for car fare and dinner and supper, but before retiring he counted his money in the room and had $150 in paper money, besides some small change in silver. He turned off the gas tap himself and did not go to sleep for some little time. He could not understand what had become of his money. The hospital authorities immediately communicated with the police of the Central station, where it was ascertained that the only money found was $11, which was under the pillow on which one had been sleeping.

Mrs. Blonz was at the hospital today trying to unravel the mystery, but as she could not speak English nothing much could be learned. She was thankful, however, that her husband had not been killed and as soon as Blonz has sufficiently recovered a thorough investigation will be made by the police.

Union Brewery, Ltd., Elected Officers.

On Saturday took place, at the Union Brewery Limited's office, the annual meeting of the company. At a subsequent meeting of the directors elected, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Messrs. Rodolphe Forget, president; William Wainwright, vice president, and Arthur J

PROPERTY FOR SALE.

FOR SALE — A BRICK STONE front house, detached, in Westmount, eight rooms and bathroom. Apply 5 Glenalbyn ave, Westmount. 67 6

FOR SALE — 25 EMILY STREET, solid brick cottage, gas and cellar, lot 25x100, price $1,500, possession May 1st. Jas M Strachan, 214 St James st. 68 6

FOR SALE — LARGE VALUABLE corner property on St Catherine st west. Apply to D. Ltttenberg, 253 St Catherine st west. 68 6

FOR SALE — 6 CHERRY AVE, Montreal, new and extension kitchen, large front residence, modern conveniences, easy terms. V. Ernest Evans, 141 Notre Dame west. 67 6

FOR SALE — $500 ST DOMINIQUE st, 2 storey brick house, 6 rooms, bath, cellar, hot water heating, gas and electric light, lot 25x100. Apply to Jos. Gervais, 1 St Dominique st, or on premises. 67 6

FOR SALE — WESTMOUNT UPPER Belmont ave, 2 storey and basement brick, 8 rooms, bath, hot water heating, gas and electric light, lot 25x100. Apply to Jos. Gervais, 1 St Dominique st, or on premises. 67 6

FOR SALE — MUST BE SOLD, 3 storey brick, 10 rooms, bath, hot water heating, gas and electric light, lot 25x100. Apply to Jos. Gervais, 1 St Dominique st, or on premises. 67 6

FOR SALE — WESTMOUNT, 2 storey brick, 8 rooms, bath, hot water heating, gas and electric light, lot 25x100. Apply to Jos. Gervais, 1 St Dominique st, or on premises. 67 6

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THE SARAH MAXWELL MEMORIAL

18th INSTALMENT OF ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

Editor Star:

The name of Sarah Maxwell deserves to go down with those of Grace Darling and Florence Nightingale for heroism. They faced death in heroic deeds, but Miss Maxwell, vested and sacrificed her life to save the lives of little helpless tots cowering under seat and desk for safety from the pitiless flames. The mere relation of her heroism, I feel sure, caused many a throat to thicken and eye to dim. I am pleased that she is not to be forgotten, but that a fitting monument is to be raised to her memory. I enclose a dollar and a half.

JOHN W. DOUGLAS.

Editor Star:

Enclosed please find 50 cents for Maxwell Memorial Fund.

BRADFORD WALSH,
Rainy River, Ont.

Editor Star:

Enclosed please find the sum of $1.00, being my contribution towards the Sarah Maxwell Memorial Fund.

CYRIL MAXWELL MUSSEN,
76 St. Matthew street.

Editor Star:

Please find enclosed 25 cents for the Sarah Maxwell Memorial Fund.

JOHN WILLIAM KANE,
62a St. George street.

Editor Star:

Please find enclosed the following subscriptions to the Maxwell Memorial Fund: MATTHEW FOSTER, MISS ANNIE FOSTER, MISS E. STUGGINS, WILLIE STUGGINS, of Burke's Falls, Ont., 25 cents each.

MATTHEW FOSTER,
Burke's Falls, Ont.

Editor Star:

Please find enclosed one dollar for Miss Maxwell Memorial.

GEORGE and NORMAN RUTHMAN,
Aged 9 & 7 years.
97 Cote d'Abraham, Quebec.

Editor Star:

Enclosed please find 50 cents from DANNIE, aged 12, and NELLIE ENDER, aged 9 years, for the Maxwell Memorial. 18½ Richmond street.

Editor Star:

Enclosed please find 50 cents for the Maxwell Memorial Fund.

CLINTON PATTERSON NICKLE,
Age 4

Editor Star:

Enclosed please find twenty-five cents, thirty dollars ($30) towards the Sarah Maxwell Memorial Fund, from the masters and boys of Wickham House school. Every boy has gladly contributed in this subscription.

Yours, truly,
F. HOLMES OBR,
Wickham House School.
337 Clarke avenue, Westmount.

Editor Star:

We enclose herewith our small share, 50 cts. for the brave Miss Maxwell, who lost her life in the Hochelaga school fire.

ARNOLD and EDNA ANDERSON,
Newport, Vermont, school.

Editor Star:

Please find enclosed $1.00 for the Sarah Maxwell Memorial, out of love for a brave teacher.

EDNA GORDON COLLEY and
GLADYS DOUGLAS,
278 St. Chas. Borromee street.

Editor Star:

Enclosed please find one dollar for the Sarah Maxwell Memorial.

VIDA LENEY,
Ormstown Academy.
Ormstown, Que.

Editor Star:

I enclose $1 towards the Sarah Maxwell Memorial.

J. STRACHAN BETHUNE,
169 University street.

Editor Star,

Please find enclosed one dollar for the Sarah Maxwell Memorial fund from the

MISSES RUTENBERG and MASTER M. A. RUTENBERG,
67 Shuter street.

Editor Star,

Enclosed please find one dollar for the Miss Sarah Maxwell Memorial Fund.

SELINA and WILLIE CAMPION
Lansdowne school.
168 Champlain street.

Editor Star:

Enclosed find 50 cents for the Sarah Maxwell Memorial Fund, from

HARRY BEDDING (age 10 months),
961 Mt. Royal avenue.

Editor Star:

Enclosed please find the sum of 50c for the Sarah Maxwell Memorial Fund.

JEANETTE and HECTOR SPARKS,
15 Coleraine St.

Editor Star:

I send you 50 cents for the Sarah Maxwell Memorial Fund.

MARY MITCHELL,
1051 Cadieux St.
Mount Royal School.

Editor Star:

Enclosed you will find 50c for the Sarah Maxwell Memorial Fund.

JOHN and LIZZIE FLEMING,
181 Versailles St.
Pupils Royal Arthur School.

Editor Star:

MR. SAMUEL McCUTCHEON, Shelburne, sends $1.50 for the Maxwell Memorial Fund.

ALICE YOUNG, 4918 Sherbrooke St., Westmount, contributes $1.20 to the Sarah Maxwell Memorial.

Editor Star:

Enclosed you will please find 25 cents as a contribution towards the "Sarah Maxwell Fund."

FRANK L. ROSENBAUM,
Aged 5 years 4 months.
44 East Lagauchetiere St.

Editor Star:

Enclosed please find 25 cents for the Maxwell Memorial Fund.

LILIAN MEYER (Age 11).
814 Chausse St.

Editor Star:

Please find enclosed 25c towards the Memorial Fund for Miss Maxwell, who so nobly gave up her life to save her pupils.

EDNA E. WILSON,
724 St. Urbain St.

Editor Star:

Enclosed please find cheque for $4.25, amount collected among pupils of the Montreal Conservatory of Music (recital), written for Sarah Maxwell Memorial. Kindly send another subscription list, as I hope to add a few more names.

I sincerely trust that your efforts to perpetuate the memory of Canada's heroine may meet with the success they deserve. Such a noble example cannot but have a grand influence for good on the youth of our country.

C. E. SEIFERT,
Musical Director of
Montreal Conservatory of Music.

Daisy Lucas 25
Florence Mills 25
Eloise E. Garmon 25
Jas. M. Niven 25
Anita Allen 25
Annie Callan 25
Alice Wills 10
W. Curran 10
Mollie Carter 25
Jeanne Rose 25
P. S. Smith 25
Robt. Bryson 25
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V. Shepherd 25
Gilbert Campbell 25
Alexander Gibb 25
Vaughan Woolley 25
Ethel Cox 25
Emma Krause 25
Susie Coles 25
Muriel Idler 25
Florence Galbraith 25
K. Mebougald 25
P. E. Seifert $100

Editor Star:

I have much pleasure in enclosing you the sum of $5.25 (five dollars and twenty-five cents) for the Sarah Maxwell Memorial Fund. I think she was a noble girl and deserves great credit for her bravery. I think a monument should be erected in the form of a lady holding a little child in her arms, and should be erected in Philips square.

MARIA BANKS,
35 Crescent St.

(Age 12.)

Editor Star:

Please find enclosed 25 cents for the Sarah Maxwell Memorial Fund.

MYRTLE W. RACE,
629 Clarke St.,
Annex, P.Q.

A pupil of Fairmount School.

Editor Star:

Enclosed find 25 cents for the Maxwell Memorial Fund.

DOROTHY ALEXANDRA CROSS,
Longueuil.

Editor Star:

Please find enclosed the sum of 50 cents as our contribution to the "Maxwell Memorial Fund."

FREDERICK C. CARVER and J. KENNETH CARVER,
Cote St. Paul.

Editor Star:

Enclosed please find $1 for the Memorial to Sarah Maxwell. If there were more like Miss Maxwell, noble, true and good, this world be a better world.

REUBINA, RALPH, GEORGE, HELEN and OSBORN MONTGOMERY.
St. Therese.

Editor Star:

Enclosed you will find $1 for the memorial for Miss Maxwell, who fought so bravely to save the little ones she loved. May her name stand in memory for years to come from

PEARL, GEORGE, HILDA, and WILLIE WHEATLEY.
153 Dalhousie St.

Pupils of Ann St. School.

Editor Star:

I enclose $1 from my brother and myself for the Memorial Fund of Miss Sarah Maxwell, who died so bravely saving many precious little lives.

GLADYS WAINWRIGHT.

Editor Star,

Please accept enclosed $1 on behalf of my brothers and sisters, ALBERT, aged 4, JAMES, aged 6, AMELIA, aged 7, and RUBY, aged 8.

ADIE KERR, (Aged 10).
1701 St. Dominique St.

Editor Star:

Please find the enclosed $1 for the Maxwell monument. I think Miss Maxwell was very brave.

T. PERCY HIRSCH,
(10 years.)
4061 Dorchester St.
Pupil High School.

Editor Star:

GORDON and FRED PAYNE, 58 Fort St., enclose $50 cents for the aid of the Sarah Maxwell Memorial, and hope it will be a great success.

EDISFROTH and ARTHUR BARRETT, pupils of Westmount Academy, send 25 cents each for the Maxwell Memorial Fund.

Editor Star:

Enclosed please find 50 cents towards the Sarah Maxwell Memorial Fund.

E. KENNY,
13 Brandon Ave.

Editor Star:

A small tribute of 50 cents for the "Sarah Maxwell Memorial" Fund, from

STEWART and JACK BLACK,
97 Shuter St.

Editor Star:

Enclosed please find 50 cents to the memorial of the heroic Miss Maxwell, who gave her life so bravely to save the children she so loved.

FRED ENZ,
226 Centre St.
Pupil of Lorne School.

Editor Star,

Please accept this small contribution to the memorial of Miss Sarah Maxwell, the heroine martyr, who gave her life in order to save her little pupils. Please help her bereaved mother.

LEON LEVIN,
36 West Sherbrooke St.

JAMES BOLTON, St. Lambert Academy, sends 50 cents for the Maxwell Memorial Fund.

Editor Star,

Enclosed please find 65 cents, which we collected for the Maxwell Memorial Fund.

GRACE and MARGUERITE HILLS
855 Cadieux St.

Editor Star:

Enclosed find $1.00 for the Sarah Maxwell Memorial Fund, from

J. E. and L.

Editor Star:

Sir,—Herewith I enclose money order to the account of $20.20 subscribed by the pupils of St. Ethus High School, P. Q., which amount we wish to be devoted to the erection of the wing of the Children's Memorial Hospital.

CHARLES PRICE GREEN, B.A.
Principal.

George Carks B. 25
E. J. Knight 25
Irene Gerrard 25
Muriel Brown 25
Charles Brown 25
Eugenie Duval 25
George Wren 25
Vernon Longtin 25
Ernest Longtin 25
Wilfrid Tucker 25
H. Hemmings 25
C. Mitchell 25
H. Murtagh 25
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H. Chapman 10
W. Congress 10
A. Martin 25
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M. Geraghty 10
M. Ford 10
S. Ferrel 25
H. Cowan 25
A. McNeice 25
A. Leland 25
Thomas Chapman 25
Gladys Hudson 25
Gertrude Normandin 25
Yvonne Lapierre 15
Goldie Cruickshank 10
Eva St. Clair 10
Irene Chapman 15
Edmee Duval 10
Alexandre Vaillancourt 10
Louisaline Gervais 10
Jessie Hodgson 5
Nesta Marion 10
Stella Longtin 10
Friend 10
Mabel Hemmings 25
Edythe Pollock 25
Dorothy Dougherty 25
Margaret Hubbard 50
Maud Wren 25
Jessie Smith 25
Ruth Simpson 25
Mabel Simpson 25
Edith Archer 25
Yvonne Monette 25
Viola Archer 10
Hattie St. Amour 10
Grace De Nicholson 25
Muriel Black 25
Friend 25
Winnifred Hibbard 25
May Winckor 25
Ruth Winckor 25
Gladys Winckor 25
Pearl Chapman 25
Dora Black 25
M. and L. E. Duval 25
Viola White 10
Verona Longtin 25
Irene Martin 25
Winnifred Tucker 25
Edith Tucker 25
Holly Tucker 25
Minnie Hemmings 50
Violet Hemmings 25
Bess Hemmings 25
Beatrice Pugh 25
Irene Black 25
Eva Hudson 25
H. Allen 25
A. Wren 25
W. O'Hara 25
J. Black 25
E. Hudson 25
P. Hudson 25
W. Lappin 25
S. Lappin 25
J. Medhurst 25
W. Reid 10
F. Hird 25
I. Dalphin 10
L. Thayer 25
L. Thayer 15

Editor Star,

Please accept 25 cents for the Maxwell Memorial Fund.

RESSIE ROSENTHAL,
983 Mount Royal Ave.

(Age 9 months.)

Editor Star:

I am a pupil of Victoria school, and wish to give something towards the Miss Maxwell Memorial Fund, so enclose 25 cents.

FRASER WILSON.

Editor Star:

I was very sorry to hear of the death of poor Miss Maxwell and I send 25 cents for her Memorial.

LAWRENCE HARDMAN (age 11)
4255 Montrose Ave.
Westmount.

Editor Star:

Please except $1.00 for Miss Maxwell's memorial from WALLACE, GORDON, RICHARD and JOHN BELL, pupils of Mount Royal School.
62 Mitchenson Street.

Editor Star:

Enclosed find one dollar as our subscription to the Sarah Maxwell Memorial Fund. We sincerely hope when the new school building is erected it will be named "The Sarah Maxwell School," as a fitting tribute to the brave woman, who gave up her life for the little children.

YETTA, EDYTHE and ELEC SILVER.
641a Cadieux St.

Editor Star:

Enclosed please find 50 cents for the Sarah Maxwell Memorial Fund.

SAMUEL ATCHISON, 64 Chestnut Ave.
Pupil of King's School.

Editor Star:

Master BUNNY ALEXANDOR, 127 Lewis Ave., Westmount, sends fifty cents for the Sarah Maxwell Memorial Fund.

Editor Star:

Enclosed please find one dollar towards the Sarah Maxwell Memorial.

MARRY MacLAREN.
198 Bishop Street.

Editor Star:

Enclosed find 25 cents for the Maxwell Memorial Fund.

MARY FORREST,
Valleyfield, Que.

ELLA LEGGO, L'Anse au Brillant, Gaspe, Que., sends 25 cents for the Maxwell Memorial Fund.

Editor Star:

Please find enclosed 60 cents as a contribution to the Sarah Maxwell Memorial Fund.

ROGER, ALLEN and HAROLD ROBERTS, of Parkhill.

Editor Star:

Will you please accept my mite of one dollar for the Sarah Maxwell Memorial. What a noble woman she was!

NANNIE C. FRASER,
Oso Station, Ont.

I should very much like to have one of her photos.

"Greater Love Hath No Man Than This That a Man Lay Down His Life for His Friends."

Editor Star:

Find enclosed one dollar and fifteen cents ($1.15) from some of the pupils of the Primary department of the Technicville Academy, who wish to show their appreciation of the heroic Miss Maxwell.

LILLIAN BAYNE, DOUGLAS ABBOTT, JEANE ABBOTT, RUPERT PERRY, GRACIE PERRY, BASIL BAKER, ALFY BUCKLAND, LIZZIE BUCKLAND, WALLY BUCKLAND, EVA BARLOZ, HAZEL BENNETT, FLORENCE WIDGER, WELLS WOODARD, FLORENCE WOODARD, RALPH FINDALL, OWEN LINDALL, EARLE FULLER, E. RHEAUME, DONA DIAMOND.

Editor Star:

Please accept 50 cents for the Miss Maxwell Memorial Fund. From

ALBERT, VIOLA, MARY, GLADYS and LESLIE POPE.

Lanville, Que.

Editor Star:

Please find enclosed $1.00 for the Miss Maxwell Memorial Fund. She was so brave and good to save so many of her little pupils. ALICE E. WALLACE, a pupil of Prince Albert School, St. Henry, Montreal, now residing in Georgeville.

P.S. Would like Miss Maxwell's Picture very much.

Editor Star:

Please find enclosed $1.00 from GEORGE and EDWIN GUILLET, also 50 cents from MURIEL MARIE and CLARENCE GUILLETTE, of Cobourg for the Sarah Maxwell Memorial Fund.

Editor Star:

Please find enclosed a small contribution towards the Memorial for Miss Maxwell, who so nobly sacrificed her life to save others.

ETHEL B. PACKWOOD,
Point St. Peter, Gaspe Co.

Editor Star:

Please find enclosed 25 cents for the Sarah Maxwell Memorial Fund, from MAY THOMAS and GEO. H. PANTER, Peterborough, Ont.

Editor Star:

Enclosed find the sum of 45 cents for the Sarah Maxwell Memorial Fund, contributed by FREDA CHRISTIE, FREDA GREEN and JOE TODD, Oxford Mills.

Editor Star:

Kindly accept my small subscription in aid of the Sarah Maxwell Memorial. Will you kindly send me the Memorial Paper, as I should like very much to have one.

JENNIE BALL,
26 York street, Kingston.

Editor Star:

Enclosed find $1 in aid of the Maxwell Memorial Fund from INA PUTMAN, ALICE CLEMENT, CORA BELL CEEPER, REITTA BARKER, ERNEST PRATT, WILIAM JOHN WILSON and our teacher.

REITTA BARKER,
Northport, Ont.

Editor Star:

I enclose 20 cents for the Memorial for Miss Maxwell.

ADA E. SIMPSON,
Lyster Station.

I should like to get one of her pictures.

Editor Star:

On behalf of the choirster boys of St. George's Church please find enclosed $10.00 for the Sarah Maxwell Memorial Fund.

PERCIVAL J. ILLSLEY.

Editor Star:

Enclosed in this letter you will find 25 cents for the Maxwell Memorial Fund. I should be very glad to receive a portrait of the brave young lady.

ROBERT HARRINGTON,
Trenholme, Que.

Editor Star:

Enclosed you will find fifty cents in aid of the Sarah Maxwell Memorial. We feel very sorry for Miss Maxwell and the little children who were burned.

IVA and HERBERT DAWSON,
Lorenz, Ont.

Editor Star:

Please find enclosed 25 cts. for Miss Maxwell's Memorial, from

ALBERT IRWIN,
103 Wolfe street,
Lansdowne school.

Editor Star:

Please find enclosed my mite towards the Memorial Fund for Miss Maxwell mother has read and told me of her brave act in saving so many little hearts. We all think she was very brave and unselfish.

LAWRENCE ANNETT
York Centre School.
Gaspe, Que.

Editor Star:

Enclosed find 50 cents for the Sarah Maxwell Memorial Fund.

MURRAY and ROSS McKENZIE,
482 Charlevoix St.
Pupils of Lorne School.

Editor Star:

Please find enclosed fifty cents for the Sarah Maxwell Memorial Fund, from a pupil of New Glasgow School.

WILLIE WILKINSON,
(Aged 8 years.)

Editor Star:

Please accept 10 cents towards the Sarah Maxwell Memorial Fund, from

A FRIEND.
Quebec.

Editor Star:

Enclosed please find $1.50 for the Miss Sarah Maxwell Memorial Fund, from

CLIFFORD, IRA and
PEARL BROWN,
63 St. Mark street.

Editor Star:

Kindly add enclosed $1.00 to your Sarah Maxwell Memorial Fund, as coming from

LINDSAY M. TALBOT CROSBIE,
Yorkton, Sask.

Please find enclosed 25 cents for Miss Maxwell's Memorial Fund, from little REBE MINE DICKSON (aged 3 years)
322 Victoria avenue, Westmount.

Editor Star:

I send 25 cents in honor of the brave woman, Miss Maxwell.

LESLIE DEVOUGES,
(Aged 14).
Lance a Brilliant, Gaspe.

Editor Star:

Please find enclosed 25 cents for the Sarah Maxwell Memorial Fund.

ERIC SCHOFIELD,
37 Brooke ave., Westmount.

Editor Star:

Please find enclosed 25 cents for the Maxwell Memorial Fund of the dear brave teacher, who died saving the lives of her little charges.

MYRTLE O'NEIL,
237 St. Emilie st., St. Henry.
Pupil of Prince Albert School.

Editor Star.

I want to send $1.00 to the memorial of brave Miss Maxwell, from

HAROLD, ERIC, FRED, and CARMEN GRACE HIND.
674a Mance street.

Editor Star:

Enclosed please find 25 cents for a monument in memory of the bravery and heroism of the late Miss Maxwell, from a girl who read about the terrible accident.

KATE COURSOLLE (aged 14).
Pt. aux Trembles School.

Please find enclosed 10 cents towards the memorial fund for that brave lady, Miss Maxwell.

EARL McINTYRE (aged 9 years),
Lachine Locks.
A pupil of Lachine Academy.

Editor Star:

Enclosed find $1.000 for the Sarah Maxwell Fund, from three pupils of the Gault Institute, Valleyfield.

ROSE, JOYCE and
WALLACE GOODWIN.

Editor Star:

Please find enclosed 25 cents to help to make Miss Maxwell's Memorial a large one.

MYRTLE McINTYRE (aged 11 years),
Lachine Locks.
A pupil of Lachine Academy.

Editor Star:

I enclose 25 cents towards Miss Maxwell's Memorial Fund.

ARTHUR HASKELL.

Editor Star:

Please find enclosed 15 cents for the Sarah Maxwell Memorial Fund.

JACK BIRCH.
12 Tupper street.

Editor Star:

Enclosed please find $1.00 from SHIRLEY RUSSELL, Matane, Que., for Maxwell Memorial Fund.

Editor Star,

Please find enclosed the sum of eleven dollars and seventy-five cents for the Sarah Maxwell Memorial Fund, from some of the pupils and teachers of Miss Brown's Preparatory School, Victoria Hall, Westmount: Ada Cuttle, Athol Shearer, Mary Springle, Margaret Lucius, Freda Forster, George Hardie, Gwynoth Hardie, Bernice Skelton, Eleanora Shaw, Thornton Mulligan, Lorne Hutchison, Douglas Shearer, Isabel Suckling, Adair Wallace, Robert Anderson, Edwin Sherrard, James S. Wallace, Eleanor Suckling, Ronald Moore, Alan Sclater Isabelle Cuttle, Mildred Ogilvy (Laurie Ogilvy and Angus Ogilvy not pupils), Margaret Ramsay, Elinor Brown, Evelyn Forster, Leonie Townsend, Leighton Brander, Jean Wallace, Margaret Hutchison, E. Robertson and F. Brown.

Editor Star,

Find enclosed 25c for the Sarah Maxwell fund.

ALBERT WILLIS,
382 Clyler.

Editor Star

I think it is very kind of you all to give that testimonial to that brave heroine, dear Miss Maxwell. I think she deserves every bit of it, as she gave up her life for the little ones. I enclose my mite $1.00. I thing it the greatest honor in the world for any man or woman to leave a great name behind them.

Pupils of Berthelet School,
WILLIE, EMILY and GEORGE
HOOD,
29 Aylmer street.

Editor Star:

We are sending fifty cents towards the memorial for brave Miss Maxwell, who did so much to save little children at the school fire, and died for their sakes.

EDITH and DOROTHEA CAMPBELL
4917 Western avenue, Westmount.
King's School.

Editor Star:

Enclosed please find twenty-five cents for WILLIE HOOPER, aged two years, for the Maxwell Memorial.

4163 St. Catherine street, Westmount.

Editor Star

Enclosed please find fifty cents for the Maxwell Memorial. Yours truly,

A. McCONNELL,
Dixie, Que.

Received from the pupils of KING'S SCHOOL, WESTMOUNT, through the principal:

Cecil Box, aged 6, 4844 Sherbrooke	1.00
Sybil Lindsay, aged 8, 4827 Western avenue	.25
Lottie Lindsay, aged 6, 4827 Western avenue	.25
Violet Cutt, aged 11, 4729 Western avenue	.25
Winnie McIntyre, aged 12, 367 Victoria	.25
Rex Harries, aged 5, 325 Lansdowne	.05
Little Jackie Locke, aged 5, 480 Grosvenor	.50

Enclosed please find 25 cts. for Sarah Maxwell Memorial Fund.

EDNA MORRIS.
Pupil Lansdowne School.

Editor Star

I am enclosing 25c for the Sarah Maxwell Memorial.

DORIS LEATHER,
(Age 8).
620 Wellington street.
Pupil Riverside school.

W. M. S. E sends fifty cents for the Maxwell Memorial Fund.

Editor Star:

I am enclosing 50c from HILARY and CONSTANCE DUPUY, for the Sarah Maxwell Memorial.

Pincher Creek, Alta.

Editor Star:

LIZZIE, EDITH, FLORENCE and HILDA SPARKS, of Lorne school, send 25 cents each to the Memorial Fund for Miss Maxwell.

299 Coleraine street.

Editor Star:

Please find enclosed 30 cents for Miss Maxwell's Memorial Fund. I am very sorry for her and the little children who died with her. I would very much like to have a photo of Miss Maxwell.

NELLIE MITCHELL,
Abbey Villa, Sintaluta, Sask.

Editor Star:

Please find enclosed $2.00 for the Miss Maxwell Memorial.

THOMAS, CECIL, FRANK, GLADYS, GRACE and HELENA COUSINS,
25 Montee du Zouave.

Editor Star:

Please find enclosed the sum of twenty five cents for the Sarah Maxwell Memorial Fund.

HARRY LEWIS,
(Age 4 months), 148a Waverly, Mile End.

Editor Star:

Please find enclosed 25 cents, with deep sorrow for the death of Miss Maxwell and the little children.

MAY PEISTRUP,
338 Hibernia Road.
A pupil of Lorne School.

Editor Star:

Enclosed please find 75 cents for the Sarah Maxwell Memorial Fund.

FRED., ALBERT and WILLIE NICKLE,
340 Coleraine street.
Point St. Charles.
Pupils of Lorne School.

Editor Star:

Kindly accept following amount towards Sarah Maxwell Memorial Fund. Collected by SADIE NORRIS,
24 Coursol street.

Mrs. C. W. Heasley	$1.00
Miss B. Heasley	1.00
Mona McCulloch	.25
F. Dodds	.25
W. Dodds	.25
Mr. Wylie	.25
Ruth Norris	.25
Muriel Norris	.25
Etta Norris	.25
Sadie Norris	.25
Total	$4.00

Editor Star:

Please find enclosed $1.00 for the Sarah Maxwell Memorial Fund, which I send on behalf of AARON, NATHAN, JENNIE and ESTHER RABINOVITCH, pupils of Aberdeen School.

204 Cherrier street.

Editor Star:

Please find enclosed 25 cents for the Sarah Maxwell Memorial Fund.

MYRTLE NICKLE,
340 Coleraine street.
(Aged 4 years).

Editor Star:

Enclosed please find the sum of $2.82 from some of the pupils of North Rosedale School, given toward the Sarah Maxwell Memorial Fund:

Stanley MacClelland (age 14)	.25
Morrell MacClelland (age 12)	.25
Jean MacClelland (age 6)	.25
Hilda Feindel (age 12)	.25
Donald de Long (age 15)	.25
Gladys Woodworth (age 10)	.25
Leon Varner (age 9)	.10
Mabel Feindel (age 8)	.10
Harold Feindel (age 8)	.05
Roy and Marie Vemotte (ages 10 and 6 years)	.06
Lizzie Feindel (age 8)	.02
Cecil Varner (age 6)	.03
Obie Barkhouse (age 11)	.10
Lottie Barkhouse (age 9)	.10
Willie Barkhouse (age 6)	.10
Bernie Burns (age 11)	.05
Laurie and Willie Risser (ages 8 and 10)	.05
Verna, Hazel and Pearly Harvey (ages 10, 8, and 6)	.06
Daisy Warren and Rex Trethewey (ages 10, 8 and 6)	.10
Lois and Asaph Varner (ages 6 and 8)	.05
Harold and Max de Long (ages 10 and 12)	.10
Jessie Trethewey (teacher)	.25
Total	$2.82

We feel deeply the heroism of this noble woman, and she because of her heroic deed will ever live in our memory.

JESSIE IRETHEWEY (teacher).

Editor Star:

We are sending $1.25 for the Sarah Maxwell Memorial Fund.

	Cents.
Muriel Wilson	5
Clyde Wilson	40
Lucy Wilson	25
Florence Wilson	25

Clarence, Ont.

Editor Star:

We enclose $1.25 as our mite for Miss Maxwell Memorial. We felt very sorry to hear about her death and the dear little children who perished with her.

MARY, FRANCES, MARGARET,
JAMES and ANNA KILDUFF.
Bank street, Ottawa.

Editor Star:

Enclosed please find fifty five cents for Sarah Maxwell Memorial. Trusting you will erect a suitable memorial to such a noble woman.

JAMES, ANNIE, HERBERT and ARCHIE HOW.

Editor Star:

Find enclosed 10 cents to your fund for Sarah Maxwell Memorial.

ARCHIE WARWICK (age 5).

Editor Star:

Please accept my contribution, twenty five cents, to the Sarah Maxwell Memorial Fund. I would like a picture if you can spare me one.

ALICE ORR,
Madoc, Ont.

Editor Star:

Enclosed please find one dollar for the memorial of Sarah Maxwell.

MRS. GEO. URQUHART,
Comstock, Wisconsin.

Editor Star:

BELFORD B. R. DUNLOP (age 6), and MERVIN R. DUNLOP (age 5), send 20 cents for the memorial of Miss Sarah Maxwell.

Green Bay, Manitoulin Island, Ontario.

Editor Star:

Enclosed you will find ten cents towards the Miss Maxwell Memorial. I would like to have a photograph of this good woman and I will show it to the rest of the scholars in school.

FRANCES GLASS (age 12),
Roxham.

Editor Star:

I enclose 50 cents for the Sarah Maxwell Memorial.

BEATRICE A. TOWER (aged 8 years).

Editor Star:

I was very sorry when I read about dear Miss Maxwell, who gave her life for her dear pupils and for the ones who were burnt. Please accept 25 cents for the Sarah Maxwell Memorial. I hope they will get enough money to erect a good monument for her.

ETHEL M. HINTON,
108 Papineau Ave.
A pupil of Lansdowne School.

Editor Star:

Please find enclosed 25 cents for Miss Sarah Maxwell's Memorial.

GERALDINE A. C. BLACK,
(Aged 2 years), Potter Place, N.H.

Editor Star:

We are sending thirty cents towards Miss Maxwell's Memorial. We are very sorry for dear Miss Maxwell and the poor little children.

ALEX. A. (aged 10), IAN MacD. (aged 9), and HUGH ST. G. MURRAY (aged 7).

Stanley, N.B.

MRS. W. R. MILTON, Marrott's Cove, sends $1.00 to the Maxwell Memorial Fund.

Editor Star:

Enclosed please find twenty-five cents for the Sarah Maxwell Memorial from

HAZEL MORTON (aged 6).
Maisonneuve.

Editor Star:

Enclosed you will find $1.00 for the Sarah Maxwell Memorial Fund. In sympathy.

MALCOLM, RANDOLPH and ALEXANDER MURCHISON,
Clyde River.

Editor Star,

Enclosed you will find 25 cents for the memorial of Miss Sarah Maxwell, the heroine who gave her life to save her pupils.

WILLIMS H. SANDERSON,
388 S. Lawrence Boulevard.

Editor Star:

Enclosed please find twenty-five cents for the Miss Sarah Maxwell Memorial Fund.

EDYTHE DAWSON.
St. Lambert Academy.

Editor Star:

One more little girl adds her sympathy and contribution of 50 cents to the Maxwell Memorial Fund.

MAGGIE COWIE.
Pupil of McGill Model.
246 St. James street.

Editor Star:

Enclosed find twenty-five cents for Sarah Maxwell Memorial from

EDDIE BARRIE.
Britannia School.

The name of MARY KELLY, 153 Nazareth street, should have been published with those of her brother and sisters, in acknowledging a contribution of one dollar and twenty-five cents for the Maxwell Memorial Fund.

Enclosed please find one dollar for the Saran Maxwell Memorial Fund.

ADA, CLARICE and ALICE EVANS,
13 Basset street.
Pupils of Mount Royal School.

Editor Star:

Enclosed find 50 cents for Miss Maxwell Memorial Fund. If occasion should arise may be find such a friend as the late Miss Maxwell.

EDGAR W. HALL, 3 1-2 years.
594 Moreau street.

JAS. WILLICE, 377 Selby street, Westmount, sends 25 cents to the Maxwell Memorial Fund.

Editor Star,

Kindly accept 25 cents towards the Miss Maxwell Memorial Fund.

RETA HOWARD, ESTHER and VIOLET HADDEN.
Pupils of Lorne School,
12 Paris street,
Pt. St. Charles.

Editor Star:

Please find enclosed one dollar for the Sarah Maxwell Memorial Fund from GORDON GRACE GEORGE, and BABY JOHN FLETCHER,
78 Gordon avenue,
Verdun.

Editor Star:

Please find enclosed $2.00 for Miss Maxwell's Memorial Fund.

Yours truly,
RUTH and HILDA GRIFFIN

Editor Star:

GRACE, KATHLEEN, CLAUDE, and EARL SHARPE send 25 cents each for the Sarah Maxwell Fund, wishing you all sucess.

Pupils of Fairmount School.

Editor Star:

Enclosed find 25 cents for the Miss Sarah Maxwell Fund.

RAYMOND COTE,
605 Cadieux street.
Pupil of Aberdeen School.

Editor Star:

Enclosed please find 25 cents towards the Maxwell Memorial.

MAUD STEVES,
607 Cadieux street.
Pupil of Aberdeen School.

Editor Star:

Please find enclosed the sum of two dollars for the Miss Maxwell Memorial Fund.

ADDIE, MAMY, THEODORE and FRANCAIS FORTIER,
No. 19, 3rd avenue, Vianville.

Editor Star:

MASTER O. BARKER, Brandon, Man., sends 25 cents to the Miss Maxwell Fund.

Editor Star:

In loving memory of Miss Sarah Maxwell, please find enclosed one dollar toward memorial.

IRENE NOEL.
143 Ash Avenue.

Editor Star:

With deepest sympathy for the little ones and brave Miss S. Maxwell, lost in recent fire, we enclose 50 cents.

IRENE M. and LORNE P. CRAIG,
Point St. Charles
Pupils of Riverside School.

Editor Star:

Enclosed please find fifty cents for Sarah Maxwell Memorial Fund.

HAROLD and EDITH WALSH,
86 Anderson street.

Editor Star:

That the name of our great heroine, Sarah Maxwell, shall be an everlasting monument to our city, we enclose fifty cents for the Memorial Fund.

HORTENSE and ERNEST MARKUS,
69 Ste. Famille street.
Pupils of High School.

Editor Star:

Please accept for the Sarah Maxwell Memorial Fund 50 cents, from two pupils of Britannia School.

ANNIE and ELEANOR FOSTER.

Editor Star:

Enclosed please find 50 cents for the Sarah Maxwell Memorial Fund.

WILLIE ROWE,
35 Church street
Pupil of Berthelet School.

Editor Star:

Enclosed please find fifty cents for the Sarah Maxwell Memorial Fund, from MOSES DUBRITSKY.

Pupil of the Commercial and Technical High School.

JOSEPH DUBRITSKY,
Pupil of the Riverside School.
308 Charron street.

Editor Star:

I enclose 25 cents for the memorial to Miss Maxwell.

RUTHIE STILL,
Montreal West.

Editor Star:

Enclosed please find 75 cents toward the Maxwell Memorial Fund.

ELLA MACMILLAN,
141 Ontario St. West.
Berthelet School.

Editor Star:

Please find enclosed FREDDIE JACKSON'S (age 2 1-2) mite, 25 cents, toward the Miss Maxwell Memorial Fund.

12 Butler street,
Brooklyn, N.Y.

Editor Star:

Enclosed please find 35 cents for Sarah Maxwell Memorial.

GERTRUDE and GORDON CARPENTER,
459 Pie IX. Ave.,
Maisonneuve.

Editor Star:

Enclosed please find sum of one dollar and twenty five cents for the Maxwell Memorial, from GEORGE and ANNIE SIMPSON, 466 Bourgeois street; twenty five each, KATHLEEN and ANNIE KEARNEY, 467 Bourgeois street; twenty five cents; Mrs. T. E. O'SULLIVAN, 50 cents.

464 Bourgeois street.

Editor Star:

Enclosed please find one dollar for the Miss Maxwell Memorial Fund.

CHARLES TAYLOR (a pupil of Riverside School), and ARCHIE and DOROTHY TAYLOR (pupils of Britannia School), and EVA TAYLOR, 63 Forfar street.

These acknowledgments will be continued in future issues of The Star.

CHAS. P. SCLATER DIED LAST NIGHT

Secretary-Treasurer of Bell Telephone Company Fell Victim to Pneumonia.

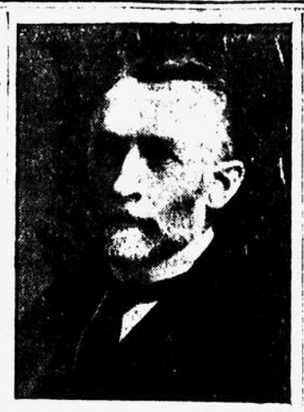
Mr. Charles Page Sclater died last night at his residence, 143 Crescent St. Mr. Sclater had been suffering from pneumonia and had been confined to his home for ten days.

The announcement of Mr. Sclater's death will be received with genuine regret. Mr. Sclater was in life a man of warm feelings and of kindly disposition. He was popular with the employes of the Bell Telephone Company, of which he had been secretary-treasurer, and was also popular amongst the business men with whom he came in contact.

Mr. Sclater was 57 years of age at the time of his death. He is survived by Mrs. Sclater and six children, four daughters and two sons.

Charles Page Sclater was born February 2, 1850, at Dover, England. He was a son of H. Sclater, a retired officer of the Royal Navy, and Rachel Page, his wife. He received his education at a private school in England, and on leaving that institution he was articled to a firm of London accountants, Messrs. Kemp, Ford & Co. Here he acquired a full grounding in sound business methods which since served him in good stead. Mr. Sclater left England in 1876 to assume the management of a cotton business in South Carolina. From that state he came to Canada in 1877, investing in oil wells in Petrolia, Ont. He was acting secretary of the Dominion Telegraph Co. in 1879, and the following year on the formation of the Bell Telephone Company became its first secretary-treasurer, and occupied that important position up to the time of his death.

Mr. Sclater was also actively with other important commercial operations and was director of the Northern Electric and Manufacturing Company, Ltd., and the Hamilton Power Company. Mr. Sclater is a past president of the St. George's Society of Montreal, and had for some years been closely identified with the charitable affairs of that fraternal organization.



JUDGE RUSSELL, of Halifax, who is likely to succeed to the Chief Justiceship of Nova Scotia.

Like most of his fellow-countrymen Mr. Sclater regarded manly exercise as a duty as well as a pleasure. He was well known in rowing and football circles in England between 1870 and 1878, rowing at Henley in the Kingston crews of '74, '75 and '76, and playing on the South of England football teams at about the same period. After crossing the Atlantic he became a stroke oar for the South Carolina Rowing Club, whose four won the Victory at the Charleston regatta of 1877.

In Montreal, where he had resided since 1880, his active interest in all outdoor sports and amusements was felt and appreciated. He was in turn identified with the old Montreal Cricket Club, the old Montreal Toboganning Club, the Winter Carnival committee, and the St. George's Snowshoe Club of the city organization he was first vice-president in 1885 and '86, and president in 1889 and '91.

He was a member of the Montreal Club.

Mr. Sclater was married to Margaret Wade, of Hamilton, Ont., in 1878, and their family consists of four daughters and two sons: Mable, Edna, Ivy, Charles Henry, Arthur Norman and Marjorie.

RIGHT OF WAY HAS BEEN PURCHASED

Work of Constructing Grand Trunk Pacific From Winnipeg to Edmonton Will Be Begun Soon.

The right of way for the Grand Trunk Pacific line from Winnipeg to Edmonton has now been purchased, and the work of constructing that branch of the line will be begun so soon as the spring is a little further advanced. This statement was made in an interview to Mr. George H. Pope, the solicitor of right of way for the G. T. P., who spent the week end in this city.

"The work of building the new transcontinental is making great progress in the west," he said. "And it is gaining a great deal of popular favor. The people feel the need of it and are willing to do all they can to encourage the work. I in my work of buying right of way, have always been received with open arms, and have never had any trouble in getting the land I wanted."

Concerning the construction of the Winnipeg-Edmonton branch, Mr. Pope said that the materials of construction were all in place, and that the work would be carried on with great despatch. He thought that labor would be more plentiful in the west this year than heretofore, and he believed that this part of the line would be finished by the autumn and so might be used for the transportation of the autumn crops.

"The last winter has been a terribly severe one," he continued, "and one result of it is likely to be quite a shortage of cattle this year. It is the new stock raisers that have been caught napping and have lost their cattle. The old hands at the business know the conditions of the prairie better, and have mostly got off with slight losses."

To Aid Victims of Anti-Jewish Riots.

There will be a meeting of Hebrew citizens in the Empire Hall this evening, under the auspices of the Independence Hebrew Political Association to devise ways and means for aiding the victims of the anti-Jewish outbreaks in Roumania. Addresses will be delivered in English and Yiddish.

Quebec Soldiers Will Go West.

Quebec, March 25.—Orders have been received on the Citadel for a draft of 225 men from the R. C. G. A. to proceed at once for British Columbia. The men who are to go to the Pacific Coast have been selected and are now awaiting orders to proceed.

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The DOCTOR

by RALPH CONNOR: Author of THE MAN FROM GLENGARRY: THE PROSPECTOR

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CHAPTER XX.—Continued.

He packed his kit, carefully extinguished his fire, the mark of a right woodsman, slipped his canoe into the water, and set off again. His meeting with Bein Fallows seemed somehow to have brought his brother near him today. Everything was eloquent of those days they had spent together on the upper reaches of the Ottawa. The flowing river, the open sky, the wood, the fresh air, and, most of all, the sipping canoe spoke to him of Dick. The fierce resentment, the bitter sense of loss, that had been as a festering in his heart these years, seemed somehow to-day to have lost their stinging pain. With every lift of the paddle, with every deep breath of the fragrant spring air, with every slip of the canoe, the buoyant gladness of those old canoeing days came swelling into his heart, and ere he knew he caught himself singing, to the rhythmic swing of paddle and shoulders, the old Habitant canoe song:

"En roulant ma boule roulant."

As often as he found his body swinging to the song, so often did he sternly check himself and resolutely set another air going in his head, only to find himself in a short space swinging along again to the old song to which he and his brother had so often made their canoe slip in those great days that now seemed so far away.

"En roulant ma boule,"

sang his paddle in spite of all he could do. He could hear Dick's clear tenor from the bow. "Hare, confound it! Quit it, I say!" he said aloud savagely.

"En roulant ma boule roulant."

In a clear strong voice came the old song from around the bend. The doctor almost dropped his paddle into the stream.

"Heavens above!" he muttered. "What's that! Who's that?"

"Vis-a la noir, tra le blanc,
Reuli roulant, ma boule roulant,"

sang the voice. There was only one who could sing that verse just that way. With two swift heaves of the paddle he lifted his canoe into the overhanging bushes, noiselessly leaped ashore, and pulled his canoe up the bank after him. Down the river still came the song, and ever nearer.

"O fils du roi tu es mechant,
En roulant ma boule."

The doctor cautiously parted the bushes and looked out. Close to the bank came the canoe, the singer sitting in the stern, his hat off and his face showing brown against the fair hair. How strong he looked and how handsome! Barney remembered his own boyish pride in his brother's good looks. Yes, he was handsome as ever, and yet he was different. "He's older, that's it," said the man in the bushes, breathing hard. No, it was not that altogether. There was a new gravity, a new dignity upon the face. All at once the song ceased abruptly. The paddle was laid down and the canoe allowed to drift. The current carried her still nearer the shore. Every line in the face could now be seen. The man peering out through the bushes was conscious of a sharp thrust of pain. The lines in that grave, handsome face were lines drawn with some sharp instrument of grief. The change was not that of years, it was more. Not simply the gravity of responsible manhood, it was that, and something else. This was the change, the old careless gaiety was gone out of the face and in its place sadness, almost gloom. Straight down the river the grave, sad face was turned, but the eyes were fixed with unseeing gaze upon the flowing water. The canoe was now almost abreast the hiding place in the bushes and still drifting. Suddenly the man in the canoe, lifting up his face toward the sky, cried out, "I'll bring her back, please God, and I'll find him, too!" The watcher drew back quickly. A stick snapped under his hand. He threw himself face down and gripped his hands hard into the moss as if to hold himself there. "A deer, I guess, but I must get on," he heard a voice say, then a flip of the paddle and, looking out through the bushes, he saw the swaying figure of the man he most longed and most dreaded to see of all men in the world fast disappearing from his view. Twice he raised his hands to his lips to call after him, but even as he did so a vision held his voice, the vision of a room in a city far away, the girl he loved, and this man pressing hot kisses on her face.

"No," he said at length, grinding his feet hard into the moss, "let him go." But still with straining eyes he gazed after the swaying figure till the bend in the river hid it from his sight. Then he sank down on the deep moss bank with the air of a man who has just passed through a heavy fight.

The rest of the journey upstream was to him a weary drag. The brightness had gone out of the light, the sweetness out of the air. A burning pain filled his heart and clutched at his throat. The old sore, which his work for the sick and wounded had helped to heal over, had been torn open afresh, and the first agony of it was upon him again. He arrived at the upper camp late at night and weary. But weary, as he was he toiled on in his fight with the typhoid outbreak till near the dawning of the day, then, snatching an hour's sleep, he set off down the Big Horn, resolved that ere a week had passed he would seek in some far land the forgetting which here was impossible to him.

Steadily the paddle swung all the long morning, but without awakening any rhythmic song in his heart. It was a heavy grind to be got through with as soon as might be. Even the slip and leap of the canoe failed to quicken his heart a single beat. It was still early in the forenoon when he reached the Long Rapid. It was a dangerous bit of water, but without a moment's considering he stood upright in his canoe and, casting a quick glance down the boiling slope, he made his choice of passage. Then getting on his knees he braced them firmly against the sides of his canoe and before he was well ready found himself in the smooth steep pitch at the crest of that seething incline of plunging water. Two long swallow-like sweeps, then a mad plunging through, a succession of buffeting, curling waves that slapped viciously at him as he dashed through, a great heave or two over the tumbling billows at the foot, then the swirl of the eddy caught him, and lifted him clear over into the quiet water. One minute of wild thrills and the Long Rapid was left behind.

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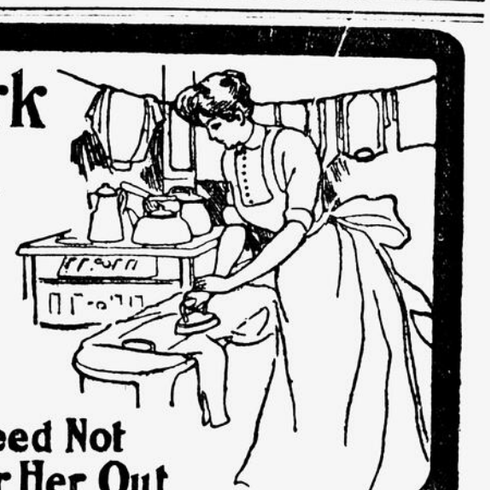

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LAWSUITS OVER THE ST. LOUIS FIRE LAST YEAR.

An action entered in the Superior Court on Saturday raises the question of responsibility for the destruction of thirty buildings in the town of St. Louis on the 1st of September last.

The Mount Royal Assurance Company sues to recover $8,959, the amount which it had to pay out as assurance, and claims that the town is responsible for this amount because it had not provided the necessary apparatus to fight the fire. In turn, Messrs. Risaillon & Brossard, attorneys for the town and corporation, take action in warranty against the Montreal Water and Power Company, alleging that the failure of the company to supply the necessary water pressure was the cause of the spread of the fire.

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Toronto Newspaper Man Dead.

Toronto, March 25.—Mr. Charles N. Pirie, for many years a well-known newspaper man in Toronto is dead. Mr. Pirie was born in Guelph in 1853 and first started in the newspaper business in Toronto as a practical printer. Subsequently he was a member of the local staffs of the Telegram, the News and the Empire. For the past ten years he had not been active in newspaper work.

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BEAVER PA.—Thomas Edwin Orr, president of the American Poultry Association and reputed to be the most expert poultry fancier in the United States, is dead.

WANDERERS WIPED OUT KENORA THISTLES' CHANCES

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Special to The Montreal Star.

Winnipeg, Man., March 25.—"Wiped from the map by the Wanderers" is the phrase which expressively describes what happened to the Thistle Hockey Club in its efforts in defence of the Stanley Cup Saturday night here. With the score 7 to 2 in favor of the challengers, the first game of the series ended and there is no hope held out that any circumstances or condition can prevent the historic trophy from traveling eastward. It is now practically in possession of the men who came West to get it. All that is left for the Thistles is to yield it up as gracefully as they can, and hope that the day may come when they can play hockey the way they were shown Saturday night. They were crushed to earth in every department, and for showing they could should sufficiently indicate that they were not in the same class as Kenora which put it over them good and plenty.

UTTERLY CRUSHED TO EARTH

The vanquished furnished a game fight and battled with determination to the last, but there was not a soul could look on the bright side through all that dark shower of adversity which Wanderers handed in smiling fashion. The score indicates the respective merits of the teams, and had not Smith and Westwick, of Ottawa, been on the Thistle line up, the score would have read 40 to 2, instead of 7 to 2. A crowd of 4,000 spectators watched the downfall of Kenora, and occasionally groaned at their helplessness. Though it wanted to see the Thistles triumph, it could not but feel pressed with admiration for the smooth article exhibited and the generalship tactics of the visiting team. It was Wanderers first and last all aways and there was not the slightest doubt in the mind of the most partizan in the spectator that victory rested with the better team. The challengers carried the day by superior play. Their work was full of snap, ginger and generalship, and seldom has such hockey been seen under conditions where it was so difficult to do anything calculated to please the critics of the great winter sport. Everybody in Winnipeg expected to see Kenora wipe the ice with the visitors and the reversal of the expected result was such a disappointment that all they could do was to sit almost silent while Wanderers scored goal after goal, and drove home with crushing effectiveness the sorrowful lesson that nothing is so unfruitful in hockey as too much confidence.

WANDERERS UNEXCELLED

Wanderers has a right to the West an organization which for balance and ability has never been excelled in the quest for hockey honors and the possession of the Stanley Cup. There are few individual stars in the collecting team. Each man knows his business, and that he has been placed in the position where he is asked to play the part of one man and do it unselfishly. That role of every man on Wanderer line-up played to perfection, and the result was that Kenora was shackled in an avalanche of goals which mystified and embarrassed. From the commencement of play till the last bell had sounded Wanderers bent to the task like men whose whole hearts were in the work. Through slush and water they ploughed with strong hearts and iron nerve, and every rush which that sweeping forward line attempted but added more to the helpless amazement of their bewildered opponents. The rink surface was about as bad as it could be, and yet called by the name of ice. Here and there were deep puddles with punctuations of dry spots, such as might remain in a sequestered glade where a hailstorm had done effective business. Under the blades this surface yielded like a bog, for such obstacles did not daunt the Wanderers. They had come West to win, and with they must regardless of obstacles natural and unnatural. It seemed as every man Jack out to make the defeat of the Thistles as decided as possible, and their work in the matter of pace while the rules permitted action.

CONDITIONS UNSATISFACTORY

Mad weather contributed to make conditions for hockey as unsatisfactory as could be well imagined. It was considered that soft ice would be of advantage to Kenora and that the latter could perform better on such than Wanderers. There is no truth in that assertion, however. The visitors showed that in heavy going they had their opponents at their mercy. In fact the latter were helpless to stay the frightful onslaughts of the Wanderers' great forward line, when the latter broke away from the combined rush. That the visitors could accomplish such accurate combination on such slow ice was the sensation of the game. Positive admiration was elicited time and time again when Patrick and Stuart would feed on the forwards on the puck and Russell and Johnston would carry it down to the Thistle nets in unswerving fashion.

Special to The Montreal Star.

Winnipeg, Man., March 25.—The Thistles opened up in dopey fashion and the Wanderers played around them for a few minutes, the Thistles not getting a shot for about four minutes. After the Wanderers were rousing in a rush on Giroux Phillips secured the puck on the face off, but stopped short of Stuart who took the puck from him and dashed down the ice for the first shot of the game. It was a clumsy one, but Giroux stopped it nicely. Griffis started a rush, but passed off-side in centre. Patrick Intercepted a pass from Smith to Phillips and carried the puck down, but was turned into the corner. Alf. Smith broke loose and when Stuart and Johnson tried to stop him both went down. Patrick relieved. A couple of face offs occurred for off-sides, and then Stuart went down the ice through the Thistle defence and passed to Russell, who scored.

THE FIRST GOAL OF THE GAME

Griffis secured after the face-off, but lost to Glass, who carried in and shot. Johnson tried a long shot, and for a couple of minutes' play was all around the Thistle goal. Giroux saved a fast one from Johnson, and then Alf. Smith went down the wing and registered the first shot for the Thistles, Hern saving in good style. Stuart stopped a rush by Smith right after, and Hooper took the puck from Hod when he essayed a rush. From a face-off near the Thistle goal, Russell passed in front to Glass who missed an easy chance. Russell hit the goal-post after a rush from centre. Four face-offs took place in centre ice in succession for kicks. Whitecroft tried a long shot, but it was weak. Johnson out loose, but Griffis applied the brakes. For a minute or so there was a wild scramble in centre ice for the puck, the sticky ice preventing a break away. Finally Russell got it and Giroux had his eyesight tested. Phillips got as far as Stuart and stopped short, and Hod fell all over himself after carrying the puck about 30 feet. Giroux had another shot from Blachford, and then Russell sent in one that was wide. From a face-off near the Thistle goal, Russell passed back to Glass, who drove the puck through on a run of Thistle defence and scored the first goal.

SCORE — WANDERERS, 2; THISTLES, 0

Smith secured after the face-off and passing Stuart, tried a shot which was wide. The Thistles began to wake up and the game was more even. Hern stopped a beauty from Smith, and then Westwick was sent to the fence for a trip, being the first player penalized. Wanderers, with an extra man on the ice had all the better of it, but the Thistle defence was kept busy. Whitecroft secured the puck on a face-off in centre and all but scored. Stuart broke away, but Phillips stopped him in centre. Russell hit Whitecroft and went to the fence. Phillips carried in and passed over in front, but there was nobody there to take the pass. Stuart and Johnson went in together and passing the Thistle defence had only Giroux to pass, but Edille stopped Hod's shot.

Griffis and Hooper fell all over themselves in the play. Shots by Whitecroft and Phillips were easy for Hern, who had a busy session for a couple of minutes. Blatchford put Giroux on his mettle, but Edille delivered the goods. Phillips tripped Stuart, and was penalized. Glass had a chance, but missed. Patrick stopped a shot from Smith, and Hern saved from Westwick. Hooper upset Stuart when he tried to bore in. Westwick secured the puck, but Patrick took it from him. Whitecroft stopped Patrick. Hern stopped another shot from Smith. Russell and Johnson broke away together and the former scored.

Score—Wanderers, 3; Thistles, 0.

AWAKING OF THE THISTLES.

Blatchford and Johnson tried long shots. A fight in the crowd on the side livened things up for a couple of minutes. Stuart stopped Whitecroft, and a long lift shot by Phillips was wide. Alf Smith broke away down the side and sent in a long shot which Hern stopped. The puck bounded out in front of goal and Phillips put it back in net for the Thistles first goal.

Score—Wanderers, 3; Thistles, 1.

Another quick goal for the Thistles evoked a wild outburst of enthusiasm from the crowd. Griffis rushed and Whitecroft secured but lost. Alf. Smith got the rubber and going down the side banged the puck past Hern in half a minute.

Score Wanderers, 3; Thistles, 2.

Griffis broke away, but was stopped in centre, where Smith secured and carried it in. Phillips tried a shot, but Hern stopped. The play was perceptibly faster at this stage and the crowd became very demonstrative. Glass was ruled off and the Thistles took the aggressive. While they were bombarding the Wanderers' net, Johnson secured the puck and tore off a lone rush down the side, passing Griffis and scoring the Wanderers' fourth goal, while they were one man short.

Score, Wanderers, 4; Thistles, 2.

Johnson tried a long lift from centre. Russell was sent off again, and the Wanderers were playing five against seven. With the advantage of two men the Thistles were unable to accomplish anything in the scoring line Stuart was stopped by Griffis and a moment later when Griffis essayed a rush, Hod cut his journey short. Whitecroft missed two easy chances on passes from Smith left, the Wanderers began to play rag. The forwards fell back on the defence and Stuart did some lifting, which was booted by the crowd. The Easterners contented themselves with an occasional rush and starving off the Thistle attacks and the game came to a tame conclusion without further scoring and the Wanderers five goals to the good.

IT WAS A CLEAN GAME.

It was a clean game. Only nine penalties were inflicted of which Wanderers drew five and Kenora four. There was some close checking, but in most instances it was strictly within rules. Early in the game Stuart had his splints knocked off and injured his finger, but he played throughout game without whining. Once he collided with the fence and was dazed for a moment, but he came back gamely and continued play. Not a man was seriously injured in the game, which was well handled by Billy Kean as referee, and W. McFarlane as judge of play. Penalties inflicted were all three minutes, but there was no wanton roughness and altogether it was creditable hockey.

At half time the score stood 4 to 2 in favor of the Wanderers, but even then Kenora had hopes that the tide would turn. As the score shows, it never did.

Towards the finish of the game Beaudro and Russell mixed it up in a corner of the rink and were sent off. When it was over there was no better pleased bunch in the rink than the little knot of Montrealers who occupied seats close to the time-keepers' row and encouraged their favorites now and then. Among them was Secretary Jennings, of Wanderers, and Manager Tom Hodge. At the conclusion of the play they expressed themselves as being entirely satisfied with result, which they said was not unexpected. They are confident of winning Monday night's match by at least as decisive a score as the first game, and they say that if the ice is hard it will be a procession for them.

The Kenoms believe that they have a chance of pulling down the lead which Wanderers have established, though they are resilient on the subject. Alf. Smith thinks the team can win. Hooper is hopeful, but does not express himself with much assurance.

THE WEATHER OUTLOOK.

Weather is still mild, although the probabilities are for colder weather.

The teams and officials were:

Kenora	Position	Wanderer
Giroux	goal	Hern
Hooper	point	Patrick
Griffis	cover point	Stuart
Westwick	rover	Glass
Whitecroft	centre	Russell
Smith	right	Blatchford
Phillips	left	Johnson

Beaudro replaced Hooper at point in second half.

Referee W. Kean, Winnipeg, judge of play, W. McFarlane, Winnipeg.

Umpires R. Noble and Jimmy Gordon.

Timers Archie McLean and R. Strachan.

Penalty timer, Hugh N. Baird.

Penalties, three minutes each: First half: Westwick, Russell, Phillips, Glass, Russell, Patrick, second half: Whitecroft, Beaudro and Russell.

Summary: 1 Wanderers, Russell, 2 minutes; 2nd Wanderers, Glass, 6 1-2 minutes; 3rd Wanderers, Russell, 10 minutes; 4th Kenora, Phillips, 4 minutes; 5th Kenora, Smith, half minute; 6th, Wanderers, Johnson, 2 minutes. Half time. 7th, Wanderers, Russell, 12 seconds; 8th, Wanderers, Glass, 2 3-4 minutes; 9th, Wanderers, Russell, half minute.

IN THE DRESSING-ROOM

The scene in the Wanderer dressing-room after the contest was the acme of jubilation. Possibly never before in the history of the Stanley Cup contests were seven players so pleased with their own accomplishments. Most of the players on the Wanderer team are comparative youths in the game. They are not veterans of Stanley Cup battles, but young fellows who are now reaching the zenith of their glory, and it was only natural that they should feel even more enthusiastic over the result of the game than would a team of players who had been battling in championship contests for years previous.

Riley Hern and Hod Stuart who were team mates in Pittsburg four years ago went to Houghton together, played in the International League and joined the Wanderers with the beginning of the present season, which is a record in its way in hockey associations. They look forward to the time the league has been in existence as a glorious one. Hern is playing better hockey than ever before, and is defending the citadel of Wanderer goal as it was only natural that they should at that time congratulate each other on what looked like the beginning of the end of that goal. Stuart and Russell, the defence pair, and the centre pair, expressed their feelings similarly. Captain Patrick accepted a host of the many congratulations and praising their work on individual lines, telling them to be prepared for another great struggle Monday night while the officials of the club and a few friends who were privileged to enter the rooms, also passed around the compliments. Peculiar as it may seem, following the pronounced success of the team on the soft ice, every man prayed for hard ice for the next game. When their ex-Cup team work was referred to, Hod Stuart said: "Wait till you see them on hard ice. It is like play to work." "Give us hard ice Monday night," said Captain Patrick, "and we will beat them worse than that."

MR. FORAN CRITICIZED AND PRAISED AT THE SAME TIME

TORONTO PAPER ON MR. FORAN'S STAND.

Special to The Montreal Star.

Toronto, March 25. The Globe says today: Trustee Foran says the Stanley Cup will be withheld until the hockey leagues are educated to a decent idea of sport. That may take some time, but Mr. Foran's course is nevertheless to the carpet-baggers and gate money hunters who go unchecked and even encouraged by the leagues that should interpose their authority against the discreditable practices developed in this season's competitions for the Cup. The Manitoba Leagues endorsement of the participation of Smith and Westwick in the closing games of the series so that they might have clock of qualification for the Cup matches is not the least discreditable feature of the whole mess. And, by the way, don't forget that according to the Ottawa Hockey Club. The Eastern League and the Athletic Federation, these players are good amateurs.

WETTLAUFFER CALLS IT A VERY RANK DEAL.

Eddie Wettlauffer, of Berlin, who is now on a Western trip, speaking to a Winnipeg reporter, characterized Trustee Foran's treatment of Kenora Thistles as one of the "rankest deals ever emanating from the Capital. And there have been some pretty odorous things from that quarter at various stages," he added.

"The Thistles have a perfect right to play Smith and Westwick," he said. "It is a pretty fairly well established custom the same for two clubs, and if Mr. Foran thinks that at this late period of the season he can purify sport of a custom that has been indulged in for years he is making the mistake of his sporting life and is doing an act for which nobody will give him thanks. This is no time of the year to start in on methods of purification. A residence rule seems to be the crying need of the professional league, and let that be firmly established in the rules of all the leagues next winter and the present difficulty will be avoided."

HOW MONTREAL TOOK NEWS OF VICTORY

'Twas a famous crowd—probably not as great, but likely just as enthusiastic, as that which listened to the words of Mark Anthony in days of yore. Poor old human nature rarely changes, and the boisterous, plunging, heaving multitude, which gathered around and within the vicinity of the Star Branch office at the corner of St. Catherine and Peel streets on Saturday night was no exception to the rule. What were they there for? Everybody knew, at least they thought they did, that the Wanderers, of Montreal, the pet team were somewhere out in the wild and woolly west, trying to bring to earth the best aggregation of hockey players which was ever raised in the west with the intention of bringing home to Montreal the much-coveted, and now famous Stanley Cup.

At an early hour in the evening, the telephone wires were made hot with continual enquiries as to whether the teams, the Wanderers and Kenoras were to play that evening. Others unable to possess their souls in patience wandered towards vicinity in which is situated the Star Branch and one after another invaded the busy precincts of the clerks, who with an inexhaustible fund of patience, and a complacency bordering on the supernatural, at any rate from exterior appearances, answered questions in a manner worthy of an expert on "bulletinology."

Towards seven o'clock the crowd began to assemble, and by eight-thirty in the evening a large gathering had settled itself to await the returns. A platform had been arranged in front of the large window on Peel street, for the purpose of supplying the "orator" of the evening with an elevated stand. The crowd cast longing glances at this cold looking stand, wondering perhaps if the news which would come from that spot later on would bring tidings of victory or defeat, and they continued guessing.

The telegraphic instruments began their work about nine o'clock. In the meantime the crowd expressed sundry sentiments about the tardiness of the

BULLETINS OF STANLEY CUP GAMES.

There will be a match to-night between Kenoras and Wanderers for the Stanley Cup. It will be bulletined by the Montreal Star at its Branch Office, on the corner of Peel and St Catherine streets, Montreal, and in the rotunda of the Russell Hotel, Ottawa.

The bulletins will be full in every respect. They will follow the puck from the time the referee's whistle blows for the start till the gong rings for the finish, and they will be read out at the Star Uptown Branch Office, as has been the custom in the case of big matches in the past.

semblage of enthusiasts. A thousand voices cried in unison: "We'll take it."

TEAMS ARE ON THE ICE.

Nobody could then doubt that the crowd had taken leave of its senses. Immediately the "orator" announced that the Wanderers were on the ice, and that Lester Patrick, "our own Lester," had made the following statement: "We will beat them sure. The soft ice will be against us, though, as it will spoil our team work, which is our strong point." Hurrah after hurrah followed this announcement.

Then came the touch of comedy. An immigrant train had evidently arrived at the C. P. R. Windsor station at about 8.40, and the new citizens of Canada, who, for the first time had set their foot in this beloved city of ours, wended their way up Peel street to St. Catherine. There were Poles, Finns, Norwegians, Swedes. They jogged along until they reached the Star Branch, and here they stood with eyes opened wide, and mouths wider, gazing with blank amazement on the crowd, the bulletins, and the orator. Trunks under their arms, valises in their hands, and bundles done up with in the majority of cases a red cloth, lying at ease on the backs of the plodders, made up the complement of the immigrant crew. They gave to a man left alone, during the announcement of the first bulletin, but when the crowd had devoured the "news" and had nothing else to listen to for a while, they turned their attention to the Old World "wanderers," who furnished food for the curious for several minutes.

The crowd had now reached very large proportions, extending down Peel street all way to the Windsor Hotel, and along St. Catherine, on the west to Drummond street, and on the east, to Metcalfe street.

Every movement on the ice in Winnipeg was given to the crowd, and when after five minutes of play it was announced that Rowell had scored the first game for the Wanderers, a shout rent the air that has seldom been equalled in that part of the city. It resembled a peel of thunder.

WOULD AWAKEN THE ALDERMEN.

Some venerable looking old gentleman, who occupied a prominent position near the orator's stand, had the splendid courage, considering the age in which we live, to give utterance to the following remarks: "If we could get such a crowd of Montreal citizens together and march on to the City Hall, and give teams in getting to work, but the poor multitude, it would have been a pity to tell them, standing there in the wet and superb mixture of mud and slush, now famous as an adjunct to the streets of Montreal, did not know that they were one hour ahead of Winnipeg, and that consequently the game would not start until nine o'clock, our time. When finally the time came round, and the little man with a big voice, mounted the platform, the crowd simply went hockey-mad and yelled, and yelled and yelled again. When quiet was restored the first bulletin of the evening was read to the effect that both teams were getting ready to go on the ice. A minute latter the second bulletin was received to the effect that a Winnipeg gentleman, a dispenser of the cup that cheers, offered one thousand to eight hundred that the Kenoras would win.

Jupiter!

What a howl went up from that assuch a yell, I verily believe we could wake the aldermen out of their sleep."

Renewed cheering.

During the course of the evening, as it was realized that the Wanderers were playing their opponents to a standstill, that crowd knew no bounds, and it is doubtful if in their palmy days, the Indians, who roamed through this section of the country, ever made greater noise, or rent the air with such frantic howls.

The funny part of it was, that crowds of thousands stood in front of the Star Branch Office from 9 o'clock until 11.15 p.m., and waited to a man, for the "last word." Then it dispersed. Were the players performing their work before that crowd, they could not have brought forth more enthusiasm or applause. At intervals all the evening little groups of men found their way into the branch office to send telegrams to the Wanderers, wishing them all kinds of good luck and victory.

Burns In Milwaukee.

Milwaukee, Wis., March 25.—Jimmy Burns, of California, easily defeated Charles Neary, of Milwaukee, in a ten-round bout. Burns had a big lead in every round except the second, when Neary floored him with a right hook to the jaw for nine of the count.

CAPTAIN PHILLIPS ON THE MATCH.

Winnipeg, March 25.—Capt. Tommy Phillips, of Kenoras, expressed the following opinion of the result of the match: "It is a big lead, five goals, but we are not beaten yet, and will make a big effort to pull out to-night. The Wanderers are a good team and deserved their win, but if we can get properly going the result will be different. The ice was a handicap to both teams, but I think it hurt us most. We will play the same team to-night, and the officials will be the same."

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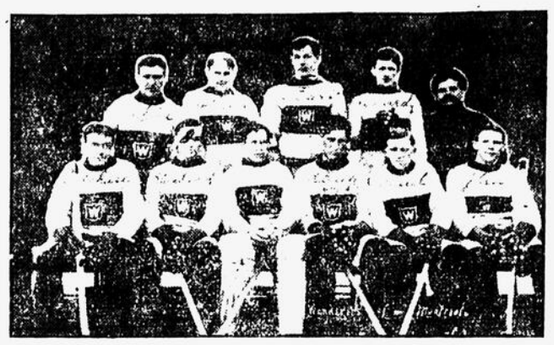

The men from left to right are: Top row—Erskine, Johnson, Stuart, Kennedy, Lefebvre. Second row—Chipchase, Blatchford, Hern, Patrick, Russell and Glass.

SOME CRITICISM OF INDIVIDUAL PLAY

Special to the Montreal Star.

Winnipeg, March 25. Wanderers and Smith put up a game struggle to retain the honors which were slipping from the team of their adoption, but it was no use. Blatchford had Tom Phillips, the world's champion at his mercy and could go round him when he had the mind to do so, and Chipchase could not oppose the 2 as he fought and well-judged.

Johnston made the great Alf. Smith look like a selling plater, though the latter stayed with the gruelling pace was to big handicap him in a hockey way, with that remarkable doggedness for which Smith is so well known. Once in a while the fading lamp of Thistle prestige would flare up with dazzling brilliance, but predominantly smoked and sputtered, and even the ice-like rush of a superior organization. That the Wanderers could retain the puck and maintain such speed on mushy ice and through puddles of water was a circumstance which could not be accounted for, while even such mature veterans as Westwick and Smith would go scarcely ten yards without overskating the rubber, or losing it in the effective checking which the Wanderers always seemed to have on tap.

Five thousand people filled the comfortable space of the Arena, although it was expected that there would be a larger crowd than that. The weather, however, had been warm and stuffy all the afternoon, and before the game employees of the rink were busy sweeping away oceans of water which lay on the surface. In places, however, the bottom was good, and until skates had punctured it in many spots the ice was not too bad.

Right at the commencement the Wanderers started an aggressive campaign which continued throughout the match. When the first goal was scored by Russell in 2 1-2 minutes wise ones said: "Kenora is a little up in the air, but just wait." They waited, and in 6 1-2 minutes more Saw Glass register again for Wanderers, and ten minutes later Russell again connected with the puck.

KENORA'S FLARE-UP

Then they felt serious, but Kenora began to go some. Big Griffis carried the puck down into Wanderer territory in a couple of demonstrative rushes, and Westwick, Smith and Phillips banged it viciously toward Hern, but that piece of perpetual human motion, colder than the granulated snow on which he stood, turned the rubber aside with the deliberation that a man might exhibit in lighting up a fresh cigar.

Phillips, however, felt insistent, and in a fierce shot from close in scored for Kenora. The ebbing spirit of enthusiasm commenced to return to Kenora's supporters, and when, after a half minute's play Phillips sent a beautiful pass to Alf. Smith, which the latter converted into a goal, there were several minutes of din and uproar which would have made any victor proud. It was a passing shower cloud, however, a dark storm-banks of despair soon closed Kenora's firmament from that moment till the timers' bell announced the conclusion of play.

Lucy never scored again.

Before the close of the first half Patrick scored again for Wanderers. About this time Kenora worked a new centre plan. It was seen that Hern was practically useless, and he was accordingly coached to seek a favorable opportunity to get knocked out. At any rate he collapsed on the ice, though no one seemed to be near him, and was carried to the dressing-room fifteen seconds before the conclusion of the first half. Beaudro was brought on to replace him, and was some what of an improvement on the defence. Giroux put up a good game in goal, but was at times badly in the air.

The shooting of Russell, Johnston and Blachford was such as might disconcert the ablest stop, and it is no wonder that they connected with the nets. Griffis, for Kenora, was no match for the rushes of the Wanderers' forwards, and he was decisively discounted.

Phillips was so effectively held by Blachford that the individual rushes for which he has been so famous were no longer a feature of his play. In fact, he was practically a nonentity in the game.

Whitecroft, the new forward on the Thistle team, was all over the ice, and worked very hard, but he was not effective, and his shooting was poor. He had a particular liking for attempts to do bodily harm to Hod Stuart, but the latter found him easy and did not take the matter at all seriously.

Westwick and Smith were certainly the mainstay of the Kenora team. Both worked hard and checked with their accustomed vigor, but it was two against four of equal prowess and more combination. Occasionally they made brilliant individual rushes, but Stuart and Patrick were there every time, and the Wanderers' goal had the amplest protection.

Glass, as rovers for the Wanderers, is a wonder. He is aggressive, and checks back magnificently, while Russell and Johnston the team has two men that cannot be beaten in their positions. They always had the puck, and when they went up the ice there was something doing. They were backed by a defence that could look after its own department, and also lend a hand when such would help in the effort to get goals.

SMITH AND WESTWICK PROTESTED.

Special to The Montreal Star.

Ottawa, March 25. Trustee Foran received a telegram from the Wanderers Saturday evening stating that the report they had withdrawn their protest against Alf. Smith and Westwick was unfounded. They agreed to play the Kenoras on the understanding that the protest still held good, they state. When asked what effect this would have on his decision regarding the game, Mr. Foran said he was not prepared to say, but would probably make a statement probably to-day concerning the matter.

HOW THE STAR'S BULLETINS WORKED IN OTTAWA

Special to The Montreal Star.

Ottawa, March 25.—Great interest was taken here in the result of the game, and the Star bulletins in the Russell House created a large crowd. The game was announced during the evening when about midnight the crowd began to come on hand and a hearty cheer went up from the majority of those present, showing that the win of the Wanderers was far from being unexpected in the Capital. Everyone was surprised at the beating Wanderers handed out and the question on all tongues was "What could have happened to the Kenoras?"

Many people were of the opinion that Smith and Westwick had been kept out the last minute, but rumors to that effect are not borne out by the bulletins.

Many jests were handed at the expense of the two Ottawa players that the Kenoras imported. The betting came as about as big surprise here as the final game between Ottawa and Wanderers.

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HOW THE TORONTO PAPERS SAW GAME

The Wanderers Worked Like Machinery, Outclassing Thistles From First.

Special to the Montreal Star.

Toronto, March 25. The Globe says of Saturday night's Stanley Cup Hockey match in Winnipeg, says: "The score gives a fair criterion of play, for from the face-off the result was a foregone conclusion. The condition of the ice certainly were against the fleet-footed Thistles. The ice was covered with water and their usual speed was missing, and they were at the mercy of Hod Stuart, who played a superb game. The visitors rush, ever skated the puck persistently, and had almost a semblance of combination, while their opponents worked like a well-oiled machine. But it is very doubtful, indeed, even with the best of ice, if the Thistles could have materially altered the result, although the game would have been faster and possibly a better one. The Wanderers have a magnificent team, in the pick of condition and completely outclassed the opposition."

The Mail and Empire says: "The Wanderers, out of the cup holders, were as confident as it could be, the Thistles being declared underdogs, as per usual on these occasions. There was no perceptible change in the performance of the Thistles the week of Alf. Smith and Harry Westwick. Never before have they put up such a magnificent battle on face of such discouraging support. They received from the rest of the Thistle team. Time and again Smith carried the fight into the camp of the opponents, but had no luck, especially Westwick, in his efforts to score. Captain Phillips and other fortile players could not hold their own against the fleet-footed Wanderers, who completely outclassed the best hockey exponents seen here this season."

The World's account says: "The Wanderers on Saturday night outplayed the Thistles at all stages, and the wonderful rushes were seldom in the running. Hod Stuart was the star of the winners, but the entire forward line played clean, fast hockey. Alf. Smith and Westwick were the only Thistle players to play to form. Tom Phillips was away off color. The match was clean, though the checking was hard and close at times. The Thistles were sorely handicapped by the wretched state of the ice."

TRANSFER GOES WITH FARE.

Court Rules Passenger is Not Entitled to It Later.

New York, March 25.—The Appellate division of the Supreme Court has upheld the New York City Railway's contention that a passenger is entitled to a transfer only at the time of paying fare. The court said that the conductors are overworked in rush hours collecting fares, and that it would be imposing an impossible task upon them to expect them to remember every passenger to whom a transfer is given. No passenger, it was pointed out, is entitled to more than one transfer. The attorneys for the street car company asserted that various persons have demanded as many transfers as they could get, and have made a living thereby in the past. The company is clearly entitled to protect itself if possible against dishonest passengers," said Justice Scott, who wrote the opinion.

The decision handed down concerns a controversy which has been before the courts for a long time in one form or another.

A judgment convicting the Waldorf Astoria Hotel Company of violating section 13, of the Forest, Fish and Game law, was affirmed. The offence charged was having English pheasants in the company's possession contrary to the statute.

SHOT-RIDDLED NEGRO.

Mob in Alabama Lynching Scene Fired 1000 Bullets.

Florence, Ala., March 25. Cleveland Harding, a negro who attempted to assault Mrs. Ben F. Rice, and who was driven off by Mrs. Rice's shepherd dog, was lynched by a mob of two hundred or three hundred persons. After being tied to a tree with his arms up, the negro was riddled with bullets. The first shot, it is said, was fired by Rice, following which every other man in the crowd emptied his revolver into the prisoner's body. Over a thousand shots were fired.

The negro was captured near town, and was taken before Mrs. Rice, who fainted at sight of him. Upon recovering she fully identified him. On being asked what should be done with him she told the negro's captors to do as they thought best. Beyond confessing his guilt the negro had nothing to say and seemed indifferent to his fate.

BEAVER BOILER RAISED.

Interesting Relic of Historic Vessel on West Coast Preserved.

Special to the Montreal Star.

Victoria, B.C., March 25. The boiler of the historic Beaver, the famous vessel which was launched in 1835 on the Thames under royal auspices, and later became the first vessel propelled by steam to navigate along the west coast of this continent, has at last been raised from its resting place under Prospect Point and is now lying on the beach near the Heatley Avenue Wharf.

The Beaver came around the Horn to this coast in 1836, making the journey under sail, with her boiler and machinery as ballast. For a number of years the little craft plied the waters from the Columbia to Sitka, but was finally wrecked at the entrance to Burrard Inlet in July, 1888.

For years no attempt was made to save the boiler, though the position of the wreck was well known, but last year C. C. Pilkey made the attempt. After several trials he has been successful, and the boiler is now safe for preservation as a relic of the early days of the coast.

FIVE YEARS FOR PHILLIPS.

Former President of York County Loan Sentenced.

Toronto, March 25—Joseph Phillips, formerly president of the York County Loan and Savings Company, pleaded guilty in the Sessions on Saturday to a charge of making a false return, and was sentenced by Judge Winchester to five years in the penitentiary at Kingston.

The charge related to the annual statement for the year ending December 31st, 1904, in which the company's mortgages on land were over-stated by $6,465,20 and the liabilities to shareholders were under-stated to the extent of at least $1,000,000.

Mr. I. Ebbens, rises put in a strong plea for mitigation of the sentence but owing to the enormity of the offence His Lordship could not see his way clear to grant the plea. The full penalty was inflicted.

There are two other charges hanging over Phillips' head, those of conspiracy and theft, but these are now likely to be dropped.

JUDGMENT FOR GAULT BROS.

Judge Barker Rules in Their Favor on All Points.

St. John, N.B., March 25—Mr Justice Barker gave an exhaustive judgment in the case of Gault Brothers versus Morrell & Sutherland and the assignees of their estate. The plaintiff had sold goods to the defendants and had taken a bill of sale. Under the bill of sale the plaintiffs had the power to take possession on failure of payment. This they attempted to do some two years ago, but were forcibly resisted by the defendants. The defendants subsequently made an assignment, and the parties went into court to determine whether or not the plaintiffs were entitled to the possession of the goods or to the proceeds from the sale of the goods by the assignee. That which purported to be a bill of sale was not registered, and it is for this it is contended that it should have been. Judge Barker decided in favor of the plaintiffs on all points.

New Steamship Line for States.

London, March 25. A Berlin despatch says that the North German Lloyd and Hamburg-American Steamship Companies, acting in conjunction with the directors of the members of the Atlantic Shipping Trust, have founded a new steamship line to run a fortnightly service between Fiume and New York. The new company has concluded an agreement with the Hungarian Government to undertake the emigration traffic from Hungary to America hitherto entrusted to the Cunard Company.

Earl of Liverpool Dead.

London, March 25. Cecil George Savile Foljambe, Earl of Liverpool, is dead. He was born in 1846, and served in the naval brigade during the war in New Zealand. For some years he was a member of the House of Commons, and was raised to the peerage by the revival of his grandfather's title.

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MR. CHOATE PROPOSED TOAST

Mr. Bryce Delivered Eloquent Reply Dealing With Improved Relations Between Two Nations.

New York, March 25.—Hon. James Bryce, British Ambassador at Washington, made his first official appearance before an American audience as the guest Saturday night of the Pilgrims society, at a dinner at the Waldorf-Astoria.

The gathering was notable from the point of speakers and in the character of the speech-making.

Intertwined American and English flags almost covered the walls of the big banquet halls, while cut flowers and potted plants were arranged at the tables, at which five hundred persons were seated.

Mr. Choate proposed the health of the Ambassador.

In returning thanks to the Pilgrims and Mr. Choate, Mr. Bryce proceeded to say:

"I have been very grateful for the way in which Americans have received my book. It was a bold experiment for one who had paid only three flying visits to attempt to describe a gigantic nation and a complicated polity. Yet the experiment was not quite so bold as it might seem, and that for two reasons. When I wrote the book it never occurred to me that it would be read by more than a few persons on this side of the ocean, so I could speak with more freedom. I wrote it for Europeans, those benighted Europeans who did not know what America was, and what she would become. And the book was really written by yourselves. It was put together out of many conversations I had, not only with statesmen in the halls of Congress, but at dinner parties, on the decks of steamers, in smoking cars, with drivers of waggons on western prairies, with ward politicians and city bosses. My task was to digest and arrange and put into paragraphs and chapters the facts and views thus collected. To be sure, neither the facts nor the views always agreed. I had Republican and Democrat, southerners and northern and western information. These discordant views I held to harmonize, and in this there were many wise and kindly friends to help me.

"I believe the reason why the book was so well received was that your people recognized it as the effort of a stranger to look at the country with the eyes, not of a stranger, but, so far as he could, of a native American, with something of that faith and hope which were inherent in the American temper.

MESSAGE OF FRIENDSHIP.

"And so I take your welcome here tonight and the countless signs of goodwill I have had from so many quarters to be due to your knowing that I come as a messenger of friendship from the Old Country to the new, and to your belief that such a message is the one which I personally desire above all things to deliver. I trust you will take it to be the true, deep and real sentiment of the British people. The friendship of which I speak is not the official and diplomatic sort of friendship, although that most happily exists. I am speaking of something better still, and far deeper—of something which does not rest upon formal documents and political combinations; of something which is felt not only by the King, whose warm feeling for America you have long known—it dates from a visit he made forty years ago—and the Government, but also by millions to whom those documents and combinations are unknown. The British people have, quite apart from the State or Government, an interest and feeling of brotherhood for the American people, which is by far their strongest feeling as a nation, next to their patriotism for Britain and the British Empire."

THE TIES THAT BIND.

This feeling is not solely or partially and even chiefly a matter of race and blood. I do not forget your people are not wholly of English Scottish and Irish origin. Many streams of population have flowed in, many stocks have gone to the making of your nation. And you have gained, as we too, have, from time to time gained, by these diverse elements. It is not race only that links you and us together; it is the language that grew up, the literature that was produced, the free institutions that were framed in the days that your ancestors and ours lived together in the ancient island home. Nor is this all. There are in the masses of our people many whose knowledge of literature and institutions is slender, but to whom America is the land to which their brothers and their children have gone, the land which stands, to their minds, as being pre-eminently the land of human equality, the land of a free career, the land which gives the ordinary man his best chance, the land which promises a future in which the masses shall—such is their belief—fare better than they have ever done before. Strong as is this sentiment, there is nothing exclusive in it, nothing to which any other nation may object.

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"You have done further than any other nation in giving comfort, enlightenment and opportunities for progress to the individual man in whatever station or of whatever stock. Yet how much there is still to do! May God avert anything which should divert either you or us from the task of making our own people prosperous, tranquil and happy. The friendship of nations, the co-operation of nations and, above all, those nations who, by the closeness of their sympathies, are best fitted to help one another, should be put on the highest ground. It is the ground of the service we can both render to humanity at large, to those generations yet to come, in a future, prolonged further than imagination can reach, will gain or will suffer by what Americans and English do or think today, turning to full account what history may hereafter call a supreme opportunity."

Death of Captain John Crean.

Toronto, March 25.—Captain John F. Crean, who served for six years on the West African frontier, is dead. His military life dates back to 1875, when he joined F Company of the Q.O.R., in command of Capt. (now Lieut.-Col.) Hamilton. Two years later the old Law Students' Company was organized and John Crean became a sergeant of the new organization. Later he was made sergeant-major. After another two years he took a commission and rose to the rank of captain.

He then joined the Gold Coast Regiment of the West African frontier force. Eight years' service he was obliged to leave the Gold Coast force on account of his health and was appointed to a position in the battery here.

Captain Crean is survived by a wife, a widowed mother, two brothers and four sisters. Mr. Thos. J. Crean, of Montreal, is a brother of the deceased.

Four Die In Maritime Gale.

Bathurst, N. B., March 25.—During a gale the house of John Comeau of St. Simon was unroofed, and the family had to leave. Comeau took one child to the nearest house, a quarter of a mile distant, and returning for the rest of the family, got lost in the storm. Reaching the house exhausted, he found his wife and three children in the snow frozen to death.

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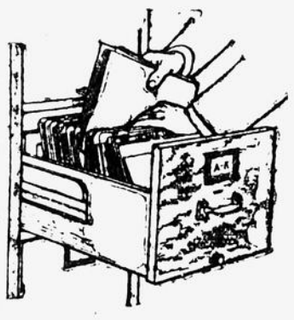

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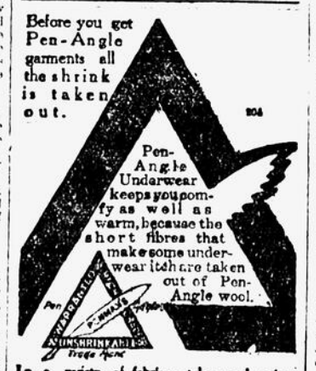
Gambler Succumbed to Wounds.

Fort Worth, Texas, March 25.—William Tomlinson, alias "One Arm Bill Thompson," a gambler, who Friday assassinated County Attorney McLean and probably fatally wounded Deputy Sheriff Scott, died in the county jail of wounds suffered during a fight with a squad of policemen. Scott is still alive.

A mass meeting was held to serve notice on gamblers to leave the city. The Bar Association has passed resolutions on McLean's death.



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The transfer books will be closed from the 18th to 30th March, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board,
JAMES ELLIOT,
General Manager.
Montreal, February 22, 1907. 51 7 24w

Gun Accident Had Usual Result.

Vancouver, B.C., March 25.—Clarence Maldam, about 15 years of age, was shot and instantly killed by Robert Little, 12 years old. The boys had gone out duck-shooting, and Maldam left his loaded gun on the ground. Little picked it up, accidentally discharged it, blowing off the top of Maldam's head.

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We know, too, there's nothing you can buy that will give the same satisfaction in a Shirt Waist, Knockabout or Vacation Suit than some of these linens we're talking about. While, if in effect and appearance you want an exact duplicate of a $1.60 Rajah or Shantung Silk, it's the Mercerized Pongee at .35 will give it to you. You see if it won't.

Pure Linen, in sky, pink, grey, mauve, navy, black, greens and blues. One Yard wide, soft finish, lovely quality 35c

Embroidered Linens, cream colored grounds, with Silk and Evelet Embroidery, in black red, green, fawn and self 50c

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Mercerized Pongee Linen, in creams, white, fawns, sky, black and white, pink, green, blue, mauve. Very dressy for suits. All colors fast 35c

Hollands, brown, 1 yard wide ..... 25c and 30c

Very Special (UNION LINEN, in white, cream, sky, pink, mauve and new shades of greens and blues, 27 inches wide. Beautifully soft finish. Per yard .....).15

The Linens for the finer white dresses.

Sheer Linen Lawns, 36 to 76 inches wide, beautiful quality for the better dresses ..... 25c to $1.00 yd.

Embroidery Linens. In widths of 36, 40, 42, 45, 50 and 54 up to 90 inches. Prices from 30c to $2.00 yd.

A Smart Easter Change for little Girls.

When we were buying Coats in New York, we were just as careful in choosing those for wee girls as those for their big sisters or their mothers.

There never were prettier ones—neat and smart, all of them, and they're not expensive at all.

Smart little navy reefers, with fancy collars, can be bought for **$3.75** and up, and very effective ones in navy and red broadcloth with white panne velvet on collar and cuffs, cost but **$5.00** a piece and up.

OUR EASTER MILLINERY OPENING

There are hundreds of hats here that you have but one opportunity to see—to-morrow. You might come to the department every day for a week and never see the same hat twice. A continual change is going on.

Like a deep flowing river, irresistible in its capacity, this stream of Millinery continues to flow. This Easter-tide, it is brimming full of interest. We are now showing Hats, smart, attractive, exclusive Hats, even at $10 and $12; for we are determined to meet the wishes of every lady in Montreal as regards price as well as distinctiveness.

RIBBONS FOR THE "JUMPER" WAIST

We've got just the right kind, either velvet or silk. You can get full details in the department about how much you'll require. Make your own Jumper.

Can't You Sleep?

If insomnia troubles you, as it does so many who are engaged in active brain work, here is a cure for you. Just before retiring drink a cup of

SUCHARD'S COCOA

That will draw the blood away from the brain cells to the stomach, and sleep will quickly come. You'll wake up in the morning rested and strengthened, for the cup of Suchard's is an easily digested food as well as a "night-cap."

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MORE GRAFT INDICTMENTS.

Grand Jury at San Francisco Reported Thirteen True Bills.

San Francisco, March 25.—The Grand Jury on Saturday ended a week of active, deep probing into the alleged corruption of the city government, by filing 22 more indictments with presiding Judge Coffey, of the Superior Court. These are the secret indictments voted by the inquisitorial body early in the week, but not reported with the 65 against Abraham Ruef, and 10 against T. V. Halsey.

Thirteen of the true bills reported are against A. K. Detwiller, a capitalist of Toledo, Ohio, and nine are against Louis Glass, formerly vice-president and general manager of the Pacific States Telephone and Telegraph Company, of San Francisco. The charge in each indictment is bribery.

Judge Coffey fixed the bail at $10,000 surety, or $5,000 cash on each charge.

A. P. MERCIER

3607, 3615 Notre Dame Street West.

For the convenience of the great army of shoppers who live in the West End, A. P. Mercier four years ago laid the foundation of what is to-day one of the prosperous business houses of the city.

One small store was the beginning, and Mr. Mercier devoted only his spare time from his engagements with Tooke Bros. to the management of his store. In one year he had outgrown No. 3611 Notre Dame West, and he added two departments and the next store west. For two years more these two stores sufficed, but Mr. Mercier decided to add a shoe department, and he determined to get the very best shoes made in America. He leased the store adjoining eastward, the one in which he founded his business, and he was fortunate in securing the exclusive West End agency for both the Dolly Varden and Foot-rite shoes. These shoes have gained an enviable reputation in Canada, and in the face of an increased duty of 30 per cent. on American shoes both the Foot-rite and Dolly Varden are sold in Montreal at the same stamped price at which they sell in Boston.

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Millinery Newsiness

The Hat is the crowning feature of the toilette. It is the most conspicuous item. It is often the only visible part of a woman's dress.

It must be chosen with greatest discrimination.

In the drama of Hat selection there are many arts.

A girl desires a hat because it is what she considers pretty, and often she is many years into womanhood before she progresses beyond that stage.

To meet the requirements of the myriads of style ideas possessed by women, means the taxation of every available facility of a great establishment like ours.

Our showing of fascinating conceits in headgear is most superb. Enough styles and variations to suit all fancies and personalities.

RIBBON BEAUTY

COLOR HARMONY.

Just the proper blend in shade requires the skill and ingenuity of an artist workman. No matter how beautiful the artists' models may be, if the workmanship is not skilfully exerted the entire effect is lost.

This function—extra care and skill adds to the cost, but all goods before entering our stocks must pass a rigid examination by our experts. Once here means the greatest possible achievements in workmanship, cut and color effects.

Chiffon Taffeta Ribbon, 4, 5 and 6 inches wide, 13c, 15c and 22c.

Fancy Stripe, Check and Dresden Ribbons, from 1¾ to 2½ inches wide, in all shades and designs, suitable for fancy neckwear, etc. 12c to 25c per yard.

Fancy Stripe and Plaid Ribbons, 2¾ and 5¼ inches, 15c and 19½c per yard.

Fancy "Roman Stripe" and Dresden Ribbon, 5¼ inches. Special per yard 25c

A full assortment of handsome Dresden and Moire Stripe Ribbons, in all the modish shades, suitable for Spring millinery, at special prices.

Sensational Offers in Table and Enamelware.

We give wage-earners the biggest values and mightiest bargains. We bend every energy to serve his best interests, to take advantage of the saving opportunities when presented.

These prices are wonderfully low—

ENAMELWARE
The Ware that Wears.

Dish Pans	47c
Berlin Kettles	49c
Teapots, globe shape	59c
Tea Kettles	45c
Saucepans, deep shape, with covers	25c
Saucepans, lipped	12c
Pudding Pans	12c
Roast Pans	35c
Jelly Moulds, Turk's head	20c
Custard Cups	8c
Chamber Pails, with covers	$1.10
Kitchen Pitchers	30c
Crystal Syrup Jugs, metal cover	15c
Pressed Glassware Cake Plates	25c
Rich Glass Berry Sets, 7 pieces, per set	83c
Royal Vienna Cake Plates	$1.75
Stoneware Butter Crocks and covers	25c
Stoneware Bean Pots and covers	20c
Cuspidors, large size	15c

Tuesday's Grocery Specials

20 lbs. Gran. Sugar	90c	4 lb. Tin Marmalade	45c
2 lbs. Loaf Sugar	25c	2 tins Red Salmon	25c
4 lbs. Fresh Dates	25c	2 doz Dill Pickles	25c
20c Table Figs	15c	2 dozen Oranges	25c
Cocoanut per lb.	20c	2 dozen Lemons	25c
Shelled Almonds, lb.	40c	2 lbs. Mixed Biscuits	25c
Shelled Walnuts, lb.	30c	Sliced Pineapple, tin	17c
French Peas, 2 tins	25c	Apricots, in tins	25c
		2 pkgs. Jelly Tablets	25c
		2 tins Creme	25c
		9 lbs. Flour	25c
		35c Cereals	12½c
		6 bars Comfort Soap	25c
		3 lbs. Fancy Prunes	25c
		Corn Crisps	10c
		3 tins Corn	25c
		2 lbs. Red Lentils	20c
		6 lbs. Green Peas	25c

2 tins "St. Charles" Cream and 1 tin "Strathcona" 30c Coffee 50c
Easter Hams, Finest Cured, ½ or whole Ham, lb. 17½c
Easter Rolls, Mild and Sweet, all 5 lbs. for ½ per lb. 16½c
English Breakfast Tea, our regular 40c, Tuesday 33c

Automobile or Lansdowne Cloth, $1.50 Quality, on Sale Tuesday at 59c yd.

To-morrow morning, sharp at 9 o'clock we shall offer on sale 700 yards of the so popular Automobile or Lansdowne cloth, used for duster coats, rainy day coats. They are made in splendid shot effects of red, green, navy, plum, slate and light grey. These goods are made half silk, and their suppleness and brilliant finish makes them the ideal fabric for summer. The regular price is $1.50 yard. To-morrow, Tuesday, we will offer them at, per yard 59c

DISTINCTIVE NEW WEAVES

Our Dress Goods store is a focus of attention. Best qualities too—qualities that will give satisfaction. Full ranges of all the approved new shadings. Prices are the least for which fine dress goods can be sold.

Fancy Striped and Checked Botany Yarn Suitings at 75c.

The most fashionable fabrics at the present time are undoubtedly these Botany striped and checked suitings. They are made in light shades of grey with markings of brown, green, blue and black. These styles were confined to us, and they can only be had in our stores. 50-inch goods, usually sold at $1.00 yard. We are introducing them on Tuesday at, per yard ... 75c

TWEED SUITINGS at 39c Yd.

Many of these mixed tweed suitings are well worth 50c and 60c yard, and more so, when the season for dress goods is only starting. But we want to give bargains in the best of time. The choice includes stripes and checks, grey ground with mixtures of blue, brown, green and black; smart fabric for spring costumes, 50c to 60c goods, selling, per yard 39c

FCY. MOHAIR LUSTRES AT 25c YD.

Fancy checks and stripes in Mohair Lustres, nice and neat effects, very desirable fabric; selling, per yard 25c

Chiffon Panama, French Armure and French Melrose Cloth, $1.00 Goods, on Sale Tuesday 75c yd.

This lot represents the latest fabrics in plain color materials. They are all made of the finest wool and dyed by the best dyers in Roubaix, France. We have all the newest shades, including the old rose, myrtle, fawn, navy, wine, crimson. They are $1.00 goods. On sale Tuesday at 75c

FRENCH VENETIAN CLOTHS AT 59c YD.

The four more fashionable shades are in this special lot. It's an all-wool cloth, the weight is good for ladies' spring costumes, and the shades are the very latest out—old rose, light grey, fawn and dark claret or wine. On sale at, per yard 59c

BLACK MOHAIR SICILIENNE AT 29c YD.

This brilliant finish Black Mohair Sicilienne or Heavy Lustres is a great value and we believe the quantity to sell will not last long. It's a great bargain, and well worth coming after it very early; 40 inch wide. Price Tuesday, yard, 29c

Light Grey and Cream Ground Worsted Suitings, 75c and $1.00 Goods, selling 48c yd.

There is only 21 pieces of these light ground suitings, some grey and others cream with marking of black, forming stripes and checks. It is the latest styles this season; goods sold regularly 75c and $1.00 yard. Selling Tuesday, per yard 48c

$1.25 FANCY HOMESPUNS SELLING 98c YARD.

These are the best of Canadian Homespuns, made in light summer weight and in a large variety of beautiful combination checks and stripes. They are very fine weave, and the designs were copied from the richest French suitings. To-morrow, Tuesday, we shall offer them all at, per yard 98c

WEEK A BUSY ONE IN REALTY MARKET

Twenty Registrations Were Recorded on Saturday In Local Real Estate Offices.

Twenty registrations were recorded Saturday in the local offices, bringing to an end a week which had been fairly busy in realty transactions. Among the registrations was the formal transfer of the St. Gabriel street property of the drug firm of Evans & Sons, Ltd., to the National Drug and Chemical Company of Canada, Ltd. The transfer was made known in connection with the drug merger. In the registering of the sale the price is given as "$1 and other considerations."

Mrs. Alexander P. McDonald has sold to Andre J. H. St. Denis, lot No. 1284, St. Antoine ward, being the dwelling known under the civic number 7 Burnside street. The property measures 22.6 x 60. The sale was made for the sum of $4,500.

Henry Gordon Strathy has sold to Mrs. H. Lanctot a property (vacant) on Pine avenue, known under the cadastral number 1819-7, St. Antoine ward. The property measures 24 x 143.8, and is situated near University street. The purchase price was $3,500.

The cottage No. 523 Argyle avenue, Westmount, has been sold by William Moore, of Compton, to Alexander MacKay for the sum of $5,500. The cottage is situated on lot No. 282-146 and the total superficies is 9,375 feet.

The Sisters of Charity of the Montreal General Hospital have sold to E. Mayor the vacant lot forming the angle of Olivier and Western avenues, known under the cadastral number 850. The lot has a 26-foot frontage on Western avenue and a total superficies of 4,462 square feet.

Jeremiah Murphy has sold to Thomas Kane lot No. 1223-14, St. Mary's ward, for the sum of $4,350.

Ferdinand Tremblay has sold to Alex. M. Foster lot No. 85 in St. Louis ward for the sum of $7,000. The lot fronts on Lagauchetiere street, near St. Dominique.

Aaron Cohen has sold to Lewis Presner lot No. 580, St. Louis ward, fronting on St. Hypolite, below Ontario street, for the sum of $4,500.

Mrs. George Brown has sold to Patrick Cain part of lot No. 850 in St. Louis ward, fronting on Cadieux street, for the sum of $3,150.

Elzear Jeannotte dit Lachapelle has sold to Sylvanie Mathieu lot No. 246, St. Mary's ward, on Plessis street, below St. Catherine. The price was $4,700.

Recent sales in suburban properties have been made by G. W. Badgley as follows:—

Melrose Lawn—L. White, $275; C. H. Goulding, $860; B. C. Grant, $292.50; B. Heron, $292.50; W. E. Brass, $292.50; B. G. Sharp, $292.50; W. L. Cumming, $292.50; F. Towne, $292.50; W. Dapps, $292.50; D. F. and E. N. Towne, $292.50; J. A. Green, $350; Thos. Jones, $350; G. W. Wells, $247.50; A. McNally, $495; F. A. Digsby, $495; G. Gagnon, $675; J. A. Reckstead, $495; T. Loiselle, $247.50; C. Raby, $275.

Amherst Park—O. Ruel, $175; H. Ritter, $175; Jos. Longpre, $250; Alf. Lauzon, $250; F. Rosentroig, $525; Jos. Paradis, $200; P. Meehan, $500; F. Van Lowendale, $300; Chas. Callard, $175; Jos. Levesque, $250; J. F. Levesque, $250; O. Quevillon, $250; Jos. Daoid, $250; A. Ouimet, $250; Jos. Rubeyeau, $450; M. Soullers, $200; L. Desormeau, $200; J. Desormeau, $200; J. Wallace, $250.

Montreal Annex—J. L. Tremblay, $1,250; Geo. King, $775; T. D. Tansey, $2,850; B. Johnson, $525; O. Bienvenue, $775; P. R. Brossard, $340; J. Byrne, $260; B. V. Hansen, $800; Geo. Goyette, $250; J. H. Martin, $400; H. Cravenay, $275; D. Dufault, $650; E. Paquette, $325; J. A. Baussard, $1,400; L. Perron, $850; J. A. Champagne, $1,400; E. Lindsay, $1,400; Max Guretsky, $750.

"Running Shunt" Caused Damage.

On Saturday last, an engine 650, of the Grand Trunk, was making a "running shunt" in the yards at St. Lambert, with several cars attached, the cars struck with such force some other cars standing upon a siding as to break in the ends of several of them. The brakeman on top of the latter had a very narrow escape for his life, and the switch was damaged. Several bad accidents have occurred at St. Lambert of late.

"M'lle Modiste" Company Disbanded.

The "M'lle Modiste" Company, which played at His Majesty's Theatre all last week, disbanded on Saturday night. Miss Fritzi Scheff, the star of the organization, is still ill in New York, so it was thought best to play no longer with her understudy in the title role. Early in the new season the company will be reorganized, and it is hoped that Montreal will then see Miss Scheff.

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R. H. Bryson, local druggist, says: "We sell Vinol on a guarantee that it is and will do all we claim for it, or refund money without question."—R. H. Bryson, Druggist.

HON. LOMER GOUIN TO HEROINE'S MOTHER

Premier Writes Letter to Mrs. Maxwell Expressive of the Sincerest Sympathy.

Hon. Lomer Gouin has sent a letter expressive of sincerest sympathy, to the mother of Miss Sarah Maxwell, the Hochelaga heroine. The following is the letter:

Prime Minister's Office,
Prov. of Quebec,
Quebec, 22 March, 1907.

Mrs. Sarah Maxwell,
479a St. Urbain St., Montreal.

Dear Madam:

I have the honor to include in this letter, a copy of Bill No. 217, entitled: "An Act granting a pension to the mother of Miss Sarah Maxwell" which was passed during the last few days of the adjourned session in the Quebec Legislature, and which was sanctioned on the 14th inst. by His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor.

You will doubtless be pleased to learn that, when this bill was presented on the 13th inst., the House unanimously suspended all rules of procedure, and the bill was adopted without a dissenting voice, by the Legislative Council it met with a like reception.

These facts will demonstrate how great the feeling of admiration is for your daughter's heroic act, amongst the representatives of the people of this province.

Every member of the Legislature was profoundly moved at the terrible loss of life occasioned by the Hochelaga School fire, feeling the deepest respect for the noble conduct of your daughter and the warmest sympathy for you in your sad affliction.

The Government and the Legislature of this province have agreed that a suitable expression of their sentiments in regard to your daughter and yourself would be the granting of the pension which is the object of the enclosed bill.

I well understand that this act can in no wise soften your grief as a mother, but I would ask you to accept, as an expression of public sympathy, this pension which the Legislature has accorded you.

You will, I feel sure, be at all times consoled by the fact that your daughter died a noble death in answering the call of duty and in saving—even at the sacrifice of her own life—the lives of the little ones confided to her care. Her courageous conduct will be written for all time in the annals of the province, as a striking illustration, for present and future generations, of self-sacrifice which, I feel sure, will bear its own fruits.

Accept, Dear Madam, my warmest personal sympathy and the assurance of my sincere esteem.

I have the honor to be,
Very sincerely yours,
Signed LOMER GOUIN.

Optical repairs executed promptly. R. Hemsley, 255 St. James st., Montreal.

PERSONALS.

Senator Belque, Sherbrooke St., has returned from Ottawa.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Sise have left on a trip to New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jamieson will spend Easter in New York.

Mr. Jack Creelman, Redpath St., leaves this week on a trip to Texas.

Senator Casgrain, Dorchester street, has returned to town from Ottawa.

Miss Violet Morse, who has been visiting in town, has returned to Ottawa.

Senator Wilson has left Ottawa to spend the Easter vacation at St. Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Reford, Drummond street, are spending some time in New York.

Miss Milly White is in Ottawa, the guest of her parents, Col. and Mrs. Fred. White.

Mr. Norman Nicholson has left for Hamilton, where he will remain for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. George Pacaud, Durocher St., leaves this week to spend Easter in New York.

Mrs. C. F. Whitley, of Ottawa, who has been visiting friends in Montreal, returned home to-day.

Mrs. Case, of Toronto, who has been the guest of Mrs. W. H. Biggar, Pine avenue, has returned home.

Senator Cox, who has been spending some time in Montreal and Ottawa, has left to spend Easter in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. William Yuile, Redpath street, return this week, from spending several months at Pinehurst, N.J.

The marriage of Miss Irene Von Rappard, Shuter St., to Mr. Brooks, has been arranged to take place in June.

Miss Campbell, of Plainfield, N.Y., who has been the guest of Mrs. Howard, Bishop St., has returned home.

Mrs. Tinling, "The Grosvenor," has left on a visit to Hamilton, where she will be the guest of her mother, Mrs. Turner.

Mrs. Boucher, of Peterboro, who has been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Hudson, Balle street, has returned home.

Col. and Mrs. Vidal of Ottawa, have returned from their trip to the Bermudas. Col. Vidal's health is much improved.

Mr. C. Ernest Gault, M.P., leaves this week for New York, where he will join Mrs. Gault on her return from a trip to Bermuda.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Riddell, Sherbrooke street, have left on a trip to England, where they will be the guests of their daughter, Mrs. Fleehfield.

Dr. Walter Kennedy has returned from Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Abraham, of Montreal, are in Toronto.

Mrs. Reginald Brock, of Montreal, is visiting friends in Toronto.

Mrs. Lissant Beardmore and Mrs. L. S. Bell, of Toronto, will spend Easter in Montreal.

Miss Katie Smith, 15 McGill College avenue, has returned home after spending a week in New York.

Mrs. J. S. Mitchell and Miss Mitchell, of Sherbrooke, who have been spending a few days at the Windsor, have returned home.

The engagement is announced of Miss Harriet Gordon Dow, of Montreal, to Mr. E. B. Fischer, of Coaticook. The wedding will take place on April 17th.

At Ottawa, on April 2, at two o'clock, in St. Andrew's Church, the marriage of Miss Ida Macdonald to Mr. Gerald Roxburgh, C.E., of Winnipeg, will take place.

Mrs. James Robertson, Phillips Place, was the hostess, Friday evening, of a most enjoyable Bridge party of six tables. The prize winners were Mrs. Hadrill, Mrs. C. E. E. Ussher, Mr. T. L. Morrisey, and Mr. Morphy.

The engagement is announced of Miss Ida Jane Henderson, daughter of the late Mr. C. A. Montgomerie Henderson, and Mrs. Henderson, Hutchison St., to Mr. William Robinson Bonneycastle, B.A., Sc., of Louisville, Ky., son of the late Capt. John C. Bonnycastle.

Miss Elsbeth Routhier, who has been suffering from an attack of typhoid fever for the past eight weeks, has sufficiently recovered to leave the Homeopathic Hospital. Miss Routhier is at present the guest of Mrs. William Cotton, Prince Arthur apartments.

The engagement is formally announced in Toronto of Miss May Van Norman Luttrell, eldest daughter of Mrs. Wellington Bogart, and the late Richard Luttrell, of Montreal, to Mr. Norman G. A. McCutcheon, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. K. McCutcheon, of Toronto. The marriage will take place early in April.

Miss Dawes, Crescent street, entertained at a very enjoyable "Bridge" Friday afternoon. Cards were played at six tables, the prize winners being, Mrs. Norman Dawes, Miss Mussen, Miss E. McLea, and Miss Hamilton. The tea table, which was prettily decorated with daffodils, was in charge of Mrs. W. C. Wonham and Miss Tyre.

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In cashmere, silk, lisle, cotton, etc., at prices from 10c to 75c a pair.

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In every style and fabric, at prices from 10c to $1.00 a pair.

The Knit-to-Fit Mfg. Co., Retail Branch:
597 St. Catherine St. West, near Mountain St.

Mrs. C. A. Montgomerie Henderson, Hutchison street, entertained at a pleasant girls' tea on Saturday afternoon for her daughter, Miss Ida Henderson. The tea table, which was centred by a double heart formed of red carnations, was in charge of Mrs. J. Inglis and Mrs. Grieve Nichol.

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MR. RALPH SMITH AT WINDSOR

Labor Leader Declares Against Admission of Orientals.

Windsor, Ont., March 25.—Mr. Ralph Smith, the member from British Columbia, and labor leader, spoke here Friday night on the "proper relations of labor and capital," before the Windsor Literary and Scientific Association. Referring to the proposition to bring Oriental peoples to Canada to work upon the railways in the North West, he did not hesitate to express his opposition. He said the British Government was practically feeding thousands of its own people in the British Islands, who would be glad of the chance to earn a living in Canada, and that if help is thus needed in the labor market we could bring to this country people of our own blood, not those whom we cannot assimilate.

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All notices of Births, Marriages, and Deaths must be endorsed with the names and addresses of the persons sending same.

BIRTHS.

BELCHER — On February 10th, the wife of W. H. Belcher, a daughter.

BURCHMORE — On the 11th instant, at No. 1105 St. Hubert street, a son to Mr. and Mrs. John Burchmore.

JACKSON — On March 3rd, 1907, at 23 Claxton Street, Montreal, a son to Mr. and Mrs. James V. Jackson.

McARAN — To Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McAran (nee Bessie), a daughter.

NIVEN — On the 1st inst., to Mr. and Mrs. Hugh D. A. Niven, a son.

HAYTER — On March 19th, at Patricroft, Eccles, England, the wife of Captain Hayter, A.S.C., of a son.

MARRIAGES.

KNEEN-TAYLOR — At Pretoria, South Africa, George F. Kneen, eldest son of Joseph Kneen, Montreal, to Charlotte L. Taylor, of Aspley, Pretoria.

DEATHS IN THE CITY.

BROADRICK — On March 24th, Mary Broadrick, widow of John Broadrick, beloved husband of Mary Ann Wall. Funeral will leave late residence, No. 14 O'Connell street, Tuesday morning, at 8:30 thence to Church of Notre Dame des Neiges Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances respectfully requested to attend.

DUBOIS — At the Notre Dame Hospital, Montreal, of appendicitis on March 19th, 1907, Stewart Nesbitt, aged 15 years, 7 months and 1 day, second son of Mr. and Mrs. Adelard Dubois, of Pine Lawn Cemetery, Interment at St. Annes.

MALLON — On March 23rd, 1907, Mary Alice Mallon, eldest daughter of Mary Ann Mallon, widow of the late Bernard Edward Mallon, aged 34 years. Mass of Requiem at St. Gabriel's church, Centre street, Tuesday morning at 7:30 to St. Ann's Church, Cote des Neiges Cemetery. Newry papers please copy.

MALONE — On March 23rd, Edward Arthur, only and dearly beloved son of Arthur E. and Annie Malone, aged 10 months. Funeral on Monday, March 25th, from 35 Chaboillez square to Mount Royal Cemetery.

MORTON — In this city, on the 23rd inst., Andrew Morton Carder, at the age of 22 years and 6 months, only beloved son of J. W. Morton and Ethel Carder. Funeral will take place from the late residence, 32 Morin avenue, St. Henri, to St. Jude's Church on Tuesday the 26th inst., at 2:30 p.m., and from the church to Mount Royal Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances kindly accept this intimation. New York, Hartford, Conn., U.S.A. and Quebec papers please copy.

MOLSON — In this city, on the 23rd of March, 1907, Eliza Anne Hooper, widow of Alexander Molson. Funeral private. Please accept flowers.

WILLIAMS — At her residence, "Sillema Lodge," Magog, on the 21st inst., Mary Frances Ann, wife of Mr. C. J. Williams, and eldest daughter of the late James H. Ma...., of Magog, Funeral on arrival of 11:40 a.m. train, Wellington Street station, Monday morning, the 25th inst. Kindly omit flowers.

DEATHS OUTSIDE THE CITY.

LYNCH — At the residence of his son-in-law, T. M. Mulligan, North Bay, Ontario, on March 18th, 1907, Catherine Wall, relict of the late Patrick Lynch of Chapeau, Que., aged 74 years and 4 months. Interment at Pembroke, Ont., March 20th.

McGRAIL — Thomas McGrail, of Roxton Falls, died March 22nd, 1907, old merchant of Roxton Falls aged 83 years and 9 months. Funeral Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock a.m. from parish R.C. Church. Friends and acquaintances please attend without further notice.

WHITE — At Shawinigan Falls, March 18th, Adelin Dewey White, aged 8 years and 11 months, dearly beloved son of William and Mary White, late of Lachine, Cleveland, Ohio papers please copy.

OH, LOVE ME KATE

and make me some lady charlotte jelly.

Carrying Weapons Was the Charge.

A plea of not guilty was entered Saturday in the Recorder's court by James E. Martin, 28 years of age, who was charged with carrying a loaded revolver. He was remanded until next Saturday for trial. Two constables arrested Martin while he was arraigned on a charge of aggravated assault, to which he also entered a plea of not guilty. It is alleged that the accused struck Zephirin Bordeaux on the head with the butt end of a revolver, and had also threatened him with a knife. Martin was under the influence of liquor when arrested, and when searched at the station the revolver and a dangerous-looking knife were found in his possession.

Suspected Burglars Arrested.

Detectives Giguere, McLaughlin and Laberge made three arrests which it is hoped will put a stop to the different burglaries that have been lately committed in East St. Catherine street. The three men arrested are Azarie Lussier, Gauthier street; Henri Forget, Panet street, who are charged with burglary, and Louis Geoffrion, accused of receiving the stolen goods. The two first, it is alleged, broke into the hardware store of Francis Martineau, 728 East St. Catherine street, and the clothing store of Isaac A. Workman, 572 East St. Catherine street a couple of weeks ago.

Napoleon Caron, who was arrested Friday night on a charge of horse stealing, is alleged to have been implicated in these robberies.

Premier Gouin Leaves for Europe.

Hon. Lomer Gouin, Premier of Quebec, will leave Bonaventure station tomorrow evening at 7.30 for New York, on his way to Europe. He will sail on Wednesday by La Provence, of the French line, and will be absent a couple of months. His travelling companions will be Mr. Husmer Lanctot, district magistrate of Beauharnois, and Mr. Jeremie L. Decarie, M.L.A. for Hochelaga. On the occasion of the Premier's departure there will be a large gathering at the station to wish him God speed. Calls have been issued to the members of the Club National, the Letellier Club, the East End Liberal Club and the Decarie Club to congregate at the station and give the Premier and his companions a send-off.

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EASTER KID GLOVE HEADQUARTERS

Dainty Glove Boxes Given Away.

Splendidly prepared for the greatest Easter Glove business we've ever done. Stocks are their very best, nothing but downright Kid Glove honesty could build and hold such a tremendous glove business as this.

LADIES' FINE QUALITY FRENCH KID GLOVES, in pearls shades of tan, brown and grey, 2 stud fastener, fancy silk points, perfect fit, sizes 5 1-2 to 7. Special 75c

LADIES' VERY GOOD QUALITY FRENCH KID GLOVES, in all the softest spring shades such as tan mode, beaver, Paris green, navy, black and white fancy silk points, 2 and 3 fasteners, perfect fit, sizes 5 1-2 to 8. Special $1.25

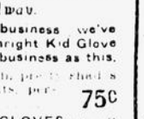
NEW MODELS IN EASTER MILLINERY.

Our Millinery Salons are now open to offer that taste of the season as obtains outside of Paris. The late European arrivals are arranged with our own original models giving you the correct styles for Easter Wear.

A Paris Model of Champagne Tulle, hand made, insertion of tulle in the brim, large tan crown, trimmed with fancy Mohair braid and two beautiful feathers. Special $23.00

A French Model of Light Grey Mohair and satin straw braid, turned up at side, large tan crown, trimmed with shaded Blacs, tiny pink roses and striped grey ribbon. Special $15.35

STYLISH EASTER FOOTWEAR.



These Prices must arrest your attention.

Misses' Fine Black Dongola Kid Blucher Laced Boots, with patent tip, good medium weight soles, and spring heels, in sizes 11 to 2. Special $1.70

Boys' Black Box Calf Laced Boots, with good medium weight soles, made on a new last, in sizes 11 to 2. Special $1.75

Men's Fine Black Box Calf Laced Boots, with Goodyear welt oak Tan soles, in sizes 5 1-2 to 11. Special $3.50

$9.50—LADIES' SUITS—$9.50

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$9.50. $9.50.

At the Dress Goods Department.

MEN'S EASTER SUIT SALE.

There is reason for this Suit Sale as there is reason for all good things. The reason is this: We received an opportunity to buy these outright at a reduction. The opportunity is now yours to get an unobtainable suit at less than wholesale prices.

Men's Tweed Suits for $5.00. This is an exceptional clearing line of Sample Suits, made up in the latest patterns of Tweeds, best cut, and plenty of choice and sizes to select from. Worth double $5.00

Men's Grey Overcheck Suits, in D.B. S.B. style, 3 button sack coat, best trimmings, English goods, made on the best up-to-date methods employed in clothing. Regular $17 for $12.50

EASTER GROCERIES.

	Reg.	Tues.
Good Creamery Butter	30c	27½c
Natural Pulled Figs 3 lbs.	25c	25c
Shelled Walnuts	35c	30c
Shelled Almonds	40c	35c
Table Raisins	15c	12½c
Redpath's Sugar, 20 lbs.	$1.09	95c
Seeded Raisins, 2 pkg.	30c	23c
English Plum Puddings, 2½ lb. boxes	70c	55c
5 lb. boxes	$1.25	95c
Bananas, Oranges and Apples.		

BOYS' EASTER SUIT SALE.

Splendidly ready for Easter, with a clothing stock that is unequalled in Montreal for variety, style and value.

Boys' Neat Buster Brown Suits, in neat overcheck grey homespun, Fancy Belt, and made up specially for the springtime, a neat and useful Easter Gift. Regular $7.50 for $5.90

20 American Sample Suits, in Sailor and Buster Brown Style, in colorings of grey, navy, new blue, garnet, each an exclusive pattern, which cannot be duplicated for double the price. Special $5.95 for $10.50

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Blessed the New Church Bells.

His Grace Archbishop Bruchesi presided yesterday at the blessing of five bells for the new church of Ste. Cunegonde. A large attendance of clergy and laity also attended the ceremony. Rev. F. X. Lecompte, cure of Ste. Cunegonde and Rev. Cure Beaupre, of St. Louis de France, attended the Archbishop to the throne, and Rev. Abbe Thibaudeau delivered the sermon for the occasion. His Grace congratulated the faithful of the parish for the manner in which they had worked together to reconstruct their church and provide in a worthy manner for the worship of the Most High.

Charge is Giving Worthless Cheque.

A plea of not guilty was entered today before Magistrate Lafontaine by George T. Lamb, charged with obtaining goods under false pretences. He was remanded until after Thursday for evidence. It is alleged by the Montreal Packing Company that the accused, with a meat dealer, bought meat at different times from the complainant and gave in payment cheques for which there were no funds at the banks.

Miss Marie Hall was the guest of their Excellencies the Governor General and Lady Grey at luncheon at Government House, Saturday.

"Let 'Em All Come"

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SECRETARY ROOT'S PROPOSALS WILL HAVE TO BE MODIFIED BEFORE THEY ARE TAKEN SERIOUSLY AT OTTAWA

Special to The Montreal Star.

Ottawa, March 25. The American proposals in reference to various matters in dispute between the United States and Canada, as outlined in the New York Evening Post and which it is said Hon. Jas. Bryce will bring to Ottawa this week, have excited some curiosity here.

From the Canadian standpoint the significant thing is that the Americans are now coming to Ottawa with tariff proposals. Canadian statesmen have announced that nevermore would they go to Washington hooking for favors, but it was not anticipated that the situation would be reversed at so early a date. Canada's independent attitude during recent years has made it apparent that sooner or later the Washington rulers would come to Ottawa, and now that they have announced their intention of making proposals it can be safely asserted that their tariff suggestions will have to be modified if they are to be taken seriously.

WASHINGTON WANTS BIG END.

It is pointed out as significant that every every proposal made contains a demand for some concession on Canada's part, and there is a notable omission of questions in which Canada is specially interested. The optimism which apparently prevails in London and Washington as to the probability of a settlement of all outstanding disputes cannot be said to prevail here. The feeling is that Canada is still regarded as a small boy whose immature views are not to be taken too seriously, if Canada were bigger and stronger she would receive more consideration and get better terms. Therefore it would be just as well to let some of the disputes stand over till Canada grows and the Mother Country and the United States are less disposed to barter Canadian rights in the interests of so-called international amity.

FREE TRADE FEELING DEAD.

As to the American proposals, it is said here that if the people of the United States expect for a moment that Canada will listen to a proposal to adopt the McKinley tariff against Great Britain and enter into a free trade arrangement with the United States they are liable to be greatly disappointed. Canada treated such a suggestion with scorn in the days when Canadian statesmen were in the habit of going to Washington to beg for terms and any such proposal now would not be seriously considered. The tariff is purely a matter of domestic policy in which Great Britain has no say whatever. The proposal that Canada will admit American manufactures free is equally absurd. It would be fatal, it is thought, for either political party to advocate such an idea for a moment.

The United States might, it is pointed out, think it worth while to make concessions to get the benefit of Canada's intermediate tariff, but if this tariff is extended to that country it would have to be extended also to several other countries which enjoy the most favored nation agreements. Such an arrangement would be a death blow to British preference and still the idea prevails that the intermediate tariff may have been designed to frighten the Government of Great Britain into giving Canada a preference in return for its preference.

TARIFF WILL BE IGNORED.

Doubt is expressed as to the desire of the Laurier government to make this evident at present by entering into negotiations with the United States. On the whole, it is thought that there is little prospect of anything much being done at present in regard to tariff matters. Canada will undoubtedly be disposed to meet the United States half way in respect to the proposal to make a treaty in reference to the preservation of Niagara Falls. At the same time it can be said that there has been a disposition all along in connection with the water power negotiations to feel that the United States has been trying to get the big end of the bargain. This has been fostered by two things. First, the experiences of the past, and, second, the fact that the power on the American side of the Falls has been exhausted.

SEAL FISHERIES QUESTION

According to the Evening Post the United States proposes to restrict the killing of seals in Behring Sea, and to pay annually to Great Britain 20 per cent. of the gross amount received from the taking of seals. Great Britain in return to arrest and punish pelagic sealers. The former American proposal was to pay a lump sum, in return for which British subjects would abstain from sealing. Canada, it is thought, might be willing to come to some arrangement to stop pelagic sealing, although a settlement of this question was reached in principle by the Paris tribunal of arbitration.

The President's proposal to establish an international commission to deal with Lake and Atlantic fisheries might possibly be favorably received here. The growing tendency in Canada is to preserve Canadian ports for the use of Canadian fishermen. It is suggested that Americans might be permitted to use Canadian ports in return for the free entry of Canadian fish into the American market.

TO REVISE AGREEMENT OF 1817.

The proposal to revise the agreement of 1817 in respect to the limitation of war vessels on the Great Lakes so as to permit the construction of small American war vessels by American shipbuilders causes some surprise. Within the past few months Secretary Root of the United States and President Eliot, of Harvard University, have held this up as a model arrangement making for peace and an example for other nations to copy.

The assertion that British warships can pass from the Atlantic into the Great Lakes is in a large measure erroneous. The largest vessels that can pass through the St. Lawrence and Welland are 253 feet long, 44 feet beam, and 14 feet deep. The only vessels belonging to the British Navy which come within these dimensions are ten torpedo gunboats of about 1,000 tons displacement. Torpedo boats and destroyers could also go through.

OTHER MATTERS TO BE ADJUSTED.

The American proposal in regard to boundary line markings, transit of merchandise, reciprocal mining rights, reciprocity in wrecking and salvage, exemption of Canadians from head tax, etc., excite some interest and there will be a disposition here to seriously consider any fair proposals, but as remarked above the belief that an adjustment of all difficulties will be reached is not deep rooted, although some questions, no doubt, might lend themselves to adjustment at the present moment.

NEW YORK PRESS COMMENT ON BRYCE'S VISIT

Special to the Montreal Star.

New York, N.Y., March 25.—The American, commenting on the visit of Mr. Bryce to Canada, says:

"For years our country and Canada has been unable to agree upon important issues. Chief of these is the fishery problem. For three thousand miles the frontiers of two countries meet. Economically their interests are one, but the politics of Ottawa and Washington keep them in contention. The Dingley wall surrounds the United States, but this country within itself from the Atlantic to the Pacific is devoted to free trade. New York State does not fear imports from Pennsylvania and New England. People along the Hudson, Mississippi and San Joaquin have a common interest in the traffic of continent. If Ontario and Manitoba got wind of being beyond our border were included among the commonwealths of the United States, they would share in America's prosperity, and their products in the exchange would be of benefit to the United States. No one would dream of a menace of wheat from the North West Provinces or manufacturers from cities along the St. Lawrence. These commodities would no more imperil American prosperity than the products of the Dakotas and the factory goods of North Carolina and New England do. Geographically and industrially the United States, Canada and Mexico are joined together. American capital to the extent of more than $5,000,000,000 is invested in Mexico. Yankee factories are springing up in Canada. The railways of this country are extending their lines beyond our national boundaries. Bryce's diplomatic mission is in keeping with the movement which, without waiting for the consent of statesmen, is making North American an industrial unit."

The Commercial says: "The visit of Ambassador Bryce to Canada will undoubtedly prove to be the beginning of the final settlement of several matters in perpetual controversy between the Dominion Government and the United States. Between two countries of such similar aims and purposes as the United States and Canada there are bound to arise almost constantly momentous questions requiring adjudication. It has been one of Canada's chief complaints against the Mother Country that the Dominion's affairs were either neglected or were viewed from the St. Stephen's standpoint instead of that of Ottawa. There exists in the Canadian mind much ground for complaint and reason for the plea that Great Britain be represented at Washington either by a Canadian or by an Englishman who is familiar with the needs of Canada. It has even been considered desirable that a Canadian represent the Mother Country at Washington. That is the Colonial view of it. That it is to Canada's interest to have a representative in this country, or, at least, some one acquainted with and in sympathy with the needs of the Dominion cannot be disputed, as many questions of importance other than tariff laws are pending. And the Ottawa Government will, no doubt, be pleased to believe that it has a sympathetic and able friend in Mr. Bryce."

The Tribune says editorially:

"The visit of Mr. Bryce to Canada, following closely upon that of Mr. Root, is auspicious of improved relationships between the Dominion and this Republic. It is not, of course, to be intimated that these relations are now in the least unfriendly or are in danger of becoming so. Neighbors are not to be on peacemaking errands after they have actually directed against potential breaches of cordiality. Never before, probably, in the history of the two countries have relations between them been more cordial or has the outlook for the future been more free from cause for dispute. There are various questions now pending between America and Canada. Some of them have been pending for a long time, and numerous commissioners and other negotiators have vainly essayed to dispose of them. In some cases the failure has been because of the lack of agreement between Canada and Great Britain, America and Canada agreeing, but Great Britain declining to sanction the arrangement, or, perhaps more frequently, America and Great Britain agreeing, but Canada dissenting. It is obvious that such difficulties are more likely to be avoided now, with the British Ambassador to America taking the initiative in negotiations. On some matters Canadian relations with Great Britain must continue to affect radically Canadian relations with America. This is especially true in questions of tariff and reciprocity. It would be foolish to expect Canada to abandon her system of preferential rates to Great Britain, and it would also be too much to expect this country to establish free trade with Canada under conditions which might make the Dominion an open gateway for British commerce to evade our tariff."

THE GLOBE'S COMMENT.

Canadian Associated Press.

London, March 25. The Globe, in commenting on Ambassador Bryce's visit to Ottawa, says that if he turns out to be a successful agent of Elihu Root, and a thoroughgoing instrument of reciprocity be arranged between the Republic and the Dominion, the commercial ties between England and Canada, with all its spiritual and national aspects will be broken, and the "hoops of steel," upon which Shakespeare advises friendship to be knit, will never be clinched.

Murder at North Oakland.

San Francisco, March 25. A brutal murder has been discovered at North Oakland. The body of Mrs. Martha Soderberg was found hidden in a closet of her home and Erland Soderberg, her son, has been arrested on suspicion of being the murderer. He came home intoxicated, and quarrelled with his mother. When found, Mrs. Soderberg's body, partially clad, was in an upright position and wrapped in a blanket. Her throat was cut, face gashed, and one leg almost severed.

License Commissioners Named.

Toronto, Ont., March 25. — The following license commissioners have been appointed by the Ontario Government: Prescott county, Robert McEvoy, Francois Cadieux, Octave Martin.

West Nipissing — J. F. Templeton, David Laporte, Adrien Deslauriers.

George McDonald, Pembroke, has been appointed to succeed William Jowett, resigned, as bailiff of the first division court, Renfrew county.

General Booth in Winnipeg.

Winnipeg, Man., March 25.—General Booth addressed three crowded meetings here yesterday, Walker theatre being quite insufficient to contain the numbers anxious to hear the aged head of the Salvation Army. To-day he will be entertained by the Canadian Club and will afterwards leave for the West.

Montrealer Killed on Track.

Special to the Montreal Star.

St. Hyacinthe, Que., March 25. Hamilton, a freight conductor, has been killed on the G. T. R. track. He was a resident in Point St. Charles, Montreal. None of the train crew saw the fatality, and are therefore unable to state the exact cause of the accident.

Speaker St. John Is Seriously Ill.

Toronto, March 25.—Hon. J. W. St. John, speaker of the Legislature, was taken to the General Hospital suffering from appendicitis, and late last night an operation was successfully performed. The condition of Mr. St. John is serious.

Mr. Clarke Preached Farewell Sermon

Special to the Montreal Star.

London, Ont., March 25. Rev. W. J. Clark, of the First Presbyterian Church, who is leaving to take a pastorate in Westmount, preached his farewell sermon yesterday.

Prominent Boston Journalist Dead.

Boston, March 25. Edwin Bradbury Haskell, one of the proprietors of the Boston Herald and formerly editor in chief of the paper, died yesterday.

Mrs. Armand Doin Died To-day.

Mrs. Armand Doin, wife of the well known Notre Dame street fur dealer, died in the Notre Dame Hospital early today. The deceased lady was taken ill yesterday of paralysis. She was 55 years of age.

The Lhevinne Concert.

The plan for the Lhevinne concert will open tomorrow morning for subscribers and will remain open to them until the evening of the 27th. On the morning of the 28th, the plan will be open to the general public.

Victim of Train Accident Identified.

John Henderson, 30 years of age, a Finlander, who resided at 1211 Mount Royal Ave., was the man run over and killed near the Angus shops on Thursday morning by the St. Jerome train. The body was identified at the morgue by Isaac H. Sims, who resided in the same house as Henderson.

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THE STORE LEADING BY ITS PRICES AND GOOD SERVICE.

Our Display of Easter Requisites

We have prepared lavishly for the wants of ladies and children at this time when, like nature, they seem to covet a change in appearance and blossom out on Easter Sunday in some charming new creation in wearing apparel, millinery or the many accessories that go towards completing a woman's toilet.

Our Easter Showing of Millinery presents an incomparable assortment of the latest productions of the leading fashion creations of New York and Paris, and an equally attractive display of exclusive models of our own designing. The utmost care and taste have been exercised in producing really artistic hat at the modest price of $6, whilst the imported models range up to $35.

Our Easter Showing of Ladies' Suits and Coats

Many of them have much in common with the costly imported garments. You will be conscious of this when you shall have seen our collection of the new Easter models, whilst the diversity of styles and prices is perhaps twice greater than we have shown in seasons past. Suits from $10.95 up. Coats from $7.95 up.

Our Easter Shoe Sale We might have prefixed this announcement with the term "important" or even "extraordinary" to define the scope of the sale, and, depend upon it, the shoes involved would have justified it. In order to make room for the "Royal Alexandra," the New $3.50 Shoe for Women (of which we have 26 styles), we will close out all our other lines of Ladies' $3.00 and $3.50 Boots for $2.45. For to-morrow's selling we would call particular attention to these two styles.

Ladies' dull mat top lace Boots, kid foxed, patent tip, military heel, with edge soles, also Ladies' Fine Dongola Kid Blucher Lace Boots, patent tip, Goodyear welt soles, Cuban heels, regular $3.00 and $3.50 lines, but not the "Royal Alexandra," Clearing Tuesday at $2.45

Our Easter Showing of Gloves The display represents the very latest styles of the foremost French makers Alexandre's, Perrin's and Trefousse's choicest French Kid Gloves in every shade that is in vogue this season. Girls' Lambskin Gloves at 69c. Boys' Dogskin Gloves at 75c. Ladies Lambskin Gloves at 75c. Ladies real French Kid Gloves at $1.00, $1.25 and $1.50. Ladies' Long Kid Gloves in elbow lengths from $1.95 to the longest at $1.00.

The Corset Demonstration As you know, the corset is the prerequisite of the suit or gown, and upon it depends the fit and swing of your costume. It is important that you be perfectly fitted. All this week Miss Kennedy, the expert corsetiere of Bias Corsets, will be in attendance in our corset department—fitting and consultation free. No obligation to buy. We would be pleased to have you call on her.

HOUSEFURNISHING SPECIALS FOR WEDNESDAY.

40 inch wide White and Cream Serim 9c yard.
45 inch wide White and Cream Madras, 22c yard.
Nottingham Lace Curtains, 3 1-2 x 3.60, Pair, 95c.
Pillow Sham Holders. Special for Wednesday 29c each.
Nairn's Inlaid Linoleums. Special for Wednesday, 85c yard.

THE HAMILTON CO'Y 583 to 587 St. Catherine St. West, Between Drummond and Mountain Sts.

SHIPPING LINES AMALGAMATED

Merchants' Line Joins With Montreal Lake Superior—New Company Has Seven Steamers.

The Merchants Shipping Line, controlled by Messrs. G. E. Jaques & Co., of Montreal, and the Montreal Lake Superior Line, owned by Messrs. R. O. and A. B. Mackay, of Hamilton, have amalgamated their interests, and in future the combined interests will be known as the Merchants and Montreal Lake Superior Line.

Mr. G. E. Jaques, discussing the matter with a representative of the Star stated, that the new company would now have seven steamers on the route between Montreal and Lake Superior. "These steamers," said he, "will be the Advance, Bickerdike, Edmonton, Haddington, Neepawah, Rosedale and Wahcondah. The first two vessels are of iron construction, while the remainder are of steel construction. The Rosedale is an addition to the fleet of last year.

"We will institute a semi-weekly service between Montreal and Fort William, the vessels calling at Toronto, Hamilton, and all intermediate points, carrying merchandise on their western trips, and grain and flour on the eastern trips.

"The business on lines has increased wonderfully, and the prospects for the present year are of the brightest. In fact we expect a business that will exceed anything accomplished between this port and the West."

Steamship Movements.

La Provence at New York.
Maine at New York.
Cambrian, at Boston.
Laurentian at Boston.
Carmania, at Queenstown.
Cestrian at Liverpool.
Prinzess Irene at Genoa.
Potsdam at Boulogne.
Etruria at New York.
Francesca at Fiume.
Gerty at Trieste.
Philadelphia at New York.
Cambroman, at New York.
Citta di Ronio at New York.
Sylvania at Liverpool.
Carmania at Liverpool.
Devonian at Liverpool.
Virginian at Liverpool.
New York at Southampton.
Cymric at Boston.
Victorian at Halifax.
Virginian at Liverpool.

NOTES.

Thomson line steamer Iona, sailed from Portland, Me., for London, at noon on Saturday.

Head line steamer Rengore Head, Captain Campbell, sailed from coaling port on Saturday for St. John, N.B., to load general cargo for Belfast.

Donaldson line steamer Cassandra, sailed from Glasgow for St. John, N. B., on Saturday, with 142 cabin, and 643 steerage passengers.

Dominion line R. M. S. Dominion sailed from Liverpool for Halifax and Portland, Me., Saturday, at 2 p.m., with 250 second and 950 third class passengers, of which number, 170 second, and 200 third class are to be landed at Halifax.

Was She Killed by Headache Powders?

A woman, who was known by the name of "Lina," at 42 Vitre street, where she had been rooming for three or four months, died under mysterious circumstances in the Notre Dame Hospital on Saturday. It was thought at the hospital that the woman had been suffering from the effects of a drug and the body was removed to the morgue by order of the coroner.

At 42 Vitre street it was learned that she had taken an overdose of headache powders. An inquest will be held.

EASTER DISPLAYS.

The dry goods store of Messrs. Jas. A. Ogilvy & Sons, St. Catherine street west, corner of Mountain street, is now resplendent with Easter displays. The brightness and beauty of everything you see there will open your eyes to the progressiveness of the store. Their announcement on page 11 of this issue of the Star gives a characteristic Easter story.

MARCHAND ⚜ FIRE SALE ⚜ All Goods Damaged by Water TO CLEAR IN TWO DAYS

305 Notre Dame West

Having made two separate departments of the damaged goods and regular stock, we will be able to take orders and guarantee delivery for Easter.

DON'T MISS THIS OPPORTUNITY!

305 Notre Dame West, near McGill

PROBABILITIES FOR THE NEXT 24 HOURS.

Fair, Tuesday, a little higher temperature, with local showers by evening.

After the rain and snow of Saturday night and yesterday the weather cleared beautifully and became splendid overhead but conditions under foot were, of course—well, rather unspeakable. To-day has been a fine bright day, much more like more of winter than of spring in the air. But people don't mind a cold day or so at this season of the year, because they know that at the worst it can't last more than a very short time.

Montreal Weather Statistics

Readings by Hearn & Harrison's standard barometer:

At noon yesterday 29.80; at 8 a.m. today 29.96. 11 a.m. to-day 30.00.

Temperature—Yesterday, maximum 39, minimum 20; yesterday, maximum 33, minimum 25.

Sun rose this morning at 5.58 o'clock. Will set this evening at 6.18 o'clock.

Maximum and Minimum Temperatures.

Victoria 50-36, Kamloops 44-20, Calgary 22-7, Edmonton 12-7 below, Battleford 18-0 below, Prince Albert 26-10 below, Qu'Appelle 24-14, Winnipeg 14-22, Port Arthur 44-32, Toronto 44-32, Ottawa 36-20, Montreal 34-26, Quebec 26-12, St. John 32-12, Halifax 28-14.

Temperatures Elsewhere.

London 52, Paris 49, New York 50, Atlantic City, 54, Pinehurst, 81, Lakewood, 54, Chicago 4.

What is Going on To-night.

His Majesty's—Rip Van Winkle.
Academy—Peggy from Paris.
Francais—The Gambler of the West.
Royal—The Jolly Girls.
Karn Hall—Miss Peppercorn's recital.
Mountain street Methodist church—The Land of the Maple, by Rev. E. E. Scott.

A VENERABLE COURT OFFICIAL IS HONORED BY THE BAR.

On Saturday members of the Montreal Bar honored Mr. Hercule Bernard, interpreter of the Court of King's Bench for the last fifty years. Appointed on March 23rd, 1857, by Sir George Etienne Cartier, attorney-general for Lower Canada, Mr. Bernard has continued ever since to fill the difficult functions of interpreter.

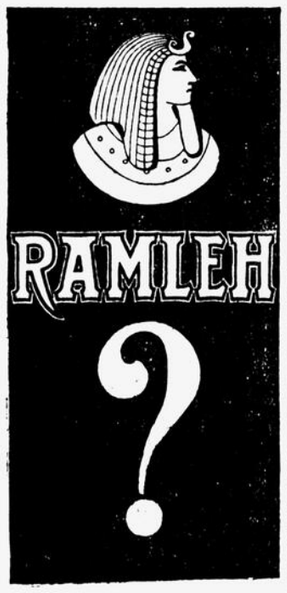
There was quite a gathering in the Court of Sessions, when Mr. Bernard was called to the Bench and the court graciously granted the motion made by Mr. F. W. Hibbard, K.C., that for this occasion the audience be allowed to smoke in court. Mr. L. W. Sicotte, Clerk of the Peace, acted as clerk of the court, while Chief Crier Filiatrault discharged the same duties as those which he usually discharges in the upper court.

Mr. R. A. E. Greenshields, K.C., was associated with the two Crown Prosecutors, Messrs. Lafortune and Hibbard, and after consultation with them he announced that it was with regret that they realized that Mr. Bernard had for fifty years been steeped in crime, that he had almost every day murdered the beautiful language of Shakespeare and Sicotte, of Moliere and Hamilton, and that he had rejoiced in such fiendish pursuits. After several more charges of the same kind had been disposed of Mr. Greenshields expressed the appreciation and esteem which the members of the Bar felt for Mr. Bernard, and testified to the courtesy and kindness which he had ever brought to the accomplishment of his difficult duties. The members of the Bar had decided to recognize this by presenting him on this occasion with a pouch of tobacco, or some similar material, which he asked Mr. Sicotte to present to the hero of the occasion.

Mr. Sicotte accordingly handed over a tobacco pouch, but the weight revealed the fact that the contents were gold instead of tobacco. Mr. N. K. Laflamme added a few words of appreciation of the services which Mr. Bernard had rendered, and recognized the courtesy and capacity which marked his accomplishment of his duties. Mr. Bernard feelingly thanked the members of the Bar for their appreciation.

Arrest of Alleged Highway Robbers.

Wilfrid Dalmeault, St. James St., Ivan Doyon, St. Philippe street, and Adelard Miron, Richelieu street, before Magistrate Lafontaine today, pleaded not guilty to charge of assault and robbery. They were remanded until next Thursday for trial. It is alleged that the three accused assaulted and robbed Celestin Bourelle, 73 years of age, early Friday morning in Richelieu street. The story is that they stole a silver watch worth $20 and $2 in cash from the old man, and he is in the hospital as result of the beating they gave him. The watch was found in possession of a young man who had bought it from one of the accused for one dollar. This clue led to the arrest of the three accused. Dalgneault and Doyon were on bail in connection with a robbery they are alleged to have committed a couple of weeks ago.



HILL NOT READY FOR THE SCRAP HEAP

Son's Promotion Does Not Mean That He Will Retire Shortly.

Special to the Montreal Star.

Chicago, Ill., March 25.—"There has been too much said by railroad men already," said James J. Hill, president of the great Northern system today when asked about the railroad situation. "I am reminded of the story of the parrot and dog. The parrot was a great talker. On his perch he disported himself hilariously by fooling straggling curs as they jogged along. The bird would call as if he were the master and mount business. The dogs would stop, pick up their ears and look about. Eventually they discovered they were being played with. But they couldn't get revenge because the parrot was safe from danger. One day, however, the parrot found an open door and soon was shining itself on the steps. A dog trotted by. There came the usual command. The dog looked up and saw his enemy. Instantly there was motion. Five minutes later the parrot wearily crawled to its perch and then surveyed the wreck. All its feathers were gone and it bore numerous wounds. Heaving a sigh, the parrot said: 'Oh, I know what's the matter with me. I've been talking too much.'

"That," said the railroad man, "is the trouble with the financial men of the country to-day."

"Your son confirmed the story on Friday," he was reminded, "that he would succeed you as President of the Great Northern on July first."

"He said that, did he? Mr. Hill replied sharply. "Well it is a long way off to July, and," he added significantly, "It will be a long time before I am ready for the scrap heap. Until I am too feeble to think and eat, I shall be in the railroad business.

"It's my life. There are too many things to do to think about retiring. My son is a good railroad man, and a fine fellow and there's no real reason why he shouldn't be promoted, but because he goes up it doesn't mean necessarily that I must drop back, does it."

FINDS NO REST, SUICIDES.

"Haunted by Furies," Unknown Man Calmly Takes Life.

Special to the Montreal Star.

Toronto, March 25.—"Haunted by furies, I am chasing myself from place to place and can find no rest anywhere." This sentence was found written in the note book of an unknown man who committed suicide in a York street lodging house by inhaling gas through a tube, attached to a gas jet.

The suicide was about 35 or 40 years of age. All marks that might aid in identifying him were carefully erased and beside the bed in which he lay had been placed a 32-calibre revolver loaded. The body was removed to the morgue. A Pullman ticket No. 3,792, dated March 20th, and numbered on the back with a stamp 5,953, calling for lower berth No. 8 from Albany, N.Y., to Montreal, and $59 in American bills were found in the clothing, while in a yellow leather pocket book were two Montreal street car tickets. A gold watch had the initials, "C. A.", engraved on the back and the same initials were found in the hat which was of New York make.

CALIFORNIA FLOODED.

Railroad and Telegraphic Services Suspended Through Heavy Rain.

San Francisco, March 25.—Following a severe rainstorm, railroad and telegraphic communication has almost entirely been suspended over the greater part of California. The rivers in the interior valleys are rising, and the area of the flood region is rapidly extending. Many thousands of acres are now under water, and the damage already is enormous. Telegraph service in all directions is interrupted. No regular trains are running in or out of San Francisco.

Two mail carriers, F. Grien and T. Dassonville, were drowned near Fair Oaks by the capsizing of a boat. A large area in Vallejo has been flooded.

TAILORS STRIKE IN OTTAWA.

Journeymen Holding Out for 14 Per Cent. Increase.

Special to The Montreal Star.

Ottawa, Ont., March 25.—Over forty Journeyman tailors, employed in several local establishments went on strike this morning, because their demands for a 14 per cent. increase in pay have not been granted. The present scale of wages is 20 cents per hour. Some of the master tailors were willing to grant a ten per cent. increase which the men were disposed to accept, but the Union stood out for the full demands. About half the tailors are now on strike and the rest will probably go out.

FLOOD AT BELLEVILLE.

River Moira Jammed at Mouth Flooding the Flats.

Special to The Montreal Star.

Belleville, Ont., March 25.—The ice for a considerable distance up the Moira River, broke up yesterday afternoon, and came down through the city at a rapid rate, jamming all the mouth of the river, the ice there being still solid. In a few minutes the water rose to an unusual height and overflowed the banks, flooding yards and stables along the eastern side of the river and causing some damage to property.

DEATH MARKS SNOWSLIDE.

Four Men Lose Lives In Logging Camp Avalanche.

Vancouver, March 25.—A snowslide occurred at the logging camp operated in connection with the Britannia Copper Syndicate's mines on Howe Sound, whereby three white men and one Japanese lost their lives. Without any warning the snowslide occurred, completely burying eight men. Three white men, McBride, Monaim, McPherson and Jas. Wilson, and a Japanese, died before they could be rescued, while the other four were in a sorry plight when dug out, the snow and debris being some eleven feet deep.

TO KILL SPANISH QUEEN.

Special Guard Protects Victoria Against Anarchist Plot.

Madrid, March 25.—King Alfonso has had a sudden alarm over the information that an anarchist plot is on foot to kill the Queen. He has secured from Scotland Yard, Detective Inspector Arrow, as organizer of a special guard which is now protecting the Queen.

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Simon Peach Brandy	1.50
Simon Quince Brandy	1.50
Simon Creme de Cacao Chouva, qts.	1.50
Simon Creme de Cacao Chouva, pts.	.90
Simon Prunelle de Bourgogne au Vieux Cognac, in fancy stone jars	1.50
Simon Kirsch-Fantaisie	1.60
Simon Kirsch-Nature (Black Forest)	1.50
Kumel de Riga (Russian Kumel Allasch)	1.50
Sue Simon, "Green," qts.	1.75
Sue Simon, "Green," pts.	1.00
Sue Simon, "Yellow," qts.	1.50
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Simon Grenadine Syrup, qt. bottle	.75

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FRENCH SUBJECT MURDERED BY MOORS

France Is Greatly Stirred Up Over Incident—British Consular Agent Attacked.

Tangier, Morrocco, March 25.—A courier, who arrived here from Morocco City, reported that Dr. Mauchamp, a French subject, has been assassinated by natives, who are extremely agitated in consequence of the operations of the Geodetic Mission, commanded by Professor Genty, and for which signal posts were fixed, on the roof of the doctor's house. The Moorish authorities, it is added, make no attempt to maintain order, and anxiety is felt relative to the fate of Professor Genty and his wife.

The assassination of Dr. Mauchamp was particularly atrocious. He was fired on and then beaten to death by a mob.

The report of Dr. Mauchamp's assassination was confirmed later by the French minister.

Despatches from Morocco city say that the assassination of Dr. Mauchamp, who was connected with the French Geodetic Mission there, was followed by a general attack upon the Europeans besieged in their houses, and that the British consular agent was forced to fire and kill two persons.

The Pasha finally sent troops to drive off the mob. The troops are still guarding the houses, although comparative calm has been restored.

FRANCE IS STIRRED UP.

Paris, March 25.—Immediately the news of the assassination in Morocco city of Dr. Mauchamp, a French subject, was received here, the French armored cruiser Jeanne D'Arc was ordered back to Tangier, where the commander of the cruiser will find orders awaiting him.

If the first reports of the character of the assault upon Dr. Mauchamp were substantiated, it is certain that France will demand heavy reparation of the Morocean Government.

Some of the newspapers attribute the assassination of Dr. Mauchamp, in Morocco City, directly to the anti-French agitation, which has been consistently fostered by German agents throughout the country.

The newspapers declare that the fanatical natives are now stirred up to such a pitch that all Frenchmen in Morocco are liable to be massacred at any moment unless an immediate and sharp lesson is administered. The despatch of a cruiser to Morocco, it is declared, will do no good. What is necessary is decisive action along the Algerian frontier, with the occupation of Oudja.

Premier Clemenceau, Minister of Foreign Affairs Pichon, and Minister of War Picquart conferred concerning the Moroccan situation, and it was decided to summon an extraordinary meeting of the Cabinet for to-day.

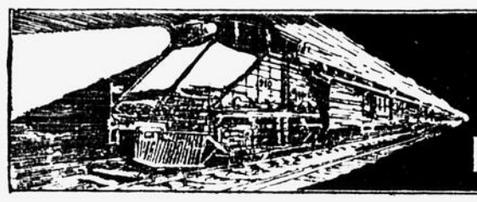
Public opinion is greatly exercised over the assassination of Dr. Mauchamp, which, it is argued, should be the signal for a complete change in the French policy in North Africa.

The Temps urges the abandonment of the present "flabby policy" in Morocco, and rehearses a long list of outrages on Frenchmen, reparation for which was never exacted.

BAILIFF'S SALE PROVINCE OF QUEBEC, District of Montreal No. 1870. Superior Court. L. N. Hebd, Plaintiff, vs. Ed. Montbriand, Defendant. On the 3rd April, 1907 at ten of the clock in the forenoon, at the business place of the said Defendant, No. 594 Wellington st. in the City of Montreal, will be sold by authority of Justice, all the goods and chattels of the said Defendant, seized in this cause, consisting of barber's chairs, pool tables, showcases etc. Terms cash. J. A. BISSONNETTE, B. S. C. Montreal, 23rd March, 1907.

Mr. C. Drinkwater, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Timmerman, and Master Timmerman, of Montreal, are guests at the Chateau Frontenac, Quebec.

FOREMOST INVESTMENT OF THE AGE



CHICAGO TO NEW YORK IN 10 HOURS

Each Division A Paying Railroad

With seasonable weather cars will be running over the first 15 miles of the Chicago-New York Electric Air Line R. R. by the middle of April. The first section of the road will connect Chicago and La Porte, Indiana. A strong attempt will be made to push the line to Goshen, Indiana, by the end of this year. This will complete the first division of the road and will be a railroad in itself, with every promise of making big profits from the start.

This first division will pass through five Indiana counties with an aggregate population of 200,000. Realizing that it will help local business and local farming and will add greatly to the convenience of those whose business takes them to other towns, the residents of this section welcome the road most enthusiastically. They are impatient for its completion.

Chicago itself, with its 2,000,000 population and a marvellously growing business, wants all the roads possible. Those it has now are so woefully inadequate that canal projects to aid the city are taking definite form. Deep waterways projected to connect Chicago with the gulf of Mexico, and by way of the Georgian bay, to tidewater at Montreal, would make of Chicago the metropolis of the continent. James J. Hill declares that the Trent Valley Canal, now partly built, will be completed from the Georgian Bay to Lake Ontario at or near Belleville, Ontario, and that this canal will ultimately command the slow freight traffic of the whole Canadian North-West, cutting in half the cost of delivering Manitoba wheat at Atlantic tidewater.

When ships can load for Europe at the docks of Chicago, there will be no limit to the business possibilities of that city and to the electric roads which would be its passenger and freight feeders.

At this time it is unnecessary to dwell on the character of the new territory in Pennsylvania which, because of a present lack of a direct traffic line to the largest outlets, the Air Line will open to profits previously unknown. It will suffice to say that the Air Line will pass through and develop in Pennsylvania one of the richest coal fields in the country.

Now, however, the fact to be emphasized is that the first division of the road will be a paying railroad in itself. The first 100 miles, with Goshen, Indiana, as the eastern terminal, will fill a want long felt. Already the population is there and the business is there to insure the success of the road. And, as Governor Stuart of Pennsylvania said in his inaugural address, the electric railroad builds new business in any territory wherever it acts as a freight carrier. Increased production comes with better transportation facilities. As it becomes easier for people to travel the more travel will there be.

Railroading is the manufacture and sale of transportation. In a given territory, the road which sells the best transportation at the lowest figure will get the most business. There is no questioning the fact that the electric road furnishes the best transportation and can afford to do it at less than the price charged for the inferior service of the steam roads.

The average cost of running steam roads in country similar to that of the Aurora, Elgin and Chicago Electric Line is 69 per cent. of the gross earnings as against about 55 percent. of the gross earnings of the long distance electric line. In 1906, the Aurora, Elgin & Chicago line paid 5 per cent. interest on a bond issue equal to the entire capital stock, paid dividends on its preferred stock and had enough left for a dividend of some 3½ per cent. on the common stock. **The Air Line has no bonds and no preferred stock.** The entire net earnings will be available for dividends on the common stock. The first issue of stock is against the first section of the road, from Chicago to La Porte. Already enough money has been received to put cars in operation on that section.

ALL IS ACTIVITY.

The principal camp of the CO-OPERATIVE CONSTRUCTION COMPANY, which is building the first 100 miles of the road, is at South La Porte, and presents a scene of the greatest activity that region has ever known. The siding from the Pere Marquette railroad and the big warehouse have been completed. Work is progressing on the cement house. Within two weeks the foundations of the power house will be in and the brick car barns will have begun to rise. All the labor available at La Porte is on the job, and 200 Italians from Chicago and 300 negroes from Tennessee will arrive to-day, and give new impetus to the advance of the line. Two construction locomotives and trains are on the way to the camp. All the machinery for the power house is ordered. It includes the most modern Westinghouse equipment, with a 400-horse power engine, 50-foot combination model Pullman passenger cars have been ordered for delivery in April.

The enormous steam shovel, costing $10,000, and doing the work of a big gang of men, is on the way from the Vulcan Iron Shovel Co. of Toledo. Three new work camps will be established and over 1,000 men will be working on the road here within a month. In the first division territory there are no more doubters as to the success of the CHICAGO-NEW YORK ELECTRIC AIR LINE RAILROAD. As the tangible assets of the road increase the value and the price of the stock advance.

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HARRIMAN THINKS THAT CULLOM JOKED

Senator Not Sincere In Desire to Place Him In the Penitentiary.

New York, March 25.—In reply to Senator Cullom's statement that he would put E. H. Harriman in the penitentiary for the Alton swindle if he had his way, Mr. Harriman said: "Senator Cullom does not really wish to put me in the penitentiary, I am sure. He simply regrets that I am not in the poorhouse.

"Eight years ago we found the great railway of his great State in a moribund and decadent condition. It had accumulated a stockholders' surplus, but was unable to get any benefit therefrom except through an expenditure of $30,000,000. The capital of the company at that time was about $22,000,000. A syndicate of more than one hundred, represented by four managers, bought the road at the market price of $175 to $200 per share, investing therein nearly $40,000,000 and $3,000,000 for fifty-eight additional miles.

"As investors in Chicago and Alton at this high price we could have remained quiet and seen it shrink and shrivel by the millions and tens of millions under the 30 per cent. reduction in railway freight rates which has taken place in the last eight years, and its owners might have been on the way to the poor-house.

"Now, I prefer the penitentiary, if that is the reward of the upbuilding of the railways of this country, rather than the poor-house, which is the reward of unprogressive railway management.

"More than $22,000,000 additional has been expended in the building up of the Alton system, besides our original investment of $42,000,000, and the total dividend and interest disbursements have not been increased by more than three-quarters of a million, or less than 4 per cent. on the new money. To-day the road is handling nearly 3 times the business it did eight years ago, and the territory served by it is allowed to expand in that proportion."

FAMOUS SURGEON DEAD.

Wiesbaden, Germany, March 25.—Professor Von Bergmann, the famous surgeon, died here to-day. He was operated upon for appendicitis yesterday.

Professor Von Bergmann was a hereditary member of the Prussian House of Lords and was the author of numerous works on surgery.

The professor taught Emperor William to use the laryngoscope and in May last was summoned to Constantinople to attend the Sultan's daughter, Sultana Ayisheh. He presided at a special meeting of the Berlin medical association July last, called to discuss the treatment of appendicitis and in August of the same year was summoned to attend the Sultan of Turkey. The professor also treated the late Shah of Persia early during the present year, for which he is said to have received a fee of $22,000.

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Ruef Must Face Proceedings.

Washington, March 25.—On motion of the attorney for the regular counsel of Abraham Ruef, of San Francisco, the habeas corpus proceeding in Ruef's behalf was to-day dismissed by the Supreme Court of the United States. The court ordered that the mandate in the case issue at once.

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