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THE FASTIDIOUSNESS OF SIR WILFRID LAURIER

WHAT IS THE AIM OF THE CONSERVATIVE POLICY TODAY?

Stirring Manifesto Issued by the Leader of the Opposition at Halifax—What is the Greatest Question?

HONEST ADMINISTRATION, SAYS BORDEN

(Special to the Chronicle.)
Halifax, N.S., October 19.—The following manifesto has been issued by Sir W. Borden:

What is the aim of the Liberal-Conservative policy?

To give to the farmers and producers better facilities and more favorable rates of transportation; to keep our average man on the farm, and to bring within his reach the comforts and conveniences of modern civilization; to better postal facilities; free rural mail delivery; cheaper and wider use of the telegraph and telephone.

For the laboring man, such application of the principle of protection as will justify and assure the payment of a fair living wage and will safeguard his interest against unfair and unjust competition, whether by means of undesirable immigration or paupered labor in other countries.

For the fishermen, better consideration of their interest and more favorable access to our own home markets.

For all the people, honest administration of our public revenues, and honest expenditure of public money for public purposes alone; a thorough reform of our civil service; decent appointments to public office; reformation of the election laws and thorough enforcement thereof.

Restitution to the people by all constitutional means of their pillaged public domain; thorough control of our public utilities; more careful selection of immigrants; and exclusion of undesirable; non-partisan management of our state owned railway; a fiscal policy which will develop all our great resources, including those of the forest, the mine and the fisheries; the development and improvement of our national waterways; the equipment of our national ports; the promotion of preferential trade within the empire; the unimpeded maintenance of provincial rights and liberties.

When plunder of the public domain

and of the public revenues has been charged and specific instance given, Sir Wilfrid Laurier has replied in these words: "I decline to discuss this matter; my soul is turned towards greater events and questions."

Is not honest administration the greatest of all?

What are the greater events and questions toward which the Prime Minister's soul is turned?

Was Alexander Mackenzie's soul less lofty because he esteemed it his first duty to protect Canada's treasury against plundering of camp followers? Surely the Prime Minister of Canada could not occupy himself with considerations of more transcendent importance than those which are concerned with the moral foundations upon which alone the permanency of democratic institutions can securely rest. In all recorded history, no nation's greatness has ever proved enduring unless founded upon high public as well as private standards and ideals.

The destiny of our country is in the hands of the young men. It will be more so in the years to come. Do they believe that the recent progress of Canada is due to the present Government, or that the men who composed the present Cabinet can alone be safely entrusted with the control of public affairs? Has prosperity come from the occupants of the treasury benches or from the industry, capacity and enterprise of our people employed in the development of our national resources? The defeat of the present Government will mean victory, not for the Liberal-Conservative party alone, but for the honest rank and file of the Liberal party as well—in short, for the people of Canada.

To them I promise, if returned to power, a Cabinet worthy of their highest ideals, and truly representative of the great country which I shall serve.

R. L. BORDEN.

SHOT AT BY UNKNOWN MAN

Two Montreal Youths Wounded, One Probably Fatally, at Longueuil Yesterday Afternoon.

(Special to the Chronicle.)

Montreal, Oct. 18.—Harold Patterson, aged 17, son of Col. Patterson, a well-known Montreal citizen, is in the General Hospital in a critical condition as the result of a murderous assault made by an unknown man to-day. Young Patterson and Gordon West, another youth, were spending the day at Longueuil, on the opposite shore of the St. Lawrence, and while they were in a field this afternoon, a man rushed out of the woods armed with a revolver, and fired at the youths, hitting both. Patterson was so badly wounded that he is not expected to recover, but young West was not seriously wounded. After the shooting the man disappeared, and the reason for his strange act is unknown.

U. S. FLEET SIGHTED.

Yokohama, Oct. 18 (6 a.m.)—The American battleship fleet has just been sighted at this hour. It is believed that the tender Yankton is with the fleet. The ships will come to anchor on scheduled time, which is 9 o'clock.

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SCORES OF VICTIMS OF FOREST FIRES LONDON TIMES CORRESPONDENT

Situation in Flame-Swept Michigan—Some Slight Improvement by Latest Reports.

Alpena, Mich., Oct. 19.—Reports tonight from the flame swept counties in this section of the state indicate improvement in the fire situation. But the necessity for immediate substantial relief for the refugees is hourly becoming greater. The winds lessened materially to-day, but the temperature began to drop this afternoon and colder weather will cause great suffering among the hundreds of homeless, burned-out refugees, camped in the open fields, or huddled together in the few of whom are now seen in the communities which have been swept by the fires.

But one fresh report of loss of life came into Alpena to-day. Henry Hines, his wife and two children are believed to have been cremated on their farm near Cathro. Between Metz and Rogers City seven more bodies have been found, making a total of buildings and shacks left in the little have been lost in Presque Isle and Alpena counties since Thursday night. Roger City last night reported in danger, which was reported destroyed, is also safe. The village of Posen has been in grave danger but its chances to escape destruction are thought tonight to be better. Alpena is still surrounded by fire but is not in danger unless the wind should shift to the north. From 100 to 1,000 men are on the fire line fighting the flames back.

Utica, N.Y., Oct. 18.—Reports received in this city to-day from Leon Lake and Pierce Field were to the effect that forest fires were burning fiercely and lives and dwellings were threatened. It was reported from Leon Lake that a fire was sweeping down directly upon that section and the hotel and camps in the vicinity of the lake were threatened. A crew of 40 men with a fire train at Pierce Field could give no assistance in the Leon Lake district as the fire was raging in the vicinity of the Pierce Field station, urged on by a strong northwest wind. Division Engineer C. E. Lindsey, of the New York Central, arrived from Albany to-night and organized a gang of men in Utica, which was taken into the woods on a special train to fight the fires at the threatening points. Reports from the fire district to-night were slightly encouraging inasmuch as the wind had died away somewhat with nightfall.

Detroit, Oct. 18.—A Detroit News special from Milwaukee, Mich., says: The charred remains of Mrs. Herman Erke, her three children and two hired men, John Samp and Leo Busch, were brought to Rogers City from Prentice Landing, situated about 12 miles east along the shore from Rogers City. Herman Erke, husband of the dead woman, and the two men were employed in lumbering operations for E. M. Lewis of this place, and lived in an isolated spot several miles from their nearest neighbor. The six victims were surrounded and burned to death by forest fires. Herman Erke and his eldest daughter were saved by being absent from the camp at the time of the fire.

FIRE TWO SHOTS AT THE PRIEST

Sensation in a Roman Catholic Church in Chicago Yesterday.

Chicago, Oct. 18.—An attempt to assassinate Rev. J. K. Fielding, pastor of the Corpus Christi Roman Catholic Church, was made to-day. After two shooting at the priest in the Sunday school hallway of the church, the would-be assassin, knocking down several children that stood in his way, ran into the street and escaped. The priest was not hurt. The shooting and the screams of the children created wild excitement in one of Chicago's fashionable residence quarters.

Made curious by the man's peculiar actions about the church, Father Fielding asked him: "What are you doing here?" "I'm praying," replied the stranger. As the priest turned his back the stranger drew a revolver, Father Fielding knocked the weapon away in time to escape a bullet which grazed his head and clipped a lock of hair from his temple. The priest then knocked the culprit down. Scrambling to his feet the man ran down the hallway, pushing and trampling over many children. At the bottom of the stairway he turned and fired another shot at the priest and then, still brandishing the revolver, ran down

Denies that He Inspired Recent Editorial Utterance of that Journal on Dominion Elections.

(Special to Chronicle.)

Ottawa, Oct. 18.—In reply to a statement of the Toronto Globe of Friday that a recent editorial utterance in the London Times, forecasting a Conservative victory on October 26th, was inspired by its Canadian correspondent, the Times correspondent on Saturday sent the following letter to the editor of the Globe:—

"Sir,—Your editorial article in the Globe of the 16th, attributing to me, or to information supplied by me, the recent editorial utterance of the London Times on the political situation in Canada, appears to me to be a departure from any code of journalistic ethics that may be supposed to exist. For me to assume that I could in any way influence the editorial columns of the Times would be an impertinence; for you to assume it for your own purposes and without knowledge or authority, is unfair, unjust and unprofessional, as well as being inaccurate. Nothing that has appeared in the Times from me in the campaign has had any political bias; on the contrary, I have endeavored to discharge my duty as Times correspondent in an impartial manner, my aim being to present the views of both political parties fairly. I am not in a position to prevent you from making ingenious interpretations of the Times' articles, but I hope I am in a position, being fairly well known to the press and the public in Canada, to protest against the deductions you have drawn from articles and dispatches in the Times, which you do not reproduce, and which I feel reasonably certain will not bear the meaning you have placed on them."

"FRED. COOK."

BORDEN ACCLAIMED IN NEW BRUNSWICK

One of the Greatest Political Meetings Ever Held in Moncton Greets the Leader.

(Special to Chronicle.)

Moncton, N.B., Oct. 18.—Shediac was en fête on Saturday afternoon, the town being beautifully decorated for the Conservative leader, who arrived about 4 o'clock and addressed a large audience. Shediac will give a big majority to Sumner on the 26th. After speaking Mr. Borden returned to Moncton by automobile. The evening meeting in this centre of government influence was a message of Conservative victory. The immense hippodrome, the largest building available in the city, seating over two thousand, was packed to suffocation before the opening hour, and an impromptu meeting was held at the entrance in the open air, where two thousand people stood till 11 o'clock applauding Premier Hazen. Hon. D. V. Landry, F. B. Black and C. Lionel Harrington. It was the greatest public demonstration ever witnessed in Moncton and the general opinion is that the large Liberal majority in the city will be reduced almost to the vanishing point. In fact there are some who predict that the city will split even, and while the government's wins in the parishes will roll up the biggest Conservative majority accorded since ninety-one, when the Liberal candidate almost lost his deposit. A feature of the meeting, received with thunders of applause, in which Mr. Borden heartily joined, was the appearance on the platform when Mr. Borden rose to speak, of forty little girls dressed in white, who sang the Maple Leaf, while "Purity" was shown on back ground by electric bulbs.

Mr. Paul Leclerc, book-keeper with the Syndicate de Quebec, who was reported to have been killed by a train near Mulgrave, N.S., according to a telegram from Truro on Saturday, reached town yesterday safe and sound, greatly to the relief of his parents and friends. The report of

the man, but he escaped. The man is described as being either Greek or Italian. Corpus Christi Church includes in its members some of the wealthiest Catholics in the city.

WAS NOT KILLED BY TRAIN.

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Ladies' White or Black Suede Kid Gloves, 8-button length, regular price \$1.75 a pair. Anniversary Sale Price, per pair.....\$1.29

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Navy Blue Cloth, 50 inches wide, splendid costume material, regular price 75c. a yd. Anniversary Sale Price, per yd.....47c

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Men's Heavy Frieze Caps, Jockey style, heavy lining, Oxford grey, regular price 70c. Anniversary Sale Price, each.....45c

Fine Felt Hats
Henry Carter Stiff Hats for Men, finest fur felt, brown shades, latest style, regular price \$2.50. Anniversary Sale Price.....\$1.80

Tweed Caps
Men's Heavy Tweed Caps, fancy checks, latest style, heavily lined, for Fall wear, regular price 60c. Anniversary Sale Price.....39c

Continuation of the Sale of "D. N." Hose Supporters

THE Unique Sale of "D.N." Hose Supporters continues on Monday. Every purchaser of a pair of "D.N." Hose Supporters or a "D.N." Belt Hose Supporter is entitled to a guess as to the weight of the big stone suspended in window No. 7. The new grip in use on the "D.N." Hose Supporter is remarkably strong. It never lets go. It is easily manipulated and cannot be torn stockings. We are offering TEN DOLLARS IN PRIZES in a Great Guessing Competition opened to purchasers of "D.N." Hose Supporters. The first prize is \$8, the second prize \$3, and the third prize \$2. These prizes will be awarded at the end of the ten days. Note the tremendous reductions.

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"D. N." Hose Supporters, fancy elastic, reg. price 50c. Sale Price.....33c	"D. N." Hose Supporters, fancy elastic, reg. price 30c. Sale Price.....19c
"D. N." Hose Supporters, silk trimmed, reg. price \$1.25. Sale Price.....97c	"D. N." Hose Supporters, silk trimmed, reg. price 90c. Sale Price.....69c
"D. N." Hose Supporters, silk trimmed, reg. price \$1.50. Sale Price.....\$1.17	"D. N." Hose Supporters, silk trimmed, reg. price \$1.00. Sale Price.....79c

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THE BRIGHT PARTICULAR "STAR."

The Montreal Star has a lengthy editorial on the inequities of graft as shown in the connection of Mr. W. Price, the Conservative candidate in Quebec West, with the Quebec Bridge Company. It will probably be sorry that it spoke when it learns that the gentleman who is the object of its criticism is not the Mr. Price that is a shareholder in the Quebec Bridge Company, nor any relative of it, and that the person attacked by the Star is a supporter of the Liberal party. People that do a little amateur knifing should be careful as to the identity of their intended victims; and people that are preparing to sit on the fence should make sure of the solidity of the top rail.

MR. POWER'S "SERVICES."

What has Mr. Power done for Quebec? The Government organs answer this question by saying that in the twelve years of the Laurier Administration between four or five million dollars have been spent on this port, or will have been, when the original works are completed and for this Mr. Power is to be given credit. Admitting for an instant that he is, the credit does not amount to much. There is a considerable difference between cash actually paid down, and cash in prospect; between the money that men have put in their pockets, and the money they expect to get; between benefits received, and benefits hoped for, and the five million dollars of the Government organs must be treated as at note not yet due, and discounted accordingly. It may be added that supposing the five million dollar expenditure to have been an actual thing of the past twelve years, there does not seem to be any particular gratitude due on that score. Montreal, according to the Gazette of that city, got close upon six and a half millions from the Government during the same period for the improvement of the ship channel and construction of the inner harbor, but "not only is there no reason for gratitude," says the Montreal paper, "but there is even ground for complaint." If Montreal with an actual expenditure upon her of six and a half millions thinks that she has ground for complaint, why should Quebec be grateful to Mr. Power for an expenditure of, say four and a half millions, that has not as yet completely materialized?

Again, supposing for the sake of argument that the sum of four and a half, or five millions had been actually cash paid down by the Laurier Government for the improvement of the port of Quebec, how much of that is to be credited to Mr. Power? According to the statement in some of the Government organs this expenditure is the result of plans not as yet completed, plans that were inaugurated in the Nocturne or Early period of the Laurier Government, and have been dragging slowly along ever since. The plans were those of the government when Hon. Mr. Doherty represented Quebec West, and we might as yet give Mr. Power the credit for the establishment of his abode here by M. de Champlain, as for what has been done in this respect. The plans for the government assistance of this port were initiated by Hon. Mr. Doherty some twelve years ago; that these alone are not sufficient for the rapid progress of marine and commerce to-day must be evident to everybody; but they would have served for a good starting point for further improvements if they had been finished within a reasonable time. They are not finished to-day, according to the confession of the Government organs, and they have been proceeded with in a listless and perfunctory manner during the eight years of Mr. Power's representation in Parliament. What does Quebec owe to Mr. Power, forsooth? It owes to him that works which should have been completed long ago, and which would have met the requirements of the day, are not yet completed, and if they were would still be far behind the times. That is what Quebec owes to Mr. Power for whom is claimed all the credit for what Mr. Doherty originated, and which after eight years is still far from completion.

So conscious are the government organs of the utter hollowness of their case, that they seek to elevate the services of the ex-member for Quebec West as a public man, by befitting the services of Mr. W. Power as a private individual. And in this they are treading on very dangerous ground. They revive the shameful history of the Trans-Canada, thrown down by the Dominion and Provincial Governments that the expensive bargain with the Grand Trunk might be carried through. They ask how much of the \$100,000 subscription of Mr. Price to the Trans-Canada project was paid, and how much of that was subsequently returned to him by the Government. The answer is very simple. When the Trans-Canada scheme was first mooted, Mr. Price subscribed \$100,000 towards the construction of

the next largest subscription, if we are well informed, was a tenth of that sum, and other patriotic citizens joined in with smaller amounts. The money was expended in preliminary surveys of which the Dominion Government subsequently made use for the benefit of the National Transcontinental, and Mr. Price was called on in due course for his proportion of his subscription as occasion arose. He disbursed some \$14,000 dollars, and neither he, nor so far as we are aware, any of the other subscribers have been recouped by the Government to the extent of a single cent. What these gentlemen have laid out for patriotic purposes has been a dead loss to them, and the Dominion Government has been the beneficiary by their expenditure. There need be no wonder that the Laurier Government encourages grafters, when it does not disdain to do a little in that way itself.

APPROPOS OF THE TRANS-CANADA

And since the Government organs have been rash enough to revive the memory of the Trans-Canada, it is just as well to remind the electorate, not only of this city and province, but of the whole Dominion of what they have lost by the action of the Dominion and Provincial Governments. The Trans-Canada, like the original Grand Trunk Pacific extension, was a purely business proposition. Neither of the two asked government assistance beyond that which was customary, and ordinarily extended to all railroads seeking to traverse undeveloped districts. The one sought to capture the traffic of the Northwest for the Grand Trunk lines; the other to bring it down to the Maritime Provinces, and develop the Quebec Hinterland. There was no opportunity for graft in either of them, for to make them paying concerns, it was absolutely necessary that the strictest supervision should be exercised over the construction expenditure. The Trans-Canada would have done all, and more for us than the eastern section of the Transcontinental was ever expected to do; the Grand Trunk Pacific had a good prospect of traffic, and hopes of its promoters. They were both turned down. The Grand Trunk Pacific was forced to load itself with a burden which to-day is affecting the Grand Trunk proper injuriously in the financial market, and which it is moving heaven and earth to escape from without discredit to itself; the Trans-Canada was put altogether out of business. Why? Because neither of these propositions afforded room for political graft, and could not be relied on as contributors to the political campaign fund. Is proof needed? Consult the reports of the Grand Trunk engineers of the "Quebec measurement" of excavation.

We need go no further. The Trans-Canada proposition was a business one, and would have brought undoubted advantages to this city and district; Mr. Price supported it to the extent of pledging himself for \$100,000. No mean subscription; it was turned down by the Government for a scheme of its own; an expensive one, and more than doubtful in its beneficial results if carried out, and Mr. Power is one of the supporters of the Government.

MR. McAVITY TO THE RESCUE.

Mr. George McAvity, who was the person suggested by Hon. Mr. Pugsley to Mr. Mayes as the man whose "influence" at Ottawa, it was especially important to secure, and who, by the way, is the president of the Liberal Association in St. John, is out with an affidavit in which he treats of the dealings between himself, Mr. Mayes and Mr. Pugsley, and endeavors to show that the startling revelations which have been recently made are the consequences of a fruitless attempt by the second-named gentleman to blackmail his quondam friend and adviser who had profited to the extent of two thousand dollars for his advice. That is as it may be; it does not materially interest the public, and if it is true all that is said by the President of the Liberal Association at St. John only serves as a confirmation of the old adage about honest men coming to their own under certain contingencies. What Mr. McAvity carefully abstains from touching on, and what lies at the gist of the whole matter is the charge that he received a rake-off of 5 cents on every foot of dredging done by Mr. Mayes, as an honorarium for his "influence" in obtaining a contract for which Mr. Mayes was the lowest, and we believe, only tenderer, and that Mr. Pugsley took special precautions to see that Mr. McAvity received his money. That is the statement, in plain words, which was originally made by Mr. Mayes, when, for reasons best known to himself and his associates, he decided to make a clean breast of the whole affair, and since Mr. McAvity maintains a marked reticence on that point, it is only reasonable to conclude that "silence gives consent."

It may be looked on, therefore, as a fact established beyond controversy that the Government paid Mr. McAvity in the neighborhood of thirty-

SHALL THIS GO ON?

The Canadian West has seven distinct sorts of natural resources.

1. The ordinary arable lands,
2. The irrigation lands,
3. The grazing lands,
4. The timber areas,
5. The coal lands,
6. The fisheries,
7. The fur trade.

Mark now how carefully the Laurier Government has covered the ground in its millionaire-making:

1. As regards the ordinary arable lands, we have the Saskatchewan Valley Land Company transaction, and the innumerable "fake" homesteads. The existence of the latter evil is proved by the angry protest of The Manitoba Free Press, and also by the discovery that Dominion Lands Agents reported the fact officially.

2. As for the irrigation lands, the history of the Robins lease shows how the Government attended to this branch of the assets of the West.

3. As to the grazing lands, the half dozen closed irrevocable grazing leases—the McGregor-Hitchcock one, the Galway Cattle Company lease, etc.—will at once occur to the electors.

4. The operation of Mr. Burrows, the Imperial Pulp Company, Mr. A. W. Fraser, etc., need only be mentioned to show how our Western timber areas have been watched and guarded—especially watched.

5. As for the coal lands, we know that three-quarters of the coal belt has been alienated already. One picturesque exploit was that of C. F. Caldwell, who "homesteaded" a great number of quarter sections of coal lands in the name of bell-boys, chambermaids and other servants of the Russell House in Ottawa. That is how the coal lands slip out of the hands of the people.

6. The fisheries can boast the ridiculously cheap McEwen and Markey leases—monopolistic rights over great lakes and rivers handed over virtually for nothing, to a Montreal lawyer and a Windsor journalist.

7. The only thing that has not been grafted is the fur trade. The Hudson Bay Company saw it first, and had developed the business long before the Laurier Government came on the scene.

It is too bad about the fur trade. But for it, there would be a clean sweep of the natural resources of the West; every one of them the subject of grafting; of giving away the people's property for little or nothing.

Still the Laurier Government has done the best it could. Six classes of public domain were in its control; and there has been grafting in every one of the six.

Five thousand dollars for running up to Ottawa to secure a contract for Mr. Mayes, and that the present Minister of Public Works was not only cognizant of the transaction but active in insisting on the bargain being carried out. The public got absolutely no "value received" for its money. Mr. Mayes may have, or again he may not; but if Mr. McAvity's influence was really worth so much, it says little for the methods prevailing at Ottawa that such a sum should be needed to secure a contract to the sole, or lowest tenderer.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier professes a supreme disdain for scandals and tittle-tattle; he becomes a veritable Canadian Podsnap over them, and brushes them aside with a metaphorical wave of his arm, and the remark that he does not admit of their existence, and that they disgust him. We should rather hope they did; they have disgusted a great many people in Canada besides the fastidious premier, but their disgust does not extend to the dismissal of them as an exceedingly unpleasant topic. Probably the reason is that the money plundered comes out of their pocket, and not out of that of Sir Wilfrid. We venture to say that if he looked into his own household expenses and found that he was paying for what he did not receive he would not be so high-minded. But here is a case in which there is no evading the issue; a case which affects an important government department, and not the subordinate officials but the minister at the head of it. There is only one thing for the Premier to do. He must insist on the resignation of Mr. Pugsley without any delay. If he procrastinates a day, and waits until after the elections before announcing the course he will take, the people will not only turn Mr. Pugsley out, but Sir Wilfrid Laurier with him. And they will do right.

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PRAISES GRAND TRUNK.

The appreciation of the dining car service on the Grand Trunk by the travelling public is becoming renowned and letters are being received constantly, praising this branch of the service. The following abstract is taken from a letter recently received at Headquarters from a prominent American:

"I arrived here last evening on my way to Oroy, Colo., on your train that left Niagara Falls yesterday morning, September 23rd; this is the fourth journey I have made over your System in one year en route from New York to the West. I cannot refrain from writing and saying that the matter of accommodation and civility on the part of the employees of your line is unsurpassed and that in catering your dining car service leaves nothing to be desired."

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Sealed Tenders, addressed to the Secretary, and endorsed "TENDER FOR WATER AND DRAINAGE SERVICE" will be received by the Quebec Harbour Commissioners up to 2 o'clock p.m., on Monday, October 19th inst. Specifications for the proposed work may be seen at the Harbour Commissioners' office.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque for \$1,500.00 payable to the order of the Chairman of the Harbour Commission, such cheque will be forfeited should the Tenderer refuse or neglect to enter a contract if called upon to do so by the Commission, or if he fails to complete the work contracted for.

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JAMES WOODS, Secretary-Treasurer.

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OSTRICH PLUMES in black all new this season at 68c., 75c., 95c., \$1.20, \$1.40, \$1.68, \$1.85.

NEW WINGS large size in Brown Navy and White at 75c., 95c., \$1.10, \$1.24.

MERCERIZED MUFFLEES for Ladies in Brown, Grey, Green, Drab, Black, White and Sky, only 50c.

GOLF JERSEYS for Ladies in White, Black, Cardinal, and Navy, at \$1.88, \$2.25, \$2.68.

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On and after Monday, the 2nd of November next, this Bank will pay to its shareholders a dividend of one and three-quarters per cent., being at the rate of seven per cent. per annum, upon its capital for the quarter ending on the 31st of October next.

This dividend will be payable according to the list of shareholders inscribed on the 15th October.

By order of the Board of Directors,
P. LAFRANCE,
Manager.
Quebec, 22nd September, 1908.

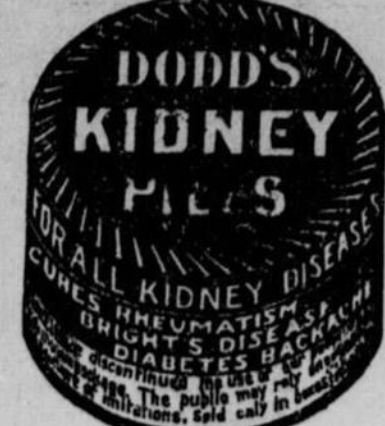
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SHIPPING NEWS

NAVIGATION IS AGAIN IMPEDED

By Dense Smoke—Many Steamers Are Held Up on the River.

The smoke and fog that set in last Friday afternoon became much denser during the night and Saturday and yesterday navigation was badly impeded, especially between Montreal and Quebec. Five ocean steamers, which were to have left the former place last Saturday, were all held up, and had not moved up to last evening. Steamer Sardinian, which arrived here early on Saturday morning, remained in port until 10 a.m. yesterday, when she left for Montreal, but it is probable she did not proceed far before she was compelled to anchor. Steamer Mount Royal, from London, arrived here at 4 p.m. on Saturday. After landing her passengers she remained tied up at the Breakwater, and will not make a move towards Montreal until the atmosphere becomes clear. There are several colliers and other craft held up between here and Montreal. The river passenger steamers which left Montreal on Friday evening did not reach Quebec until Saturday afternoon. They left on their return trip yesterday morning, but how far they proceeded is not known.

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the destruction of the lighthouse. Mr. McGregor was about 50 years of age and unmarried.

STEAMER MISSING.

Port Arthur, Ont., Oct. 17.—No word has yet been received here of the steamer Sequin of the Parry Sound Transportation Company, which left the Soo last Monday. The last word of her was from the steamer Carleton, which passed her a few miles above the Soo on Monday night. The Carleton arrived here Tuesday. There have been no storms which should trouble the Sequin and her non-arrival is a mystery. Beliefs that she is safe are based on the supposition that her machinery has been disabled.

REGULATING NAVIGATION.

Amherstburg, Ont., Oct. 17.—The patrol tug Owen, which has been stationed below Lime Kiln crossing since early spring by the Canadian Marine and Fisheries Department, has been a great help to the big steamers. There has been no trouble at the crossing, with the single exception of the accident to the big barge that hit the dredge a few weeks ago, and that was due entirely to the wind. The Owen is holding the boats in check, and keeping the channel clear to avoid mishaps. Frequently, boats are held back until a tow or a steamer is safely out of the way.

EFFECTS OF SMOKE.

Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., Oct. 17.—Reports coming in hourly say present conditions are worse than those of a few weeks ago. Smoke hanging over Lake Superior, and St. Mary's Valley is so thick that boats are either anchored or running with fog signals continually blowing. It is impossible to see across the river.

MARCONIGRAM.

Cape Race, Nfld., Oct. 18.—Steamer Kropinzeffin Ceile, from Bremen for New York, in wireless communication with the Marconi station here when 1,146 miles east of Sandy Hook at 7 a.m. Dock noon Tuesday.

DAMAGED BY COLLISION.

London, Oct. 17.—A telegram from Shields, states that the steamer Carndon, Boni, at Newcastle yesterday from Montreal, was damaged below the water line by collision with the steamer Ebersburg. She was struck amidships on the starboard side and is leaking slightly.

NOTES.

Captain Joseph Emond, well and favorably known to shipping men at this port, has been appointed master of the coasting steamer Roberval, plying between Quebec and Chicoutimi.

Steamer Dominion, from Sydney for Montreal, with coal, arrived in port on Saturday and proceeded.

PORT OF QUEBEC.

Arrived October 17.

SS Mount Royal, Troop, London, C.P.R. Co., passengers and general cargo.

SS Dominion, Dawson, Sydney for Montreal, coal.

Cts. J. Poutt, W. H. Yell, B. H. Yell, M. G. Griswold, C. E. Hall, J. T. Kenny and J. H. Farrar, from United-States, Carbury, Sun & Co., coal.

CLEARED.

SS Sardinian, Henry, Montreal, Alans, Rae & Co., part cargo.

SS Savoy, Beliveau, Nantashquan, etc., Holiday Bros., passengers and general cargo.

SS Ruba, Bernier, Ha Ha Bay, Canadian Import Co., ballast.

SS Roberval, Emond, Chicoutimi, general cargo.

SS Mount Royal, Troop, Montreal, C.P.R. Co., general cargo.

Cts. W. C. Trotter and Alice Fallon, for Three Rivers, J. C. Kane, light.

C.B. Adde Haddock, for Three Rivers to complete cargo.

SIGNAL SERVICE REPORT.

Quebec, Oct. 18th, 1908.

Rimouski Wharf—Inward 7.42 a.m., Virginian.

Father Point (160)—Smoky, south-west. Inward 6.25 a.m., Virginian; 7.50 a.m., Manxman. Inward yesterday 8.15 p.m., Daguel; 11.50 p.m., Bektor.

Cape Magdalen (294)—Smoky, north-west. Inward 8 a.m., Arammore; 1.30 p.m., Lake Erie.

Fame Point (324)—Dense smoke, calm. Dominion 90 miles southeast at 9 a.m. Inward 6 a.m., Montreal.

Low Point (584)—Dense smoke, west. Inward 4 a.m., Ocean and Wasie, Outward yesterday 5.30 p.m., Catalone.

Seven Islands—King Edward anchored.

Clarke City—Nantashquan at wharf.

E. E. D'GREEVY

Superintendent.

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, Oct. 17.—Flour receipts, 17,192 bbls.; exports, 11,199 bbls.; dull. Wheat receipts, 219,000 bushels; exports, 262,120 bushels; spot, easy. Options closing at 11c. to 11c. lower. Corn receipts, 66,400 bushels; spot, steady. Option market was without transactions, closing partly at 1c. lower. Oats receipts, 107,100 bushels; exports, 104,400 bushels; spot quiet. Rye, quiet. Turpentine, quiet. Pig iron, steady. Copper, dull. Lead, dull. Tin, dull. Sugar, raw, steady; refined, steady.

SPECIAL STOCK QUOTATIONS.

Reported by J. P. Tache & Co., 97 St. Peter Street, Automatic Phone 03. Correspondence invited. Quebec, Oct. 17th, 1908.

BANKS.

Quebec Bank 132 —

Union Bank 135 —

Bank of Montreal 123 120

MISCELLANEOUS.

C. P. R. 171 171

Richelieu & Ontario 73 —

Montreal Power 106 105 1/2

Quebec Power, com. 264 20

Quebec Power, pfd. 105 103

Quebec SS. Co. 100 96

National Telephone 105 —

Dom. Textile, pfd. 85 —

Canadian Electric 65 60

Canadian Electric, pfd. 100 96

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In a growing, active child the cells of which the body is composed are being worn out and replaced—very rapidly. This dead tissue must be gotten rid of somehow, and the danger is that the eliminating organs—the bowels, Kidneys and Skin—may not do their work well enough. Then the blood becomes poisoned and the child does not thrive.

Nothing has such an invigorating effect on these organs as ripe fruit juices. Apple juice increases the action of the kidneys; other fruit juices stimulate the liver to secrete more bile, and bile produces easy and regular movements of the bowels; others stir up the glands of the skin to throw off more waste matter.

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THE NICKEL.

Commencing with to-day, the Nickel reverts back to its former status as a moving picture show exclusively. The reason for this is that the management have made arrangements with the Bennett Enterprises Co., whereby the Bennett's Theatre in this city exclusively. While talking pictures are eliminated from the Nickel, it must be remembered that the Nickel has been noted since the new management took charge will continue to prevail. Nothing but the finest in motion pictures will be offered the public. For the commencement of this week several very interesting films comprise the programme. Among these are "Brothers in Arms," "The Water Sprite," "The Little Detective," "Stung," "The Directorate Gown," etc. These together with splendid illustrated songs, make up an entertainment that would be hard to improve upon. The Humanova Co. are billed to appear at Bennett's commencing next Monday, and the management in this connection promise the same high class entertainment as was the rule during their last engagement at this theatre, with the result the public will be afforded opportunities of witnessing the best there is in twentieth century photography.

You May Enjoy Your Meals

If You Will But Equip Your Stomach With The Right Means To Handle The Food.

If you go into a restaurant, cafe or hotel, where all your environments, the lights, dazzling lights, cut glass, music, chatting and laughing women, seem to foretell of a pleasant meal, your stomach should not revolt when you read the menu card.

Heavy steaks, soups, oysters, entrees, salads, etc., should hold no terrors for the healthy stomach and they do not.

A small box of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets be sufficient guard against the mad revels of a worn-out stomach.

A tablet taken a few moments after a copious meal will remove any ill effects of food from your stomach and you may eat as generously as those about you.

Electors of Quebec West HERE

IN A FEW WORDS

Is the exact position on which you are asked to
judge in the coming Election
on the 26th instant.



Mr. Wm. Power

Mr. Power has been twice elected as your representative at Ottawa, and during all that period no material evidence can be shown of any interest whatever on his part in the harbor and port of Quebec. The utter neglect and indifference on the part of the representatives of our City has been most noticeable, and the dilapidated state of our wharves, the insufficient graving dock accommodations, the very poor railway facilities and terminals, are striking examples of the interest that has not been given our City by our past representatives.

Some few years ago a steamer, repairing in the Graving Dock, had a new stern sent out to her from Scotland. When the steamer carrying it reached Quebec it was found impossible to land it here, as there was no crane of sufficient power to lift it out of the vessel's hold. The steamer had to carry it up to Montreal and transfer it to a wrecking schooner to bring back to Quebec. Although this occurred some years ago, still there is no steam crane on a wharf in Quebec.

Contrast that with the treatment Montreal receives. Last year Montreal wanted a powerful floating steam crane. The port authorities made a demand for it. What was the result? It was considered that it would take too long to build it in Canada, especially as Montreal was in a hurry, so a rush order was sent to Scotland to build and equip the vessel, and she is now on her way across the Atlantic. But Montreal cannot be put off with promises.

Although Quebec has been begging for increased Graving Dock accommodation for years, and a large ocean steamer has become a total wreck for the lack of such accommodation, the Laurier Government did not even deign to answer the resolutions of the Quebec Board of Trade on the subject.

A few weeks ago two steamers had the misfortune to get into collision, in which both were damaged, with the result that one of them had to be sent to a foreign port for repairs, work which could be done as well, if not better, in the port of Quebec, if there was a dock in which to place the ship.

Take another instance, the arrival a few days ago of three ocean vessels. Two of these were able to moor at the wharves, and one was obliged to wait out in the stream.

And we call Quebec the Natural Port of Canada, and cannot accommodate three steamers.

Would such a thing be tolerated in Montreal?

Mr. Wm. Price

Mr. William Price has a record behind him of honesty of purpose and determination of character. Years ago, and when no single man could state that he had any aspirations for public honors, Mr. Price demonstrated in practical ways his devotion and confidence in the Port of Quebec.

Take, for instance, the proposed Trans-Canada Railway, which was to have Quebec as its terminus. Mr. Price immediately put down his name for \$100,000. Plans were laid down, surveying parties reported on the project, and with what result?

The Government decided that it was NOT the best route, and Quebec and Quebec's interests suffered immeasurably by this discrimination.

Mr. Price has been instrumental in many other of Quebec's great interests. The Auditorium, Jeffery Hale Hospital, the Quebec & Lake St. John Railway, the Quebec Railway, Light & Power Company, and many other industries, and in almost every instance has he contributed, not as an investment, but rather from a point of view of Quebec's interests, and Quebec's interests alone.

Then, again, take Mr. Price's position in the recent Tercentenary Celebrations. Without any sense of self-interest, but wholly from a patriotic standpoint, Mr. Price threw himself into the breach and permeated the whole enterprise with his energy, his tireless efforts and his disinterested desire to attract for Quebec and Quebecers all the benefits that have been derived from this wonderful success.

And now, at your request, Electors of Quebec West, he is coming forward as your candidate, and requests your hearty active co-operation and support, and a question for each one to ask is:

"If Mr. Price will do so much for us, in his private capacity, how very much more will he do for our city and for this Division in a Public Capacity?"

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BIRTH

MARTIN—On Saturday, Oct. 17, 1905, at No. 375 Champlain street, to Mr. and Mrs. J. Martin, a son.

DIED

HENDERSON—On the 17th instant, at Vernon, British Columbia, Louisa Borland, wife of the Revd. Andrew Henderson.

ROBITAILLE—On the 18th instant, at the age of 23 years and 6 months, Mr. Emile Robitaille.

Funeral will leave No. 96 Desfosses street, at 8.45 o'clock Wednesday morning, for St. Roch's Church and thence to Belmont Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend.

New Advertisements.

The Dixie Chair—Miller & Lockwell, Gordon's London Dry—Law, Young & Co.

Paper Toys—J. A. Kirouac, Household Furnishings—P. J. Cote, Malbecque Oysters—Fraser, Viger & Co., Ltd.

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IN AND ABOUT TOWN

THE MISTAKE OF THE ELECTION WORKER

May be a Serious Matter for Him
—A Jail Employee.

The reference in Saturday's Chronicle to the blunder committed by a too enthusiastic election worker on Friday night last in going in to one of Mr. Wm. Price's committee rooms in Montcalm Ward, was a most amusing one, but at the same time, to the unfortunate in question, it was not quite so laughable, as it transpires he is a prominent Government official, to be more precise, an employee at the Quebec Jail, and the unenviable position he is now placed in, of openly taking part in a political contest, and at the same time holding a Government job, is not calculated to ease his mind, but his blunder will probably have the effect of inspiring this gentleman in future, to stay at home and mind his own affairs. There is altogether too much interference these days, compulsory or otherwise, on the part of Government officials, and we would recommend for their future peace of mind, to give these contests a wide berth.

TO RESUME HIS PROFESSION.
Mr. T. J. Molony, advocate, has given notice to the Bar of his intention to resume the practice of his profession.

MONDAY MORNING.
410 yards of Dress Goods, double width, 15 cents only, will be sold between 9 and 11 o'clock on Monday morning. Take advantage of this offer.

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SS. CAMPANA.
Shippers by the steamer Campana are notified by the advertisement in another column that her sailing this trip will be Wednesday, 21st inst., at noon. Cargo will be received on Wednesday morning.

CANADIAN NORTHERN RAILWAY.
On Saturday last the laying of the rails on the Canadian Northern Railway was completed from Quebec to Cap Rouge. There now remains only 12 miles of rails to be laid to Garneau Junction.

SMELT FISHING FLOURISHING.
The smelt fishermen are having a great time at present and daily the waterfront is decorated with rows of men and boys pursuing the gentle pastime. Yesterday in particular was a regular field day and the crowds on the Lower Town wharves were of great dimensions. Some fine catches are being made.

A RARE CHANCE.
Just received, a lot of Oysters. For sale at 30c per barrel, H. Derome, Nos. 5 and 7 Finlay Market Place. Telephone No. 1252.

We direct the attention of our readers to the advertisement of P. J. Cote, concerning house furnishings, carpets, carpet squares, oilcloth, linoleum and many other lines of exclusive house furnishing. The only store in the District of Quebec showing a large and varied assortment. See advertisement.

NARROW ESCAPE FROM DROWNING.

A man named Francis Michel had a narrow escape from drowning on Saturday morning last. He was on the boatmen's pontoon at the Finlay Market place when he slipped and fell into the river. Being unable to swim he was going down for the third time when Leo Verina, a young boatman, happened to see him, and rushing to his assistance, just reached the drowning man in time to seize his coat collar and pull him up on to the pontoon. Michel was almost unconscious when taken out of the water, but soon sufficiently recovered to be able to proceed to his home.

A BAD SMASH UP.

While returning from a political meeting at Lorette yesterday afternoon, two Quebecers had a rather narrow escape from serious injuries. The horse, which they were driving, took fright on the Charlesbourg road, and ran away. Their vehicle collided with another carriage coming to town and as a result a wheel was taken off, but escaped injury. The horse was stopped at Dorchester bridge, but the buggy he was driving was badly damaged.

HAS BEEN ACTING QUEERLY.

A young man hailing from Wisconsin, and who has been engaged in this city for a year back, as an electrician, has been acting strangely for some days back and was taken in charge by the police last evening. His actions attracted particular attention yesterday as he paraded the streets conspicuously attired. Last evening he wandered into one of the leading hotels and after writing numerous despatches to addresses across the border, proceeded to discard papers and blotters in the waste paper basket. He was arrested shortly afterwards on Garden street and looked up on a charge of loitering.

PROTESTANT TEACHERS

Montreal, Oct. 18.—For the first time in its forty-three years of existence the Provincial Association of Protestant Teachers has elected a woman as its president, in the person of Miss Mary L. Ferguson of Montreal. Over ninety per cent. of the members of the association are women, and they determined this time to assert themselves, which they did after a lively debate. The Saturday meetings were quite exciting, a number of the lady teachers warmly defending themselves against charges of introducing politics into the election of officers, but the final session was quiet harmonious.

BURNING AUTO BRINGS FIREMEN

Unique Experience of a Section of
the Local Fire-Fighters on
Saturday Evening.

A section of the fire brigade had a somewhat unique experience on Saturday night, when it was called out to extinguish a fierce gasoline blaze which had broken out in an automobile. The scene of the excitement was at the corner of St. Patrick and St. Augustin streets, and an immense crowd speedily was attracted to the spot.

The automobile, a handsome touring car belonging to a prominent resident of Quebec, was in the garage at the corner of the streets above mentioned, when there was a sudden sharp explosion and the gasoline tank burst into flame. With fortunate presence of mind the car was immediately run out of the garage into the street, thus preventing a much more serious catastrophe.

In the street the blazing gasoline flared up with great intensity despite the attempts of the employees of the garage to extinguish them and it looked for a time as if the whole machine would be destroyed. Finally an alarm was sounded from box 16 and the firemen speedily arrived on the scene. The contents of a couple of barrels soon made itself felt, and a stream from a hose finished the fire. The auto escaped much better than it had been expected, the damage being confined wholly to the front seat of the vehicle.

COLLIDED WITH CAR.

On Saturday morning about half past eight a street car came into collision with a vehicle belonging to Mr. Hube, master carter. The accident took place at the foot of Fabrique street. The damage was slight.

WILL OPPOSE SIR WILFRID

Report that Premier Will Not be
Allowed an Election by Acclamation—Yesterday's Meetings

It was reported last evening that Alderman Fiset would be placed in nomination to-day in opposition in Quebec East against Sir Wilfrid Laurier.

QUEBEC COUNTY.
The candidates in this county, Messrs. Robitaille, Turcotte and Martineau, held joint meetings at L'Ancienne Lorette, Jeanne Lorette and Ste. Foye yesterday. Both Lorette meetings were very largely attended, a great majority of those present being residents of this city. The three meetings passed off quietly.

COUNTY OF MONTMORENCY.

The candidates in this county, Messrs. George Parent, Government, and A. Gobeil, independent, met at Ste. Anne de Beaupre after mass yesterday and at L'Ange Gardien after vespers. The ex-member of the County was supported by Hon. L. A. Taschereau, the local representative, while Mr. Gobeil, as usual, had to fight his own battle. Both meetings were largely attended, particularly so that of L'Ange Gardien, where a considerable number of Quebecers were present.

COUNTY OF LEVIS.

Mr. Boutin-Bourassa, notary, who is running as a Liberal candidate, in Levis against Mr. L. A. Carrier, the Government candidate, met his opponent at three meetings yesterday, at St. Henri, after mass, St. Lambert after vespers and Breakey's mills last evening.

At St. Henri Mr. Bourassa said that he had always been a staunch Liberal and as such was entitled to the support of the electors more than was Mr. Carrier, who several years ago had opposed Mr. L. N. Olivier, the chosen candidate of a Liberal convention. It was true that a few years ago he had opposed Hon. C. Langevin, but he had done so at the request of Premier Marchand.

Mr. Carrier replied that he had the support of Sir Wilfrid Laurier and was in the campaign as his candidate, while Mr. Bourassa had not been a true Liberal and as such could not get the Liberal support.

Mr. Blouin, the Liberal M.P.P. for the County, followed and spoke in favor of Mr. Bourassa, and claimed that Mr. Carrier had imposed himself upon the county by paying \$1,500 a year during his parliamentary career to a certain Senator of Quebec.

Mr. Carrier emphatically denied the statement, but Mr. Blouin replied that he had seen the cheque for that amount, which was supposed to be for stock in Le Soleil, but Mr. Carrier's name never appeared among the list of shareholders.

Mr. L. Roy also spoke in favor of Mr. Carrier's candidature and Mr. Blouin, M.P.P., replied and closed the meeting. The latter was interrupted during his first speech, but the interruptions soon ceased.

Youngsters ought not to drink tea or coffee.

But

POSTUM

made of wheat,
is good for all.

"There's a Reason."

QUEBEC WEST IS ENTHUSIASTIC

Remarkable Demonstration in
Honor of Mr. Wm.
Price.

ALONG CHAMPLAIN STREET

Popular Conservative Candidate was
Carried in Triumph on Shoulders
of His Supporters.

One of the most interesting contests in this district just now is undoubtedly that of Quebec West, but from present appearances Mr. Price's chances of success seem certain, the only question being as to what will be the size of his majority. For the last two weeks a number of meetings have been held, but last Saturday's demonstration in Champlain street surpassed anything yet heard of in that division.

As announced in Saturday's Chronicle, Mr. Price visited his committee rooms in that ward, commencing at his headquarters in Little Champlain street. When the Conservative candidate reached his committee room on that street he was the object of a most enthusiastic reception, and his appearance was the signal for prolonged cheering. The crowd was so large that the committee room was unable to contain all the electors who wished to hear Mr. Price, and the latter was obliged to address the meeting in the open air.

Mr. James McAuley, in a few appropriate words, introduced Mr. Price, who was received with cheers. The Conservative candidate, who was frequently applauded, spoke upon the different political issues now before the electorate, and specially referred to the manner in which Quebec had been neglected by the Laurier administration.

He was followed by Ald. Foley, who delivered a short speech, in which he called upon his friends to support Mr. Price's candidature.

The next committee room to be visited was that of Cap Blanc, and Mr. Price was accompanied there by between three and four hundred electors. All along Champlain street the Conservative candidate was greeted with the most remarkable enthusiasm, the ladies even taking part in the general welcome to the future member of Quebec West.

When Mr. Price arrived at Cap Blanc, he was met by another large crowd of electors from that part of the division, who gave him a very hearty welcome. The meeting was presided over by Mr. Edmond Morissette, who introduced the Conservative standard-bearer, the latter, amidst great applause, addressing the meeting in both French and English. He was followed by Messrs. J. P. Simard, A. Sevigny, J. L. Bertrand and J. S. O'Meara, all of whom were very well received. Mr. Simard referred to Mr. Price as one of Quebec's most prominent citizens, who had invested his money in this city, and who was one of the few electors in that division who ever presented themselves before the electors of Quebec West. Mr. Price was the best representative that the city of Quebec could have at Ottawa, and he hoped that on the 26th instant, the electors would cast their votes for a man who is independent enough to say what he thinks and to vote accordingly.

Mr. Sevigny referred to Mr. Power as a member who did nothing whatever to advance the progress of this city. He laid particular strain on the fact that the port of Quebec had been sadly neglected under the present administration. He spoke strongly in favor of good and honest government, and concluded his remarks by calling upon the electors to vote on the 26th instant for Mr. Price, who would do honor to this city and district.

Mr. Bertrand, who was the next speaker, referred to the recent speeches made by Mr. Power's supporters, such as Hon. John C. Kane, who was one of those who complained of the building of the Don de Dieu at St. Romuald. Mr. Kane, remarked the speaker, seemed to be greatly interested in the welfare of the working classes during the present campaign, but he had no scruples when he had his barges constructed in the county of Charlevoix by a lot of farmers, instead of giving the work to the residents of Cap Blanc, who were acknowledged to be first-class workmen. Moreover, he said, Mr. Kane has had steamers loaded by foreign labor, because it was cheaper.

Mr. J. S. O'Meara also took part in the discussion, and stated, in reply to Major Davidson's remarks on the previous evening to the effect that the cheque for the payment of the men of the 8th R.R. had been received, that when he had referred to that fact a few days ago in Champlain street, the cheque for the payment of the men had not been received, in fact it was only after that meeting that the cheque was sent along. The Government gave as an excuse for not sending along the pay for last season's drill that the Tercentenary festivities were on, but in the year 1907, the pay was only received in December, when there was no such thing as Tercentenary festivities.

Mr. O'Meara also alluded to the article in Saturday's Telegraph, respecting Quebec West, and remarked that any paper receiving \$40,000 from the Federal Government, could well afford to support the Government candidate.

The meeting was brought to a close with cheers for Mr. Price, and the latter immediately proceeded to another committee room at Mr. Guinip's in Champlain street, where he delivered a speech, thanking the electors for their enthusiastic reception. The Conservative candidate then left for the committee room at Mr. Henry Joynt's in Champlain street, but the crowd of electors insisted on carrying Mr. Price upon their shoulders, and the latter had to submit. He was borne in triumph and amidst a scene of remarkable enthusiasm to the latter committee room, where he again addressed the electors of that ward, who had assembled in large numbers.

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Black Silk Petticoats, latest styles \$4.95 to \$18.00. Silk Petticoats, in assorted colors \$2.95 to \$15.00. Petticoats in black and colored morrisette \$1.50 to \$5.75. Black Satin Petticoats. Special prices for week commencing 19th October, worth \$1.25, to be sold at 87 cents.

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Very handsome woolen vests, fancy knitting, red and white, green and white, navy blue and white, sizes 34 to 42, worth \$3.25. Special for week of 19th October \$2.39.

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Some of these are good Shoes
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deliberately aimed to trade upon
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But, bear in mind, that none
of them is "The Slate Shoe" —
you are looking for, which is —
The Shoe with the trade-mark
of the Slate on it and the retail
price stamped indelibly within
that Slate.

There are 36 "Slate's" in the
Montreal City Directory, and every
one of them might feel justified
in putting his own name on a
Shoe.

But no sane person would risk
putting the Sign of the Slate
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under the law for fraud.

So, look for The Slate Mark!
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The Winnipeg Tribune calls the
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Surely this latest scandal from St.
John should be enough to seal the fate
of the Laurier Government. Canadian
electors, are not altogether lost to all
sense of decency.

Hamilton Herald (Independent): —
The verdict of most candid and im-
partial citizens on this latest scandal
down in St. John, N.B., is that
enough has been disclosed to call for
an investigation by some jurist of
repute such as Judge Cassels.

The Prime Minister is "shamed and
disgusted" with the "Conservative
scandal cry." The country would be
better off if he were "shamed and
disgusted" with the scandalous acts
which the Conservatives condemn.

The Toronto News declares that the
Conservatives will have a majority of
fifty in Ontario. In that case Mr.
R. L. Borden will be the next Premier,
as the Ontario vote will set off the
"solid Quebec." As Ontario gave
Whitney a majority of 68, it is not
too much to expect 50 for Mr. Borden.

"What we want is good, honest
faithful government. I want to see
the day when, as soon as a govern-
ment in found wanting, every man in
this country will be ready to declare:
of what either side may side, and turn
it out." I want to see the day when
we will be a united, virile and truly
Canadian race whose only object will
be the advancement of this great con-
federation." — T. W. McGarry.

Hon. Charles Murphy, Secretary of
State, is to spend this week in the
County of Russell, where his Conserva-
tive opponent, Mr. Gamble, has been
putting up a great campaign. There
is quite a lack of harmony in the
Liberal ranks in the county. There
has been dissatisfaction smothered in
some quarters but outspoken in others
ever since the choice of the conven-
tion. Mr. George McLaurin, was super-
seded by Mr. Murphy. Sir Wilfrid
finds it necessary to go into the coun-
ty again to assist his new Minister
and will speak at Rockland to-day.

Toronto News (Independent): — By
the open-handed course which he has
pursued, Mr. Fielding has enlarged the
scope and whetted the public appetite
for the lavish expenditure of public
money. His methods have been de-
bauching in their tendency. To meet
private requests, to satisfy municipal
and provincial demands, to advance
purely party interests, he has poured
out money from the Dominion treas-
ury on a scale unprecedented. He has
set a pace that will be hard to slow
down. Succeeding Finance Ministers
will reap the whirlwind which he has
sown. They will have to combat
the rapacious appetite for public fa-
vours which he has whetted and devel-
oped. Canada will long suffer from the
prodigality of the present guardian
of the treasury. It is high time that
Mr. Fielding's day of control came to
an end, and that the country made
a beginning under new rules towards
the rehabilitation of its financial posi-
tion.

Sir Frederick Borden, Minister of
Militia may be put into the list of
defeated candidates, as it is pretty
certain he will go down before the
assault undertaken by the 22
clergymen combination who have
opened a combined attack upon him
on the ground of his alleged flag-
rant immorality. These men are not
politicians, nor are they in alliance
with either political party.

The Conservative prospects in the
townships are excellent and improv-
ing every day. It is thought by
those best able to judge that the
Conservatives will win in Compton,
Shefford, Missisquoi and Megantic and
will hold Sherbrooke and Huntingdon.
Mr. Champoux is making great gains
in Wolfe and it is thought he will
come out of that county with 300
majority, while there is a very great
change in Richmond county—but 800
is a large majority to overcome.

In the province, outside of the
townships, the Conservatives hope to
carry two Liberal seats in Montreal:
Yamaska, St. Hyacinthe, Portneuf,
Montmagny, Montmorency, Quebec
West and Quebec Centre. But then,
as Sir John Macdonald used to say,
"There is nothing so uncertain as an
election, except a horse-race."

Mr. Campbell Lane, Conservative,
has a good fighting chance in Cha-
teauguay and Mr. Nantel in Terre-
bonne.

A POUND OF LEAD AND
A POUND OF FEATHERS.

The favorite question with the school
committee men of olden time was, we
are told—"Which is the heavier, a
pound of feathers or a pound of lead?"
The first rash answer used almost
always to be, "A pound of lead."
Then, of course, from the older pupils
would come the reply, "Both alike."
If the question were asked to-day,
the old-time querist might receive a
decided surprise; for the pound of
feathers could easily be proved to be
the heavier. A simple experiment is
all the evidence needed.

With any accurate scales weigh out
a pound of lead, using ordinary shot
for convenience. Pour the shot into
one of the pans of a balance. For the
feathers a light muslin bag will be
needed, and care must be taken that
feathers and bag together do not
weigh more than a pound. When the
bag of feathers is put into the other
pan of the balance, the beam will,
after a few oscillations, come to rest
exactly level.

So far the verdict "both alike" seems
to be proved. But place the balance
on the receiver of an air pump, with
lead and feathers undisturbed. Cover



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PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given
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bec, viz.: St. John, St. Lewis, Pa-
lace, Champlain, Montcalm, St. Peter,
Jacques Cartier, St. Roch, St. Sau-
veur, and St. Valer, have been de-
posited by the Assessors of the said
City in the office of the undersigned,
and that the said books will be open
to all persons interested, every day
from 10 a.m. to 3 o'clock p.m. (Sun-
days and Holidays excepted) for and
during three weeks from MONDAY, the
12th instant, to MONDAY, the 22nd
of November next.

Any one who shall deem himself ag-
grieved by any entry made in the As-
sessment Roll shall make complaint to
the Recorder's Court in writing and
under oath, taken before a Justice of
the Peace or a member of the City
Council, or before the Clerk of the
said Recorder's Court. That com-
plaint shall be lodged within the
said time, at the Recorder's Court, and
the said Clerk shall give notice in the
newspapers as hereinafter set forth,
of the place, days and hours in which
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In Canada hundreds of thousands of men, nearly all able to read and write, have the right to vote.

And the thousands upon thousands of men are really not represented up at Ottawa at all, except very indirectly, in the government of the country.

Politicians and party bosses do the governing for YOU, while GRAFTERS own the law-makers and control the laws.

The man with a ballot doesn't spend any time thinking WHAT HE CAN DO, OR WHAT HE OUGHT TO DO WITH THAT BALLOT.

If the ordinary citizen is going to have his buggy re-painted, or invest one hundred dollars, he gives more time to that painting job, or to that investment, than he gave to politics in his whole life.

The citizens of this country will really be called men when they shall have learned to use intelligently the ballot, for which our fathers fought and suffered so much, and for which patriots like Robert Emmet died so that we might reap the blessings they gave up their lives for.

A man's vote simply expresses the quantity and quality of his education, the intelligence of his thought.

Until HE understands what he is voting for, until HE knows something about the abhorrent rascality of the Laurier Machine, about its story of corruption and clique government, HE will NOT use the ballot much better than a monkey would use a turning lathe.

But every man is capable of clear, just, intelligent, unselfish thinking, which he unites with the active labor of a self-supporting citizen of this country—therefore he has the right to a voice, and his ballot must speak in the adjustment of this country's affairs to give it an honest administration.

"Think This Over!" And when anyone asks YOU to VOTE for a government candidate just quietly find out how much HE'S getting out of IT!

WHY THE GRAFTERS ARE

MAKING SUCH A SAVAGE FIGHT
TO SAVE THEIR NECKS!

"Do you know WHY the forces on the Laurier side are making so savage a fight?

More ambition for office never excites politicians to such extremities of recklessness.

We expect the supporters of a government to make endeavors to return their leaders to power, but if the government and its retainers have nothing to be ashamed of there is no reason for them to become panic-stricken even when the battle is going against them.

THE TRUTH IS, in this fight the government and its myrmidons are moved, not by ambition, but by the instinct of self-preservation.

If the government should be beaten, the lid would be torn off at Ottawa, and the public could see for themselves the full enormity of the grafting operations that have been carried on.

In the country the government and its allies are fighting very much as they fought in the House.

Last session they lost all sense of decency in their obstruction of the enquiries of the opposition into various transactions of the Interior Department and the Department of Marine and Fisheries.

They withheld original documents, they voted down proposals for investigation. At all hazards they were determined the light should be kept out. Sundry glimpses were obtained in spite of the blocking tactics, and the revelations have shocked the whole country.

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Every self-respecting citizen will cast his Vote in favor of Mr. Borden's Candidates and Honest Government!

TURN OUT THE GRAFTERS AND RAKE-OFF MEN.

THE LAST STRAW!

The huge machinery of the Graft Press is always at the disposal of the Laurier Machine, and throughout the whole country a wild, reckless and raging campaign is pursued for the purpose of blinding the people, and covering up the tracks of the guilty. In their eyes the people merely exist in order that the grafter politicians may bleed the treasury and exploit the public domain, while they themselves hide the true state of affairs and get their share for so doing.

The latest craze of this \$700,000.00 Graft Press is in the creating of RAKE-OFF ENTHUSIASM and predictions of GREAT LIBERAL VICTORIES, etc., etc.

The Graft Press's \$700,000.00 bogus reports are a source of great amusement wherever they penetrate.

They are doubly amusing when the papers containing such silly exaggerations reach the districts from which these "reports" emanate.

These "reports" appear daily in these papers, alleging "great waves of enthusiasm" in the far away parts of the Dominion, and predicting—"Great Liberal gains in Ontario"—"A Sweep in Manitoba"—"A Solid Eighteen from Nova Scotia"—"A Liberal Majority in British Columbia"—"New Brunswick will support Laurier"—"Dastardly Tory Plot Uncovered"—"Both East and West will support Laurier"—"A Solid Alberta" and other equally idiotic lies are manufactured in their own offices, purporting to come from various parts of Canada—ALL INTENDED TO FOOL THEIR READERS, BUT ONLY FOOLING THEMSELVES.

It is their duty to carry on this bluff to hide the rascality of the government which supports them, and the grafter organs vie with each other in this despicable adulation.

The amount received by the Graft Press Gang in Canada from the Government—as far as known—is nearly \$700,000 IN CHUNKS OF \$3,000 AND MORE AT A HAUL!

SHALL WE STAND FOR THIS?

G. S. Mayes offered to dredge the harbor of St. John for 50 cents a yard. The Laurier Government gave him a contract at 55 cents after he had agreed to pay the extra 5 cents per yard to George McAvity. He has since paid to George McAvity, out of the money he has received, the sum of \$35,933.

George McAvity is the president of the Liberal Association of St. John.

A Minneapolis lumber firm was ready to pay \$100,000 for a timber berth in the West. The Laurier Government sold it to A. H. Fraser for \$1,650, and the Minneapolis firm paid it \$100,000 to A. W. Fraser, who made \$98,650 out of the deal.

A. W. Fraser was at that time president of the Liberal Association at Ottawa.

Moncton property-holders had property to sell to the Government railway. They had to sell to Matthew Lodge, who paid them \$13,375 for the land, and the Government bought from Matthew Lodge for \$24,370. Matthew Lodge made \$10,995 by the deal.

Matthew Lodge is the secretary of the Moncton Liberal Club.

Halifax property-owners had land the Government wished to buy. They had to sell to Hon. B. F. Pearson and a friend, who paid \$18,588 for the property, and sold to the Government for \$45,400. These men made \$26,812 by the deal.

Hon. B. F. Pearson was president of the Liberal Association of Halifax.

W. L. Pattinson is a leading spirit in the Imperial Pulp Company. This company received for \$7,000 a timber berth which it at once put up for sale at \$500,000.

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Dear Sir,—To-day is nomination day throughout our grand Dominion, and one week from now, the verdict of the people will be placed in the ballot-box. Workingmen of all grades, even if I include amongst our class the ones who mentally labor for a wage, should study carefully that statutory monstrosity, the Lemieux Act, which is the greatest gold brick that labor has had handed to them in the form of legislation. If any labor man looks into this act he must consider himself a criminal at all times and only awaiting his sentence. Possibly some of the legislators who for party purposes voted to accomplish its criminal intent towards labor, would if they had considered the said act a little closer, found their conscience smiting them. Is Quebec so slow that even its workmen will allow one of its number to get on a hustings and attempt through personalities and untruths to blacken the character of a gentleman whom Quebec has reason to be proud of, whilst on the other hand the man whom he wishes to applaud, and urges his fellow-workmen to vote for, is no matter how one may twist or turn, a particular friend of Lemieux, his Act, his Government, etc. Had such person attempted to do so in any other city in Canada, labor would hear of him no more.

Yours truly,
J. L.

GOVERNMENT APPOINTMENTS.

The last issue of the Official Gazette contains notice of the appointment of Messrs. Amedee Charette and G. A. Lacombe joint registrars of Huchelaga and Jacques Cartier; L. A. Dache, clerk in the registry office of Richmond, Clerk of the Circuit Court and Clerk of the Magistrates Court for the County of Richmond; Mr. P. Teller, of Berthier, and Mr. Paul St. Marie, Justices of the Peace; Mr. J. C. Verrault, Clerk of the Magistrates' Court for the County of Matane; A. Girard, K.C., of Marieville, Prothonotary of the Superior Court, Montreal.

NEW JUSTICES OF PEACE.

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased, by order-in-council, to associate to the commission of the peace for the:

District of Montreal—Messrs. F. X. St. Charles, 224 St. Denis street, and F. Paquet, 335 St. Denis street, wholesale merchants, J. Paquette, manufacturer, 338 Sherbrooke street.

District of Kamouraska—Mr. Michel Ouellette, farmer, of St. Cyprien, County of Temiscouata.

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President—Miss M. L. Ferguson.
1st Vice-President—Dr. Rexford.
2nd Vice-President—Miss Lawless.
3rd Vice-President—Mr. McBurney.
Recording Secretary—Inspector McQuatt.
Corresponding Secretary—Mr. T. I. Pollock.
Treasurer—Mr. Bacon.
Representative to the Protestant Committee—Miss Hunter.
Pension Committee—Mr. Hopkins and Mr. Rowell.

Executive Committee—Inspector McCutcheon, Mr. Rollitt, Miss McCov, Mr. Rivard, Miss Mitchell, Miss Grant, Miss Duffell, Miss Peables, Miss E. Stuart, Mr. Gabbett, Mrs. Irwin, Miss Baillie, Miss Ross and Mr. McArthur.

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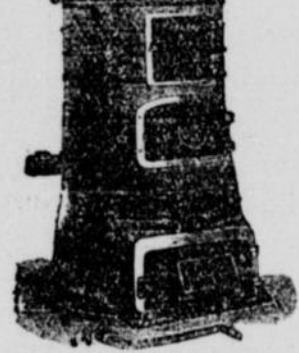
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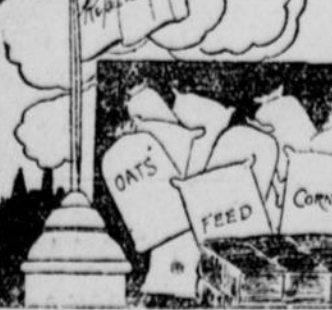
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THE THEATRICAL SITUATION.

As may be imagined, the announcement made by the Chronicle last week to the effect that the Auditorium, Quebec's leading theatrical building, would be devoted for the balance of the season, from present appearances, to moving picture shows, was the subject of comment among the amusement seekers in the ancient capital. The Chronicle, however, wishes it to be distinctly understood that no reflection was intended by its remarks upon the moving picture houses now in operation in the city. These are all well managed, largely patronized and deservedly so, the views shown being equal to anything offered by similar houses in any city in the Dominion. They are filling a unique position in the amusement line in the ancient capital, and those who have witnessed the crowds which daily patronize the Nickel and the Star, the two leading houses in Quebec, cannot fail to be impressed with their popularity. The Chronicle's remarks really were intended simply and solely for the Auditorium, which is one of the most magnificent theatres in Canada and which was erected upon a site never built for a picture house, but for regular theatrical performances. The moving pictures have their own field in catering to the public amusement, and that they are more than successfully and enjoyably doing so no one can deny, but every one will agree that at least the leading up-town theatre in the ancient capital should be devoted to the uses for which it was built and that the theatre-going public should be ready to give it full and well-deserved support.

BENNETT'S VAUDEVILLE.

This week's offering at Bennett's is one that, even though you are not an admirer, or are not willing to except this kind of amusement, you will have admiration, or are not willing to accept aggregation ever seen in Quebec. Jean Clermont's parodie circus is an act that has headlined every big programme not only in this country but in Europe as well, it is acknowledged to be the best act of its kind in the world and should meet with universal approval. The Sunny South is another number that has quite recently returned from England where it was one continual hit, playing six consecutive weeks at the Hippodrome, followed by four weeks at the Coliseum. The act now holds contracts for forty weeks in England for future time. This number is the fastest dancing act on the stage. It is composed of ten colored artists, each one being an expert dancer. The number is headed by Johnson and Wells who were here last season.

A very pretty and pretentious musical act will be presented by the Three Lillies, all accomplished musicians and are sure to please. Poisson, Gold and Lee, in a character change number, Felix, the novel cartoonist, Frank Combs and Muriel Stone, in a vocal comedieta, and Sansone and Delilah presenting feats of strength and dexterity, winds up a show that is fit for a king.

SHOES WOULD NOT WEAR OUT.

English Gentleman Tells How Hard he Tried.

In a letter last month to the Slater Shoe Company John A. Service, of London, Eng., relates his experience with the Slater Shoe, and his letter will give some idea of the reasons why this famous Canadian shoe is developing increasing trade in many far-off countries. There is hardly a civilized country in the world where the Slater Shoe is not known, and it is on sale in all the English speaking countries, whilst requests have been received for the publication of Spanish, German and Russian Catalogues.

Mr. Service, writing from London, says: "I first became acquainted with Slater Shoes through my good friend W. Prentice, of Messrs. A. T. Wiley & Co., of your city. The first pair I had were beautiful, and I wore them five winters in a futile endeavor to wear them out. One of them before me now is perfectly good, but the other I lost in moving. Some two years ago I asked my friend Prentice to give me your address as I wished to have another pair, but he in his goodness sent another pair along with the address. Unfortunately these are a bit too small for me.

"I am engaged at the Franco-British exhibition and walking through the Canadian Court I saw your stand, but could not get the information I wished. Have you any one in London who would supply me with a pair. I suffer dreadfully from rheumatism, and if you would come to my rescue and save me from a winter's suffering I shall be greatly obliged. I will gladly meet the price, which I believe was \$6.50 if you can send me a pair like the first—those that would not wear out."

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PERSONAL

Mr. Reginald Barrett arrived home from Europe yesterday afternoon.

Mr. R. H. Jones, of Montreal, is registered at the St. Louis.

Mr. J. H. Kennedy, of Montreal, is at the St. Louis.

Mr. Wm. J. Whitehead, of Montreal, is at the St. Louis.

Mr. J. W. S. Forget, of Shawinigan Falls, is registered at the St. Louis.

Mr. D. Anderson, of Montreal, is registered at the St. Louis.

Mr. C. S. Garland, of Montreal, was at the Chateau over Sunday.

Dr. G. Lemieux, of Montreal, registered at the Chateau on Saturday.

Mr. Edward Slade, of Black Lake, was in town for the week end.

Mrs. Gilbert Fauquier, of Ottawa, entertained at tea Wednesday in honor of Mrs. Arthur Price, of Quebec.

Miss Gabrielle LaRue, of Quebec, is in Ottawa the guest of Lady Fitzpatrick.

Mr. C. W. Lindsay, Mrs. Lindsay, of Montreal, are guests at the Chateau.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Carson, of Montreal, were guests at the Chateau on Saturday.

Mr. E. L. Warren, Mrs. Warren, of Fraserville, are guests at the Frontenac.

The London Times says the Queen of Norway and Prince Olaf will spend November and part of December at Appleton House, Sandringham.

Mr. L. R. Cook, of the Montreal Gazette Premium Dept., accompanied by his wife, is registered at the St. Louis Hotel.

Miss May Eamer, of Cornwall, Ont., is visiting at the residence of her uncle, Mr. John Carpenter, Hedleyville.

Mr. and Mrs. Nicholson have returned to town from the Island of Oranienburg and are residing at No. 74 DeSalaberry street.

Mr. J. N. Greenhalgh, of Montreal, arrived in the city on Saturday and returned to Montreal yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Wells, Miss Clara Wells, Miss Ida Wells, of St. Johns, Que., are guests at the Chateau.

Mrs. R. H. Doddridge, formerly Miss Elma Kine, of Montreal, will receive for the first time since her marriage, on Monday, the 19th of October, at No. 53 Maple Avenue.

Lieutenant P. Boutin, of Lunenburg, has returned from Montreal, where he passed his examination for admission to study dentistry. He will commence his course at Laval at once.

Mr. R. L. Borden was in Sherbrooke for a short time Friday evening on his way to Lennoxville, being driven from Sherbrooke to Lennoxville by Dr. E. J. Williams, in his automobile.

His Lordship Bishop Dunn, of Quebec, was in Contrecoeur last week, where he attended the dedication of the new Episcopal church and conducted a confirmation service.

Montrealers at the Chateau since Saturday: Ludger Gravel, Germain Beaubien, Louis Hurlbut, Mde. Varin, G. M. Jacobs, J. E. Lyon, E. Keifer.

The marriage is announced to take place at St. Columba Church, Sillery, on the 27th of this month, of Miss Annie Aubin, daughter of the late Wm. Aubin, merchant, Sillery, to Mr. M. J. Delaney, of this city.

The engagement of Senator A. C. P. R. Landry, of this city, to Mrs. Edouard Taschereau, sister-in-law of Hon. L. A. Taschereau, is announced. The wedding will take place at the end of this month.

Dr. Montzambert, of Ottawa, who was in the city last week, returned home Saturday, accompanied by Mrs. Montzambert, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Reginald Beckett, for the past two weeks.

The marriage of Mr. Philip Williams, son of Col. Williams, M.P., to Miss Margaret Peak, eldest daughter of the late Sir Outhbert Peak, and niece of Viscount Midleton, took place at Rousdon, England, on Oct. 1.

At the Chateau: E. Meriot, Paris; J. D. Jones, F. W. Winter, Chas. O. Ferrier, C. D. Weyford, Toronto; Rev. Rich. R. Graham, Mrs. Graham, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Atwater, J. Howard Lever, Miss Lever, Miss Wood, Harry Coffee, New York; Dr. Jack King, Watkins, N.Y.; F. L. Wells, Fulton, N.Y.; J. A. O'Donnell, Chrysler, Ont.; Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Shaw, Philadelphia.

Among the wedding presents received by Lady Cynthia Needham, daughter of the Earl and Countess of Kilmorey, whose marriage to Viscount Villiers, son of the Earl and Countess of Jersey, took place recently, were, from Prince Francis of Teck, an enamelled watch and chain; from the Countess of Kilmorey, a diamond dog-collar necklace; the Earl of Jersey, a diamond necklace; the Countess of Jersey, a diamond brooch; the Earl and Countess of Dudley, gold chain with purse and note-book attached; Viscount and Viscountess Ingestre, books—"Cleopatra," "Marcus Aurelius," "Antony," and "Napoleon"; the Countess of Duncannon and Lady Jean Cochrane, flower vase.

GREAT SERIES OF MEETINGS

Held by Mr. Cimon in Quebec Centre During the Past Week.

The wave of enthusiasm which the candidature of Mr. Hubert Cimon, the Conservative nominee, has aroused in Quebec Centre, is amply evidenced by the remarkable series of meetings which he held in that division last week. There were four assemblies in various parts of the division, and these were all attended by great crowds of electors, who gave Mr. Cimon and the other speakers a regular ovation upon each occasion. The candidature of Mr. Cimon has proved a most popular one, and his election by a large majority seems now a foregone conclusion.

Saturday evening a meeting was held at the corner of St. Real and St. Claire streets and there was the same large and enthusiastic gathering, as on the previous evening. The meeting was presided over by Mr. Camirand and the first speaker was Mr. Savigny, who made a most eloquent address, his remarks at times calling out hearty cheers from the assemblage. He discussed several of the issues now before the electors in the present campaign and appealed to the electors of the division to cast their vote for Mr. Cimon, a candidate who had pledged himself to work for their interests.

The candidate, Mr. Cimon, was the next speaker and he was greeted with cheers as he rose to address the meeting. In the course of his remarks, he said that he was now the regular and fully qualified candidate of the Conservative party in Quebec Centre, his nomination papers having been duly deposited that day with the returning officer. If elected he would go to Ottawa to work for the interests of Quebec in general and Quebec Centre in particular. He pictured the negligence with which the advancement of the city had been treated by its members under the late Liberal administration and promised that he would leave no stone unturned to remedy the state of affairs which at present existed.

A brief but eloquent address was made by Mr. Chas. Smith, who followed by Dr. Verge and the meeting was brought to a close by cheers for Mr. Cimon.

This evening Mr. Cimon will visit his committee rooms and will announce his meetings for the present week.

MANY CHARGES AGAINST HIM

Old Country Frenchman Arrested for Forgery and Obtaining Goods Under False Pretences.

Octave Pittsich, an old country Frenchman, was arrested on Saturday afternoon by Detectives Walsh and Defoy, and will have to answer to several charges of forgery and obtaining goods under false pretences. The prisoner, who was brought to No. 1 Station, has six charges of forgery and obtaining goods by false pretences against him, and besides the Provincial Police have two other charges to lay against him.

Among his victims are Messrs. H. Beutley, upon whose complaint Pittsich was arrested, and Mr. Jos. Cote, cigar dealer. When arrested, the prisoner had two forged cheques in his possession, besides blank cheques of several banks. He will appear before the Police Court this morning.

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RECORDER'S COURT.

On Saturday morning twelve prisoners charged with drunkenness, appeared before the Recorder. They were disposed of as follows:—One was fined \$10 and costs or two months' jail; three \$10 and costs or one month each; two \$5 and costs or fifteen days each; four \$5 and costs or eight days each; one \$2 and costs or eight days each, and one was discharged. Four of the prisoners being unable to pay their fines were sent to jail.

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