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Morning Telegrams.

Sparks from the Telegraph.

Heavy snow-storm throughout Ontario and Quebec.

A heavy sea at Burlington, Ont., has done great damage to the docks.

The Winnipeg, Man., police force now consists of a chief, two sergeants and fifteen men.

A fire at Ernod, Hungary, resulted in the destruction of 350 houses and the loss of nine lives.

In 1881, 78,700 emigrants left Irish ports, a decrease compared with 1880 ; 61,000 went to America.

Twenty-five houses have been burned near Northampton and a hundred persons are homeless.

Yokohama advices report that the ringleaders in the Corean rebellion were quartered and decapitated.

The Great Northwestern Telegraph Company have decided to extend the branch of their line from Brandon to Rapid City.

The third Grand Trunk excursion party, bringing upwards of 300 immigrants, arrived at Winnipeg on Sunday night.

Mr. Wm. H. Hamnil, of Beeton, has been nominated by the Conservatives of Cardwell County for the Ontario Legislature.

The Pacific Mills at Lawrence, Mass., were shut down indefinitely on the 21st. Operatives are to be brought from England.

Metereological statistics show that the present month up to the 17th, has been the warmest recorded at the Toronto observatory.

A canister of gunpowder was dropped into a house, in Dublin, occupied by detectives ; much damage was done, but nobody injured.

The Marquis of Huntly, who surrendered on a charge of fraud, was released, on the 21st, on bail, but re-arrested on two warrants on leaving the Court.

The United States Cabinet has disapproved Cadet Whittaker's sentence of dismissal from the service on the ground of technical evidence taken at the trial being improperly introduced.

It is said that the President has thoroughly made up his mind not to interfere with the sentence of Mason or pay any attention to the appeals for pardon for six months at least.

Scenes of disorder and violence are reported in the House of Representatives at Bogota. There was shooting on an extensive scale either by the mob or soldiers. A number of persons were wounded.

The Russian general staff has made a report recognizing the impossibility of Russia waging an offensive war, and recommending that Warsaw and western fortresses be strengthened against possible invasion.

QUEBEC LEGISLATURE.

First Session—Fifth Parliament.

QUEBEC, March 21.—The House met this evening, but on account of the sickness of the Premier no business of importance was transacted.

The following petitions were presented :—By Mr. Wurtele, of the City Passenger Railway ; Mr. Stephens, of the Fraser Institute ; Mr. Marion, asking for an embranchment from L'Assomption to the Q., M., O. & O. RR. ; Mr. Faucher de St. Maurice, of the Canadian Electric Light Co.

Hon. Mr. Garneau introduced the bill of the Russell Hotel Co. ; Hon. Mr. Lynch, a bill relating to the inspection of mutual fire insurance companies ; Mr. Thornton, a bill referring to the Law of Education ; Mr. Gagnon, a bill amending the Election law, to do away with prescription as in the Dominion law ; Mr. Stephens, a bill to do away with dual representation ; also a bill to amend chap. 7 of the Consolidated Statutes, to give legal existence to the Society for the Protection of Women and Children.

Hon. Mr. Flynn laid on the table the annual report of the Department of Crown Lands to the 30th of June last.

Hon. Mr. Paquet submitted the annual report of the Superintendent of Public Instruction ; also a statement of all correspondence with the Dominion and Ontario Governments in relation to the old accounts of the Province of Canada.

Mr. Joly asked that the correspondence with the C. P. Railway, with regard to the purchase of the Q., M., O. & O., if any, be laid before the House.

Hon. Mr. Lynch introduced a bill to amend the Act respecting the profession of medicine and surgery, and moved the formation of a committee to consider the amendments proposed and hear the members of Provincial Board of Medicine on the matter.

Mr. Gagnon moved the second reading of the bill to abolish the property qualification of members. The bill was allowed to stand.

Mr. Laberge asked : Is it the intention of the Government to place in the estimates which will be applied for during this session a certain sum to encourage the establishment of an institution similar to the one kept by Dr. Bessy, of Montreal, which would be charged by the Government with the conversion and regeneration of vaccine for the wants of the population of the Province? Hon. Mr. Loranger—Dr. Bessy's petition is under the consideration of the Government.

In answer to Mr. Gagnon, Hon. Mr. Loranger said the Hon. Mr. Fabre has been appointed agent of the province in France at Paris.

Mr. Gagnon moved for the tariff of fees exacted for the issue of letters patent and of supplementary letters patent, in virtue of 31 Vic., chap. 25, sec. 54, entitled "An Act respecting the incorporation of, joint stock companies."

Mr. Gagnon also moved for copies of all orders-in-Council, correspondence and other documents relating to the appointment of Ernest Racicot as Commissioner of the Municipal Loan Fund, on the resignation of the Hon. L. O. Taillon, the late Commissioner.

Mr. Desjardins moved for an order of the House for copies of a statement containing the facts collected by Count Henry de Reyzion, during his official geological explorations along the north coast of the Gulf of St. Lawrence during the years 1880 and 1881.

Mr. Gagnon—Copies of all correspondence and of all reports or orders-in-council and other documents, from the 1st of November, 1879, relating to the sale of the Q., M., O. & O. Railway to the Federal Government.

Mr. Laberge—Order of the House for a detailed statement of the amounts annually paid by the Government to the different railway companies.

The House adjourned at 5.30 p.m.

The statement of the receipts and payments of the Province from all sources from July 1st, 1881, to March 4th, 1882, laid before the House by Hon. Mr. Wurtele are as follows :

RECEIPTS.

Balance in banks, etc., on 1st July, 1881	$535,777 71
Dominion of Canada subsidy	939,352 80
Interest on trust funds	66,459 32
Crown Lands Department	449,785 58
Law stamps	109,314 46
Registration stamps	11,677 80
Law fees, exclusive of stamps	8,157 69
Building and jury fund, exclusive of stamps	1,741 20
Licenses, duties, etc.	41,892 27
Marriage licenses	4,426 00
Administration of justice revenue	27,089 47
Percentage on public officers' fees	6,316 04
Montreal Court House, exclusive of stamps	6,451 32
Quebec fire loan	760 00
Registrars' services revenue	1,362 97
Fines and penalties, administration of justice	1,239 10
Licenses	142 10
Legislation, fees on private bills, sale of statutes, &c.	4,858 50
Quebec Official Gazette	13,797 94
Beauport Lunatic Asylum revenue	266 38
St. Jean de Dieu Lunatic Asylum revenue	366 14
Municipalities for maintenance of lunatics	64 30
Public works and buildings revenue	785 15
Gold mine revenue under 43-44 Vic., cap. 12, sect. 15	19 34
Casual revenue	445 50
Pension fund	3,563 05
Superannuated teachers' funds	11,021 76
Interest	13,084 00
Refunds	988 11
Beauport Lunatic Asylum proprietors, on account of loan made them	4,000 00
St. Jean de Dieu Asylum proprietors, on account of loan made them	3,000 00
Municipal loan fund	554,146 82
Q. M. O. & O. revenue	691,513 09
Temporary loan from Bank of Montreal Con. Rev. fund	300,000 00
Consolidated Railway fund	8,536 25
Quebec Central Railway, returned subsidy, guarantee deposit under 39 Vic., cap. 12, and 40 Vic., cap. 3, sections 7 and 8	606,849 20
Total receipts	$4,460,484 13

EXPENDITURE.

Public debt	$409,116 63
Legislation	110,544 41
Civil Government	127,020 21
Administration of Justice	272,543 51
Police offices, Quebec and Montreal	10,156 63
Reformatory prisons	32,270 04
Inspection of public offices	6,574 56
Public Instruction	297,828 65
Special Roman Catholic Superior education Fund, School of Arts and Sciences	500 00
Literary and Scientific Institutions	9,950 00
School of Navigation, Quebec	666 66
Aid towards copying, printing and publishing Canadian archives	3,460 00
Board of Arts and Manufactures	10,000 00
Agricultural	87,327 11
Immigration and repatriation	9,779 13
Colonization	65,740 00
Public works and buildings	93,406 66
Charities	178,365 87
Miscellaneous	48,030 00
Reformatory Schools	3,834 83
Industrial School	6,540 15
Miscellaneous, generally, including $10,000 to sufferers by the late fire in Quebec	94,159 99
Pension funds	5,395 45
Municipalities fund, C. S. L. C., cap. 110	144 00
Registration service through Crown Surveys, do. do.	55,960 00
	35,000 00
General expenditure, do. do.	50,766 00
Quebec Official Gazette	9,748 39
Stamps licenses, &c.	1,816 32
Special police for revenue purposes	2,574 93
Marriage license fund distribution	6,000 00
Quebec, Montreal, Ottawa and Occidental Railway traffic expenses, &c.	523,887 96
Repayment of temporary loan to Eastern Townships Bank, Con. Rev. Fund	250,000 00
Do. do. to Bank of Montreal, do.	300,000 00
Do. do. to Dominion of Canada, do.	300,000 00
Loan to Trappiste Fathers, do	10,000 00
Subsidies to railway companies	80,739 73
Q., M., O. and O. Railway construction	704,511 61
Quebec Central Railway guaranteed interest under 39 Vic., cap. 12, and 40 Vic., cap. 3, sections 7 and 8, six months' interest on bonds to 1st January, 1882	67,646 67
Warrants outstanding 30th June, 1881	5,403 48
Total expenditure	$4,091,597 46
Warrants outstanding on March 4th, 1882	30,225 80
Leaving a balance on hand on 4th March inst. of	393,708 99

THE LAMSON CASE.

Why Expert Witnesses were not Called—Commutation of Sentence asked for.

LONDON, March 21.—Mr. Montagu Williams's reasons for allowing the case to go to the jury without calling expert witnesses to contradict Mr. Stevenson's evidence appear, from the cable despatches published here, to be misunderstood in the United States. All that expert witnesses could have done would have been to persuade the jury that possibly death did not result from aconitine poisoning. But Stevenson admitted that possibly death might have resulted from other causes, and so did Dupre, who assisted him in the analysis, and a thousand witnesses could not have improved that part of the case for the defence. Where the Crown was irresistibly strong was in showing, first, possession of aconitine by the accused, and secondly, discovery of that poison in the body, death, accompanied by aconitine symptoms, having resulted shortly after the deceased had eaten a jujube administered by the prisoner. The fact that the accused could not account for the poison he had bought served to strengthen the connecting link between possession and discovery, and the finding of aconitine in other jujubes and powders which he had prepared for the boy left the defence crippled indeed. Mr. A. W. Mills, the prisoner's solicitor, sent a memorial praying for a commutation of sentence to the Home Office on Thursday, and Sir William Harcourt has acknowledged the receipt of it. It sets out (1) that the actual cause of death was not clearly established ; (2) absence of motive on the prisoner's part ; (3) that the prisoner's mind has been affected by the morphia habit. The Home Office will decline to interfere, and the law must take its course. Great sympathy is felt for the Rev. Mr. Lamson and for the Prisoner's wife, but nobody, above all none of the newspapers, has a good word for him. Poisoning, especially where a medical man is concerned, is a crime most hateful to the English public ; moreover, it is hinted that the murder of Percy John was only one of a series of similar crimes perpetrated by the prisoner. The Home Office will doubtless throw some light upon the prisoner's career before he is executed.

THE INTERNATIONAL RIFLE MATCH.

A First Class Team Being Formed in Great Britain.

LONDON, March 21.—Sir Henry Halford and the officers of the National Rifle Association are doing their best to form a first-class team of volunteers for the competition with the United States National Guard next Fall. There are scores of volunteers in England and Scotland who do nothing else but shoot, and whose names figure regularly in every Wimbledon prize list. They are in fact amateur professionals, and the American guardsmen will find them formidable foes. Some of these men have attended every Wimbledon meeting since the first one, in 1860, and not a few of them literally live at the butts. Others again, like Angus Cameron, of Inverness, who has twice won the Queen's prize, are employed by the corps to which they are attached as instructors, having first undergone a course at the Hythe school of musketry. Nothing but superiority in their weapons can save the American marksmen from defeat this year.

TERRIBLE RAILROAD DISASTER.

Two Trains go Through a Bridge—Thirty Persons Killed and Many Injured.

BISMARCK, D.T., March 21.—News reached here to-night of a terrible wreck at Sweet Briar, forty miles west on the Northern Pacific. An engine came over from Mandon for physicians and assistance to attend the sufferers at the wreck. The wires are down between Bismarck and Mandon, but it is stated by the engineer from Mandon that Black Jack's work train, bound west, went through the bridge, and a passenger train but a little behind, followed. Thirty persons are reported killed and many injured. All the physicians to be found in this city have started on a special engine for the wreck.

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Victor Hugo's Labors.

Whatever judgment may be passed on Victor Hugo's later work, says a writer in the *London World*, it must be admitted that his intellectual activity is marvellous. Even now he is up every day between 5 and 6 o'clock, and every day he works. A hearty eater, his great pleasure is the 8 o'clock dinner, at which there are always two or three guests. Having seen everything and forgotten nothing, Victor Hugo is a wonderful talker. His souvenirs embrace a whole century. Unlike Lamartine, who used to pretend that he was born in 1803, whereas he was really born in 1790, Victor Hugo does not seek to hide his age. "I have more to do than I have done," said Victor Hugo to a friend only a few days ago. "It might be thought that age weakens the intellect ; my intellect, on the contrary, seems to grow stronger and does not rest. It seems to me that as I advance my horizon grows wider, and so I shall pass away without having finished my task. I should require several lives still to write all that my mind conceives. I shall never finish. I am resigned on that point."

Meeting Mr. H. G. Keffer, treasurer of the *Cleveland Herald*, recently, a representative of the Cleveland (O.) *Penny Press*, inquired of that gentleman, after stating his mission, if he personally knew anything about the Great German Remedy, St. Jacobs Oil. A smile played across Mr. Keffer's expressive face and his eyes twinkled merrily as he replied in the affirmative, I will not refuse to state my experience with it, and you may use it as you think best. Four years ago I sprained one of my ankles, an accident which, as you are aware, entails much suffering and sometimes leaves the limb in a condition to remind one frequently of the old hurt. Unfortunately this result ensued. Whenever the weather became damp or my system absorbed the slightest cold my ankles pained me. This went on at intervals for over three years, and I could not obtain relief. Last Winter I applied the St. Jacobs Oil and it completely cured me. I have not since felt a return of the pain.

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G. CECCARINI, M.D.,
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JAMES R. WOOD, M.D.,
Surgeon to Bellevue Hospital and Emeritus Professor of Surgery, Bellevue Hospital Medical College.

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 19, 1878.

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President of the Howard Association.

NEW YORK, Nov. 15, 1879.

JAMES MEYER, Jr., Esq.,

Dear Sir: During the last year I have used the Girondin extensively, and have yet to meet with any Disinfectant so prompt and thorough.

It will always occupy a position in my own house, and I will improve every opportunity to recommend it to my patients and friends, having been convinced by actual experiment of its remarkable efficiency.

W. M. HOYT, M. D.
COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
NEW YORK, Jan. 5, 1877.

JAMES MEYER, Jr., Esq.,

Dear Sir : The Girondin Disinfectant is used in this college by order of the Executive Committee of the Board of Trustees. I shall not willingly be without it again.

ALEX. S. WEILS, M.D.,
President of the College of the City of New York.

THE HERALD STEAM NEWS YACHT.
HORSESHOE, Sandy Hook, Dec. 6, 1879.

JAMES MEYER, Jr., Esq.,

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Capt. M. J. LYONS.

SEMI-CENTENNIAL EXHIBITION AMERICAN INSTITUTE, 1881.

JUDGES' REPORT, DEPT. IV., GROUP 2.

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2. From a comparison of its chemical composition with that of others exhibited, as shown by our analysis and those of the chemists of the Metropolitan Board of Health, gentlemen retained, we consider it superior.

3. From consideration of the practical tests on putrid blood, &c., made in the past, by chemists for the Board of Health, we also find it superior.

A. R. LEDOUX, W. L. VENNARD,
F. DE P. RICKETTS.

INTERNATIONAL COTTON EXPOSITION — JUDGES' REPORT.

ATLANTA, Ga., Dec. 31, 1881.

The undersigned, having examined the product herein described, respectfully recommend the same to the Executive Committee for award, for the following reasons, viz. :

For the promptness and efficiency of its action as a Deodorizer and Disinfectant as evinced by a careful and thorough practical test and an examination of its formula.

CHAS. L. WILSON, M.D.,
AMOS FOX, M.D.

NEW YORD AND HARLEM RAILROAD CO., CITY LINE.

NEW YORK, Jan. 17, 1882.

JAMES MEYER, Jr.,

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COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF THE CIRCULATION OF THE STAR for the week ending March 18, 1882, and the corresponding period of 1881:

Mar., 1881.		Mar., 1882.	
Monday	16,226	Monday	17,562
Tuesday	16,008	Tuesday	17,478
Wednesday	16,006	Wednesday	17,547
Thursday	15,791	Thursday	17,427
Friday	16,039	Friday	17,336
Saturday	18,093	Saturday	18,960
Total	98,158	Total	106,310

Average daily circulation for week ending March 18, 1882:

17,718.

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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 22, 1882.

Commercial Travelling.

It is estimated that there are about three thousand commercial travellers employed in the Dominion. There are two societies of them with large membership, having arrangements perfected for obtaining reduced fares over railways, on steamers, and at hotels; as also for the insurance of members' lives. Business men not yet advanced in years can remember the beginning of the system of commercial travelling in Canada. Before its introduction, country merchants had to visit the cities, usually twice a year, and lay in their supplies in bulk. Means of communication were imperfect, and often goods very salable a hundred or two miles from Montreal remained in Winter on the shelves of warehouses hampering the finances of their owners. Then it was the healthy practice that a country merchant seeking credit for goods should explain to the wholesaler or manufacturer the grounds of his request. He was asked about his cash capital, his business experience, his prospects and the competition against him. This directness in asking for credit and in its accordance on satisfactory grounds, had the effect of leading to little loss when the principle was maintained. At length the plan was adopted by wholesalers and manufacturers of sending commercial travellers throughout the country to solicit orders. The system had been in operation in Great Britain and the United States for many years and was imported into Canada at first with a good deal of caution, many Conservative firms holding out against it for years. At present it forms an important and permanent part of the mercantile machinery of the country, and however much some of its features may be regretted, no return to old-fashioned ways of doing business is now possible. Commercial travelling, by affording retail merchants scattered throughout the length and breadth of the country an opportunity of making frequent purchases, enables them to do business with, on an average, a less stock than was necessary a generation ago, when visits to the cities twice a year used to be the only method of buying. The constant sorting up, too, which commercial travelling makes possible, is a marked improvement upon the old way of writing to Montreal or Toronto for samples and prices of goods wanted. The expenses of commercial travellers are probably less than those saved by the system to merchants who would otherwise have to leave their business from time to time to buy in the city markets. An advantage of decided value is also derived by a firm employing a commercial traveller, through his reported impressions of the capital, industry and class of business of his customers. A store kept in a slovenly condition, or undue attention to municipal, political or social affairs, noticed by a shrewd traveller, have frequently saved an employer from serious loss. And so it is that the very value of a commercial traveller of ability and good judgment makes him able to exact a large salary, as his employer knows that his business connection would be greatly impaired were his agent to leave his employ with personal knowledge of customers and friendship with them.

The system is unwholesome in so far as it is overdone and represented by men of immature judgment and ability. To carry samples of merchandise to the backwoods to isolated settlements is useful and enterprising, but the presentation of them a dozen times a day to every storekeeper along the lines of railway is surely a grievous waste of time and money. And the incessant solicitation to buy and the cheap offer of credit is radically a bad business. How different is it to obtain a loan of money in comparison with trust for goods! Yet the wide distinction between money and money's worth is surely absurd when competition has reduced the profits of business to a minimum little removed from the return made to cash investment. The sense of responsibility in former days was fully called out when buyer and seller met face to face, but at present it has weakened force when the country and the city merchant are strangers to each other, and the wholesaler has to rely upon the reports of a Mercantile Agency to supplement the impressions of his agent as to the solvency and character of the giver of an order,—the traveller, unless he be a very shrewd man, being prone to consider a customer "good" who yields to his solicitation. We think that our large houses will admit that their losses are chiefly due to accounts opened and maintained through commercial travellers, rather than to the different class of accounts where direct dealing has always prevailed.

Noon Telegrams.

CABLE.

TUNISIAN CAMPAIGN.—LONDON, March 22.—A Tunis despatch to the *Times* says:—"A plan for a forty days' campaign in Southern Tunis has been agreed upon, and the various movements will commence in the course of a week. Three columns of troops will advance from three different points. It is desired to inflict a signal defeat on the Arabs close to the Turkish camps on the Tripolitan frontier, as it is thought that nothing else will disabuse their minds of the hope of Turkish aid."

THE PEACE OF EUROPE. — LONDON, March 22.—It is reported in Parliamentary circles in Berlin that Prince Bismarck, upon being questioned on some subject relating to internal affairs, replied that his time and strength were fully occupied in preserving the peace of Europe.

FRENCH FINANCES.—PARIS, March 22.—In the French Chamber of Deputies, M. Leon Say, Minister of Finance, announced that he would introduce, next week, various supplementary credits for 1882, which, he regretted to state, amount to 127,000,000f.

WARNED.—LONDON, March 22.—Previous to the fire at the Royal Albert Docks on Saturday morning, the Dock Company was warned by an anonymous letter, but the fire broke out in quite a different quarter of the docks from that indicated in the letter.

AMERICAN

AN EX-GOVERNOR ARRESTED.—PROVIDENCE, March 22.—Ex-Governor Sprague was arrested yesterday on a writ of attachment issued by Judge Stiness for contempt of Court. It is alleged that Sprague and Superintendent Corey denied Custodian Farnsworth admission to the Guiding Mill for the purpose of taking an inventory, Sprague threatening to throw Farnsworth into the river. Sprague, after being detained some time, was released on his own recognizance.

INTERNAL REVENUE. — NEW YORK, March 22.—The *Tribune's* Washington special says the House Ways and Means Committee's proposed bill for the reduction of the internal revenue will likely be limited to "the abolition of taxes on bank capital, deposits and checks, matches, cosmetics, perfumery and medicines, not classed as alcoholic. This makes a reduction of about sixteen million dollars.

KILLED BY BRICKBATS.—SUMNER, Ill., March 22.—Thos. Davis, of Petty Township, aged 65, died yesterday of a fracture of the skull produced by brickbats thrown by Capt. E. C. Davis, a veteran of the war. The latter is held in $2,500 bail. Both are well known and respectable. Capt. Davis is married to a niece of Speaker Keifer.

SNOW-STORM.—CHICAGO, March 22.—Advices from several points in Wisconsin and Northern Michigan indicate a heavy fall of snow, in some places a foot deep, and still falling....ST. PAUL, March 22.—A heavy snow-storm prevailed in the North-West yesterday. Several trains are reported snow bound on the Northern Pacific and Manitoba Roads.

RAILWAY SHARE AND TRUST COMPANY.—LONDON, March 22.—The prospectus of the United States Railway Share and Trust Company, with a capital of £1,000,000, has been issued. The purchases at present will be confined to the ordinary stocks of twelve leading railway companies in America. The circular attracted much attention on the Stock Exchange.

WABASH RAILWAY ELECTION.—NEW YORK, March 22.—Jay Gould was yesterday elected president of the Wabash Railway.

Telegrams Condensed.

The coronation of the Czar has finally been fixed for August.

The Argentine International Exhibition was opened at Buenos Ayres on the 15th inst.

Cannon has been engaged as Mr. J. R. Keene's first jockey in the English races this season.

A son of Herr Busch, author of the book on Prince Bismarck, was drowned while on the voyage home from America.

The House of Lords will adjourn on the 31st instant until April 20, and the House of Commons on April 4 until April 17.

There is a prospect of re-opening the Antonelli will case. The Court of Cassation at Rome decided that the Countess Lambertini, who alleges that Cardinal Antonelli was her father, has a right to call evidence in regard to paternity, and the fraud she asserts exists in the register of her baptism.

CIVIC.

Road Committee—Continuation of Yesterday's Proceedings.

The report of the sub-Committee, appointed to inspect the city gas works, was presented and showed that the refuse from the manufacture of gas was now being utilized so that the discharge into the public sewers was almost odorless, and the works were in very fair order.

The City Surveyor said the report contained no reference to the contamination of the air by the manufacture of ammonia which was the principal thing complained of by the residents, the City Attorney had given it as his opinion that the Council could, under its charter, force the gas company to introduce means by which this could be stopped. It was determined to refer the question to the Health Officer for a report and then to send both reports to the Council.

A letter from the Nuns offering the city right of way for an outfall sewer into the river at the rifle ranges, Point St. Charles, was read and laid over till next meeting.

THE SHEARER SCHEME.

A letter from the Minister of Public works, Ottawa, enclosing a copy of a report made by Mr. F. Foster Bateman, M.I.C.E., with reference to the proposed improvement of the Montreal harbor, and asking that the department be furnished with a report as to the likelihood of the proposed works, in the event of their establishment, flooding a portion of the city, and also whether there was any possible danger of the pump house being flooded and the city water supply thereby endangered during any period of the year, was received and referred to the City Surveyor and Water Superintendent to report upon.

An offer by Mr. Hannaford of the Grand Trunk Railway to build a foot bridge across the Mountain Street railway track, provided the city would allow the Company to erect the same thirty feet west of Mountain street instead of on the east side, was accepted, with a request that the work should be proceeded with at once. The City Surveyor stated that the harbor revetment wall, was in a dilapidated condition, and that the Chairman of the Harbor Commissioners Board, had said the Board would not repair it, he thought the question of who was to make the repairs should be settled before the wall went down—referred to the City Attorney.

A petition from the Rev. A. Gibaud, claiming $3,343.07 on behalf of Dame L. Malo, for land expropriations to the city was referred to the City Surveyor.

The meeting then adjourned.

Light Committee.

Present Ald. J. C. Wilson (chairman), Tansey, Roy, Dubuc and Fairbairn.

The chairman stated the object of the meeting to be the fixing of the appropriations for the year. The committee had under their supervision 1,677 gas lamps, their first contract with the Gas Company being for 1,495 lamps at $22 each, giving a total of $32,890, and the second being for 182 lamps at $19.60 each, making $3,567.20, or a grand total of $36,457.20 per Lapierre's contract, for lighting the lamps at $20, each, amounted to $7,360, the Champ de Mars was lighted by meter, and they had all the advantages derivable from moonlight nights, so the cost of that varied, in 1880 it was $140, in 1881, $122, so he placed it at $130, for this year. The Viger Market was also lighted by meter they would ask an appropriation of $75 for that, last year $50 had been granted for contingencies, the same amount would be asked this year, the sum of $3,901 for removing lamps was due, and it was intended to ask $250 to cover breakages for the present year, $400 was also to be asked for to cover the cost of removing lamps, the Chairman hoped this year to have the names of streets fixed upon the lamps, that was one reason why $400 had been placed among the appropriations, one of the largest items on the list would be an appropriation of $6,000 for new lamps, last year 92 new lamps had been set up, but this year they wished to obtain 200 more, the lighting of these at $20 each would be $4,000, and the original cost of the posts say $10 each would be $2,000, making in all $6,000.

Ald. Fairbairn thought the entire system of lighting the streets should be improved. Ald. Dubuc believed the Council would support them in this matter.

The Chairman continued.—Seven hundred and fifty lamps lettered on the principle that where there were four corners, two of the lamps would be lettered, and where one street ended in another only one need be lettered, would cost at the rate of 20c a lamp or 10c a name, $150, he had put in $200 to meet that which, should be sufficient.

The total amount of the appropriation to be asked was $51,061.21, last year the amount asked was only $44,534.87, so this year the Committee were asking for $6,526.34 more, but $6,000 was to be applied in the purchase of new lamps, so the excess only amounted to $523.34.

Some samples of names for lamps were shown and approved of by the Committee.

Ald. Tansey said a few words with reference to the necessity which existed for the pipe connecting with the lamps in front of St. Matthew's Church and the Methodist Church crossing the railway track—laid over till next meeting.

The Committee then adjourned.

Health Committee.

At the meeting of this committee yesterday afternoon there were present Ald. Mooney (chairman), Fairbairn, Mount, Tansey, Rep. Dr. Hingston, Mr. Boxer, and Mr. Beaudry.

Mr. Boxer stated that complaints had been made that the Inspectors in making some investigations put citizens to needless expense.

The committee appointed to select localities for public baths reported that they thought convenient spots would be in the canal at the Wellington Bridge, between the banks of the canal and the pier on which the ends of the two swing bridges rest, at the back of the Drill-shed and on St. Catherine street near Visitation.

In discussing the appropriations on the suggestion of Dr. Hingston it was decided to ask for appropriations to cover a rise in the salaries of all the officers of the department.

The committee then adjourned.

J. D. Lawlor (late manager of the Lawlor Mfg. Co.) would take this opportunity to thank his many friends and the public generally for their liberal patronage and past favors, and would beg to announce that he has commenced business with his Sons at 354 Notre Dame St. on their own account, and would assure all that their constant endeavors will be to merit the confidence of the public and a continuance of their patronage. *See Adv.* 29 eod

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Auction Sales.

By Thomas J. Potter.

135 & 137 RICHARDSON STREET.
FINE PROPERTY near the SUGAR HOUSE, G. T. R. WORKS, NEW FACTORIES, &c. Peremptory Sale by Auction on

Thursday, 23rd March, at 10 o'clock.

The lot is 45 x 110, leaving room for additional buildings if required. Houses in good order. Liberal terms.
65 THOS. J. POTTER, Auctioneer.

45 AYLMER STREET. Comfortable House. Good order, with another small house in rear. The above very conveniently situated property will be sold at my room for account of an estate

On Thursday, 23rd March,

at Ten o'clock.
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SPLENDID VILLA LOT,
REDPATH STREET,

On the Mountain slope, adjoining the handsome villa and grounds of W. W. Ogilvie, Esq., and of Alex. Mitchell, Esq., and opposite No. 81 Redpath street, surrounded by the finest villa property in Montreal. No more charming site can be had for a private residence. View, magnificent. Lot about 75 x 150; area, 11,212 feet. Sale

Friday, 24th March, at 10 o'clock,

at my Room, 195 St. James street.

Redpath street has no terrace houses, and this sale presents a rare opportunity to buy a delightful spot to build on. Easy terms.
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46 CARRIERE STREET,
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Very Comfortable House, 30 x 28, with a fine GARDEN LOT, 53x116. Splendid chance for a MILKMAN or CARTER or any one requiring a house and PLENTY OF GROUND NEAR THE CITY LIMITS. Sale at my room

On Friday, 24th March, at 11 o'clock.

Large Grazing Grounds next to the property. House is solid stone, splendidly built, with foundation in the solid rock, and is very comfortable Winter and Summer. Has a never failing well of excellent water. Land is naturally well drained and is bounded in rear by fine open fields. The Garden has good young apple trees, currant bushes, etc.
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No. 204 St. Denis street,
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—AND—
BRICK HOUSE, 4 Tenements, Village of COTE ST. LOUIS, corner of RIVARD and CARRIERE STREETS.

I am instructed by CHARLES H. WALTERS, Esq., to sell the above properties by auction at my room, 195 St. James street,

Friday, 24th March.

The House 204 St. Denis street is occupied by Mr. Walters, and is in splendid order. It is a most perfectly built Dwelling, beautifully finished and decorated, with walls oil painted, finest papering and dados, also inlaid wood carpeting on Hall, &c. Every room is complete, and there is not a dollar to be spent on House or Outbuildings. The House has every convenience, and the ample Stables and Coach House have gas and water. The lot is large, extending out to Ontario street with a wide lane. The whole property should be thoroughly examined by any one who wishes to buy a really comfortable and attractive Dwelling. The Cottages on Lincoln Avenue are in good order, rent well, and offer a splendid investment to a large or small capitalist, and a rare chance to buy a home, as they will be sold singly, or buyer can take the whole block. The corner property Rivard and Carriere streets is convenient to the city by the St. Denis street cars.

Sale at ELEVEN o'clock.
64 THOS. J. POTTER, Auctioneer.

FARM STOCK, Horses, Cows, Implements, Household Furniture, etc., by auction, at the Farm of Mr. Francis Hadley, opposite the residence and grounds of Alfred Brown, Esq., Dorval, near Lachine, on

Monday, 27th March.

One good saddle Mare, 1 good draught Horse, 1 Colt, rising two years; 8 Cows, 4 two year old heifers, 2 yearlings, 1 lumber Waggon, with hay-rack and box, 2 hay Carts, 2 Scotch Carts, 1 pair Bob-sleighs, with wood and hay-rack and box, 1 single Sleigh with wood and hay-rack and box, 1 two-seated and 1 one-seated Cutter, 1 two-seated Buggy, self-raking Reaper, Mowing Machine, Hay Cutter, Plough, 1 iron drill Plough, set iron Grubbers, pair wooden Harrows, drill cultivator, wooden Roller, sets Harness, Grindstone, Water-Sled with cask, Household Furniture, Stoves, etc. Sale at ELEVEN o'clock.
65 THOS. J. POTTER, Auctioneer.

VOLUNTARY LICITATION!

On TUESDAY, the twenty-eighth instant, at TEN o'clock of the forenoon, at THOMAS J. POTTER'S, Esq., Auctioneer, No. 195 St. James street, in the city of Montreal, will be sold to the highest and last bidder, the following real estate, belonging to the communauté de biens and estate of the late Placide Laurinait, in his lifetime nail maker, of Montreal aforesaid, and of the late Lucie Normandin, his wife, to wit:—An emplacement situate on St. Joseph street, in St. Ann's Ward, in the said city of Montreal, being the north-east portion of the lot number eleven hundred and five (1105) of the plan and book de renvoi official of the said Ward, comprising twenty feet front by sixty-six feet deep, more or less, fronting on the said St. Joseph street, in depth on a lane, on one side to the heirs Placide Laurinait, and on another to a person named Bagg, or representatives, with two-story house stone-front, and foundation in stone and remainder in brick, and other buildings thereon erected, with passage in the lane in rear of the said house and yard. Property commuted. Title perfect. For terms apply to THOMAS J. POTTER, or undersigned, AZ. CHOQUET, N. P., No. 398 St. Joseph St. Montreal, 8th March, 1882. 56 6 2aw

FARM STOCK, Horses, Cattle, &c., including some fine Thoroughbred Stock, also Implements, &c.

By Auction, at the Farm of Mr. Geo. H. Muir, Bougie's corner, St. Laurent, Back River Road,

Tuesday, 28th March, 1882, at 11 o'clock.

10 pure bred Ayrshire Cows, calved or in calf; 10 grade Cows, splendid milkers; also pure bred Calves; splendid Ayrshire Bull, took first prize last Fall; 3 good working Horses; 2 extra Brood Mares, one in foal to Mr. Dacoust's celebrated trotting Stallion "Harry B," the other in foal to Mr. A. Scott's Clyde Stallion "Maple Leaf;" 1 bright bay driving Horse, fine stepper, good roadster, 4 years old; 1 3-year old Stallion Colt, very promising, off the very fast Horse "Cock de St. Lin;" 2 Colts, 2 years, one by a very fast Horse; 1 handsome year old Clyde Colt, very promising; also Scotch Carts, light and heavy Express Waggons, double and single Sleighs, Ploughs, Harrows, Fanners, Root Cutter, "Moody" Threshing Machine, sets single and double Working Harness, sets light Harness, &c., &c. Also several articles household furniture, Stoves, &c. Sale at ELEVEN o'clock sharp. Catalogues of thoroughbreds will be furnished.
65 THOMAS J. POTTER, Auctioneer.

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By order of the Board,
CHARLES DRINKWATER, Secretary.
MONTREAL, December 1st, 1881. 65eod

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Auction Sales.

VERY IMPORTANT SALE BY CATALOGUE,
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UNREDEEMED PLEDGES
— OF —
December, 1880, January, February and March, 1881.
Thursday and Friday, March 23rd & 24th.

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CATALOGUE!

No.	No. of Pledge.	Description of Goods.	Date of Pledge.
1	2059	½ doz. E. P. Egg Spoons	Dec. 13, 1880
2	2061	1 Doctor Knife	Dec. 14, 1880
3	2094	1 Gold Wedding Ring	Dec. 20, 1880
4	2122	Gold Signet Ring	Dec. 24, 1880
5	2129	Black Frock Coat	Dec. 27, 1880
6	2017	Lamp	Dec. 23, 1880
7	2146	Lambrequin	Dec. 28, 1880
8	2126	Gent's Gold Signet Ring	Dec. 24, 1880
9	2131	Quilt and Sheet	Dec. 27, 1880
10	2136	Valise	Dec. 27, 1880
11	2139	Dress Coat and Vest	Dec. 28, 1880
12	2141	Muff	Dec. 28, 1880
13	2065	Flannel Shirt	Dec. 15, 1880
14	2168	Silver Watch	Dec. 31, 1880
15	103	Lady's 18 karat Gold Ring set with turquoise and pearl	Jan. 3, 1881
16	109	Pants and Shirt	Jan. 5, 1881
17	125	Patch-work Quilt	Jan. 7, 1881
18	133	Gold mounted Stylographic Pen	Jan. 8, 1881
19	128	21 numbers of Aldins of America	Jan. 7, 1881
20	130	Tweed Sack Coat	Jan. 7, 1881
21	139	Coat	Jan. 8, 1881
22	144	Dress and Shawl	Jan. 10, 1881
23	144	Gent's Signet Ring	Jan. 10, 1881
24	141	Pair Skates	Jan. 10, 1881
25	143	Pair Skates	Jan. 10, 1881
26	142	Ivory Portmonaie	Jan. 10, 1881
27	169	Pearl handle Knife and Pencil	Jan. 15, 1881
28	185	Gold Locket-Heart	Jan. 18, 1881
29	184	Silver Watch (7227)	Jan. 18, 1881
30	165	Umbrella	Jan. 14, 1881
31	175	Pair Drawers and 1 pair Vases	Jan. 15, 1881
32	187	Black Frock Coat	Jan. 18, 1881
33	208	Overcoat	Jan. 21, 1881
34	218	Frock Coat	Jan. 22, 1881
35	202	Spring Overcoat	Jan. 20, 1881
36	206	Quilt	Jan. 21, 1881
37	127	3 Blankets and 1 Sheet	Jan. 7, 1881
38	225	Hat and Cap	Jan. 22, 1881
39	239	Gold Wedding Ring	Jan. 26, 1881
40	244	Black Sack Coat and Vest	Jan. 27, 1881
41	251	Hunting Watch	Jan. 27, 1881
42	256	Gold Mourning Ring	Jan. 28, 1881
43	259	2 Coats and Vest	Jan. 28, 1881
44	265	Spring Overcoat	Jan. 29, 1881
45	258	Fur Muff and Skirt	Jan. 28, 1881
46	227	Revolver	Jan. 27, 1881
47	277	Patch-work Quilt	Jan. 31, 1881
48	1914	18 karat Gold English lever Watch, (made by Henderson, London)	Nov. 20, 1880
49	2011	Gold guard, 18½ dwt	Dec. 13, 1880
50	2011	Gold locket	Dec. 13, 1880
51	2011	Silver snake bracelet	Dec. 13, 1880
52	2038	14 karat gold Albert and locket 49½ dwt	Dec. 18, 1880
53	2052	Silver hunting watch (91)	Dec. 22, 1880
54	2066	Pair black pants with gold stripes	Dec. 23, 1880
55	2066	Morning gown	Dec. 23, 1880
56	230	Fur muff, collar and cuffs	Jan. 24, 1881
57	2072	Silver English lever watch (10225)	Dec. 24, 1880
58	2086	Silver watch	Dec. 24, 1880
59	2088	Hunting watch	Dec. 24, 1880
60	2074	12 pairs congress boots	Dec. 24, 1880
61	2081	Suit of clothes	Dec. 24, 1880
62	2085	Violin and bow in case	Dec. 24, 1880
63	2114	Ladies' 18 karat gold watch (26957)	Dec. 31, 1880
64	2106	Silver hunting watch (15307)	Dec. 31, 1880
65	2106	Gold Albert 17 dwt	Dec. 31, 1880
66	101	18 karat gold hunting English lever watch (16206)	Jan. 3, 1881
67	116	India rubber coat	Jan. 5, 1881
68	116	Black cloth frock coat	Jan. 5, 1881
69	124	Ladies gold hunting stem winder watch (1126)	Jan. 8, 1881
70	129	15 karat gold brooch and earrings in case	Jan. 8, 1881
71	136	Sword in steel scabbard and gold tassel	Jan. 10, 1881
72	227	Sword in steel scabbard and gold tassel	Jan. 24, 1881
73	140	Drab silk dress	Jan. 11, 1881
74	142	Ladies' 18 karat gold hunting watch (16045), Russell & Son, maker	Jan. 12, 1881
75	142	15 karat gold curb Albert and locket 29 dwt	Jan. 12, 1881
76	143	14 karat gold band ring 6 dwt	Jan. 12, 1881
77	152	Silver hunting watch (4361)	Jan. 15, 1881
78	158	Silver hunting watch (21877)	Jan. 17, 1881
79	162	Cavalry gold cord-head-dress	Jan. 17, 1881
80	167	Sewing machine	Jan. 18, 1881
81	172	Improved Smith & Wesson revolver	Jan. 18, 1881
82	175	Silver American lever watch, (981093)	Jan. 19, 1881
83	175	Hair chain, silver mounted	Jan. 19, 1881
84	182	Silver English lever watch (8207)	Jan. 20, 1881
85	182	15 karat gold curb Albert 32½ dwt	Jan. 20, 1881
86	145	Silver English lever watch (28068)	Jan. 13, 1881
87	145	Silver guard	Jan. 13, 1881
88	183	Gold Albert	Jan. 20, 1881
89	187	Railroad blanket and straps	Jan. 20, 1881
90	187	Flannel cricketing suit	Jan. 20, 1881
91	187	Coat and vest	Jan. 20, 1881
92	187	Tweed coat and vest	Jan. 20, 1881
93	187	Pair checked pants and vest	Jan. 20, 1881
94	187	3 flannel shirts	Jan. 20, 1881
95	187	3 suits of underclothing	Jan. 20, 1881
96	191	Signet ring	Jan. 21, 1881
97	205	Diamond buckle ring	Jan. 22, 1881
98	213	Diamond stud	Jan. 24, 1881
99	221	18 k. gold hunt, watch (25404)	Jan. 26, 1881
100	221	12 k. gold Albert and key, 33 dwt	Jan. 26, 1881
101	226	Black cloth coat	Jan. 26, 1881
102	228	Silver hunt American lever watch (176322)	Jan. 28, 1881
103	230	18k. gold hunt watch (4691)	Jan. 28, 1881
104	230	15 k. gold Albert and seal, 31 dwt	Jan. 28, 1881
105	235	Gold hunt. watch (60325)	Jan. 29, 1881
106	235	Gold Albert, 26 dwt	Jan. 29, 1881
107	236	Diamond and emerald ring	Jan. 29, 1881
108	251	18 k. gold English lever watch	Feb. 1, 1881
109	251	Gold Albert, 35 dwt	Feb. 1, 1881
110	349	Pair diamond screw earrings	Feb. 1, 1881
111	349	Ladies' 18 k. gold watch set with diamonds	Feb. 1, 1881
112	252	Silver gilt American lever watch (82409)	Feb. 1, 1881
113	253	Pair opera glass	Feb. 1, 1881
114	253	Pair opera glass	Feb. 1, 1881
115	254	Revolver in case	Feb. 1, 1881
116	260	Gold antique seal 7¾ dwt	Feb. 2, 1881
117	262	3 stone diamond lockets, cost $125	Feb. 3, 1881
118	267	Ladies' diamond and emerald ring	Feb. 3, 1881
119	271	Gents gold hunt. stem w International watch	Feb. 5, 1881
120	272	15 k. gold brooch and earrings set with pearls	Feb. 7, 1881
121	281	Ladies silver locket	Feb. 9, 1881
122	283	Oddfellows gold medal set with precious stones	Feb. 9, 1881
123	283	Silver medal	Feb. 9, 1881
124	283	Silver medal	Feb. 9, 1881
125	296	Ladies' cam. gold watch set with diamonds	Feb. 11, 1881
126	295	Amethyst and pearl ring	Feb. 11, 1881
127	296	Meerschaum pipe silver mounted	Feb. 11, 1881
128	300	Family Bible	Feb. 12, 1881
129	302	15 k. gold locket, 15 dwt	Feb. 12, 1881
130	305	Suit of clothes	Feb. 12, 1881
131	311	18 k. gold English lever watch (130)	Feb. 15, 1881
132	312	15 k. gold Albert, 20 dwt	Feb. 15, 1881
133	319	Meerschaum pipe, gold mounted	Feb. 16, 1881
134	281	Hunting watch	Feb. 1, 1881
135	282	Gold scarf pin	Feb. 1, 1881
136	305	Coat	Feb. 4, 1881
137	303	Oil skin coat	Feb. 4, 1881
138	229	2 towels and pair black kid gloves	Feb. 3, 1881
139	314	Tweed coat and vest	Feb. 5, 1881
140	320	3 shirts and linen coat	Feb. 7, 1881
141	321	2½ yds flannel and three napkins	Feb. 7, 1881
142	321	Carving knife and fork	Feb. 7, 1881
143	273	3 books	Feb. 2, 1881
144	323	2 shirts and vest	Feb. 7, 1881
145	325	2 Pairs black kid gloves	Feb. 7, 1881
146	328	Coat and vest	Feb. 8, 1881
147	328	2 razors	Feb. 8, 1881
148	345	Flannel shirt	Feb. 9, 1881
149	351	2 feather pillows and quilt	Feb. 9, 1881
150	370	Looking glass	Feb. 11, 1881
151	373	Fur cap	Feb. 12, 1881
152	376	Coat	Feb. 12, 1881
153	386	Seal skin cap with beaver band	Feb. 12, 188
154	391	Gold signet ring	Feb. 14, 1881
155	388	2 pictures	Feb. 12, 1881
156	390	1 do.	Feb. 15, 1881
157	390	Pair skates	Feb. 16, 1881
158	350	Revolver	Feb. 17, 1881
159	352	Overcoat	Feb. 17, 1881
160	354	Coat, 3 vests and pair pants	Feb. 18, 1881
161	353	Fife	Feb. 17, 1881
162	358	Overcoat	Feb. 18, 1881
163	359	Revolver	Feb. 18, 1881
164	362	Gold ring, stud and key	Feb. 18, 1881
165	373	Pin set with diamonds	Feb. 21, 1881
166	293	Silver hunting watch	Feb. 23, 1881
167	293	Gold Albert	Feb. 23, 1881
168	401	Gold seal	Feb. 25, 1881
169	404	Lady's gold ring	Feb. 25, 1881
170	415	Gold brooch	Feb. 28, 1881
171	370	Seal skin cap	Feb. 19, 1881
172	387	Remnant of print	Feb. 22, 1881
173	388	Remnant dress goods	Feb. 23, 1881
174	418	Black frock coat	Feb. 28, 1881
175	327	18 gold wedding rings, 26 dwt	Feb. 18, 1881
176	334	Ladies gold watch	Feb. 19, 1881
177	334	Ladies diamond ring	Feb. 19, 1881
178	334	Ladies diamond and pearl ring	Feb. 19, 1881
179	334	Neck chain and cross	Feb. 19, 1881
180	334	Pair diamond earrings	Feb. 19, 1881
181	334	Gold locket set with stones	Feb. 19, 1881
182	331	Set Cuff buttons, studs and collar button	Feb. 19, 1881
183	331	Silver locket	Feb. 19, 1881
184	338	Gold keeper ring	Feb. 19, 1881
185	343	Ladies gold watch	Feb. 21, 1881
186	346	Suit of clothes	Feb. 22, 1881
187	346	Solid gold scarf pin with pearl	Feb. 22, 1881
188	351	15 k. gold locket in case, 19 dwt	Feb. 23, 1881
189	353	Silver hunt. watch (5236)	Feb. 23, 1881
190	369	Ladies' 18 k. gold hunt. watch (13082)	Feb. 26, 1881
191	369	Gold Albert	Feb. 26, 1881
192	371	Ladies' gold hunt. watch in case (34151)	Feb. 26, 1881
193	374	Overcoat	Feb. 26, 1881
194	374	3 vests	Feb. 26, 1881
195	374	5 flannel shirts and drawers	Feb. 26, 1881
196	374	7 white and colored shirts	Feb. 26, 1881
197	374	10 pocket handkerchiefs	Feb. 26, 1881
198	374	Lot of collars, socks, cuffs and muffs	Feb. 26, 1881
199	374	Pair of slippers, comb, brush and book	Feb. 26, 1881
200	378	Black lace shawl	Feb. 28, 1881
201	384	Silver plated cornet in case, made by Gantrot, Paris	Feb. 28, 1881
202	385	Gent. gold hunting stem winder watch, genuine Waltham movement	Feb. 28, 1881
203	387	Silver gilt watch	Mar. 1, 1881
204	387	Silver hunting watch	Mar. 1, 1881
205	387	Set studs, buttons and collar button	Mar. 1, 1881
206	388	Ladies' gold hunting watch	Mar. 1, 1881
207	388	Ladies' gold locket	Mar. 1, 1881
208	400	5 yds table cloth linen	Mar. 4, 1881
209	400	1 linen table cloth	Mar. 4, 1881
210	400	5 towels	Mar. 4, 1881
211	400	6 woollen mufflers	Mar. 4, 1881
212	412	Black silk dress trimmed with lace, very fine	Mar. 4, 1881
213	427	Silver hunting watch (34098)	Mar. 8, 1881
214	435	Overcoat	Mar. 12, 1881
215	442	Gents. 18 k. gold hunt. watch (50168)	Mar. 14, 1881
216	445	Gold keeper ring	Mar. 14, 1881
217	445	Gold signet ring	Mar. 14, 1881
218	447	Silver hunting watch (59131)	Mar. 14, 1881
219	294	Overcoat	Feb. 2, 1881
220	342	6 tea spoons, 1 table spoon and butter knife	Feb. 8, 1881
221	342	Silk handkerchief and cigar case	Feb. 8, 1881
222	382	Book, Engineers Manual	Feb. 12, 1881
223	382	Sterling silver India medal	Feb. 12, 1881
224	458	Gold Albert, 23 dwt	Mar. 15, 1881
225	463	Pair solitaire diamond earrings 2k. cost $300	Mar. 16, 1881
226	463	Diamond buckle ring, cost $100	Mar. 16, 1881
227	471	Diamond horse shoe pin, cost $150	Mar. 17, 1881
228	471	Emerald ring, 5 stones, cost $200	Mar. 17, 1881
229	471	Scarf pin, cat's eye, set with diamonds	Mar. 17, 1881
230	471	Gold curb Albert, 36 dwt	Mar. 17, 1881
231	473	Gold Albert, 30 dwt	Mar. 17, 1881
232	473	Gold watch	Mar. 17, 1881
233	473	Amethyst ring, 15k	Mar. 17, 1881
234	473	Gold watch, double dial	Mar. 17, 1881
235	420	Gold brooch, Cornelian sett'g	Mar. 1, 1881
236	420	Scotch pebble brooch and silver thimble	Mar. 1, 1881
237	439	Pair gold sleeve buttons	Mar. 5, 1881
238	456	Silver watch (842)	Mar. 8, 1881
239	463	Gold scarf pin set with pearl	Mar. 9, 1881
240	483	Gold signet ring	Mar. 14, 1881
241	408	Watch (72603)	Mar. 17, 1881
242	429	Pilot overcoat	Mar. 2, 1881
243	430	Pair of ladies' corsets	Mar. 3, 1881
244	441	Ladies' cloth cloak	Mar. 5, 1881
245	452	Box with lock and key	Mar. 5, 1881
246	461	Catholic Family Bible	Mar. 9, 1881
247	471	Suit of clothes	Mar. 11, 1881
248	471	Muffler, undershirt and strap	Mar. 11, 1881
249	475	Black frock coat	Mar. 12, 1881
250	475	2 vests	Mar. 12, 1881
251	477	E. P. liquor flask	Mar. 12, 1881
252	490	Razor and two painters knives	Mar. 15, 1881
253	487	Shooting coat	Mar. 15, 1881

N. B.—All articles as represented in Catalogue, or no Sale.

SALE EACH DAY AT TWO O'CLOCK.

Articles on view Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, up to hour of sale.

A deposit of ten per cent. will be required from purchasers on each article at the time of sale. No Reserve.

M. HICKS & CO., Auctioneers.

Catalogues can be had of the undersigned, or at J. L. MOSS & CO., 433 Notre Dame street. 65 5

By W. H. Arnton.

55 COURVILLE STREET, TWO-STORY AND BASEMENT.
437 ST. DOMINIQUE STREET,
BRICKED HOUSE.

The Subscriber will sell the above houses at his rooms,

On Wednesday, 29th March,

At Half-past TEN o'clock.

WM. H. ARNTON, Auctioneer.

Permits to view. 67

BUILDING LOTS FOR SALE without reserve, the property of the Montreal Investment and Building Company.

The subscriber has received instructions from the above company to sell the undermentioned lots at his rooms, 91 St. James street, on

Wednesday, March 29th instant.

SHUTER STREET, below Milton, adjoining house No 40, 24x130 feet, with lane in rear.

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TUPPER STREET, adjoining house No. 25, 24x100.

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BY AUTHORITY OF JUSTICE.

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On Wednesday, 5th April,

At TEN o'clock a.m.,

as belonging to Estate James Donovan, a Lot 90 feet front on Young street by 95 feet 6 inches deep, bounded on one side partly by a common lane, and partly and in rear by Marchioness de Bassano, being the N. W. part of Official Lot 1471 St. Ann's Ward; commuted; perfect title. For conditions apply to

Wm. F. LIGHTHALL, N. P.,
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Wednesday, the 29th inst., at Noon,

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Stock at Sherbrooke amounting as per inventory	$29,724 77	
Fixtures	819 14	$30,543 91
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Stock can be examined and inventory seen at store at Sherbrooke.

Copy of the inventory can also be found at the office of Robertson, Linton & Co., Montreal.

ROBT. LINTON,
64eod Assignee in Trust

New Advertisements To-Day.

APRIL NUMBER.
VENNOR'S
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SPECIAL PREDICTIONS FOR SPRING AND SUMMER.

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THEATRE ROYAL—J. B. Sparrow, Manager. EVERY EVENING THIS WEEK and SATURDAY MATINEE.

Mr. NEIL BURGESS in the Widow Bedott

Supported by his own company.

Popular prices. Seats at Prince's. 68 1

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Four Nights and Saturday Matinee, commencing March 22nd.
MISS MARY ANDERSON,
SUPPORTED BY
Mr. J. B. Studley & Mr. W. Harris,
And her own excellent Dramatic Company.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 22nd, Miss MARY ANDERSON will appear as Juliet, in "Romeo and Juliet." THURSDAY, March 23rd, Parthenia, in "Ingomar." FRIDAY, March 24th, Julia, in the "Hunchback." SATURDAY, March 25th, Matinee, Pauline, in "Lady of Lyons." SATURDAY, March 25th, Galatea, in "Pygmalion and Galatea." Box Plan open this morning. 66 3

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Private Lessons at all Hours. Assemblies every Monday and Saturday Evening. Matinee, Saturdays: 2 to 6 P.M. Private Class, Monday and Wednesday: 2 to 6 P. M.

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WITH TABLEAUX VIVANTS.
NORDHEIMER'S HALL,
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Admission to all parts of the Hall, 60c. Matinee SATURDAY, March 25th, 2 p.m. Admission to all parts of the Hall, 25 cents. Tickets at Nordheimer's, Prince's and Drysdale's. 52eod

CONVERSAZIONE!

THE FIFTH AND CLOSING OF THE SERIES OF ENTERTAINMENTS, in the Lecture-room of the American Presbyterian Church, under the auspices of the Young Men of the Congregation.

Conversazione, Exhibition of Loan Collection of Objects of Art, Bric-a-Brac, Paintings, Engravings, and Family Souvenirs.

Thursday, March 23, 1882,

From 7 to 10 p.m.

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QUEEN'S HALL!
MONDAY, MARCH 27,
MR. AND MRS. ALWYN MAUDE.

The entertainment presented by these talented artistes consists of a LECTURE by Mr. MAUDE on the subject of

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introducing characteristic sketches of people of note with whom he has been in intimate association, among them the latest society sensation,

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— TO —
MISS LUSHER,
— IN THE —
QUEEN'S HALL,
THURSDAY EVENING, MARCH 30th,
At EIGHT o'clock.

Programme will include:—"I know that my Redeemer liveth," (Messiah), Handel, by Miss LUSHER, and "Les Rameaux," (Faure), by Mr. M. R. Delahunt. Full programme later.

Tickets 50 cents........Reserved Seats 75 cents.

For sale at the Queen's Hall Office, 228 St. James street. 65 2aw

THE MONTREAL GAS COMPANY.

The annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Montreal Gas Company will be held in the office of the Works, Ottawa street, on MONDAY, the 3rd day of APRIL NEXT, at ONE o'clock p.m., to receive the annual Reports, &c.

A semi-annual dividend has this day been declared of FIVE (5) PER CENT., and, in addition, a bonus of TWO (2) PER CENT. on the paid up capital stock of the Company, and will be payable on and after SATURDAY, the 15th day of APRIL NEXT.

The Transfer Books will be closed from the first to the fifteenth prox., both days inclusive.

By order of the Board,
J. F. SCRIVER, Secretary.
Montreal, 21st March, 1882. 68 3 Jaw

THE CANADIAN LUMBER COMPANY. A General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at their office, 344 William street, Montreal, on Thursday, 30th day of March inst., at 3 o'clock p.m., for the election of Directors and the ordering of the affairs of the Company generally. By order of the Provisional Directors. 67 10

ALBERT HALL—DANCING—Six Lessons, $2.50. MRS. GODWIN'S Private Residence, 8 Latour street. Class—Saturday and Wednesday, commencing at 8 sharp. 36

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Births, Marriages and Deaths.

BIRTHS.

STEVENSON—At Barnston, Que., March 19th the wife of Charles N. Stevenson, M. D., of a daughter, still born. 68 2

JORDAN—March 12th, at Chicago, Ill., the wife of Charles Jordan, of a son.

SICOTTE—In this city, 19th March, the wife of L. W. Sicotte, of a son.

MARRIAGES.

HYMAN, COHEN—In London, Eng., March 21st, at the Bayswater Synagogue, Chichester Place, by the Rev. Dr. Adler, assisted by Rev. Mr. Harris, and the Rev. Mr. Samuels, Isaac B., eldest son of Wm. Hyman, Esq., of Montreal, to Lotta, youngest daughter of the late Mr. H. Cohen.

MACDONALD, KINNEAR—In this city, March 21st, at the Church of S. John the Evangelist, by the Rev. Edward Wood, Chas. W. M. Macdonald, of Cote St. Antoine, Montreal, son of Wm. Macdonald, Esq., M. D., to Mary, B., youngest daughter of J. D. Kinnear, Esq., Judge of Probate, Amherst, Nova Scotia.

DEATHS.

THORNE—On Saturday, 18th March, Charles James Alexander, aged 8 years, son of Edward W. Thorne.
Funeral from his father's residence, No. 34 Lagauchetiere street, on Thursday, 23rd March, at 2 o'clock. Friends are respectfully invited to attend.

GARDINER—In this city, on Tuesday, 21st March, Eliza Lummis, beloved wife of Thomas A. Gardiner.
Funeral from her husband's residence, 255½ St. Mary street, on Thursday, 23rd inst., 2 p.m. Toronto and London, Ont., papers please copy. 68 3

ILES—On the morning of March 22, Frederick J. Iles, aged 23 years, 10 months.
Funeral from 7 Donegani street, on Friday, at 2.30 p.m., to St. George's Church, thence to Mount Royal Cemetery. 68 2

BERTHELOT—In this city, March 20th, Joseph B. Berthelot, Esq., Advocate, son of the Hon. Judge J. A. Berthelot, aged 24 years.

BROSSEAU—In this city, March 20th, Marie Alexandrina Pamella, daughter of F. X. Brosseau, aged 7 years and 11 months.

LANGSTAFF—In this city, March 20th, Julia, beloved daughter of Edward Langstaff, aged 26 years.
Funeral on Thursday afternoon, at two o'clock, from her father's residence, 350 Richmond street, to R. C. Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances respectfully invited to attend. 67 2

SNOWDON—At No. 259 Peel street, Maria Jane, March 20th, eldest daughter of the late William Snowdon.

McPHERSON—At Three Rivers, P. Q., March 20th, Alexander Archibald, son of the late Alexander McPherson, aged 26 years.

CRAIG—At Three Rivers, P. Q., March 18th Pierre Laurent Craig, Notary, aged 55 years.

WRIGHT—March 20th, at Cote St. Laurent, Norman, youngest son of H. B. Wright, N. P., aged fifteen months.

MASSY—At Sorel, P. Q., on the 19th inst., of bronchitis, Auguste Emile, infant son of A. Massy, C. E.

MAILHIOT—At Victoriaville, March 19th, Charles Edward Conroy, only and beloved son of J. N. Mailhiot, Esq., aged fifteen months and twenty day.

THEORET—At St. Jean Baptiste Village, 19th March, Marie Wilhelmina, daughter of Napoleon Theoret, aged 2 years and 4 months.

ARCHAMBAULT—In this city, 19th March, Andre Archambault, baker, aged 48 years.

GRAY—In this city, March 20th, Elizabeth, aged 87 years, widow of the late John Gray, of Rawdon, Que.

EVANS—In this city, March 18th, Catherine Evans, aged 58 years, a native of Dublin, Ireland.

VARS—At 14 Drummond street, March 19th, Ida Grant, eldest daughter of the late Addison Vars, Colborne, Ont, and beloved niece of Lewis Grant, aged 11 years and 21 days.

CLARK—In this city, March 19th, Joseph Lott, aged 6 months, only child of the late George Clark.

HARTE—March 19th, of Pentonites, Alexander Munro B. D. Harte, aged 11 years, 6 months, 23 days, youngest and beloved son of James A. Harte, druggist.

The Weather.

1 p.m.—Thermometer at Hearn & Harrison's during the last 24 hours:—

6p.m.	8a.m.	1p.m.	Max.	Min.	Mean.
21°	23°	32°	33°	16°	24°

Barometer—6 p.m.—29.80 8 a.m.—29.70 1 p.m.—29.90

10 a.m. — Probabilities next 24 hours:—Fresh to strong northerly to westerly winds, fair to cloudy weather, with occasional light snow, not much change in temperature.

New advertisements this P.M.

WM. KING, 652 Craig street has just received a lot of those Rustic Chairs, for which there is such an increasing demand. Price of Chair, 40c; Rocker, 50c; Large Chair, with arms, $1; Large Rocker, with arms, $1.25. The same painted a bright vermilion for a trifle. 67+2

PERSONAL—Information wanted of Thomas Parker, late groom with Mr. Shuter, near Lennoxville. Send address to "J. 1367," STAR office. 66 3

6th FUSILIERS.
The Battalion will parade on THURSDAY, 23rd inst., in the Armory, Old City Hall, at 8 p.m. Uniform, Undress. By order,
W. M. BLAIKLOCK,
68 2 Major, Acting Adjutant.

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FIFTY CENTS EACH.
New laid out a great lot of Lamps for Bedrooms, Kitchens, &c., handy Lamps for Sitting Rooms, complete, 50c each.
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HENRY R. GRAY, Chemist.
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SUBURBAN—St. Lambert—To Let, Ardgowan Cottage; handsome, commodious and comfortable premises. Apply to JAMES THOMSON, Esq., 227 St. James street, or to R. D. MACPHERSON, 15 Hospital street. 68 2

TO RENT—The Established Shop, etc., of Mr. Ollivon, the celebrated cook and baker, No. 5 "The Wellington Arcade," now too small for his increased business. George Browne, Architect. 67 1

A GENTLEMAN residing in London, Eng., thoroughly acquainted with Canadian trade, wishes to buy or sell merchandise in the London market on commission or as agent. Communications strictly confidential. "N. 1525," STAR Office. 68 6

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White, Self-Colored and Fancy Patterns, the best assortment in the city.
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Third Edition.

A LEGION OF HONORS.

Mr. C. O. Perrault the Recipient, at a Banquet last Evening.

The banquet given last evening in honor of Mr. Charles Ovide Perrault, Vice-Consul of France, on the occasion of investing that gentleman with the rank and title of Chevalier of the Legion d'Honneur of France, was a grand success. The numerous friends and admirers of the Vice-Consul who were present at this event, representing the *elite* of the French-speaking community of Montreal, united in congratulating Mr. Perrault on the distinction which he had earned and received from his mother country, and in crowning him with such additional honors as the ready eloquence and wit of our fellow-citizens of "*La belle langue*" could command, by way of tributes of esteem and admiration in both prose and poetry.

At about 8 o'clock some 150 gentlemen sat down to the richly laden tables in the grand dining hall at the Windsor Hotel, the Hon. Rudolphe Laflamme, Q.C., presiding. The foreign consular corps were represented by the Hon. Comte de Sesmaisons, Consul General of France at Quebec; Mr. J. R. Smith, Vice-Consul of the United States, and Dr. J. L. Leprohon, Vice-Consul of Spain, who were present as guests. Mr. Perrault occupied the seat of honor to the right of the chairman. Among others, sitting at the same table, were the Hon. Justice Jette, Dr. Louis Frechette, the poet, and Mr. Dugas, Police Magistrate. The vice chairs were occupied by Mr. C. A. Geoffrion, Lieut.-Col. Gardner, Mr. A. Larocque, jr., Mr. L. J. Lajoie and Major Hughes.

THE DINNER

was in the Windsor's own very excellent style, the *menu* being *recherche* and very tempting. The *menu* cards were tasty and beautiful, bearing on the back a poem by Dr. Frechette, addressed to the guest of the evening. The music was furnished by the City Band to the high enjoyment of the company. The cloth was removed at half-past nine o'clock, when a number of ladies and gentlemen entered the room, among whom were noticed the Honorable Justice and Madame Tessier, Hon. Thomas and Mrs. Ryan, Hon. R. and Mdme. Thibaudeau, Hon. Justice and Mrs. Monk, Hon. Justice and Madame Caron, Miss de Rocheblave, Comtesse de Sesmaisons, Madame Justice Duval, Madame Perrault-Smythe, Mrs. Joseph Tiffin, jr, and Madame C. Boyer.

Letters of regret were read by the Secretary, Major Hughes, from the Hon. J. A. Chapleau, Premier of the Province of Quebec; Mr. Joseph Royal, M.P., Count Premio Real, Consul-General of Spain; A. M. F. Gianelli, Consul-General of Italy; Hon. L. S. Huntington, Hon. F. Langelier, Mr. F. W. Henshaw, President of the Board of Trade; Hon. J. L. Beaudry, Mayor of Montreal, and W. J. MacDonnell, Vice-Consul of France at Toronto.

The Chairman then proposed the toast "La Reine de l'Angleterre," and after it had been duly honored, "La Republique Francaise," which was received with great enthusiasm, the band playing "La Marseillaise." The Count de Sesmaisons was called upon to respond, which he did in eloquent language.

THE DECORATION.

At the close of his speech the Consul-General turned to Mr. Perrault and addressed him as follows:

"In the name of the Government of the Republic of France, I convey to you, my dear Perrault, the insignia and commission of knight of the Legion of Honor. In the name of the far-off country, I thank you heartily for all that you have done for her, and especially for the interest, devotion and fraternal assistance that you have accorded to those of her children who have had recourse to your inestimable kindness." The Count then handed the commission to Mr. Perrault and attached to the breast of his coat the insignia of the order, a beautiful silver cross, afterwards shaking the Vice-Consul warmly by the hand, while the entire company applauded with loud and prolonged cheers.

The chairman followed with a few remarks highly complimenting Mr. Perrault on the distinguished honor which had been conferred upon him, and testifying to the fact that he had well earned it by his loyalty to the Mother land, as well as by his many good deeds on behalf of his needy fellow-countrymen, and by his public spirited efforts for the welfare of this city and Province. He proposed the toast "Our Guest," which was drunk with a bumper, the company singing "He's a jolly good fellow."

Mr. M. Schwob, President of the French Benevolent Society, was then called upon, and cordially congratulated Mr. Perrault on behalf of the resident French in Montreal.

Dr. L. H. Frechette then read his poem, composed for the occasion, which was an admirable production and which was received with hearty applause. It is to be regretted that its wit and beauty cannot be translated into English.

Mr. H. Beaugrand, editor of *La Patrie*, followed with an original humorous poem.

MR. PERRAULT'S SPEECH.

Mr. Perrault on rising to respond was treated to an ovation. He spoke at considerable length and eloquently in French, and afterwards in English.

The toast "The Consular Corps" was ably responded to by Mr. Smith and Dr. Leprohon, and Mr. L. O. David eloquently supported "La Legion d'Honneur," followed by Mr. J. X. Perrault. The press and the ladies were then duly honored, and the brilliant assembly rose to leave at midnight.

ARCHAMBAULT vs. DESJARDINS.

The Other Side of the Case.

To the Editor of THE STAR:

SIR,—In a letter which appeared in your paper of the 18th instant, Mr. B. A. Ramsay drew attention to the indelicacy and inconvenience of *ex parte* communications which are given by lawyers in regard to suits entered by them. Many lawyers who appreciated his valuable remarks hoped that newspapers would be more cautious; but I see you did not pay attention to it. In your number of yesterday, speaking of an action taken by Messrs. Mercier, Beausoleil & Martineau, you say it is urged by Mr. Archambault, the plaintiff, that Mr. J. A. Desjardins abused his position of director in the St. Mary's Building Society to buy at a low price what was worth thrice the sum Messrs. Desjardins paid for it, and that both of them are charged with being guilty of fraud. If you had been desirous of knowing the truth, it would have been very easy to refer to a case, No. 1168 of the Superior Court of Montreal, in which the Messrs. Desjardins are plaintiffs against the same E. Archambault. The suit is for the recovery of a thousand dollars Mr. Archambault borrowed from the St. Mary's Building Society. As a bar to this action he brought through his Attorneys, Messrs. Lacoste, Globensky and Bisaillon, the same charges of fraud and illegality. Unhappily for him Mr. Justice Jette found the charges not proved, and condemned Archambault to pay. By the way this debtor deals with such broad assertions, it appears the great point for him is to find means to have as much delay as he can, and perhaps not to pay what he justly owes. Hoping you will do justice to my clients in publishing these different views of the question,

I am,
Yours,
P. E. LAFONTAINE.

The Temporalities Fund.

To the Editor of THE STAR:

SIR,—I see the church dispute waxes warm at Ottawa. Both parties claim a fund, which is now held under an Act of Parliament for the benefit of the Presbyterian Church of Canada in connection with the Church of Scotland. Both parties say they are *that Church*. Well, here is disagreement. But both parties agree each has rights in the Fund. What are these rights? Let them be ascertained and then let each party take its share, and go in peace. Mr. Boultbee made a sensible suggestion that the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court might be a friendly arbitrator to decide these rights. Both parties cannot get the Fund; why do they not agree to divide it proportionately in accordance with the wishes of the founders—leaving each church to administer its own share? Any settlement is better than this eternal quarrel.

EPISCOPALIAN.

SEEKING HIS FORTUNE.

A Toronto Newsboy on his Travels.

A boy about 11 years of age sought protection yesterday afternoon at the Central Police Station. He gave his name as Charlie Hawkins and said that he had run away from Toronto a couple of days ago and came to this city to seek his fortune. He found, however, that it was hard work to make a living here, and being nearly starved, was at last forced to apply to the police for shelter and protection. Chief Paradis, on hearing his story, telegraphed to the Chief of Police in Toronto, stating the circumstances of the case and received a reply last evening telling him to send the lad back. Accordingly he was given in charge to the conductor of the night express and proceeded homewards by the 10 o'clock train.

CRUSHED TO DEATH.

Inquest on the Wood Carter Rochon—The Verdict.

An inquest was held this morning before Coroner Jones on the body of Isidore Rochon, the wood carter, who was thrown from his load yesterday afternoon and fatally injured. The inquest was held at his residence, No. 442 Jacques Cartier street.

Dr. L. A. Demers testified that last night he was called to the Hotel L'Hussier, near the Longueuil crossing, where he saw the body of the deceased lying on a bunk; he was then dead; there were bruises on the hand, and the left chest was completely crushed in; all the ribs and the second part of the sternum were broken, and the left arm was fractured. Death was caused by compression of the heart and lungs by the ribs being driven in upon these organs.

Joseph Piquette, a driver on the horse cars, saw the deceased fall to the ground alongside his cart, but still continued to hold onto the reins. The horse was running away, and a *habitant* in throwing up his hands trying to stop him caused the animal to shy in towards the sidewalk. In front of the door of the Hotel L'Hussier there was a telegraph pole, and the horse passed between it and the house, the deceased was caught between the cart wheel and the post and afterward fell under the feet of his horse. There was about a quarter of a cord of wood in the cart.

Felix Boismenu said that the deceased had been in his employ for the last seven years, was a reliable and sober man, had driven the same horse for the last four years and would use no other.

After a short deliberation the jury returned a verdict of "accidental death and not otherwise."

MONTREAL WATER WORKS.

Annual Report.

The printed report, just issue, of Mr. Louis Lesage, Superintendent of the Montreal Water Works, for the year 1881, consists more of information and suggestions as to what is needed in the department, than of a record of important improvements effected. The single exception to this is the statement with regard to the addition of a new turbine wheel and pumps at the wheel house, which were completed in October last and have been at work since that time, giving full satisfaction. All the works have been kept in good repair, at an increased expense as compared with former years, but the Superintendent justifies this increase on the ground that the repairs have resulted in the restriction of the waste of water. The total working expenditure for the year was $64,737.29—that is $4,356.16 over that of the previous year. Besides the usual repairs done to the pumping machinery, the finishing shop attached to the pumping works has turned out a large amount of new work, including 17 fire hydrants. The total length of cast iron pipes laid in the city during 1881 is 4,109 lineal feet, (none of it larger than 6 inches diameter), making a total laid to date of 133.62 miles. There are 870 fire hydrants in the city, and 26,190 houses are supplied with water. Attention is called to the deficiency in the water pressure in the portion of the city west of University street, between Sherbrooke and Dorchester streets, which is increasing every year. This is to be remedied by the continuation of the 30-inch main in Sherbrooke, eastward from Papineau Road to Colborne Avenue, when it is proposed to lay a 24-inch main down that avenue to St. Mary street, there connecting with the mains of Ontario, St. Catherine, Dorchester and St. Mary streets. It is hoped that this work may be done the coming season. Mr. Lesage also urges that the work of laying separate service pipes to each tenant, which was stopped a few years ago, should be resumed and completed as soon as possible, as a considerable amount of water rates is lost every year on account of the lack of these. An idea of the amount of work required to keep the five hydrants in order during Winter, is given in the statement that 330 of these were found frozen 1,957 times during last Winter. This trouble and annual expense will be obviated by the substitution, which is gradually being carried out, of the new "non-freezing" hydrants for the old ones. There are 335 water meters in use in the city. The total amount of water pumped during the year was 3,506,347,611 gallons making a daily average of 9,606,431; that is 85,470 less than the daily average of 1880. This decrease the Superintendent believes may be accounted for by the fact that the waste of water is kept in better check, on the one hand, by the department paying greater attention to maintaining in order the distribution pipes through the city, and controlling the water supply by meters to all manufacturing establishments, on the other, by greater care on the part of the tenants in the use of water in their premises.

The report shows a want of grammatical revision.

JOSEPH HAYDN.

A Lecture on His Life and Works.

A lecture on Haydn with illustrative music was given last evening in the Zion's Church, Queen's Hall, in aid of the musical and rent fund. Notwithstanding the snowstorm there was a large and appreciative audience. After a symphony arranged for four hands, remarkably well played by Misses Alger and Muller, the Rev. A. J. Bray delivered an address on the "Life and Works of Haydn." In his remarks the lecturer chiefly confined himself to the remarkable musical events in the life of that genius. His early attachment to music, the great poverty he had to contend against in his youth, his reception into the choir at the Cathedral in Vienna, his meeting with Porpora, the singer, the composition of his first quartet for stringed instruments and his subsequently brightening prospects were enlarged upon in turn in a graphic manner. Then followed his marriage, his introduction to Prince Esterhazy, who appointed him leader of his band. His subsequent visit to, and musical triumphs in London were discussed, also the few events of importance that occurred between that time and his death. During his life he composed some 800 pieces and truly earned the title of the "father of symphony." In conclusion, the lecturer said that Haydn was one of the few immortals for whom we give God thanks.

The musical part of the programme was under the direction of Professor G. Couture, assisted by the choir. Several solos were sung by Mrs. Rockwood, Miss Findlay, Messrs. Gillan and Delahunt, with great taste. Haydn's cantata, "The Tempest," was ably rendered by the choir.

GIVING DRIVES TO CHILDREN.

This Practice Probably the Cause of Young Thorne's Death.

At the inquest on the little boy, Charles Thorne, it was found impossible to obtain any definite evidence as to how the child managed to stray so far from home. A number of boys, companions of the lad on St. Patrick's day, were examined, but could not give any coherent account of his ramblings. The jury were of the opinion that the lad must have obtained a drive from some farmer going in that direction, or more than one, and had finally been left somewhere in the neighborhood of where he had been found. The father distinctly stated that he knew of no one who had a grudge against him or the child, and who might abduct him as a means of revenge.

Amusements.

CONCERT DE SALON.—One of the most enjoyable musical events of the season was a concert de salon given in Nordheimer's Hall, last evening, by Madame Elena Waters. The programme was a strong one, and the audience was one of the largest and most fashionable which has gathered at any event of a similar nature this season. Among those who took part in the programme were Mrs. Douglas, Misses Clarke, Kavanagh, Smardon, Kerr and Jarvis. Miss Burns played Paner's pianoforte solo, "La Cascade." Miss Kirkman gave a valse vocale, "Le Printemps," by Tito Mattei, and Miss May O'Brien sang very beautifully Abt's "Absent, yet Present," and, with Mrs. Dr. Roddick, gave the pretty duetto dramatique, "Trema O Vil," by Arditi. Madame Waters appeared with Mrs. Beaudry in the duet by Rossini, "Mira la Bianca Luna," and, with Dr. G. Bidaux, gave Kucken's "Drift My Bark." The programme was capitally executed.

THE BOHRER PIANO RECITALS.—A large audience, comprising much of the musical talent of the city, attended the last of the series of piano recitals given by Herr Heinrich Bohrer last evening at the Rosenkranz Piano Warerooms, St. Catherine street. The programme included two pretty compositions of his own, "Elegie Foccata" and "Waldesdur," and selections from Gounod's "Faust," of his arrangement. The other numbers of his programme were selections from the "Chants Polonais," Chopin-Liszt, and Rubenstein's "Valse Allemande." With the reputation Herr Bohrer has attained, it is needless to say that each of the pieces on his programme was done every justice to. Herr Bohrer was assisted by Mrs. Page Thrower, who sang Thomas' "Une Nuit de Mai," and "Mother's Evening Song," by Davenport. The latter piece was particularly adapted to her voice, and the advantage was made the best of. The evening's programme was somewhat short, but the deficiency was amply made up by its richness, and the faultlessness of its execution.

Woman's Rights.

A debate took place last evening in the Lecture Hall of St. Andrew's church, between the Young Men's Association in connection with that church, and the Young Men's Association of Crescent street church. The subject was, "Should women enjoy all the privileges accorded by law and custom to men." Dr. A. L. Smith, President St. Andrew's church Y.M.A., occupied the chair, on his right being Mr. Thomas Robin, Honorary President Crescent street church Y.M.A. The speakers were Messrs. Arch. McGoun, jr., B.A., B.C.L., and B. C. McLean, B.C.L., of Crescent street church, on the affirmative side, and Messrs. R. C. Cowan, B.C.L., and Selkirk Cross, B.A., B.C.L., on the negative. A long and interesting discussion was indulged in, every side and aspect of the question being fully argued. On the matter being submitted to the audience at the close the voting stood 27 for and 33 against. Proceedings then closed with a vote of thanks to the chairman.

A New Regime in the Sanitary Department.

It is understood that the Board of Health—which as constituted this year comprises a number of new members—purposes changing the system that has been in vogue in the Sanitary Department heretofore and to institute some important reforms. The aim and object is to ensure more harmony in the working of the different branches of the department and also more efficiency, and to obviate all the causes of complaint from the public which have hitherto existed.

Personal.

Mr. Donald Macmaster, M.P.P., and Mr. R. D. McGibbon leave to-night for Ottawa, in connection with the Temporalities Case which comes before the Private Bills Committee of the House to-morrow.

His Lordship Bishop Bond has made the following appointments:—The Rev. J. P. DuMoulin, Canon; Rev. J. Burrows Davidson, Canon; Rev. R. Lindsay, Rural Dean of Hochelaga.

Inquest.

The Coroner held an inquest last evening at Cote St. Paul on the body of the little boy Charles Thorne, who was found dead in the barn near there. A verdict was returned to the effect that death was caused by exposure to the weather.

Suburban.

At a special meeting of the Outremont Council held on Monday evening Mr. Craig, the Mayor, tendered his resignation, as he was about to leave the city. The resignation was accepted, and Mr. Geo. E. Cooke was elected to the vacant position.

The Gas Dividend.

The Gas Company yesterday afternoon declared a dividend of five per cent with two per cent bonus.

CITY ITEMS.

—Patrick Brennan, of the State of New York, has written to the Chief of Police here asking for information concerning his sister, Kate about thirteen years of age, and daughter of the late Dennis Brennan, who died in the hospital here.

—The Winter series of entertainments, under the auspices of the Young Men's Association of the American Presbyterian Church, will be brought to a close with a conversazione and exhibition of a loan collection of objects of art to-morrow evening.

—The "Tableaux Vivants" in Nordheimer's Hall on Friday evening and Saturday afternoon are going to be superb. "The Dews of Evening" is a vision of angels, on the wing, enveloped in celestial light, and crowned with radiant stars. "The Gypsy Camp" is a striking and delightful picture, with a deal of meaning in it. The artist's studio is also a splendid conception, in which there is a display of statuary. The fact that Messrs. R. Reid and Geo. Prowse are superintending is enough to assure success.

Evening Telegrams.

CABLE.

LORD HARTINGTON AND THE CLOTURE RESOLUTIONS.—LONDON, March 22.—The *Daily News* and other papers remark that Lord Hartington's intimation in the House of Commons that the fate of the government is dependent on the cloture resolution is unmistakable. Lord Salisbury's efforts to excite public opinion on the subject are unabated. Replying to an address of the Bradford Conservative Association, he writes: "The present is most critical. It is proposed to abolish liberty of speech in the House of Commons. Mr. Bradlaugh is virtually supported by the government and Mr. Gladstone. The latter has almost brought the two houses into conflict simply to gratify his overweening vanity."

SPANISH POLITICS.—MADRID, March 22.—The minister of colonies read two bills in Congress, one forming organizations of the colonial civil service, and admitting creoles to minor posts, and the other regulating the extraordinary power of Governors General, who will, in the future, have to suspend constitutional guarantees before exiling anybody or suppressing constitutional liberties. They will also have to report the motives of their decisions instantly to the home government.

A CASUS BELLI.—PARIS, March 22.—The *Intransigeant* professes to have received a telegram from St. Petersburg announcing that at a meeting of Russian generals, held under the presidency of the Minister of War, it was decided that Russia would regard any encroachment on Montenegrin territory by Austria as a *casus belli*.

STOPPAGE OF ENGLISH COTTON MILLS.—LONDON, March 22.—The directors of the Oldham Limited Companies have issued a circular recommending a week's stoppage of the mills at Easter, to take effect if two-thirds of the companies consent.

LAUNCH OF A TURRET SHIP.—LONDON, March 22.—A new double screw steel armor plated turret ship was launched at Portsmouth yesterday. She is 9,146 tons burden, and her engines are 6,000-horse power.

AMERICAN.

TWO MEN LYNCHED.—THE DALLES, Oregon, March 22.—Tuscon Langdon and a man in his employ, named Harrison, were arrested at Langdon's residence, on the charge of killing A. H. Crooks and S. J. Jory, by a posse of citizens and were turned over to a deputy sheriff. After reaching the hotel a party of masked men overpowered the guard and shot Langdon dead. Harrison was hanged to the trestlework of the bridge. None of the perpetrators have been identified.

ICEBERGS IN THE ATLANTIC.—BOSTON, March 22.—The steamer "Glamorgan," Captain Court, reports that on March 17, latitude 43 35, longitude 49 10, the vessel passed a large iceberg 300 feet long and 80 to 100 feet high, and the same day saw another large iceberg 500 feet long and 100 feet high.

CANADIAN.

WRECKED.—HALIFAX, March 22.—The brig "Erin," Captain Fancy, from Halifax, for St. John, N.B., went ashore on Friday night on Little Hope Island, near Liverpool, in a thick snow storm. The vessel is a total loss. Four men were disabled by frost and accident. The captain reached Liverpool last night.

Shipping Notes.

SS. "Wieland," from Hamburg, "Castor," from Amsterdam, and "Nevada," from Liverpool, have arrived at New York.

JOTTINGS FROM OTTAWA.

The Q., M., O. & O. Railway—The Electric Light Bills—The Gardiner Divorce Bill—Returns Brought Down—Hours of Labor—The Military College—Private Theatricals—The Budget Debate.

[SPECIAL DESPATCH TO THE STAR.]

OTTAWA, March 22.—The bill respecting the Quebec, Montreal, Ottawa and Occidental Railway, introduced some days ago by Mr. Abbott, is to confirm the resolutions of the North Shore Railway Company of 11th August, 1875, and November 2, 1875, conveying the railway to the Province of Quebec, as well as the deed of conveyance of the Montreal, Ottawa & Western Railway to the Quebec Government, passed on the 16th November, 1875. The act is held necessary, since doubts have arisen as to the authority of the companies to pass the said resolutions and to execute the deed. A clause is put in providing that the passing of the Act shall not affect any case now pending before any court.

Mr. Blake has given notice that he will on the third reading of the bills to incorporate the American and the Edison Electric Light Companies move to have them referred back to the committee of the whole to amend the third clause by striking out the proviso "That no electric light wires on poles shall be carried along the same side of the street as any existing telegraph or telephone wires on poles without the consent of the telegraph or telephone companies respectively. The promoters of these bills give as a reason for the insertion of this clause that the electric light wires, however insulated, as is provided by the bills to prevent danger from contact, still may have a detrimental effect upon telegraph, and especially telephone wires. They did not actually claim that such was the effect, but hinted that such might be so. Mr. Blake holds that everything possible should be done to prevent any more disfigurement of the streets of our cities and towns with unsightly poles.

The Gardiner divorce bill came up in the senate yesterday, and was read a second time and referred to a committee to take evidence and report to the House. One Henry Dallas Helmcken, law clerk, swore at the bar of the senate that he had served the necessary papers upon the defendant, Mrs. Gardiner. She, by the way, has petitioned *in forma pauperis* to the senate for counsel to support her case in Parliament.

An immense pile of returns were brought down yesterday, and the House was so struck with the sight of the Minister of Customs almost obscured from sight by a stack of manuscript referring to grinding in bond, that a ripple of laughter ran through the room.

One of the returns shows the exports of St. Hyacinthe from July 1st, 1881, to February 1st, 1882, to have been $53,758; the imports entered for consumption, $113,849; duty collected, $9,958.54; other revenues, $208; total expenditure, $244.52.

Another return asked for by Mr. Robertson (Shelburne), shows the quantities and values of the various cereals entered for consumption at the ports of entry in the Province of Nova Scotia between March 14, 1879 (the day before the N. P. was inaugurated), to September 30, 1881, to be as follows:—Wheat flour, 50,880 barrels, value $266,465; rye flour, 132 barrels, value $659; Indian corn, 343,437 bushels, value $196,291; oatmeal, 96,810 lbs; value $2,805; corn meal, 271,922 bbls; value $684,552.

A petition was presented yesterday by Mr. Gault from the Montreal Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Women and Children. It holds that additional laws are needed in Canada for the protection of women and children, and more particularly in connection with workshops and factories, that no restriction exists as to the hours of work or regulations as to the meals and rest, and asks that a law be passed prohibiting children under twelve years from being employed in factories or workshops at all, prohibiting children between twelve and fifteen from being employed more than half time, and providing suitable regulations as to the hours of work, regular hours for meals, etc., for women, children and young people. The petition also represents that in many of the factories the machinery is so placed as to expose the employees to great danger and holds that Government inspectors should be appointed to see to the proper enforcement and execution of the law. It concludes by praying that an act will be passed containing the foregoing provisions:

Mr. Casgrain intends to introduce a bill next Thursday to provide for the admission to the profession of Dominion land surveyors, the graduates of the Military College. Whether this means that Military College graduates are to come out full blown and full fledged Dominion land surveyors on their receiving the graduation papers, or just what it does mean is not very clear.

Private theatricals under the management of Mrs. Gelinas and Mrs. Boucher, were given, last evening, in the basement of the House of Commons and were attended by crowds, outsiders as well as many members, who jumped at the chance of getting away from the dry budget debate, and passing an amusing hour or two in an amateur theatre. This reminds me that nothing of this kind has been attempted yet this season at Rideau Hall, even during Lent. Private theatricals will, it is given out, not be given there until about the 17th of April.

Mr. J. T. Balmer, Secretary of the Nova Scotia Historical Society, is in the city. He has been busy for several years collecting thousands of old books, pamphlets, files of newspapers, etc., which bear on the history of Nova Scotia, and has now one of the most complete and valuable collections of its kind in the Dominion. He purposes founding historical societies of the same kind for all the Provinces, and is now on his way to Toronto with that view. He has in his mind, too, to examine into the riches of the old records and collections of historical documents to be found in Montreal, and hints at the probability of his interesting himself in the work of helping on the cause of Montreal's grand public library that is to be.

The budget debate ran on more quickly yesterday, as speakers were forced to the conclusion that they must shorten their remarks, since it was announced that a shut down was to be made on the question before an adjournment.

Mr. Gault, in his short speech last night, withdrew his former statement that cotton stocks has yielded him barely 3 per cent., on the grounds that he had made it without due consideration.

The Government denies the intimation made by Mr. Hector Cameron, Chairman of the Private Bills Committee yesterday, that it intended to examine into and take action in the Temporalities case.

The Conservatives held a long caucus this morning.

JOTTINGS FROM QUEBEC.

The Quebec Board of Trade on the Railway Question—The Premier and the Session—A Dull Sitting—Life in the Legislative Council—A Fight Over the Appointment of Mayor Beaudry's Son.

[SPECIAL DESPATCH TO THE STAR.]

QUEBEC, March 22.—Public interest in Quebec yesterday was about evenly divided between the adjourned meeting of the Quebec Board of Trade on the subject of the railway, and the reassembling of the Legislature after its adjournment from last Thursday. Perhaps the meeting of the Board of Trade was regarded with the greater amount of interest, involving as it did an expression of opinion on railway matters from the commercial representatives of the Ancient Capital. From the tone of the *Chronicle* yesterday morning, it was supposed that the leading merchants of the lower town had received satisfactory assurances as to the composition of the syndicate and would be prepared to endorse the policy of the Government at yesterday's meeting. It appears, however, that Messrs. Ross and Dobell and the other gentlemen who are with them on this matter were "almost persuaded" to go into the Syndicate Monday night, but had not quite made up their minds. Consequently Mr. Ross was absent from the meeting and Mr. Dobell attended it to oppose the present Syndicate, though favoring the general principle of a sale of the road. Such is, in effect, the resolution adopted by the Board. It is, perhaps, too dictatorial in tone, but admits the advisability of a sale or lease of the road on general principles, though it insists on tenders being publicly asked for, and demands that a valuation of the whole railway property of the Province be made and placed at the disposition of intending tenderers. I am informed that the Government will not be influenced at all by this resolution, but will place the contracts with the two syndicates before the Legislature for its adoption, that with the Pacific Syndicate to be the first one to be taken up. In fact this contract would have been officially before the House yesterday but for the continued illness of Mr. Chapleau, who, though somewhat stronger, is still far too weak to leave his room, having left his bed yesterday for the first time for several days. The doctors say that the amount of blistering to which he has recently been subjected has greatly weakened him and that it will be unsafe for him to leave his room for two or three days more. It thus appears that the session, which was spoken of as likely to be of exceptionally short duration, will now attain to more than usual length.

Yesterday's sitting of the Legislative Assembly was unusually dull and uninteresting. It was principally taken up with routine and motions for returns of various kinds. The Legislative Council, on the other hand, put on rather more than ordinary life yesterday morning. Mr. Starnes put a very belligerent question as to the increasing expenses of the Council, despite the Government's promise of reductions. The answer was a common sense one enough, that the statement of the Council's expences for the fiscal year quoted by Mr. Starnes and included in the last public accounts, comprised the whole of the expenses of one session and a great part of those of another one.

Quite a fight occurred over the appointment of a son of Mayor Beaudry to replace Mr. Faucher de St. Maurice, M. P. P., as chief clerk of the Private Bills Committee of the Council. The subject was brought up on a report of the Committee of Contingencies recommending young Beaudry's appointment. A son of Senator De Lery was an applicant for the office, and it was believed the Government was favorable to his appointment. Mr. Beaudry, however, sent to Montreal for his son, put him into the office and set him to work, telling the other officials that he would be responsible for his appointment being ratified by the House and the Government. He was as good as his word, notwithstanding the most strenuous opposition on the part of Hon. Mr. Hearn and other members of the Council yesterday afternoon.

LATEST MAIL NEWS.

Scotland.

The coalmasters of Lanark and Stirlingshires, who met in Glasgow recently decided that miners' wages must be reduced.

The arrangement between the Scotch and Cleveland ironmasters as to a reduction of the make of pig-iron has been extended for a further period of six months.

Telegraphic communication with Shetland has been re-established, the steamer Morna having successfully grappled both ends of the Stronsay Firth cable and spliced it.

At Greenock a young man named James Anderson was sent to the bank by his employer to cash a £27 cheque. Instead of returning with the money he went home, put on his best clothes, and telling his sister he was going to Johnstone a message for his master, went off and has not been seen since.

A meeting of those favourable to the erection of a statue of Sir Walter Scott was held recently. It was stated that a replica of the statue executed by Sir John Steell, for New York could be obtained for about £1000. The idea was favorably entertained, and a committee was appointed to further the object.

Five lads, who, during a storm in November, had gone out from Greenock in a small boat to the rescue of two boys who were in great peril, were at Greenock sued for the price of the boat they had used. They had been driven over to the Helensburgh shore, and had drawn the boat up in safety, but it was destroyed during a subsequent storm. Sheriff Smith said it was no doubt a great misfortune that the pursuer had lost his boat, but the lads could not be held accountable for the destruction of the boat by a storm. He therefore assoilzied them, and complimented them on the bravery they had shown.

At a ploughing match near Inverness the other day a well-known advocate of total abstinence principles—a Councillor of the Royal Burgh—offered as a special prize a sum of money to the ploughman who had been a total abstainer for the longest period. When the time arrived for the distribution of the prizes, and when this particular sum of money was announced, the necessary inquiry was made among the men. The ploughmen were all frank enough in their replies. The result of investigation was this: The man who had abstained for the longest period was one who had "tasted nothing" since "dinner-time" the same day! This meant a period of about two hours.

Rumor has it that there was lately at St. Louis, Missouri, the Earl of Aberdeen, who is supposed to have been drowned years ago, and whose titles and estates descended to his brother, the present Earl of Aberdeen *de facto*. The supposed drowning, it appears, was merely a ruse to deceive the family, who naturally objected to the Earl's remaining a common sailor, in which romantic and adventurous vocation he had persisted for several years, and purposed to die. For 10 years he had been attached to a steamer running between New Orleans and Havana, and is about returning to Scotland, not to claim the title and estates, but to assist in the 200th anniversary of the creation of the Earldom of Aberdeen.

On a petition presented in the Sheriff Court, Dumfries, "Hugh Smith, doctor of medicine, lately residing in Woodford County, Kentucky, U.S.," has been served "second cousin german and nearest and lawful heir in general to the late Hugh Smith of Newton Airds, in the parish of Holywood and county of Dumfries." This is the first step in a legal process for contesting the will of the late Mr. Hugh Smith, who bequeathed the whole of his personal and real estate to shepherds, coachmen, foresters and others in his service, the personalty alone exceeding £60,000. An action for reduction of the will, in which Dr. Smith has been joined by his sisters (Mrs. Forsythe, Chicago, and Mrs. Gordon, Kentucky), has been raised in the Court of Session. The grandfathers of claimants and the late Mr. Smith were brothers. Dr. Smith's father was a D.D., and the pastor and intimate friend of Abraham Lincoln. On Lincoln becoming President of the U. S. he showed his regard for his pastor by appointing his son to the office of United States Consul at Dundee. Before the young man could enter upon the duties of the office, however, the Secession occurred, and he took up arms on the side of the South. The father continued a staunch Unionist, however, and the appointment was transferred to him. The reverend gentleman held it for ten years, during which time he resided at Dundee, where he died.

Nordheimer's Hall.—Wednesday evening, March 22nd, at 8 p. m. Free lecture by O. S. Fowler. Subject—"Causes of Failure, Means of Success," including self-improvement. He stops at St. Lawrence Hall.

Special Notice.

Ladies' Fingers as a Worm remedy. Who would have thought it? Children are fond of them; no wonder; 15 cents a box. Laviolette & Nelson, Druggists, Notre Dame street, opposite the Minerve office. 67-3

Wire egg boilers and stands, sand glasses, egg fryers, omelet pans, clothes wringers, washers, mangles, English iron bedsteads, spring beds, mattresses, house furnishing hardware of every description, and prices low, at L. J. A. Surveyer's, 188 Notre Dame st. (facing Court House). 54+

Every day brings in good news, is more than can be said of the general run of cough remedies. However, it is so with "Dr. Nelson's prescription." Every day we hear of some new instance where this remedy has cured most obstinate cases. 25 cents a bottle. Laviolette & Nelson, druggists. 67-3

New advertisements this p.m.

ANY LADY OR GENTLEMAN HAVING A GOOD Secondhand Gold Watch, they wish to sell, will please call on
HENRY GRANT,
68+ 26 Beaver Hall Terrace.

$50 WILL SUPPLY YOU with all necessary Hardware for furnishing your house, Table Knives, Plated Goods, Table Mats, Window Cornices, Tea and Coffee Pots, Stair Rods, Spoons, Fluting and Charcoal Irons, etc. T. B. PACY, 25 St. Lawrence Main street. 51+

LOST—A BROWN PAPER PARCEL CONtaining netting and needles. Finder will be rewarded 76 City Councillors street. 68 1

BOY WANTED—FOR FURNITURE STORE, 778 Craig street. 68 2

WANTED—AN OFFICE BOY. APPLY TO Girouard & Wurtele, 319 Notre Dame street. 68 1

WANTED—A BOY TO TAKE CHARGE OF a horse and make himself generally useful. Apply 11 Panet street, before 10 a. m. 68 1

WANTED—GOOD GENERAL SERVANT for small family. No washing. 55 St. Hubert. 68 4

WANTED—SERVANT FOR FAMILY OF two. Apply at 70 Coursol street. 68 1

WANTED—A GENERAL SERVANT; NO washing or ironing. 152 Lusignan street. 68 1

WANTED—BY A YOUNG MAN COMFORTable room and board, within ten minutes walk of Post Office. Address, "S. T. C.," STAR Office. 68 2

WANTED—NURSE GIRL, 142 MANSfield street. 68 3

WANTED—A THOROUGH SERVANT. Good references. Apply at 248 St. Antoine St. 68 2

WANTED—NURSE. APPLY AT 501 Sherbrooke street. 68 3

WANTED—A GOOD SMART BOY, ONE who has been accustomed to an office, and has some experience in making out invoices. Apply, stating age, to P. O. Box 1530. 68 3

WANTED—SITUATION AS OFFICE HAND or Salesman in Wholesale Warehouse, (Groceries preferred), by a young man of experience; satisfactory references if required. Address, "L. H. R.," STAR Office.

WANTED—SEWING GIRLS. 88 ST. George street. 68 1

WANTED—AN INVOICE CLERK ABOUT seventeen for a Wholesale House. Apply immediately stating reference, P. O. Box 1447. 68 3

WANTED—TO WATCHMAKERS—A first-class watchmaker. Henry Grant, 26 Beaver Hall Terrace. 68 1

WANTED—BY A YOUNG GIRL, SITUAtion as housemaid in a small family. 193 ... 68 1

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THE McNAMEE-WHELAN LIBEL CASE.

Preliminary Examination—The Defendant Committed for Trial.

The preliminary examination in the case of McNamee *vs.* Whelan, for criminal libel, was begun this afternoon before Mr. Desnoyers. Messrs. D. Macmaster and D. Barry appeared for the prosecution, and Mr. C. J. Doherty for the defence. Such a number of persons gathered, eager to hear the proceedings of this *cause celebre*, that it was found necessary to occupy the Court of Queen's Bench.

The deposition of F. B. McNamee says in brief that John Patrick Whelan, intending to injure him in the public estimation, had written and published a libellous article, containing defamatory matter concerning the deponent.

As the defence declined to cross-examine, Mr. Whelan was committed for trial at the Court of Queen's Bench on the 1st June.

The article on which the action for libel is based, charges Mr. McNamee firstly, that he was amongst the first to introduce Fenianism into Canada; secondly, that he endeavored to graft Fenianism in the St. Patrick's Society; thirdly, that he was a crimp and a bounty-breaker; fourthly, that he had offered a person money to "put daylight through a prominent citizen"; and fifthly, that he had passed as the absolute dictator in all matters affecting the Irish community, and was a disgrace and an incubus on the shoulders of the Irish people of this city.

THE "MORAVIAN" DISASTER.

A Dispute About the Salvage.

A rumor has been current in the city lately of a disagreement between the Dominion Government and Messrs. H. & A. Allan as to the salvage to be paid to the Government steamer "Newfield" for the assistance she rendered to the S.S. "Moravian" and for taking out a large portion of the stranded steamer's cargo. It was stated that the Steamship Company offered to pay the Government $500 a day for the use of their steamer, but the offer was refused, as it was not considered enough. Mr. Smith, the Messrs. Allan's Manager, on being interviewed by a STAR reporter this morning, although not denying that there was a disagreement between the Company and the Government, said that the rumor was very far fetched. That it had been started by a person altogether ignorant of the facts of the case, and that the "Newfield" had not saved a stick of the "Moravian's" cargo.

EXTRAORDINARY HASTE.

The Amendments to the City Charter "Put Through."

The important amendments to the city charter, crude drafts of which were forced through the City Council last Monday, were sent to Quebec yesterday. It was understood that they would be considered and revised by the Board of Chairmen before they were submitted to the Legislature. But it seems that the motion which passed the Council was so worded that literally it only required the Board of Chairmen to forward the amendments to the Legislature. Even this, however, has not been complied with, for the Board of Chairmen have not met since Monday, and the amendments have gone.

Coming of Age.

It often happens that the sons of rich parents live through half their lives sustained only by the questionable influence of great expectations. In many of these cases a father's death-bed is not looked upon as a family bereavement, creating a blank which nothing on earth can occupy. Its consequence means the division of an estate and very often the beginning of a life of idleness and dissipation. This is a proverbially true that exceptions to the rule excite astonishment while they command admiration. When a father declares his confidence in his children by creating opportunities for them and making them participants in the fruits of his success during his own life-time, he chooses a course that is as rare as it is unquestionably prudent.

These remarks are suggested by an event last night affecting the life of a promising young Montrealer who will shortly graduate from the University to take his place in the world. On the occasion of Jeffrey Hale Burland's 21st birthday, we hear that a number of friends were invited to his father's house to celebrate the occasion. The company were entertained by a very clever theatrical performance, "The Jacobites." Mr. Jeffrey Burland, taking the part of *John Duck*, received from the hands of *Patsy Pattle* what purported to be a slight reward for his devotion to the Jacobites. The reader can fancy Mr. Burland's astonishment and embarrassment when, upon reading the document, it was discovered to be a deed of gift from his father, Mr. G. B. Burland, to the value of $25,000. Mr. Burland, Jr., received the congratulations of a host of friends, to whom he has become attached by many sterling traits of character, which seem to justify his father's confidence.

Mr. Moody and Mr. Marcotte's Creditors

The statement in our issue of yesterday that Mr. Moody had been charged by Mr. Marcotte's creditors with fraud is not correct. Mr. Moody was arrested on a capias for $1,162.32, alleging that he was about to leave the country. The facts are that the creditors acting in Mr. Marcotte's name allege that Moody is indebted to the estate to the above amount, for goods sold by Marcotte to him. The defence is that the goods in question were only consigned to Mr Moody on commission since August last and that he has made advances to Marcotte by promissory notes to the extent of $14,000 which notes are in the hands of third parties and the value of the goods is about $21,000. Mr. Moody came from Winnipeg to Montreal and offered to give up the goods if the creditors would secure him against the notes, which they refused to do. Mr. Moody contends that although the goods were invoiced at $21,000 they are not worth more than his advances.

Postal.

European mails ex SS. "Polynesian," of the Allan Line, and SS. "Gallia," of the Cunard Line, arrived here to-day and are sorted. Letters, etc., addressed for street delivery will be delivered by the carriers to-morrow morning. Mails for Europe will be closed at the post-office as follows:—Thursday, 23rd inst., "Polynesian," 7 p.m.; Friday, 24th, "Celtic," 2.15 p.m.; Monday, 27th, "Gallia," 7 p.m.; supplementary by "Gallia," on Tuesday, 28th, 2.15.; Wednesday, 29th, "City of Montreal," 2.15 p.m., and Thursday, 30th, "Sarmatian," 7 p.m. Mails for Japan, Shanghai, &c., will be despatched from San Francisco on the 1st and 19th April, and for Sandwich Islands, Australia, &c., from San Francisco, on the 8th April. Mails from Australia are due at Montreal about 31st March and 28th April.

Rise in Gas Stock.

Gas stock was very strong this afternoon and "bears" were badly worsted. It is rumored that the company will declare quarterly dividends and that the rest has been increased to $168,000. Mr. Crawford is said to have given notice that at the annual meeting in April he would propose that $100.000 of the rest be divided among the shareholders. The real estate of the company is alleged to be worth at least $350,000. The dividend declared yesterday represents a sum of $126,000.

Another C. P. R. Conductor's Box Stolen.

The Superintendent of the City Passenger Railway stables at St. Jean Baptiste Village left his office for a few minutes this morning, and on his return found that a conductor's box had been taken from a cupboard, in which it had been placed, and which he had neglected to lock. The box is supposed to have contained about ten dollars.

Sale of a Bankrupt Estate.

The insolvent estate of T. Larin & Co., of St. Peter and St. Paul streets, was sold at auction to-day. The manufactured stock and stock under manufacture brought 68c on the dollar, the book debts 48c and the machinery 24½c. The creditors expect the whole estate to bring them in about 25c in the dollar.

Another Escape.

A convict named Alexandre Bertrand, sentenced to three years' imprisonment for stealing a harness, escaped last night from St. Vincent de Paul Penitentiary. At last accounts he had not been recaptured.

CITY ITEMS.

—The Board of Chairmen met this afternoon, and the members were surprised to find that the amendments had already passed beyond their reach.

—Yesterday morning a driver in the employ of Mr. D. Morrice, while driving a truck along St. Mary street, fell from his seat and one of the wheels of the conveyance passed directly over his head; although the truck weighed some 750 pounds, the man, strange to say, escaped serious injury.

Evening Telegrams

AMERICAN.

TELEGRAPHIC CONSOLIDATION DENIED.—New York, March 22.—George W. Ballou, Vice-President and Acting-President of the Mutual Union Telegraph Company, authorizes an absolute denial of the reports which are being persistently circulated as to a consolidation or amalgamation of this company with the Western Union Company, or that the latter company has obtained control of the Mutual Union Company. He pronounces the reports false and without any foundation whatever.

FLOODS IN OHIO.—Cincinnati, March 22.—On Monday night, before the rain, the Ohio river gauged 25 feet. Last night it was 40 feet higher, and will rise about 2 feet more. Bridges are reported down and railroad tracks washed out in all directions. Reports indicate that the storm extended from the Lakes to Central Kentucky and from the Mississippi river to the Alleghanies.

MURDER AND THREATENED LYNCHING.—Montgomery, Ala., March 22.—Two young men, named Moon, were arrested at Cherokee County on suspicion of murdering an old aunt for the money. The prisoners were taken to Gadsden, where a mob threatens to lynch them. Troops have been ordered to prepare to go to the scene at a moment's warning.

DISORDERLY STRIKERS.—Cleveland, Ohio, March 22.—Three men, supposed to be strikers, fired twenty shots last evening at two workmen leaving the stove works here. None of the shots took effect. The strikers then severely pounded one workman with the butt of a revolver and escaped.

THE MISSISSIPPI FLOODS.—Natchez, Miss., March 22.—The Sargent levee gave way yesterday. The wind forced the water over the levee two and one-half miles. A stream of water is running over Concordia Parish. It is almost certain Vidalia will be submerged.

LABOR TROUBLES.—Omaha, March 22.—There were premonitions yesterday of a possible recurrence of the labor excitement. A crowd yesterday renewed their insults against the militia.

COAL DEPOT.—Chicago, March. 77.—The Lehigh Valley Railway has purchased dock facilities and will establish a coal depot here.

OBIT.—Sheffield, Mass., March 22.—Dr. Orville Dewey, a well-known Unitarian divine, died yesterday, aged 88.

JOTTINGS FROM QUEBEC.

Quebec Merchants Join the Eastern Syndicate—The Government Railway Scheme sure to Carry—Mr. Chapleau's Illness—The Murder Inquest.

[SPECIAL DESPATCH TO THE STAR.]

Quebec, March 22.—Little doubt now remains that a number of Quebec leading merchants have been finally induced to enter the Eastern Syndicate. Neither Mr. J. G. Ross nor Mr. Withall, who is President of the Quebec Bank, deny that they have entered the Syndicate. Both are largely interested in the Lake St. John Railroad, and it is believed to have been made a condition of the present Syndicate arrangements being carried through, that large assistance will be given that enterprise by the Local Government, and also that large sums will be placed in the estimates for the completion of the Parliament House in Quebec. This intelligence will quite revolutionize public opinion in Quebec in favor of the Government scheme, and there is not the slightest doubt that it will carry. Messrs. Ross, Tarbe & Co., conspirators, may be considered as used up for the present with the approaching termination of the present crisis. There is no longer any doubt as to the action of the Legislative Council. Government will have at least five of a majority. in the House of 24. Two or three Legislative Councillors who were opposed to the measure now promise to support it. Mr. Seneeal and his friends, who left for Montreal last night, kept the train waiting nearly an hour until Messrs. Ross and Withall, who were closeted with Mr. Chapleau, gave a final answer. They then left in high glee. A director of the Richelieu Company, now in town informed your correspondent this morning that now that the Railroad question was virtually settled, the negotiations for the sale of the upper line of the Company's boats, which were held back on account of the late railroad uncertainty, will be immediately concluded.

A rumor that Mr. Chapleau's illness is exaggerated or due to railroad complications and difficulties is absolutely false. The hon. gentleman has had a really serious attack of bronchitis, and is much weakened.

The inquest on the body of the murdered man Genest drags very slowly. The opinion is that no one will be convicted of the crime, although the doctor deposes that death resulted from the wounds inflicted upon the head.

To-days' sitting of the House is likely to be short and uninteresting.

Mr. Carbray, M.P.P., Quebec West, just arrived from Europe, was introduced in the House this afternoon.

Mr. Chapleau is still unable to be present.

The committee on legislation report in favor of bills being referred to them only after the second reading.

The private bills committee to-day were occupied over the consideration of town of Lachine bill.

The railway committee passed the bills to incorporate the Canada Phosphate and Mining Company, and Sherbrooke Mining and Smelting Company.

JOTTINGS FROM OTTAWA.

The Conservative Caucus—Matters Discussed.

[SPECIAL DESPATCH TO THE STAR.]

Ottawa, March 22.—At the Conservative caucus this forenoon, among other things considered was the proposed redistribution of seats, especially as regards divisions in Ontario. Sir John Macdonald, it is said, addressed his followers, disapproving of any party feeling being allowed to influence the divisions as unworthy of the great Conservative party. In regard to the elections, the Premier said that while there was no saying just when they would come off, it was enough to be ready. This confirms the feeling that if all goes well, next Spring is the time fixed. The Quebec difficulty, it is authoritatively said, was not discussed.

In spite of contradiction last night, it may be stated authoritatively that the Government, or at least Sir John Macdonald, is interesting itself in the Temporalities' Bill.

Sir John takes the opportunity to-day to examine the bills and also the Privy Council judgment. What this interest shown by the Government will result in, is another thing. It is understood that the Church of Scotland has an offer of compromise ready.

A Warning to Doctors.

The Chinese authorities of Shanghai recently issued a quaint decree respecting the neglect of physicians to attend at once on their patients, and the high fees which they charge. They give notice that it is the duty of all physicians to use their knowledge for the benefit of the people; when people are sick they must be ready to attend upon them whenever they are sent for, without regarding the hour of the night or day, or the state of the weather. When people are ill they long for the presence of the doctor as the grain of seed longs for the rains. Instead of doing this however, the physicians now think that they possess great skill, and not only charge high fees, but insist on being paid full hire for their chair coolies, and they do not care what becomes of the patient so that they get their fees. If these were only charged to the wealthy it would not so much matter; but the poor have to pay them also. An evil practice (the decree goes on) also exists by which doctors will not visit their patients before one o'clock in the afternoon. Some will even smoke opium and drink tea until late in the evening. These are abuses, the magistrates say, which they will on no account permit. Doctors must attend their patients at all times. They must, if necessary, visit them several times daily; they must think more of them and less of their fees. Notice, therefore, is given to all officials and people that a physician who does not attend when he is called must only receive half his fees and half his chair hire. "If you physicians delay your visits you show your wickedness, and sin against yourselves." The decree is a model one for a paternal government; argument, entreaty, objurgation, exposition, threats, are all mingled in due proportions.—*Nature.*

The First Ice Shove.

The first movement of the ice this Spring occurred last evening, when a slight shove of the ice over the submerged Island wharf took place, leaving an open space of water about twenty yards square over the pier connecting the island with the wharf opposite the Custom House. A large piece of ice over the channel along the Long Wharf detached itself from the main portion this morning, and was carried down to the bottom of the air hole at the end of the wharf.

COMMERCIAL.

Chicago, 1.01 p.m.—Pork, $16.85 March and April, $17.05; May, $17.22½ June. Lard, $10.67½ March and April, $10.82½ May, $10.95 June. 1.03 p.m.—Wheat $1.35 March, $1.36 April, $1.30½ May, $1.29½ June, $1.25¼ July. Corn, 63c March and April, 68½c May and July, 58c year.

To-day in Chicago wheat opened at 1.31½ May; with receipts of 37,000 bushels; shipments 1,000. The latest despatches available for THE STAR 2 p.m. edition quoted wheat at 1.32½ to 1.32 May; 1.30½ June, 1.27½ July, pork at 17.57½ June, lard at 10.90 May, and Corn at 69¾ April.

Holmes Bros., spinners, of Bradford, have failed; liabilities, £60,000.

The National Glucose and Grape Sugar Association yesterday afternoon advanced the price of glucose to 3½c per pound net cash.

A Kansas City despatch says:—Passenger rates from Missouri points were demoralized yesterday. tickets selling to New York for $16 and $15, a cut of $10 and $12. The fare to Chicago went as low as $2 and $5 was the general rate, except on the Chicago and Alton, which maintained the rate at $7. The Wabash and St. Louis and Iron Mountain followed the cutting. The existence of two hundred old Wabash cheap unlimited tickets in the hands of scalpers caused the difficulty.

We have received, through Mr. A. E. G. Montgomery, a sample of wheat grown on the farm of McFarlane Bros., settlers in the Battle River Valley, three miles from Battleford. The yield was 30 bushels to the acre, and the grain weighed about 65 lbs to the bushel.

There was a moderate demand for flour to-day, and sales were reported as follows:—125 barrels Superior Extra, $6.07½; 125 Extra Superfine, $5.97½; 600 Extra, $5.10; 100 Pollards, $3.50; 125 Middlings, $3.30; 50 Fine, $4.67½.

Flour.—Superior Extra, $5.05 to 6.10; Extra Superfine, $5.90 to 6.00; Fancy, $6.00; Spring Extra, $6.75 to 5.85; Superfine, $5.40 to 5.50; Canada Strong Bakers', $6.25 to 6.50; American Strong Bakers', $7.25 to 8.00; Fine, $4.50 to $4.60; Middlings, $3.60 to 3.80; Pollards, $3.60 to $3.80; Ontario Bags, Medium to strong, $2.90 to $3; Spring Extra, $2.75 to 2.85; Superfine, $2.50 to $2.65; City Bags (delivered), $3.80 to 4.00.

Receipts in Montreal.—Oats, 2,300 bushels; flour, 650 brls; ashes, 27; butter, 32 pkgs; leather, 550 rolls; Tobacco, 71 cases.

Potatoes are quoted at $4.95 to 5.05.

Beerbohm's English advices:—Floating cargoes: wheat strong; corn steady. Cargoes on passage and for shipment: wheat strong; corn firm. Mark Lane wheat and corn improving. Medium Chicago or Milwaukee wheat off coast, 49s 6d: Red Winter 51s 6d to 52s. California 48s to 48s 6d. English and French country wheat markets firm. Liverpool wheat, spot, firm, corn steady. Liverpool American Western Mixed corn, 6s 4½d. Canadian peas, 6s 10d. On passage for the Continent:—Wheat, 780,000 qrs: corn, 120,000. Imports into United Kingdom for week ended March 21st:—Wheat, 296 to 300,000 qrs; corn, 60 to 80,000; flour, 150 to 155,000 brls. For week ended March 14th:—Wheat 300 to 305,000 qrs; corn 70 to 75,000.

Chicago, 2:30 p.m.—Wheat, $1.30½ May, $1.29½ June, $1.25½ to ½ July; $1.14½ August.

Wholesale Provision Market.

A fair jobbing trade is being transacted at commission houses. Letters from the Morrisburg district state that Americans have again been looking around for fancy selections, and we learn that one buyer was on this market, but was unable to secure what he wanted. New milk butter can be quoted at 26c to 28c, and rolls at 17c to 21c. Cheese is being peddled out to grocers at 12½c to 13c. Eggs are quiet at 15c. Over-sugared syrup is worth $1.00 to 1.10 per wine gallon. We quote prices as follows: Butter—Townships, per lb, 22c to 26c; Morrisburg, per lb, 21c to 25c; Brockville, per lb, 20c to 23c; Western dairy, per lb, 17c to 19c; Kamouraska, per lb, 16c to 16c. Mess pork, Western, per brl, $20.50 to $21.00; Mess pork, Canada short cut, $21.00 to $21.50; Thin do, per brl, $20.00; hams, city-cured, per lb, 13c to 14c; lard, per lb, 13½c to 14c; bacon, per lb, 12c to 13c.

Toronto Produce Market.

Market firm all over. Flour wanted at $5.60 bid for Superior Extra, but none offered. Wheat advanced: No 2 Fall sold at equal to $1.27 here; Spring wanted at quotations. Oats rather easy. Barley steady: No. 1 sold at 86c, and Extra No. Sat 78c. Peas in better demand at quotations. Potatoes quiet, but cars probably worth $1.10. Eggs easy at 13½c to 14c. Wheat—Fall, No. 1, $1.29 to 1.30; Fall No. 2, $1.27 to $0.00; No. 3, $1.23 to 1.24. Spring, No. 1, $1.30 to 0.00; No. 2, $1.28 to 0.00; No. 3, $0.00. Barley, No. 1 86c; No. 2, 82c; No. 3 Extra, 78c; No. 3, 73c. Peas, No. 1, 79c to 80c; No. 2, 78c to 00c. Oats, No. 1, 40c to 41c. Flour, Superior $5.60 to $5.60; Extra, $5.50 to 0.00. Bran, $15. Clover seed, $4.60 to 4.80. Timothy, $3.10 to $3.35. Butter, 13c to 20c.

Finance and Commerce.

Morning Stock Sales.—125 Montreal 214, 14 do. 214½; 50 Ontario, 65; 550 do. 65½; 220 do. 65¾; 100 do. 66; 50 do. 65½; 50 do. 65¾; 250 Richelieu, 133½; 10 do. 133½; 25 Toronto, 176; 25 Commerce, 146½; 260 do. 147; 32 Jacques Cartier, 114½; 3 Exchange, 153; 525 Gas, 173½; 100 do. 173¾; 1,000 do. 174; 25 do. 174½; 400 do. 174¾; 85 do. 174¾; 275 do. 174½; 175 do. 174¾; 25 do. 174½; 50 do. 174¾; 300 Montreal Telegraph, 122½; 75 do. 123; 25 do. 123½; 150 do. 123¾; 200 do. 124½; 10 do. 125; 40 do. 124½; 275 do. 124½; 15 Richelieu, 60; 25 do. 61; 75 City Passenger, 144.

The local money market is quiet with rates at 5 to 6 per cent. Sterling exchange is dull at the following rates:—9½ to 9¾ premium for 60-day bills between banks, 9½ premium over the counter, 10½ demand. Drafts on New York are drawn at 1-16 to ¼ prem.

On the Stock Exchange this morning stocks were irregular. Bank of Montreal advanced ½, Ontario ½, Commerce ¼, and Richelieu ¼ per cent. Montreal Telegraph declined ½, Gas ¼, and City Passenger ½.

The reason why Gas stock did not "jump" to any extent this morning is owing, it is said, to the fact that the effect of the increased dividend has been more than discounted, and that the immense amount of stock is held by speculators on small margin, said speculators being now anxious to "scalp" a profit by selling out their stock.

This afternoon Montreal declined ½, Ontario ½, Merchants ½, Montreal Telegraph ½ and City Passenger ½ per cent. Gas advanced 1 per cent. Other stocks about steady.

LATEST PRICES—STOCKS, &c.

Liverpool, March 21, 5 p.m. March 22, 5 p.m.

	a.	d.	a.	d.	a.	d.	a.	d.
Flour, per cwt.	10	0	12	0	10	0	12	0
Spring Wheat	9	6	10	0	9	0	10	0
Red Winter	9	6	10	7	9	6	10	6
White Winter	9	5	9	8	9	6	9	6
Oats	6	6	6	8	6	6	6	8
Corn (new), per cwt.	6	3	6	3½	6	1	6	0
Corn (old), per cwt.	6	4½	0	0	6	3	0	0
Peas, per central	6	3	6	4	6	3	0	0
Barley	5	2	5	10	5	2	0	0
Peas	6	11	0	0	6	11	0	0
Pork	76	0	80	0	76	0	00	0
Lard	53	3	0	0	53	9	00	0
New Beef	00	0	0	0	00	0	00	0
Bacon (new)	46	6	0	0	46	6	48	0
Tallow	41	6	0	0	41	6	00	0
Cheese (new)	61	6	0	0	*51	6	00	0

*Summer Make.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

Reported by Macdougall Bros., Stock Brokers, St. Francois Xavier street. March 22.

	Op'g.	Cl'sg.		Op'g.	Cl'sg.
W. U. Tel.	85¾	86⅝	Union P. x d.	114⅝	114⅝
Lake Shore	118	118	N. Y. C.	136	136
Pacific Mail	42¼	42⅝	Man Biv		56
Erie	35	37⅝	Readings	60¼	60
Do 2nd	65¼	66¼	Kansas & T.	30⅝	30⅝
Do. Pref.			Ghesh & O.		22⅞
Ohio & Miss.	34⅜	34⅜	Can. Southern		50⅝
North-West.	133¾	134	Paul & O.	39½	39½
Do Pref.		141½	Do Pref	106⅜	105⅝
St. Paul	114½	114⅝	D R.	59⅜	61
Do Pref.		84½	N. J. C.	33¼	33¼
Rock Island		123	San Francisco		40
Ill. Central		136½	Texas Pac	45⅝	45¼
C. R. & Q.		132¾	Gen Pac.	93	92¾
C.C. & I. C.		111⅝	Exchange		
Wabash	35¾	35¾	Money		
Do Pref	60	60⅞	St. Paul & Man.		120½

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE.

Reported for THE STAR by L. J. Forget & Co., stock brokers, No. 325, Notre Dame street, March 22.

Last Semi-annual dividend.	BANKS.	Close prev. day. Bid.	Close prev. day. Asked.	To-day's Close. Bid.	To-day's Close. Asked.
4 p.c. & 1 b.	Montreal	214	214½	213½	214
2 p.c.	Ontario	64¾	65	64¾	65
3 p.c.	Du Peuple	97	98	97	98
3 p.c.	Molsons	125½	127	125½	
3½	Toronto	176½	177	177	177½
3½	Jacq. Cartier	115	120	116	120
3½	Merchants	133¼	133¾	132¾	133
3½	E. Townships	120		120	
2½ p.c.	Union	92	93		
4 p.c.	Commerce	146	146¾	146¾	147
2½	Ville-Marie	96	100	96	100
3 p.c.	Hochelaga				
4 p.c.	Exchange	153		156	
	MISCELLANEOUS.				
4 p.c.	Mon. T. Co.	122¾	123¼	121	121½
	St. Paul	121½			
2½	Dom. Tel. Co.				
2½	R. & O. Nav. Co	60	60¾	60½	61
6 p.c. p. an.	City Pass	144	144½	142½	144
6 p.c.	Duty Gas Co.	174¾	175	175	175¾
3½	Loan & Mort. Co				
3 p.c. p. an.	Royal Can. Ins.				
6 p.c.	Canada Cotton			142½	150
5 p.c. & 2 b.	Dundas Cotton			126½	127½
5 p.c.	Mon. C. Co.				
6 p.c.	Can. Shipping				100
	Canada Paper				120
	Mont. Ben. Ass.				
3 p.c.	Graphic				

BIRTHS.

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OR, THE COURIER OF THE CZAR.

BY JULES VERNE.

PART II.

CHAPTER III.—*Continued.*

Just as Nadia was ever there, ready to help the old Siberian, so Michael Strogoff, who was free to move about, rendered to his companions in misfortune, who were weaker than himself, all the services that his situation permitted. Some he encouraged, others he sustained; he did not spare himself, but went and came until the lance of a horse soldier compelled him to take the place in the ranks which had been assigned to him.

It was his fixed intention to go as far as Tomsk at the Emir's expense, and upon the whole, he was right. And to see the numerous detachments that scoured the plain on the flanks of the convoy, at one time on the south, at another on the north, it was evident he could not have made two versts without being retaken. Tartar horsemen swarmed on all sides; sometimes it seemed as if they rose from the very ground like those troublesome little insects we see disporting in the sun's rays after a shower of rain in the Summer-time. Moreover, flight under such circumstances, would have been extremely difficult, if not altogether impossible.

At length on the 15th of August, toward evening the convoy reached the little town of Zabedeiro, some thirty versts from Tomsk. At this place the route again lay along the course of the Tom.

The first movement of the prisoners would have been to throw themselves into the waters of this river, but their guardians did not permit them to break the ranks until all things had been arranged for the halt. Although the Tom was swollen and flowing with the rapidity of a torrent at this season of the year, the most severe measures of watchfulness were taken lest it should present a favorable means of flight to some bold and desperate prisoner. Boats, procured at Zabedeiro, were stationed at certain distances along the Tom, and formed a chain of obstacles impossible to surmount. As regards the line of the encampment, resting on the first houses of the village, it was guarded by a cordon of sentinels that could not be broken.

All this night the prisoners were to camp on the banks of the Tom. The Emir, in fact, had deferred until the next day the entry of his troops into Tomsk. It had been decided that a military display should mark the inauguration of the Tartar headquarters in this important city. Feofar-Khan already occupied its fortress, but the body of his army bivouacked under the walls, waiting for the moment to make a solemn entry.

Ivan Ogareff had left the Emir at Tomsk where they had both arrived the evening before, and he returned to the encampment at Zabedeiro. Next day he had to start from this place with the rear-guard of the Tartar army. A house had been placed at his disposal where he could stay the night. At sunrise, under his command, horse and foot set-out for Tomsk, where the Emir wished to receive them with all the pomp and display of an Asiatic sovereign.

When the orders for a halt had been given, the prisoners, worn out with a three days' journey, a prey to the most burning thirst, could at length quench their thirst and take some repose.

The sun had already set, but the horizon was still lit up by the twilight, when Nadia, supporting Marfa Strogoff, reached the banks of the Tom. The two had not been able, so far, to penetrate the ranks of those who thronged the high bank, and they came to drink in their turn.

The old Siberian beat over the fresh stream, and Nadia, having plunged her hands into it, carried it to the lips of Marfa. Then she refreshed herself in her turn. The cold water of the pure stream seemed to give back life to the old woman and the young girl. Suddenly Nadia, as she left the banks, straightened herself. An involuntary cry escaped her lips.

Michael Strogoff was there, and only some paces from her! It was he!

At the cry of Nadia, Michael Strogoff had started, but he had sufficient command of himself not to utter a word which could compromise him.

And yet at the very moment that Nadia had recognized him he had recognized his mother! Michael Strogoff, at this unexpected meeting, not feeling himself to be any longer master of himself, raised his hands to his eyes, and immediately left the spot. Nadia was instinctively hastening forward to rejoin him, when the old Siberian whispered these words in her ear:

"Stay, my daughter!"

"It is he!" answered Nadia, in a voice trembling with emotion. "He lives, mother! it is he!"

"It is my son," answered Marfa Strogoff; "it is Michael Strogoff, and you see that I do not take one step toward him. Follow my example."

Michael Strogoff had just experienced one of the most violent emotions which it is ever given man to feel. His mother and Nadia were there. Those two prisoners, each of whom seemed to hold the first place in his heart, were there joined with him in one common misfortune. Did Nadia know who he was? No, for he had seen the gesture of Marfa Strogoff holding her back at the moment she was about to rush upon him. Marfa Strogoff had understood all, and kept her secret.

During the night, Michael Strogoff was twenty times on the point of seeking to join his mother, but he fully understood that he must resist the immense desire of folding her in his arms, and of pressing once more to the heart of her young companion! The least imprudence could bring him to utter ruin. Moreover, he had sworn not to see his mother, he had not seen her at least willingly! Once arrived at Tomsk, since he could not flee that very night, he would throw himself across the steppes, without having embraced the two beings in whom his whole life was centered, and leave them exposed to so many dangers!

Michael Strogoff could then hope that this fresh and unexpected meeting at the camp of Zabedeiro would have no injurious consequences, neither for his mother nor for himself. But he did not know that certain particulars of that scene, rapidly as it had passed, had been gained by Sangarre, the spy of Ivan Ogareff.

The Tsigane was there a few paces from the bank, watching as ever the old Siberian, without her suspecting it. She had not been able to perceive Michael Strogoff, who had already disappeared when she turned round; but the gesture of the mother, withholding Nadia, had not escaped her, and a light from Marfa's eyes told her everything.

There was no longer any doubt that the son of Marfa Strogoff the courier of the Czar, was now at Zabedeiro, among the prisoners of Ivan Ogareff!

Sangarre did not know him, but she knew he was there! She did not then attempt to discover him, a thing which would have been impossible in the midst of this numerous crowd.

As for again spying after Nadia and Marfa Strogoff, this was equally useless. It was evident that these two women would be on their guard, and it would be impossible to seize by surprise anything of a nature to compromise the courier of the Czar.

The Tsigane had then only one thought—to warn Ivan Ogareff. Wherefore she immediately left the camp.

A quarter of an hour afterward she arrived at Zabedeiro, and was shown into the house occupied by the lieutenant of the Emir.

Ivan Ogareff immediately received the Tsigane.

"What do you wish, Sangarre?" he asked.

"The son of Marfa Strogoff is at the camp," answered Sangarre.

"A prisoner?"

"A prisoner!"

"Ah!" cried Ivan Ogareff, "I knew——"

"You knew nothing, Ivan," said the Tsigane, "for you do not even know him!"

"But do you know him? You have seen him, Sangarre?"

"I have not seen him, but I saw his mother betray herself by a movement which has told me everything."

"Do you not deceive yourself?"

"I do not."

"You know the importance I attach to the arrest of this courier," said Ivan Ogareff. "If the letter which was sent to him from Moscow reaches Irkutsk, and it should be handed to the Grand Duke, the Grand Duke would be on his guard, and I should not be able to catch him! I must have this letter at any price. Now, you have just told me that the bearer of this letter is in my power! I repeat it, Sangarre, do you not deceive yourself?"

Ivan Ogareff had spoken with great animation. His emotion bore testimony to the extreme importance he attached to the possession of this letter. Sangarre was not at all troubled with the persistency of the fresh inquiry.

"I am not deceived, Ivan," she answered.

"But, Sangarre, there are at the camp several thousand prisoners, and you say you do not know Michael Strogoff?"

"No," answered the Tsigane, whose face lit up with a savage joy. "I, indeed, do not know