THE EVENING STAR.

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THE BOYS' DAISY, WHERE BRUIN SITS AT THE DOOR.

HENRY E. JUNOD,
HAT, CAP AND FUR EMPORIUM,
194 NOTRE DAME STREET, NEARLY OPPOSITE THE COURT-HOUSE. 83

HATS! HATS! HATS!
ALL THE LATEST SPRING STYLES
IN
AMERICAN, FRENCH, AND ENGLISH HATS.
A fine assortment just received, and at extraordinary low prices.
Be sure and give us a call.

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THE ROYAL FOOD.
THE NEW DIET FOR INFANTS, INVALIDS, CONVALESCENTS, &c.
Better liked than any food yet introduced.
NEVER TURNS SOUR,
LIGHT AND DELICIOUS,
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THE ROYAL FOOD
is sold by all Chemists and respectable Grocers, and Wholesale and Retail, at the

MEDICAL HALL,
37 JAMES STREET,
AND
PHILLIPS SQUARE,
in packages, 25 cents and 50 cents each. 114

TO THE AFFLICTED.—I wish to state that I have removed my consulting rooms to the Mechanics' Bank Chambers, No. 194 St. James street, and that I will, as usual, pay special attention to chronic diseases of all kinds, particularly those *of a character that need not be mentioned*, resulting in more misery than all the other sins in this world put together. Nervous Debility, Morbid Sensitiveness, Loss of Memory, Lack of Confidence, Indecision of Character, Depression of Spirits, Incapacity to apply the mind to any Occupation, Imbecility, Impotency, and sometimes *almost total impotence*. All of which can be corrected by restoring the vital forces, which can be done without the usual drug and nostrum practice, by which thousands have been injured or *murdered*. I have practised my peculiar mode of treatment for eight years, and during that time have treated an immense number in all parts of the world, in the best walks of life, and not one can say that I have ever done them an injury, and nearly all can say that I have cured them. Patients can be treated without my seeing them, no matter how great a distance, but those in the city must call and see me at my office. Office hours from 9 to 11 a.m., 2 to 4, and 7 to 10 p.m. Private and confidential.
M. H. UTLEY, M.D.
295-12m

A Marvellous Medical Discovery,
THE DIAMOND
RHEUMATIC CURE.

RHEUMATISM is a painful disease, characterized by an inflamed state of the fibrous tissue. It principally affects the larger joints and places covered by the muscles, as the wrists, elbows, knees, hip-joints, back and loins. Rheumatism is very often fatal when it attacks the vital organs, as the heart, which, in severe cases, it is very apt to do. Rheumatism may occur either with fever or without it, being in the former case termed acute, in the latter *chronic*.

ACUTE RHEUMATISM, OR RHEUMATIC FEVER, is generally ushered in with a chill, the body is cold or intensely hot, after having been heated, and commences with violent pains in the joints, which are soon followed by local restlessness, and other feverish symptoms. As acute pain is soon felt in one or more of the joints, it is followed in a short time by swelling and great tenderness, or more of the large joints, with much mobility of pain from one joint to another. One remarkable feature of it is its tendency to remove from one part to another, after a short time, the pain and swelling, and making it appear more in another, and again going back to its original seat.

In simple cases a sometimes one or two doses suffice. In the most chronic cases it is sure to give way in the use of two or three bottles. By this efficient and simple remedy hundreds of dollars are saved to those who can least afford to throw it away, as surely it is by the pain it relieves and cures.

ANOTHER WELL-KNOWN CITIZEN SPEAKS.

Montreal, April 28th, 1874.

MESSRS. DEVINS & BOLTON

Gents,—Unsolicited by you, I wish to bear testimony to the value of the DIAMOND RHEUMATIC CURE. During the whole of the past winter I have been a great sufferer from that very common and painful affliction, Rheumatism.

I was induced, by hearing of so many marvellous cures accomplished by the Agent, Mr. Conner, during a few weeks stay at the St. Lawrence Hall, to purchase a bottle. Suffice it to say, that without any faith in the nostrum and its results, before I had used less than half a bottle, I was completely cured. More than two years have now elapsed, and I am still all right—free from pain, and with no indications of its return.

For the benefit of suffering humanity, I gave pass around my testimony and experience with the "Diamond Rheumatic Cure."

Truly yours,
J. B. RUSS,
Oyster and Fruit Dealer,
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This medicine is for sale at all Druggists throughout the Province. If it happens that your druggist has not got it in stock, ask him to send for it to

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NOTRE DAME STREET, MONTREAL.
General Agents for Province of Quebec.

Price $1 per bottle. Large bottles, $2 107

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INTERCOLONIAL COAL MINING COMPANY,
DRUMMOND COLLIERY,
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OFFER FOR SALE F.O.B.,
IN PICTOU HARBOUR,
THEIR CELEBRATED
STEAM & HOUSEHOLD COAL,
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Apply to
H. A. BUDDEN, Vice-President,
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CHEAP COAL,
No. 51 McGILL STREET.

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1,000 of WELCH ANTHRACITE JUST RECEIVED
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JAMES SHEARER, manufacturer of Mouldings, Sashes, Doors, Blinds, Architraves, Sartrings, Turnings, Scroll Sawing, Planing, and every description of Stairs and Handrails, furnished ready to fit up, or fitted up in building. Fancy Newels and Balusters of latest patterns, of every kind of wood. Verandahs, Balconies and Bridge Timbers, Cedars, Deals, Scantlings, and every description of sawn lumber.
Yard: 87 Bonaventure street, corner of Craig.
Factory: St. Gabriel Locks. 74-ly

COPYING PRESSES,
IMPROVED PATTERNS.
GEORGE HODGE & SON,
71 & 73 St. Francois Xavier street.
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FURNITURE, &c.

A. BELANGER
begs to announce that he has just concluded extensive improvements on and additions to his establishment, and takes this opportunity of inviting his patrons and the public to visit (whether with a view to purchasing or not) his Stock of carefully finished FURNITURE of the newest style, as well as a fine selection of FANCY FURNITURE, too large for enumeration; the whole marked at a price to defy competition.

276 NOTRE DAME STREET,
MONTREAL. 90-1m

CHRISTMAS PRESENTS.
CABINET FURNITURE,
AT
No. 443 Notre Dame street.
The subscribers have just opened an elegant and unique assortment of
FANCY BRACKETS, WALL POCKETS, MUSIC STANDS, &c.
They would also call particular attention to an unusually varied assortment of
CABINET FURNITURE OF EVERY DESCRIPTION,
IRON BEDSTEADS, BEDDING, &c., &c.,
All at the most moderate prices.
J. & W. HILTON
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PAINTERS, &c.

GRUNDELL & YOUNG,
HOUSE, SIGN, AND FRESCO
PAINTERS,
No. 94 Bleury Street, Montreal.
GRAINING, PAPER-HANGING, GLAZING, COLORING, &c., &c.
GLASS GILDING AND EMBOSSING.
Special attention given to Banners and Window Shades. 83-3m

WHITE LEAD AND COLOR WORKS.
A. RAMSAY & SON,
have the pleasure of announcing to the Trade generally, that their Lead & Color Works are now thoroughly and complete, with the most improved plant and motive power, enabling them to supply White Leads and Colors, ground in oil, of most reliable qualities, and in packages most suitable for the Trade. Their Special Brands they offer confidently to the Trade, being determined to establish a reputation in this branch of their business for manufacturing the most satisfactory and serviceable goods.
Ochres, Umbers, Siennas, Oxides, and all descriptions of ordinary Colors, put up in tins handsomely labelled. Facilities for shipment, they offer their productions in any quantity desired, and in packages to suit buyers.
Works: Corner Inspector and College streets.
Warehouse: Recollet street. 79

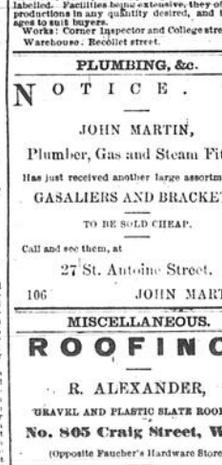
PLUMBING, &c.

NOTICE.
JOHN MARTIN,
Plumber, Gas and Steam Fitter,
Has just received another large assortment of
GASALIERS AND BRACKETS.
TO BE SOLD CHEAP.
Call and see them, at
27 St. Antoine Street.
106 JOHN MARTIN.

MISCELLANEOUS.

ROOFING.
R. ALEXANDER,
TRAVEL AND PLASTIC SLATE ROOFER,
No. 805 Craig Street, West,
(Opposite Faucher's Hardware Store.)
REPAIRS will have the most careful attention, and be done as promptly as possible. 46

CRYSTAL GASALIERS.



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(BIRMINGHAM)
MANUFACTURE.
SAMPLES ON VIEW IN OUR SHOW-ROOM.
ROBT. MITCHELL & CO.,
Montreal Brass Works. 96

GRAND DESIDERATUM IN OPTICS.—SPECTACLES PAR EXCELLENCE.
Long practice in the sale of Spectacles has shown the want of a perfect lens in a light and durable frame. Students, Lawyers, Judges, Book-keepers, and all whose eyes are excessively taxed can be helped by Tinted Lenses, now recommended by the most eminent Physicians for weak and disordered vision. All these requirements are met in a newly-invented Spectacle, which the undersigned has the pleasure to offer in White, Light Blue, and Violet Tints of every Focus, so that al possible satisfaction in fitting can be guaranteed. The Lenses for these Spectacles are specially manufactured from minute Pebbles, melted together, and producing a lens ensuring clear and distinct vision. Price moderate. Sole Agent, G. J. HUBBARD, Manufacturing Optician, 209 Notre Dame st., Montreal. 28

LUNCH! LUNCH!
MR. T. A. LYNCH has opened a Lunch Counter at his Restaurant, the COMMERCIAL HOUSE, No. 538 St. Paul street, where he will be prepared to serve hot Tea and Coffee Sandwiches, Pies, Cold Meats, &c., at all hours of the day. 67-3m

THE undersigned begs to inform his customers and the public generally that he is now in a position to carry on business the same as usual. Thanking them for past favors, and soliciting a continuance of the same.
JOHN O. SHARPE,
CITY EXPRESS AND LIVERY OFFICE,
82, JAMES' HOUSE BUILDINGS,
VICTORIA SQUARE.

BANK NOTICES.

LA BANQUE JACQUES CARTIER.
Notice is hereby given that a dividend of FOUR PER CENT. has been declared on the paid-up Capital of the BANQUE JACQUES CARTIER for the current half year, and will be payable at the BANK on and after the first day of June next.
The Transfer Book will be closed from the 16th to the 30th May next, both days inclusive.
By order of the Board.
H. COTTE, Cashier.
Montreal, 27th April, 1874. 99 29

CITY BANK.
Notice is hereby given that a Dividend of FOUR PER CENT. upon the Capital Stock of this Institution has been declared for the current half year, and that the same will be payable at the Bank or its Agencies, on and after MONDAY, the FIRST DAY of JUNE next.
The Transfer Books will closed from the 17th to the 31st MAY next, both days inclusive.
The Annual General Meeting of the Stockholders will be held at the Bank on MONDAY, the FIRST day of JUNE next, and also, on the same day, a Special General Meeting to take into consideration the propriety of increasing the Capital Stock of the Bank.
The Chair to be taken at NOON.
(By order of the Board,)
J. B. RENNY, Cashier.
CITY BANK, Montreal, 27th April, 1874. 98-2aw

METROPOLITAN BANK.
Notice is hereby given that a DIVIDEND at the rate of
EIGHT PER CENT. PER ANNUM
for five months, from the 1st of January to the 1st of June next, on the Paid-up Capital of this Institution has been declared, and that the same will be payable
On MONDAY, the FIRST DAY OF JUNE NEXT,
The Transfer Books will be closed from the 17th to the 31st of May next, both days inclusive.
A GENERAL MEETING of the STOCKHOLDERS will be held at the Bank on
MONDAY, the FIRST DAY OF JUNE NEXT,
AT ELEVEN o'clock A.M.,
instead of the 1st of July in accordance with a resolution passed at the last Annual Meeting of the Shareholders.
HY. STARNES,
President and Managing Director.
Montreal, April 30th, 1874. 102-3aw

LICENSES.

TAVERN LICENCES.
Public notice is hereby given, that the several parties, whose names are published below, have applied to the License Commissioners, of this City, for certificates of Tavern Licences, in the premises situated at the numbers, and in the several streets and Wards of this City set opposite to their respective names, viz:—

CENTRE WARD.
Ernest Morrice, 80 St. Gabriel
ST. ANTOINE.
Emilia Relcher'er, widow of Gustave Ruckwart, 7 and 9 St. Dominique
ST. LEWIS.
Ulric Laporte, 215 Sanguinet
ST. JAMES' WARD.
Joseph Octave Hogue, 498, St. Catherine
ST. MARY'S WARD.
Jean Pierre Bastien, 320 St. Mary
And all persons having objections to make to the confirmation of the said certificates, and the granting of the said Licenses, or any of them, are hereby notified and invited to file their said objections, with the Commissioners of Licenses aforesaid, at their office, No. 63 St. Gabriel street, in this city, within eight days from Thursday, the fourteenth day of May, the date of the last publication of this advertisement.
(By order,)
CHAS. DE CHANTEL,
Secretary License Commissioners.
Office of the License Commissioners for the City of Montreal,
No. 63 St. Gabriel street. 109-2

C. H. CHANDLER & CO.,
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
For the purchase and sale of
BOIS, GRAIN, FLOUR, PROVISIONS, AND OTHER MERCHANDISE.
Orders respectfully solicited.
No. 33 St. Nicholas street,
MONTREAL. 287-6m

NOTICE.
JOHN McINTYRE, Clothier, will remove on or about the 10th inst., to 325 NOTRE DAME STREET, next door to W. Dauverfield's, a few doors east of le French square. 107-10

S. GOLTMAN, Merchant Tailor,
212 ST. JAMES STREET.
Received, a splendid assortment of English and Scotch TWEEDS.
Workmanship the very best.
Charges moderate. 90

STAFFORD, Merchant Tailor
72 ST. JAMES STREET.
Tents furnishing their own Cloth, can have made up in the latest style, very low for cash.
Garments cut. 67-3m

BOTTLES FOR SALE.
All kinds of Second-hand Bottles for sale, at
JOSEPH WILMOT,
9-1m 217 Lagauchetiere street.

WM. THOMPSON,
306 *CRAIG STREET,*
PLUMBER, GAS and STEAM FITTER, BRASS FOUNDER and FINISHER. BRASS CASTINGS of every description. All work guaranteed.

CENTS FOR SALE at the STAR office.

HELP WANTED.

WANTED, a General Servant and Nurse; Protestant preferred. Apply at No. 161 Cadieux street. 103-3

WANTED, for a small family, a Protestant Girl as Thorough Servant; no washing. For address apply at Mr. Grafton's, 182 St. James street. 109-3

WANTED, a Servant for a small family, at 606 Palace street. 109-2

WANTED, Sewing Girls. Apply to Fisher & Schlepper, No. 403 Lagauchetiere street. 109-2

WANTED, an Operator for a New Era Pegging Machine, and a Mc[illegible] Sole-sewing Machine; wages, $14 per week; constant employment. Apply at Fogarty & Bro's. 109-3

WANTED, a House and Table Maid. Apply at 960 St. Catherine street (Argyle Terrace). 109-2

WANTED, in a small family, a well-educated French woman, as Nurse; must have best of references. Apply at 45 Durocher street. 109-3

WANTED, a respectable, well-educated French girl to take charge of three children, at 708 Sherbrooke street 109-2

WANTED, a respectable Lad, 16 or 17 years of age. Apply to Cohen & Lopez, 251 St. James street. 109-1f

WANTED, a smart Boy, who writes a good hand, for an Office. Apply at 5 St. Amable street. 109-6

WANTED, a good Boy to learn a trade. Apply at the Dominion Electrotype and Stereotype Foundry, 138 St. James street. 109-1

WANTED, two or three Boys. Apply at 207 Fortification Lane. 107

WANTED, a Nurse. Apply at 178 St. Denis street. 108-6

WANTED, a Thorough Servant. Apply at 204 Peel street. 108-3

WANTED, a good Cook, at 70 Victoria street; also, a Nurse-Girl. 108-3

WANTED, a good Laundress, to take a large family's washing. Apply at "Innonten," Upper Peel street, before 11 a.m. 108-1f

WANTED, a good Cook. Apply, before 12, at 318 Upper Bleury street. 108-3

WANTED, a Gardener. Apply at 476 Sherbrooke street. 108-4

WANTED, an Office Boy. Apply at the Star office. 108

WANTED, a competent Servant Girl, to Wash and Cook. Apply to A. Ramsay & Co., Recollet street. 107-4

WANTED, a Storeman who understands the Iron and Steel Trade. Apply at 27 St. John street. 107-6

WANTED, a General Servant. Apply at 488 St. Lawrence Main street. 107-6

WANTED, Apprentices for Dressmaking, at 107 Bleury street. 107-8

WANTED, a Boy to attend Bar; one who has a knowledge of French preferred; references required. Address M, 13, STAR office. 107-6

WANTED, a General Servant, at No. 6 Berthelot street. 106-6

WANTED, a middle-aged Woman (without encumberance), to take charge of a Store; must be well recommended. Address M, Drawer No. 26, Post-office. 106-3

WANTED, two Salesmen for the Retail Dry Good trade. Address, stating salary, M, 8, STAR office. 106-4

WANTED, A Smart Girl, to Feed on a Ruling Machine; one knowing something about the trade preferred. Apply to L. Perrault & Co., 87 St. James street 104-tf

WANTED, a Fur Dyer and Dresser; a competent man. Address "Toronto Fur Manufacturing Co.," Box 294, Post-office, Toronto. 102-23

$5 TO $20 PER DAY.—Agents Wanted.—All classes of working people of either sex, young or old, make more money at work for us in their spare moments, or all the time, than at anything else. Particulars free. Address G. STINSON & CO., Portland, Maine. 45

LOST.

Advertisements under this head inserted free.

STRAYED, from the premises No. 570 Craig street, a Bay Mare, with two white spots on face. Information respecting the same will be thankfully received and rewarded. 109

LOST, a Four-dollar Bill, this (Saturday, morning, about 10 o'clock, between 911 St. Catherine and 43 Mansfield streets. The finder will please return it to 911 St. Catherine street. 109

LOST OR STRAYED, on Saturday morning, a black and tan Spaniel Dog, aged 18 months. Any one returning the same to 71 St. James street, will be rewarded. 109

LOST, on Tuesday afternoon, either in St. James or Notre Dame streets, a white paper parcel, containing three Feathers. Will the finder please return it to Messrs. McGibbon & Baird, St. James street. 10

LOST, on the 1st May, a Carpet-bag, containing a Lady's Books and Testimonials, which are of no use to any one except the owner. A reward will be given by leaving them at 587 Lagauchetiere street. 108

LOST on Notre Dame street, between St. Denis and St. Gabriel streets, a medium sized paper bag, containing two yards White Ribbon, Gloves and Braces, either of which can be produced by the little boy owner. The finder will greatly oblige by leaving it at 567 St. Mary street. 108

LOST, at half-past 9 o'clock, on Thursday morning, from 10 Mountain street, a Canary Bird, top-knot, and spotted slightly black. Any one returning the same will be suitably rewarded. 108

LOST, on the 5th inst., a Brown Kid Glove. The finder will oblige by leaving it at the STAR office. 108

LOST, on the 4th instant, a Purple Silk Umbrella. The finder will please return it to 75 St. Mary street. 108

LOST, on Wednesday, the 6th, two $10 bills, between College street and the reservoir. If the finder will return them to 254 Bleury street, he will be rewarded. 108

LOST, either in St. Sulpice, St. Paul, or Notre Dame street, a parcel containing Black Parasol. Any one bringing it to the STAR office will be rewarded. 107

LOST, on the 7th inst., between Hermine street and St. Patrick's Church, a pair of Black Beads. The finder will please return them to 51 Hermine street. 107

LOST, on the afternoon of the 5th inst., a Bunch of Charms, Pencil, Coin, &c. The finder will be liberally rewarded by returning them to No. 31 McGill College Avenue. 106

LOST—$3 Reward—Lost a young, white Fox Terrier Dog, black spot on side of body; tan ears. Return to 51 Victoria street. 107

LOST, a Lease; of no use except to the owner The finder will be rewarded on returning it to the STAR office immediately. 107

LOST, between Sherbrooke and Notre Dame, via Hibernia and Cherrier streets, a Pocket-book containing $75 in Bills. A liberal reward will be paid on returning it to Noel and Watson & Co., No. 202 St. Paul street. 106

LOST, a gold bracelet, initials "J.M.M," stamped on. The finder will be rewarded on returning it to STAR office. 106

LOST, on Sunday evening last, a small Black and Tan Dog; answers to the name of "Dandy." Any person returning the same to 15 Drummond street will be rewarded. 106

LOST—Strayed, from 1356 St. Catherine street, a very small Rough Dog; answers to the name of Ewing him to the above address will be rewarded. 106

LOST, OR STOLEN, a small, Blue Grey Scotch Terrier Dog; name and address of owner on collar. The finder will be rewarded on leaving it at Prince Arthur street. Any person found keeping the Dog after this notice will be prosecuted. 105

LOST, on Sunday afternoon, 3rd May, in a St. Lawrence Main street Car, a Silver-mounted Cane, W. McV. W. engraved on a Shield. One Dollar reward on returning the cane at the STAR office, or to A. Ferguson, No. 145 St. Lawrence Main street 105

LOST, on the way to the Post-office, a Letter, addressed "A. P. Ross & Co., Cornwall," containing a Promissory Note made by John Crilly & Co., to order of A. P. Ross & Co., (but not endorsed.) Any person finding the same will be good enough to return it to the undersigned. All parties are hereby cautioned against negotiating same note. Benny, Macpherson & Co. 105

LOST, on Saturday night, between Chabollez Square, Bonsecours and the French Church, a Lady's Muff. The finder will be suitably rewarded by returning it to No. 6 St. Joseph street. 104

FOUND.

FOUND, a Skye Terrier Dog. Apply at 93 Inspector street. 109

FOUND, a Dog (Pointer); had on leather collar and chain. Apply to Carter No. 133, at stand on Place d'Armes square. 108

FOUND, a Horse. Apply to Mr. Carron, at the Temperance Hotel, St. Henry street. 108

FOUND, Three Dolars, about a week ago, on Mountain street. Apply at No. 960 Sherbrooke street. 108

FOUND, on the 4th May, between St. Andre and Jacques Cartier, a Box containing five hats. The owner can have them by applying at No. 357 Dalhousie street. 108

FOUND, a Door Key, on Notre Dame street, between St. Francois Xavier street and Place d'Armes square. The owner can have the same by applying to the caretaker, at 60 St. Francois Xavier street. 107

PERSONAL.

PERSONAL—The Lady, who took an Umbrella by mistake, from St. Patrick's Church, on the 3rd inst., will please leave it with the Clerk of the Church, and obtain her own. 104

PERSONAL.—Information wanted of Miss Clarke, who came here 10 months ago. Address Michael Burke, 74 Bonaventure street 100

Washing Wanted, &c.

WANTED, Gentlemen's Washing. Apply at 5 Anderson street (up-stairs.) 109

WANTED, a families' washing, or work by the day. Apply at 20 St. Sophie lane. 108

WANTED, Gentlemen's or Families' Washing, at 34 St. Andrew street. 104

HOUSES TO LET OR WANTED.

Houses to let or wanted advertised at one-half cent per word after the first insertion.)

HOUSE TO LET, at Burnside Place, near the English Cathedral, containing 13 apartments. Apply at 68 University street. 108-3

TO LET, for five or or six months, a first-class Furnished House, 153 Bleury street. Apply to James Muir, House and Land Agent, No. 194 St. James street. 102-6

FURNISHED HOUSE TO LET, 329 St. Antoine street, West. A suitable party will find the situation very desirable. Address Box 221, Post-office, City. 102-6

TO LET, with immediate possession, a small House at Longueuil, for the Summer. Apply at 361 Longueuil street. 106-6

TO LET, nice Summer Residence, at St. Lambert's, opposite St. Helen's Island. Apply at 18 Common street. 106-10

STORES AND OFFICES TO LET.

TO RENT, Offices and Rooms, at Nos. 203, 215 and 227 Notre Dame street. Apply to Dr. N. Lavoie, 148 St. Mary street. 103-tf

TO LET, a FACTORY, 44 x 80 feet, altered to suit, with or without power. Also, a second floor of a Mill, 52 x 140 feet, with steam-power and woodworking machinery. Apply to M. MULLIN & Co., Canal street. 6-tf

TO LET, a large Yard, 150 feet by 100 feet, corner of Colborne and Ottawa streets, suitable for the storage of Lumber, Coal or Firewood. Apply to Michael Farmer, 113 McCord street. 56-tf

ROOMS WANTED OR TO LET.

ROOMS TO LET—To let three Rooms in a healthy locality; a few minutes' walk from Sherbrooke and St. Lawrence Main streets, with Parlor-room and W. C. Address N, 5, this office. 109-2

ROOM TO LET, at 522 Craig street, suitable for Architect, Wood Engraver, or other light business 103-6

TO LET, Furnished Bedrooms, at 9 St. Germain street. 109-3

TO LET, two neatly furnished Bedrooms; family private; no boarders kept. Apply at 35 Alexander street. 109-3

TO LET, large Rooms, at 86 Sanguinet street. 108-6

TO LET, a double furnished Bedroom, at 189 McGill street. 106-6

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Parlor Organs for sale, and delivered anywhere in the Province of Quebec, on easy terms of payment,—a small amount down, the balance in 18 or 24 equal monthly payments; satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. Address "Parlor Organ," STAR office. 101-tf

FOR SALE, Stone and other materials of House No. 40 Bleury street. Apply at 71 Bleury street, or at M, 13, STAR office. 100-tf

BOARD.

BOARD WANTED, in a private family at or near by the Tanneries. Address, stating terms, C.X., STAR office. 109-2

BOARD.—Two respectable young men, willing to room together, can have Board at 73 Colborne street; none but steady men need apply. 109-3

BOARD—Two or three respectable young men, willing to room together, can find a splendid furnished room, with good Board, at 20 St. Constant street. 109-3

BOARD.—Vacancies for boarders at 20 St. Constant street. 109-tf

BOARD—To Let a Single and Double Room with Board; also, vacancies for Day Boarders. Apply at 519 Lagauchetiere street. 108-3

Sewing Wanted.

WANTED, work by the day, by a respectable woman. Apply to Mrs. Anderson, 178, St. Bonaventure street 81

SITUATIONS WANTED.

WANTED, by a steady young man, a situation where he can make himself useful; good recommendations. Address N, 6, STAR office. 109

WANTED, by a man and wife, without encumbrances, a position as Caretaker of Offices, or to take charge of a furnished house during a family's absence, &c. References kindly permitted to H. Hogan, Esq. 109

WANTED, by a middle-aged Man, a situation as Coachman or Groom; no objection to town or country. Address N, 4, this office. 109

WANTED, a situation by a Young Man, who has had three years' experience in Drugs. Address N, 3, this office. 109

WANTED, by a respectable young girl, a situation to work the Family Singer machine by the day or week. Address M, 17, STAR office. 108

WANTED, by a respectable man, a situation as Storeman, or Under-Storeman in a Wine and Spirit Store; is a good Gauger and Cooper; city reference. Address N, 1, STAR office. 108

WANTED, by a sober, industrious young man, a good, steady situation; not particular what; not afraid of work; can produce good testimonials if required. Address N, 2, STAR office. 108

WANTED, by a young Englishman, a situation of any kind, either to Canvass or to drive an Express; best of references. Address N, 3, this office. 108

WANTED, a situation as Sewing-Girl; understands the Wheeler & Wilson Sewing-machine. Address M, 15, STAR office. 108

WANTED, work in a Garden, or as Under-gardener, by a steady man. Address M, 16, STAR office. 108

WANTED, by a respectable man, a situation as Storeman in a Wholesale Grocery; speaks French and English; good references. Address M, 14, STAR office. 108

WANTED, a situation, by a young man who understands the [illegible], Glass and Crockery Ware. Address P.M., Point St. Charles Post-office. 108

WANTED.—A Frenchman, formerly a Hatter in Paris, but speaking very little English, desires to obtain a situation in a Hatter's establishment; best of references. Address M., care of Alfred Savage & Son, Drawer 350, Post-office. 108

WANTED, a situation as Clerk or Storeman in a Wholesale store; can give the best of city references, and educated in French and English. Address M, 4, STAR office. 106

WANTED, a situation as Porter, Waiter, or any night employment. Address: M, 12, STAR office. 107

WANTED, a situation as Apprentice to a Grocer. Apply at 373 St. Joseph street. 107

WANTED, by a young man, a situation in any capacity; writes a fair, legible hand; used to the oil and color trade; good references if required. Address M, 8, STAR office. 106

WANTED, a situation to take charge of and clean offices, &c. Address M, 7, this office. 106

WANTED, a situation as Barkeeper, by a steady, married man; has had experience in Boston and New York; no objection to the country; a permanent position more an object than salary. Address M, 8, this office. 106

WANTED—A Thorough Servant (Protestant) desires a situation, with a boy 10 years old. Apply at 96 St. Urbain street. 106

WANTED, by a lady, a situation to travel with a lady; would take charge of a child; references given. Address M, 5, STAR office. 105

WANTED, by a steady young man, a situation as Checker on the wharf; writes a good hand, and is correct at figures; good references can be given if required. Address M, 2, STAR office. 105

WANTED, by a respectable young person, a situation as Cook or Lady's Maid, on board a boat. Apply at 539 Dorchester street. 105

WANTED, by a respectable Person, Sewing by the day, at her own home; can furnish Sewing Machine if required; understands Dressmaking. Apply at No. 273 Seigneurs street. 105

WANTED—A Book-keeper, fully competent, is open to an engagement; has had seven years' experience in all its duties, and willing to work for a moderate salary. Address A, Box 1624, Post-office. 105

WANTED, by a respectable, Thorough Servant, a situation, without washing; willing to Iron. Apply at 96 St. Urbain street. 105

WANTED, by a Young Girl, a situation as Thorough Servant. Apply at 30½ Chenneville street. 14-1

WANTED, Employment by a Young Man, who speaks French and English, and can keep accounts; salary not so much an object as permanent employment. Apply at 251 St. Constant street. 104

WANTED, a situation in a Dry Goods store; first-class experience in Hosiery, Gloves, and Gentlemen's fittings; good references. Address M, 17, STAR office. 104

WANTED, a situation as Porter or Storeman; knows the town; could drive and look after a horse, if required; good city reference. Address R. G., 11 Alexander street. 104

WANTED, a situation by a steady young man, in a Wholesale Hardware Store; good at figures; good reference given. Address A. B., this office. 104

WANTED, by a Machinist, a situation as Stationary or Yacht Engine Driver; can do repairs; no objections to go to the Country. Address L, 16, this office. 104

WANTED, by a respectable Woman, a good Cutter and Fitter; Dressmaking in a Family; references to families where advertiser has already been engaged. Address L, 11, this office. 103

WANTED, by a Young Man, who understands both languages, writes a good hand, and is correct and quick at figures, a situation as Checker on the Wharf. Address H, 15, this office. 103

WANTED, by a Young Man, who has served his time at the Gun Trade, a situation, at that business, or wherever he can be of use; is a good Filer, Fitter, &c. Address L, 8, this office. 103

WANTED, by a Plumber and Gasfitter, a permanent situation. Address "Plumber," No. 244 Aqueduct street. 103

WANTED, by a Youth, a situation in a Store, or where he can make himself generally useful; has good references. Address L, 9, this office. 103

ENGLAND.

Mr. Disraeli, it is rumored, is about to contract a marriage with the Dowager Countess of Chesterfield.

Nearly 2,000 agricultural laborers are on strike in the district around Newmarket for an advance of wages from 13s to 14s per week.

Arrangements have been decided upon for one set of manœuvres near Aldershot in June, and another in July, 20,000 men being employed on each occasion.

The actual number of officers and men who died in the battle or succumbed to sickness on the Gold Coast was 100 but the number of invalids or wounded was 1,000.

Coomassie was founded about 1720, and destroyed on the 6th of January, 1874. Like Carthage, it burnt for six days, and was famous for its human sacrifices.

The Paris correspondent of the London *Daily News* says that one of the principal officials of the Ministry of Justice has been sent to London on a special mission to demand the extradition of M. Rochefort.

It is said that the Ashantees could not understand our telegraph, and so they, in imitation, carried a line of white cotton from tree to tree all along the road, passing it here and there through rags of white calico.

The London Amnesty Committee on Monday adopted an address to the Irish inhabitants of Great Britain, advising them not to join the British army, as Mr. Disraeli had refused to liberate the Fenian soldiers.

There has been an extraordinary falling off in the emigration from Liverpool this year. In March, 1873, the number of persons who sailed from the Mersey "under the Act" was 13,411, while in the corresponding month of this year it was only 6,068.

The gold ram's head from the temple at Coomassie will be exhibited to the public, with other Ashantee trophies, at the South Kensington Museum on the 1st of May, and will remain on view for three months after.

The ladies of Chiselhurst are about to present the Prince Imperial of France with a magnificent imitation as a birthday gift. It is in the form of a bridle, is said to be a beautiful work of art, and is composed of gold and silver gilt, inlaid with amethysts and the colours of France, surmounted with a monogram, "L. N." in rubies and diamonds, and also the Imperial eagle.

A very alarming sight was witnessed upon the Mersey, between New Brighton and Tranmore, last week—a continuous line of flame, extending to a distance of four miles. The Rapido, a barque of 229 tons register, which had among its cargo a considerable quantity of rum and oil, caught fire, and was beached; the incoming tide carried along portions of the burning cargo. A steamship had a considerable quantity of cotton destroyed by the flames; a powder-ship was near the line of fire, but happily escaped contact.

It has been resolved to establish in the city of London a "City Liberal Club," having for its main object the strengthening of the Liberal party, which suffered so signal a defeat in the city at the recent general election. The club will be managed by a house committee, to regulate all its internal affairs, and by a political council, who will diligently watch all opportunities of advancing the interests of the Liberal party, both in the metropolis and the country. The committee will adopt the club to the requirements of a business community.

Recent events have caused much anxiety in London concerning the danger to which that metropolis is exposed on account of the insufficient means for extinguishing great fires. A deputation from the Society of Arts the other day made strong representations to the Government on this subject, and declared that there was constant and great danger of an immense calamity in London. They say that "It is proved that by reason of defective mechanical and structural arrangements, as well as an insufficient supply of water, the metropolis is exposed to such extensive conflagrations as have occurred in Boston and Chicago.

Much curiosity seems to prevail concerning the gold dust which the King of Ashantee, in his panic, sent to Sir Garnet Wolsely subsequent to the burning down of his capital. Many proposals are made as to its disposal. In Parliament it has been suggested that it should be sold for its market value, and the proceeds handed over to the soldiers who formed the late expedition. The value of the gold dust is £4 per ounce, but a gentleman suggests that if it were put up for auction it would bring double that amount. This particular gold dust, he says, like a picture of a deceased artist, is limited in supply, and jewellers, consequently, would be glad to purchase it at a high price, sure that the articles made from it would bring handsome returns. It is easy to guess what would be the result of such a distribution of the gold dust. Ashantee jewellery would become all the fashion.

The Queen's Easter bounties, known as "the Royal Maundy," were distributed on Thursday in Whitehall Chapel during Divine service, to fifty-five aged men and fifty-five aged women, the number of each sex corresponding with Her Majesty's age. The Duke and Duchess of Edinburgh were present to witness the ceremony. There was the usual procession, the Royal alms being carried on a gold salver of the reign of William and Mary. After Goss's anthem, "O taste and see how gracious the Lord is," £1 15s. was given to each woman, and to each man shoes and stockings; Mendelssohn's anthem, "For He shall give His angels," was followed by a distribution of woollen and linen clothes to each man; and the anthem "Cast thy burden," by the presentation of money-purses to each man and woman. Upwards of 1,000 persons have been relieved at the Royal Almonry in Scotland-yard from the funds characterised as the Minor Bounty, Discretionary Bounty and the Royal Gate Arms.

At a public dinner lately given in London, Mr. Justice Day, of Canada, took occasion to dilate upon the loyalty of the Canadians to the British Crown. He said that when he went again and again to "that grand old country" (he almost despaired that the colonies would ever attain to the standard which would place them on an equality with the nations of Europe. But, while they lacked high training, they had all the vigor of lusty youth, which the great Burke characterized about a century ago as the gristle which was hardening into manhood. The Dominion of Canada stretched from the Atlantic to the Pacific Ocean, and he trusted that vast country would not be cast aside by any mismanagement or misconception of its interests. He could assure the company, and through them the whole English community, that the sentiments which prevailed throughout the Dominion were those of intense loyalty to the mother country. He believed, indeed, that the loyalty of the Canadians were more intense, if possible, than that which obtained in England.

Mr. J. J. Meckie, the well-known English agricultural authority, writes to the *Times* saying: Two very calamitous years of bad harvests, which have caused heavy losses to farmers and to the country at large, are succeeded by one promising, so far, a bright and more profitable result. Instead of two costly and difficult winters, we have been favored with a dry and mild winter, rendering farming operations easy and comparatively uncostly. Wheats have planted well, without being too luxuriant, and the spring sowing, so far, has been all that could be desired. Of course, much will still depend upon the future. Let us hope, and reasonable expect, that we may escape the fatal frosts which, on the 20th of May, and even later, in each of the last two years, proved so disastrous. Live stock has been generally healthy, and is rapidly increasing in numbers. Fat sheep are fully 20s. per head cheaper than at the same period of last year. There is much less variation in the price of beef. The labor question is at present a very difficult and unpleasant one for the farmer

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Coldly Received.

The Mackenzie Pacific Railway scheme is very coldly received by the accredited Government organs. Neither the *Globe* or *Herald* venture to praise it, and the Ottawa *Times* excuses itself by saying that there is nothing very novel about the subject. It may be concluded that the scheme will require considerable brushing up and amending ere it will be fit for the Vice-Regal endorsement.

The Baie Verte Canal.

Notwithstanding the favorable report of the Canal Commission the impression seems to be gaining ground that the Baie Verte Canal scheme is either impracticable or not worth the cost of construction and maintainance. Some of those who at one time warmly advocated the canal project now say that the money would be far better spent on railways. It is satisfactory to know that there is no likelihood of the Government proceeding precipitately one way or the other.

A Much Needed Reform.

One of the most important questions mooted since Parliament assembled is that of adopting the English system of competitive examinations for candidates for Civil Service offices. The change simply means Ability vs. Party Influence. The competitive system has been long tried in the United Kingdom, and nowhere is the public served better than there. The proposed reform will doubtless arouse considerable opposition from those who love patronage and those who can, or think they can, command it, but the general public, and particularly aspiring young Canadians, will gladly welcome the measure promised by Major Walker. The country has a right to expect that the Government will give the bill its hearty support.

Place d'Armes Square.

This is perhaps the most used of all the city squares owing to the fact that it affords a short cut in the centre of the business portion of the city. Yet, strange to say, it receives little or no attention from that section of the civic government entrusted with the care of the public parks and squares, and the consequence is that after every shower the main path is simply a mud paddle. It may be said that this is a small matter, but it is just these small matters that tell whether a city is well or badly governed. Strangers visiting Montreal have all pleasant recollections wiped out by a sprawl on a rotten sidewalk or a bumping over one of our terribly uneven streets. A prominent citizen, just returned from a European tour, remarked the other day that he had seen no city of the size of Montreal with so many fine buildings, and, on the other hand, he had seen none with such bad streets and such bad drainage. Should this anomalous state of affairs be allowed to exist?

But to the square. It cannot be argued that the cost of putting it in order prevents the Department from doing it. A load or two of the small macadam chips, gathered from the Corporation stone-breaking yards, carefully laid and well rolled in is all that is necessary. Surely that would not bankrupt the metropolis of Canada.

A Quiet Revolution.

On the 19th of last month the Swiss Constitution was revolutionized but so quietly was the great work accomplished that the world knew of it only through a very brief telegram. Up to the date mentioned the Helvetic Republic had been much disturbed by questions of States Rights and it was felt that the Constitution was far from being on a satisfactory basis. The agitation to amend this state of affairs began soon after the fall of Napoleon; it being held that the growing power of Prussia called for an augmented military organization under one central authority in the place of the several small semi-independent bodies maintained by the Cantons. But allied with this military question, was that of national education, the tendency of the popular feeling being in favor of the secular and compulsory system. Several other important changes were included in the new Constitution, with a view to complete separation of Church and State. The Revised Constitution was adopted by a vote of 321,870 to 177,800, nearly two to one, fifteen Cantons voting for and seven against.

The result in Switzerland is what will always be the result where a body or party arrogating to itself higher powers than the State ventures into open conflict.

Such assumption of power is apt to do religion (we are speaking irrespective of creeds) great injury, even to breeding a generation of infidels. The Churches and the Clerics have their places, and they can only fulfill their mission by faithfully keeping within bounds. Directly the ecclesiastical body shows a disposition to overstep its acknowledged jurisdiction, there is sown the seeds of dissatisfaction in the popular mind, which sooner or later will grow into downright antagonism. Indifference to religion and contempt or hatred for those who assume the garb of its ministers, are not desirable phases of national life, but if they have to be confronted it may safely be said that clerical mismanagement is largely, if not wholly, responsible.

THE CHURCHES.

St. Mark's.

Rev. Mr. McMorine preached yesterday morning in St. Mark's Church, basing his discourse upon the 5th and 6th verses of the 13th chapter of the Gospel of St. Matthew: "Some fell upon stony places, where they had not much earth; and forthwith they sprung up, because they had no deepness of earth; and when the sun was up they were scorched, and because they had no root, they withered away."

He fully explained the signification of the text, remarking that it was not to be supposed that the ground of which mention was made was stony, but shallow ground embedded upon solid rock, typifying the unregenerate hardness of the hearts of this class of believers, who although for a time they believed and with joy, showing that their trembling inconsistant faith had obtained some root, when trouble and affliction came chose the world and its less rugged paths in preference to the straight and narrow way that led to Christ. He instanced the Saviour's explanation of these words contained in the same chapter—"But he that receiveth the seed into stony places the same is he that heareth the word, and anon with joy receiveth it; yet hath he not root in himself, but dureth for a while, for when tribulation or persecution ariseth because of the word, by and by he is offended,"—and in conclusion he made a general application of the matter in question.

St. Thomas'.

Rev. Mr. Sydenham preached last evening in St. Thomas' Church, taking as his text the first verse of the 18th Psalm:—

"I will love thee, O Lord, my strength."

Having alluded to the fact that the Psalms were not wholly, although in great part, the composition of David, he stated that these possessed, compared with human productions of an ordinary nature, two distinctive features, one of which was that reference was made to God in each verse, and the second, that they embodied the experience of every Christian, heart speaking to heart, through divine inspiration. He reviewed David's life, which he divided into three periods: the first relating to his youth, when he tended his father's flocks, enjoying sweet and constant communion with nature and nature's God apart from the temptations of the world; the second, comprising his elevation to the rulership of the people of Israel, when he was not only King, but something more lofty—a man after God's own heart, successful in all things because the spirit of God was with him; and the third, having relation to his maturer years, when he committed the great sin of his life, concerning which, after repentance and humiliation, he wrote the beautiful 51st Psalm, commencing, "Have mercy upon me, O God, according to Thy loving-kindness; according unto the multitude of Thy tender mercies, blot out my transgressions." He described the insidious wiles of the Tempter, and having dwelt upon love, the principle that ruled this world and reigned supreme in Heaven, implored his hearers, both young and old, to seek the unfathomable and bountiful love of God, without which [illegible] nothing, with which everything.

St. George's.

The Rev. Mr. Carmichael preached last night, his subject being "The necessity of conscientious religion." The rev. gentleman referred to St. Paul as perhaps the most conscientious Christian that ever lived, and pointed out that although the Apostle was safe for heaven and inspired by God, he still cultivated a good conscience. He said doubtless some would smile at him for speaking of "conscientious religion" and say that there could be no religion unless it was conscientious, but a glance at the manner in which business was conducted at the present day proved that there was a great necessity for conscientious religion. He confessed to knowing little or nothing about the science of business, he supposed there was the science of buying and the science of selling, but he knew that the science of honesty was above both. The business man said he must have a certain latitude, that the customs of trade must be observed, in short, that he could not agree with Moses and the law he had laid down. Said the preacher, to such an one I would say, it is not Moses that you cannot agree with, it is God; neither can you agree with yourself—for the principles which you dare to endorse where they do not injure yourself, you would not dare to countenance if they came home. You speak of "smartness," "cleverness," &c., but if your partner is smarter than you, or your clerk is cleverer than you, the one to cheat you and the other to forge your name, you will not speak of these deeds as "smart" or "clever,"—and yet you will come to me and say you "cannot agree with Moses"—that the law he promulgated is altogether too strict for business men of to-day.

The rev. gentleman dwelt upon the wickedness of training up employees to become "smart" business men, and went on to speak of the great happiness experienced by those who could leave their shop, office, or factory and say to themselves that they had done their duty to their employees or employers, their customers, or the public at large. He remarked upon the mistake of supposing that Christianity consisted simply of church-going and that clergymen were necessarily model Christians, declaring that a true Christian hero was he who declined place or preferment, wealth or power for conscience-sake.

ROUND TOWN.

— S. S. Ganges, from Hull, was off Brandy Pots on Saturday morning proceeding to Quebec.

— S. S. Delta, Stephens master, from London, via Halifax and St. John, N.B., passed Father Point at 10 a.m. on Saturday.

— A fire broke out in a hay loft in McGill College Avenue about half-past ten o'clock on Saturday night. Damage slight.

—Hart vs. the Western: The jury and witnesses in this case are reminded that the trial opens on Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock sharp.

— Joseph Francœur, 16, of the barge Monica, is reported missing and supposed to have been drowned, as his cap was found floating in the canal.

— George Stephen and Donald A. Smith, Esqs., will be the visiting governors to the Montreal General Hospital for the week beginning Monday the 11th of May.

—The remains of a young woman named Octavie Fortin, who died of small-pox within two days after admittance to the General Hospital, were interred yesterday.

— The Prussian brings 81 cabin, 45 intermediate, and 570 steerage passengers. She is due at Quebec about four o'clock this afternoon. Mail due here to-morrow forenoon.

—A meeting of the flour operators will be held on 'Change to-day (at noon) to protest against the provision in the General Amended Inspection Act before the House making inspection of flour compulsory.

— It is understood that Mr. Cowan, advocate, will leave for Ottawa to-day to bring the matter of a grant of land as a site for a Sailors' Institute before the Government; the late Administration was favorable to such a step.

— The steamer Montreal, Richelieu Company's Line, arrived at the Company's pier at 7:30 yesterday morning from Sorel. The Three Rivers brought a large number of passengers from the tri-fluvian town this morning.

— Dr. Graham, of Richmond, P. Q., arrived from England on Saturday morning and was met at the depot by a number of prominent Free Masons. In the evening he was entertained at supper at the Carleton. He reports his efforts in the interest of the Black River and Mis[illegible] R. to have been very success-

HOME AND SCHOOL OF INDUSTRY.

The committee of the Home an l School of Industry wishes to tender their sincere thanks to the ladies of the following Churches: Cathedral, St. George, St. James, St. John, Erskine, Knox, St. Paul, Baptist, Unitarian, St. Andrews, Zion, American, Methodist, Cote and St. Gabriel street, who so kindly came forward and assisted in making the floral festival in aid of the building fund of the Home and School of Industry so great a success; they beg also to tender their sincere thanks to friends who gave donations of flowers, money, refreshments, fancy work, &c., and also to the gentlemen who assisted in putting up the tables, to florists and gardeners who were able to give them so good a supply of beautiful plants. The treasurer, Mrs. A. Holmes, 1252 St. Antoine streets, wishes those who have not made returns from tables and tickets to do so in order to be able to report proceeds

SANITARY ASSOCIATION.

The fortnightly meeting of the Sanitary Association was held on Saturday afternoon, Dr. Thompson in the chair.

A letter from the Attorney-General, in reply to a communication concerning the Gaol, was read, and the Secretaries were instructed to forward him a copy of a report made on the present condition of this prison, by members of the Association, from a visit paid on the 28th ult.

They report that the gaol, built forty years ago to contain 250 prisoners, then accommodated 330—105 females and 225 males; that it is completely wanting in all modern prison improvements, as well as sufficient space, light and ventilation; that it is in a perfect state of cleanliness, the cells and corridors being recently whitewashed; that order is secured by strict and correct management, and that the food served the prisoners is of good quality and carefully prepared.

Letters were read from Drs. Paquet and Brouse, thanking the Association for their election as honorary members.

LADIES EDUCATIONAL ASSOCIATION.

The past year in connection with this association has been prosperous; in spite of the very large attendance, however, only thirty-five students came up for the different examinations during the session, and Miss Carrie Cordner alone fulfilled the conditions under which students are permitted to compete for the H. W. Lyman Memorial. The sum received from subscribers, who have lessened in number was $1,716; from sale of students' tickets, $241.25; expenditure, $2.192.92, met with the aid of the balance $665.52 on hand from the previous session. The Synod Hall has been secured as a lecture room; arrangements have been made for courses of lectures on Optics, English Literature and Hygiene, and a course on French Literature is proposed. The number of lectures has been reduced to sixty.

A testimonial will be presented by the Association to Principal Dawson, with the $330 returned from his lecture fees; Professor Johnson will lecture on Optics during the next session, and Dr. Roddick, on Hygiene.

Mrs. J. H. Molson has been elected President; Mrs T. Anderson and Mrs. Dawson, Vice-Presidents, and Miss Lunn, Secretary.

NOON TELEGRAMS.

THE BRITISH MAIL.

FATHER POINT, May 11.

The SS. Prussian arrived at 11:30 last night.

INSURANCE SCANDAL.

OTTAWA, May 10.

The two citizens—one a medical man and the other a merchant—are charged with conspiring to defraud a life insurance company out of $10,000. The merchant applied for a risk on the life of a man who was dying of consumption. The doctor signed the application as a first-class risk, the merchant signing the name of the insured to the application. The policy was issued, and nine months after the man whose life was insured died. The merchant applied for the money. The doctor, on a certificate that the insured died of bleeding at the nose, while it was well-known through the city that he had been dying of consumption for two years. This fact came to the knowledge of the agent, who began to make enquiries. He ascertained that none of the dead man's friends were aware of the insurance, nor had he any transactions with the merchant. The agent charged the merchant with swindling, and the merchant offered to withdraw the death claim if the premium was refunded. This was refused, and an action is to be entered to-morrow for conspiracy with intent to defraud.

FIRES.

TORONTO, May 9.

About ten to-night a fire caused, it is said, by a spark from a locomotive, broke out in Taylor's Safe Factory, Esplanade street, destroying both it and Currie's iron factory with a number of dwellings of the poorer classes, and damaging Smith & Keighley's tea store and Thom & Parson's leather store. The brigade was long in getting to work, the alarm being sounded late and the water supply being defective. Carruthers, a fireman, was injured by falling from a ladder. The fire was under control at 12.30 Sunday, a.m.

AT HAMILTON.

HAMILTON, May 9.

Early this morning a large steam sawmill on 4th Concession, Ancaster Township, owned by David Richardson, and run on a lease by Wilson, Johnson & Cowan, was completely destroyed by fire, together with nearly three-quarters of a million feet of lumber, and a large quantity of lath and shingles. When the fire reached the boiler house there was such a pressure of steam in one of the boilers that it exploded, and caused great confusion, scattering the burning timbers in every direction, and setting fire to the immense piles of lumber. The loss is heavy, there being no insurance on the mill or contents.

THORNBURY, May 9.

Bush fires are raging around the suburbs of the town, and have already done much damage, having burnt the gravel road bridge and Messrs. H. Demsever and Taylor's barn and stables, also Doring and Shaw's dwelling, and Rev. Mr. Patteson's and T. Mackenny's fences, lumber and several other buildings.

LONDON, May 11.

SS. Siberia, plying between Liverpool and Madeira, is supposed to be lost with all of her crew and passengers.

NEW YORK, May 11.

A Little Rock special, dated last evening, has the following: Two negroes were killed last night by Baxter's pickets near the fair ground yesterday morning. A fight was expected at any time during the afternoon or evening. There are two companies of regulars at the City Hall, one at the U. S. Court building, and artillery with horses harnessed on a side street. The regulars have four barricades in the city, and one on the opposite side of the river.

NEW YORK, May 11.

John Iseman was arrested for an attempted outrage on a little flower girl at the Elysian Fields, Hoboken, yesterday.

The investigation into the charges against the Custom House Inspectors, that they checked several cases of smuggled silks, has concluded, and was submitted to Collector Arthur on Saturday. No decision has yet been rendered. The importer of the silks states that no fraud on the revenue was intended.

The funeral of Jno. Decker was largely attended yesterday.

The derelict bark Alfred which was picked up at sea by the pilot boat Blunt, is at anchor off the battery. She has five hundred tons of coal on board, is listed badly, is dismasted and appears to be much damaged by the elements; her salvors were twelve days bringing her into the port.

Mr. Jno. McEmery in an interview states, the south so far as he knows does not favor inflation of currency.

In Brooklyn yesterday Michael Dyram beat his wife fatally with a spade.

Wm. Jackson fatally hatcheted Alice Chester, and William Schupp and J. Quirk committed highway robbery. All were arrested.

Under the terms of the lease with the Atlantic and Great Western Railway the Erie Company will transfer their shops from Susquehanna Depot to Jersey City and Indianapolis. A large number of officials have been removed.

Revs. Beecher, Fulton, Hepworth and other divines yesterday prayed that anarchy in Arkansas might subside.

The project for building what is called a Liberal Church in Brooklyn for seceding Baptists with a clergyman now in Boston as its pastor, is said to have fallen through.

The 37th annual meeting of the American and Foreign Bible Society will be held next Thursday in this city.

A proposition will then be acted upon to unite with the American Bible Union.

SPARKS FROM THE TELEGRAPH.

The ice left Kempenfelt Bay, Barrie, on Friday night.

Large fires in the woods are raging in Michigan and Minnesota.

Specie shipped from New York for England on Saturday, $1.591,000.

The remains of a mastodon have been found near Dansville, N.Y.

William Patrick Adam will succeed Sir Robert Peel as the Liberal Whip.

Rev. J. P. Dumoulin proposes return to Montreal on account of his health.

Marshal Serrano is sick. The Carlists in the north are gradually dissolving.

A powerful iron ram is suggested to prevent the formation of an ice bridge at Quebec in the future.

The Depot and Post office at Richby, Quebec, was burned to the ground early on the morning of the 9th.

The railroads between Chicago and New York have advanced freight rates 5 cents per hundred pounds.

Lieutenant-General Sir Archibald Wilson, knighted for services at the capture of Delhi in 1857, is dead.

Mr. Woodworth's constituents have met and expressed their disapproval of that gentleman's expulsion from the Nova Scotia Legislature.

The barge St. Pierre, flour laden, owned by M. Benoit, was cut through by ice and sank while being towed to Quebec from Montreal on Saturday.

At the investigation at London, Ont., into the Corkingdale murder, Mrs. Ruth Bloor gave evidence on Saturday complicating the prisoner Nelson.

A despatch from Bayonne says Don Carlos has issued a proclamation announcing that he will offer strenuous resistance to the Republican army in the Biscayan Provinces.

The late severe frosts have done considerable damage to the vines throughout France. It is estimated that the grape crop for the present year will not be above half the average.

Fanny Gilmore, a *danseuse* at the Toronto Academy of Music, is accused of kidnapping Katie N. Latcham, a newsgirl, aged 10. The child was taken to the States and has been telegraphed for.

Charles Rose, convicted of a most shocking case of rape, at Baltimore, has been sentenced to 21 years in the Penitentiary; Chas. H. Jones, colored, convicted of murder, is sentenced to be hanged.

The New Orleans Relief Committee has shipped 352,000 rations of breadstuffs and 353,000 rations of meat to the sufferers. The demands of the starving people are not fully met, and are constantly increasing.

The office of the *Standard*, Schuyterville, N. Y., was broken into on Saturday. This week's edition and all the books were entirely destroyed, and the forms and all the type in the office were "pied." The outrage was doubtless instigated by the liquor interest, on account of the war waged by the *Standard* on the rum traffic.

The Arkansas troubles continue. Brooks has accepted the proposition of the Attorney-General to submit the claims of the rival governors to the Legislature; but Baxter refuses. Additional United States troops have been ordered to the scene of action, and an experienced officer of high rank has gone to take command and preserve peace.

A Toronto sensation on Saturday was the introduction into the Police Court dock of a pretty girl of 19, attired in ball-room costume, charged with being drunk. She stated that she had been to a dance and drank more than was good for her. She was sentenced to pay $2 or go to jail for three months. It is remarked that Toronto needs a Female Refuge.

Lancaster, Onio, is experiencing a reign of terror on account of the strike of the coal miners. Union miners drove the citizens off the streets and severely beat a number of non-union miners. The storehouse of the late Troy works was set on fire twice, and Mr. McClargy's residence was set on fire once, but the flames in all cases were extinguished. Tumult, alarm, and confusion continued all night, and this morning deepened into a riot, in which James Elderton, R. T. Myers and John Woodard were shot and mortally wounded. Elderton has since died. The shooting began between Myers and Elderton, each shooting the other, and Myers' brother shot Woodard. A railroad train was sent to Athens for help, and five men have been arrested.

LATEST MONEY MARKET.

NEW YORK.

May 11, 10 a.m.

Gold.....112½ to 00
Sterling Exchange.....486½ to 00

MONTREAL.

Greenbacks bought at a discount of.. 11 to 00
Greenbacks sold at a discount of..... 10¾ to 00
Silver bought at a discount of..... 9 to 00
Drafts not payable in New York, ¼ per cent extra.

G. W. WARNER & SON,
Cor. Notre Dame and St. Frs. Xavier st.

Before purchasing elsewhere, if you want a real good Cooking Stove, see the celebrated Richmond Range, at 524 Craig street. 108

Hats, Spring Hats.

Now opening, all the latest and most fashionable styles, in gents' Silk and Felt Hats—English and American,—at

REYNOLDS & VOLKELDS,
55 Corner Notre Dame and St. John streets.

Just received, patent Step-ladders. Three-roller Mangles, Refrigerators, Bird Cages, Cornices, and Stair Rods, at L. J. A. Surveyer's, 554 Craig street. 108

WANTED, a smart Boy to work about a house, and sleep at home. Apply to Mr. Burwell, Medical Hall. 110-6

WANTED, a good General Servant, who will assist with the washing and ironing. Apply at 22 Berri street. 110-3

WANTED, a General Servant, at No. 224 Bleury street. 110-3

WANTED IMMEDIATELY, a smart Boy. Apply at 284 Notre Dame street. 110-2

WANTED, by a respectable Woman, two days in the week to Wash and Iron. Apply at 212 St. Dominique street. 109

WANTED, Sewing by the day, by a respectable young girl, with good references. Address N, 7, STAR office. 109

WANTED.—An experienced Sick-nurse, with good city references, is open for an engagement. Apply at 198 Chennaville street. 108

WANTED, by a respectable, middle-aged Woman, of good experience, the care of a Child, at her own house. Address L, 18, this office 104

New Advertisements to-day

ONE HOUR WELL SPENT.

VISIT THE CHOICE STOCK OF OPTICAL AND FANCY GOODS *JUST RECEIVED IN GREAT VARIETY*, AT

G. J. Hubbard's Optical Bazaar,
299 NOTRE DAME STREET. 110

FOR GOOD BUTTER AND POTATOES, GO TO No. 121 BLEURY STREET.
MUSSEN & McFARLANE. 110

PORK! PORK!

Heavy Cincinnati Mess, Thin Mess, English Prime Mess, and Extra Prime (Eager's Inspection.) For sale by GILMOUR & CO.,
109-2 No. 3 Molson's Bank Chambers.

$20,000 TO LOAN ON FIRST-CLASS CITY MORTGAGE.

Apply to WHYTE, KERR & LEFEVRE,
109-6 Merchants' Exchange, 11 St. Sacrament street.

COLORED PICTURES at $1.75 each, complete, ready for hanging up.

Call and see his splendid Stock o COLORED PICTURES, size 28 by 22 inches each, stretched, framed and glazed, at
117 BLEURY STREET. 108

TO LET,

COPPER HOUSE AND RESTAURANT, completely furnished. Public square. No license wanted. Sure success to competent man.
PARLOR, Dining, Sleeping Rooms, Kitchen, first floor, near St. Denis street.
FIVE ROOMS, second floor.
Apply 27 Gabriel, 825 Post. 109-4

CARPETS! CARPETS!

FLOOR OIL-CLOTHS, MATTINGS, RUGS, &c., *SELLING OFF AT AUCTION PRICES*, AT

MERRILL'S CARPET STORE,
270 Notre Dame Street.

Carpets made and laid at shortest notice.
A lot of over 1,000 yards Tapestry Carpets to be sold, made and laid, at 75c a yard. 109-3

PUBLIC CHALLENGE.

With a view to test the merits of the various Chemical Engines recently introduced into Canada, we hereby challenge the Babcock, Fire King and other companies to a competitive trial in Montreal on Tuesday, May 19th, 1874, with their $3,000 Engine or 30 Portable Extinguishers, against Nunn's "Little Giant" or Perry's "Royal Canadian" Chemical Engine (price $300.) The fire to be made of 100 tar barrels, both ends knocked out, filled with shavings and saturated with coal oil.
Companies accepting this challenge will please communicate with the undersigned, so that al necessary arrangements can be made.

W. C. NUNN,
Belleville.
WM. PERRY, Jr.,
109-2 Montreal.

CALL AND SEE THE UNRIVALLED STOCK OF FASHIONABLE HATS FOR THE COMING SEASON, AT

M. SAUNDERSON & BROS', *No. 523 CRAIG STREET.* 107

TRY AT BOLTON'S, 653 Craig street, for ripe Bananas, very cheap; new Maple Sugar and very fine Lemons; a fine lot of Golden Russets, fresh Coca Nuts, and New York Shell Oysters.

DR. E. K. PATTON,

Member of the Royal College of Surgeons, England,

LICENTIATE OF THE SOCIETY OF APOTHECARIES, LONDON, ENGLAND,

formerly Medical Superintendent Munster House Asylum, London, England, and late House Surgeon of the General Infirmary, Sheffield, England,

No. 522 CRAIG STREET
(Opposite Charles Borromme street.) 106-3m

BUILDING LOT AT ST. HILAIRE STATION FOR SALE,

Within 4 minutes' walk of the Station, on the river's edge.

Address or apply to
106-1m T. VALIQUET.

FURNITURE.

W. & W. TEES,
514 CRAIG STREET. 100

MISSING, since the 6th instant, George Frederick Dallass, aged 14; dark hazel eyes, brown hair; wore grey suit and black skin cap. Any information concerning him will be gladly received by his mother, at 36 Manufacturer street. 107

DISSOLUTION—Notice is given that the Co partnership heretofore existing between Leon Larue, senior, and Louis Leclair, of Montreal, under the name of "Larue & Cie.," Firewood Dealer, has long since been dissolved.
LOUIS LECLAIRE.
Montreal, 28th April, 1874. 105-6-2aw

FOR YOUR BOOTS, you cannot do better in the city than to go to P. LAVOIE, 66 St. Antoine street. First-class style and workmanship, and at the lowest possible prices.
First-prize at the Provincial Exhibition was gained by him. 41*

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1869 AND ITS AMENDMENTS.

In the matter of ANNA MATHILDA RICE, of the City and District of Montreal, a Trader, *Marchand Publique*, wife of JOHN MACROW, of the same place, Trader, an Insolvent.
The Insolvent has made an assignment of her estate to me and, the creditors are notified to meet at the Court-house, in the Room appropriated to proceedings in Insolvency, on WEDNESDAY, the Twenty-seventh day of May, A. D., 1874, at the hour of Eleven of the clock in the forenoon, to receive statements of her affairs, and to appoint an Assignee.
A. B. STEWART,
Interim Assignee,
Montreal, 9th May, 1874. 110-12

COOK.—Wanted immediately, a competent Cook, where a Housemaid and Boy are kept; no washing; wages, $10 per month, at 70 Victoria street. 110-6

TO LET, a Furnished House in University street; possession immediate Apply at 411 Craig street. 110-6

TO LET, nicely furnished Rooms, with or without Board, at No. 4 St. David's lane, next to St. Joseph street. 110-1

BOARD—Vacancies at No. 52 Chenneville street. 110-3

LOST, on Sunday evening, in St. James street or Bleury, an Alexandre Kid Glove. The finder will oblige by leaving it at the STAR office. 110

LOST, on Saturday evening, the 9th instant, a $10 bill, between 43 Mansfield street and Victoria street. The finder will oblige by leaving it at the above address. 110

LOST, this (Monday) morning, a small Skye Terrier Bitch; answers to "Puppy;" had on a leather collar. Please return it to Central Fire Station. 110

LOST, on the 16th instant, a young Fox Hound, (white), with black patches, chain collar, made smaller with string and Corporation medal. If the finder will return the same to No. 49 Aylmer street he will be rewarded. 110

WANTED, a man to make himself generally useful to drive and look after a horse. Apply at 42 St. Joseph street. 110-6

WANTED IMMEDIATELY, at No. 21 Richmond square, a Servant, who can cook and iron well; no washing; good wages paid to a suitable person. 110-2

WANTED, a situation by a man who thoroughly understands the care of horses, riding or driving four in hand if required. Apply at No. 213 William street. 110

WANTED, by a young Lady, a situation as English teacher in a French family or in a school. Address N, 8 STAR office. 110

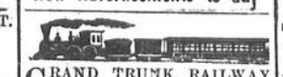
WANTED, a situation by a good Operator on the Wheeler & Wilson Machine, who understands making ladies' clothes. Address N, 9, STAR office. 110

WANTED, a Nurse, at No. 26 Port street. 11-6

WANTED, two Servant Girls to wait in a Dining-room; good wages. Apply at 524 St. Paul street. 110-2

WANTED, family's or gentlemen's washing, at 20½ Chenneville street. Can give good city reference. 110

New Advertisements to-day



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The Grand Trunk Railway Company are prepared to receive offers for the purchase of

10,000 Tons of Old Iron Rails.

To be delivered at TORONTO, PORT ERIE AND PORT HURON.

Offers may be made to the undersigned, giving the price per ton of 2,240 lbs.
If delivery to be made at Port Huron, Customs duties to be paid by purchaser.

J. HICKSON,
Secretary and Treasurer.
Montreal, May 7th, 1874. 108-6

THE OTTAWA RIVER NAVIGATION COMPANY.

The MAIL STEAMERS will begin regular trips TO-MORROW (SATURDAY). Passengers leave Bonaventure Depot by 7 a.m. train, for Lachine.

R. W. SHEPHERD.
May 8th, 1874. 108-tf

MERCHANTS' LAKE AND RIVER S.S. LINE.

We shall be prepared to receive Freight for Toronto, Hamilton, St. Catherines, Cleveland, Detroit, Windsor, Sarnia, Chicago, and Fort Stanley

On MONDAY, APRIL 27th.

We beg to remind merchants of our arrangements with the Great Western Railway, by which we *only* are authorised by them to sign bills of lading at through rates to their stations.

G. E. JAQUES & CO.,
97* Agents.

A NEW DRUG STORE JUST OPENED, ON CHABOILLEZ SQUARE.

M. G. EDSON,

CHEMIST AND DRUGGIST

WESTERN DRUG HALL,
(Next door to Dow's Brewery),
IN THE WESTERN BUILDINGS.

A pure article will be sold at a small advance on the wholesale price.
MRS. HARWOOD'S PRINCE OF WALES' SYRUP of the late Dr. W. R. Bowman, the only safe and reliable Soothing Syrup. 79-6w

NEW BOOKS.

"A Fast Life on the Modern Highway," by Joseph Taylor, $1.
"John Worthington's Name," by the author of "Miss Van Kortland," &c., $1.
"Northern California, Oregon and the Sandwich Islands," by Charles Nordhoff, $2.50

For sale by DAWSON BROS.,
109 ST. JAMES STREET.

IRON BEDSTEADS, REFRIGERATORS, STOVES, &c., *WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.*

W. R. TABB,
Nos. 14 & 16 Bonaventure street,
107 Victoria Square.

THE TAILORING DEPARTMENT AT WALSH'S CLOTHING HOUSE,

463 *Notre Dame Street, near McGill.*

is this year managed by two of the best Cutters in the city, each having his specialty—one for Pants, and one for Coats and Vests.
A trial solicited. Prices very moderate. 104

THE READY-MONEY GROCERY, AT No. 695 CRAIG STREET.

The most popular Store at the present time in this city is

C. DUNCAN'S.

Go and see the great Show of BUTTER, SUGAR, and TEA in the window, at prices which will astonish and delight old and young, rich and poor.
Choice Dairy Butter, only 28 cents per lb.
The very best Roll Butter, only 30 cents per lb.
The very best Tub Butter, only 32 cents per lb.
Sugars at 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11c per lb.
The best Lump Sugar, 12 cents per lb.
The Japan and Black Teas at 50 cents per lb. are (notwithstanding the duty) the cheapest Teas ever offered. Come and try them.
Other Groceries, Ale, Porter, Wine, Spirits, &c. at the very lowest cash prices.
Goods delivered in any part of the city.

CHARLES DUNCAN,
TEA MAN AND GROCER.
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THE RETAIL TRADERS' PROTECTIVE ASSOCIATION.
HEAD OFFICE:
154 ST. JAMES STREET, MONTREAL.
96-3m* GEO. BELL & CO., Managers.

A. F. DUNLOP, ARCHITECT.

MECHANICAL AND PATENT DRAWINGS.
127 ST. JAMES STREET. 99

BURGESS' LUNCH ROOMS, opposite the Court-house. A *recherche* Lunch of every description can be obtained at a reasonable price, from 8 a.m. to 11 p.m. Cleanness, despatch, economy and a well cooked meal are the specialities. 108-3m

JOHN JAMES BROWNE, *ARCHITECT*, HAS REMOVED HIS OFFICES TO No. 29 BONAVENTURE STREET. 96-tf

LATEST FASHIONS. DRESSMAKING, COSTUMES AND MANTLES.

H. BEAUDRY & CO. have now on hand, at their newly completed rooms, Costume Dresses, as at present the styles in London and New York, to which they invite the inspection of their numerous customers and the public generally.
Their dress stock includes every novelty in shades in Lustres for Dresses and Trimmings, and a case of Silks in all colors, at $1.55.
We have now a full assortment of Alexandre Gloves, two Buttons, at $1.35.

H. BEAUDRY & CO.,
103 378 Notre Dame street.

THE NEW SHOE STORE, 411 *ST. JOSEPH STREET*, CORNER ACQUEDUCT.

RONAYNE'S BRANCH.

BEES FOR SALE.

First-rate Colonies of BLACK BEES, in moveable combs, wooden hives, $12. Delivered at Montreal or here, and, if desired, attended to their destination. Address or apply to ADOLPHE VALIQUET, St Hilaire, P.Q. 108-1m

New Advertisements to-day

THE ORIENTAL TEA STORE,

Messrs. M. SCANLAN & CO.

beg to inform the residents of St. Joseph street and vicinity that they have REMOVED to

251 ST. JOSEPH STREET,

between Murray and Colborne streets, where will be found a choice assortment of

FAMILY GROCERIES,

TEAS, SUGARS, FRUITS, SPICES, SYRUPS, WINES, LIQUORS, &c., &c.

Special inducements are offered during the holiday season, and a call is respectfully solicited. 108

DRESSMAKING.

JAMES McCLURE & CO. beg to announce that in compliance with the request of many of their customers, they have added a Dressmaking Department to their business.
Elegant reception and fitting rooms have been provided for the comfort and convenience of ladies.
Orders executed with economy and despatch.

JAMES McCLURE & CO.,
213 ST. CATHERINE STREET. 105*

STAR PATENT COPPER AND GALVANIZED LIGHTNING-RODS.

W. H. SMITH is now canvassing this city for the sale of Lightning-Rods, in which business he has had great experience, and all parties entrusting their orders to him may rest satisfied they will be executed in a scientific and workmanlike manner.
The public should bear in mind that they are subject to entrusting their orders with strangers from the other side, who are not at all reliable.
Mr. Smith can be well recommended by Messrs. MORLAND, WATSON & CO., of this city, and all orders left with them will be attended to on the shortest notice. 98-1m*

GREAT SALE of PRUNELLA BOOTS, AT

O'BRIEN'S,

171, 234 & 379 St. Joseph St.

Ladies' Prunella Congress, silk elastic, for $1, worth $1.50.
Button Prunella Boots for $1.50, worth $2.25 68

THE ROYAL CANADIAN INSURANCE COMPANY. *FIRE AND MARINE.*

AUTHORIZED

Capital.....$5,000,000.

This Company having complied with the terms of the Act, have secured a License, and are now prepared to accept

ALL CLASSES OF RISKS AGAINST FIRE AT MODERATE RATES.

☞ All claims will be paid immediately on the loss being established. ☜

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M. C. MULLARKY,
ANDREW WILSON,
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Solicitor.....JNO. A. PERKINS.

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160 St. James Street, Montreal. 228-*

OAK-TANNED LEATHER BELTING, MANUFACTURED BY *JNO. L. HARDMAN & CO.*, 107 & 109 Queen Street, MONTREAL.

Price-lists on application. 94*

EDWARDSBURG PURE STARCH

EDWARDSBURG PREPARED CORN, *OR CORN STARCH.* 76

EXTRA MAPLE SYRUP, $1.25 PER GALLON; EXTRA MAPLE SUGAR, 20 CENTS PER LB. JUST RECEIVED BY

J. C. DUCKETT,
No. 247 St. James Street,
OPPOSITE OTTAWA HOTEL. 71

CHANDELIERS.

Just received, a select assortment of American Bronze Chandeliers, Brackets, Hall Pendants, Portables, &c.
For sale cheap.

JOHN BURNS,
88 675 Craig street.

GET YOUR SPRING ALTERATIONS AND REPAIRS DONE AT THE *CENTRAL JOBBING SHOP.*

JAMES CURRIE,
CARPENTER AND JOINER,
218 Fortification Lane, near Victoria Square. 66-1y

COAL! COAL!

AMERICAN (all sizes).
SCOTCH and LOWER PORT STEAM. do GRATE.
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For sale by ANDREW BAILE,
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GRAY'S SYRUP OF RED SPRUCE GUM,

For Coughs, Colds, Hoarseness, Loss of Voice, Bronchical and Throat Affections.
Price, 25 cents per bottle.
HENRY R. GRAY, Chemist,
Sole Manufacturer.
(*Trade Mark Secured.*) 139*

M. CALLEN'S, 144 ST. JOSEPH STREET,

Is the CHEAPEST place in the city to get your CLOTHING, ready-made or to order. You may rely on getting the full value for your money there. 89-3m

FINE,

THE EVENING STAR.
Monday, May 13, 1874.

AUCTION SALES

AUCTION SALE OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.

Will be sold by Auction at the residence No. 99 University street,

On THURSDAY, the 14th instant,

the whole of the Household Furniture and Effects belonging to an insolvent estate.

Sale at TEN o'clock.

A. B. STEWART,
110-3 Assignee.

By H. J. Shaw.

HIGHLY IMPORTANT SALE OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, HORSES, CARRIAGES, &c.

he subscriber has received instructions from George Moffatt, Esq., to sell at his residence, WERRYDALE LODGE, Dorchester street, West, on MONDAY and TUESDAY,

The 18th and 19th May next,

the whole of the fine Furniture, Carpets, Pianoforte, Horses, Phaeton, Carriage, Harness, &c.

Particulars hereafter.

HENRY J. SHAW,
84 Auctioneer.

SALE BY AUCTION of FRUIT AND ORNAMENTAL TREES, SHRUBS, PLANTS, &c., from the Cote St. Paul Nurseries, by Henry J. Shaw, Craig street,

On FRIDAY NEXT, the 14th inst.,

consisting of apple and other Fruit Trees, Currants, Gooseberries, Raspberries, &c. Hardy Evergreens, Norway Spruce, Scotch Firs, &c., Mountain Ash, Horse Chestnut, Acacia and other ornamental Trees; Hardy Flowering Shrubs, Plants, &c., &c.

Sale at TWO o'clock p.m.

HENRY J. SHAW,
Auctioneer.

NOTICE.

J. W. GROSE & CO.

Will open their

PUBLIC MARKET AND PURVEYING ESTABLISHMENT, AT 709 CRAIG STREET

(Between Bleury street and Victoria square),

On SATURDAY NEXT, the 9th of MAY.

They will endeavor, in conducting their business, to exercise to the utmost, judgment in the selection of five stock, scrupulous cleanliness in their slaughter-house and stall, civility and attention to customers, accuracy and promptitude in the delivery of orders; and they solicit a trial from all who appreciate the above. 1-6

R. PATTON.

Plumber, Gas and Steam Fitter,

745 *CRAIG STREET*,

Three doors West of Victoria Square.

CHEAP GAS-FIXTURES.

10 PER CENT. OFF PRESENT PRICES. 41*

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IMPORTANT TO BUILDERS, CONTRACTORS, QUARRY OWNERS, &c.

Butters' Stationary Engine and Boiler combined, 1 to 16 h.p.

Butters' Portable Hoisting Engines, 2 to 10 h.p.

Butters' Portable Steam Crane, on carriages, 15 cwt. to 30 tons.

Butters' Patent Derrick Cranes, working by hand and steam, 15 cwt. to 25 tons.

Contractors' Locomotives, Tip Buckets, Iron and Wood Pulley-Blocks, Chain and Rope Table, Wire Rope Guys, &c.

Prices and particulars on application to

P. S. ROSS & BROS.,

No. 10 GREY NUN STREET.

HOUSE FURNISHINGS.

WHITE and COLORED QUILTS, very cheap.

WHITE and COLORED TABLE CLOTHS.

CARPETS, from 60 cents up.

COTTONS in new and beautiful patterns.

SHEETINGS, SHEETINGS, &c., at

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No. 462 Notre Dame Street,

Near McGill str et. 1-6*

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Just received, a large assortment of new and elegant patterns, at prices to suit everybody.

WM. FORD,

No. 409 St. Joseph Street.

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EXPRESS WAGGONS

FOR

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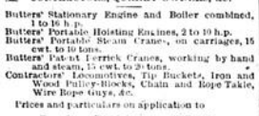
MERCHANDISE.

P. QUINN,

1 to 17 William street and 5 7 St. Joseph street.

A. DOUGLAS, 417 Notre Dame street, keeps always on hand a first-class assortment of Ladies' and Gentlemen's hand-made BOOTS and SHOES. Boots made to order at shortest possible notice. Material and workmanship guaranteed. Also, just received, from Paris, Ladies' White Boots and Kid Slippers. Ladies' white work of every description to order at the shortest possible notice. 103

JOHN OSTELL, Lumber Merchant, Montreal Door and Sash Factory, St. Gabriel Locks, Lachine Canal. Always on hand, Doors, Sashes, Blinds, Architraves, Skirting Boards, Mouldings of all patterns, and House-finishing generally. Also, Pine, Deals, and 2 inch clear boards and planks, 1-inch deals, scantling, furrings and laths, a large quantity of dressed seasoned pine and spruce, suitable for flooring and roofing of all qualities and thicknesses. 79



GENTS' FIRST-CLASS OLD-COUNTRY BOOTS,

ON HAND AND MADE TO ORDER, BY

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161 ST. LAWRENCE MAIN STREET. 4

Do You Buy Boys' Clothing?

IF YOU DO, DON'T FAIL TO GO TO

WALSH'S

No. 463 Notre Dame Street,

AND SAVE 25 PER CENT. 107

LARGE ASSORTMENT of WALL PAPER FOR SALE CHEAP, AT E. A. MARTINEAU'S NEW STORE, 257 ST. JOSEPH STREET. 90*

AUCTION SALES

By John J Arnton.

GREAT CATALOGUE SALE.

THOROUGH-BRED CATTLE, VALUABLE HORSES, &c., &c., &c.

The subscriber will sell at "Orchard Bank Farm," Lower Lachine Road, near Montreal, on

WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY, May 13th and 14th,

41 Head DURHAMS,
27 " AYRSHIRES,
6 " ALDERNEYS,
2 " GALLOWAYS.

27 HORSES, Thorough-breds, Carriage, Saddle and Draught; Stallions, English Bread Mares, Clydesdales, &c.; Suffolk and Berkshire Swine, Leicester Sheep.

Sale without reserve.

Cattle first day; Horses second day.

Commencing at TEN o'clock.

JOHN J. ARNTON,
Auctioneer.

Catalogues (64 pages) ready, giving full pedigrees. 106

VALUABLE PROPERTY, ST GABRIEL STREET.

On FRIDAY, May 15th,

the subscriber will sell at his Rooms, 79 St. James street, to close the affairs of the Estate Gregory: Property on St. Gabriel street, near Notre Dame street, 50 feet front, by 124 ft 6 in. deep, area 6,092 ft., on which is erected a four-story Stone Store, a three-story Cut-Stone Store, Brick Office and other Buildings, presently occupied by Messrs. Gillespie, Moffatt & Co., and Alexander Urquhart, Jr. Building.

Perfect title. Commanded.

Terms: One-third cash, balance in three annual instalments.

Also, a desirable Property at Hochelaga.

An emplacement at Hochelaga on the highway opposite Grand street, 100 feet front, total area 25,830 square feet, with two Wooden Houses.

Plans now on view.

Sale at half-past TEN o'clock.

JOHN J. ARNTON,
100 Auctioneer.

DESIRABLE LOT ON ST. JOSEPH AND BARRE STREETS.

On SATURDAY, MAY 16th,

The Subscriber will sell at his Rooms, A VACANT LOT on St. Joseph street, near Versailles street, running through to Barre street, about 41 feet front and rear, depth 186 feet; area according to Cadastre 8,5 7 feet, in the most rapidly improving portion of St. Joseph street, near the large stores of Mr. Chas. Garcau, and altogether a desirable lot for stores and dwellings.

ALSO,

A BUILDING LOT, 22 x 90 ft., on St. Joseph street, near Canning street.

Perfect Title. Easy terms.

Sale at half-past TEN o'clock.

JOHN J. ARNTON,
1-9-6 Auctioneer.

SALE OF PROPERTY, CENTRE STREET, POINT ST. CHARLES.

ON SATURDAY, MAY 16th, inst.,

The Subscriber will sell at his Rooms, the property known as the Point St. Charles Baptist Church, lot 27 ft. front in Centre street by 95 ft. deep running through to another street, with the Bricked Building used as a Church, and a second Bricked Building used as a school and dwelling, built thereon.

Perfect title. Commuted. Terms, one-fourth cash, balance in three equal annual instalments; interest 7 per cent.

Sale at half-past TEN o'clock.

JOHN J. ARNTON,
107 Auctioneer.

By J. F. Raymore.

SALE THIS EVENING OF A LARGE CONSIGNMENT OF JEWELLERY, CUTLERY, SILVERWARE, GLASSWARE, CONCERTINAS, ALBUMS and FANCY GOODS.

Also, a large and varied assortment of DRY-GOODS

to be sold without reserve.

Sale to commence at SEVEN o'clock.

N.B.—Goods sold during the day at private sale.

J. F. RAYMORE,
105-6 Auctioneer.

NEW AUCTION AND COMMISSION ROOM, *WESTERN BUILDINGS*, CHABOILLEZ SQUARE.

The subscriber having leased one of those large and commodious Shops known as the "Western Buildings, begs to inform the citizens and the public in general that he will hold DAILY EVENING SALES.

Parties having goods of any description are solicited to favor me with the sale of the same.

N. B.—Prompt returns of cash, and account of sales made immediately after goods are sold.

J. F. RAYMORE,
F 105-1m Auctioneer.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

COAL!

We take pleasure in announcing to the public of Montreal that, after this date, in connection with our Forwarding and Wholesale Coal Business, we shall carry on

A GENERAL RETAIL COAL BUSINESS

IN THE

ST. JAMES' BUILDING,

VICTORIA SQUARE.

We beg also to state that our facilities for purchasing and forwarding AMERICAN COAL are such as can be possessed by no others in the trade. We shall at all times keep a large assortment of the various

HOUSE AND STEAM COALS,

But shall make a specialty of the

DELAWARE AND HUDSON CANAL CO.'S

LACKAWANNA COAL,

which is found to be the purest Anthracite yet discovered; is free from slate and clinker, and the fine ashes indicate a perfect combustion.

For the present our prices for Lackawanna Coal, to be delivered direct from Boats after opening of Navigation, will be as follows, viz:—

FURNACE..... $7 85
EGG..... 8 00 PER TON OF 2,000 LBS.,
STOVE..... 8 50 DELIVERED.
CHESNUT..... 7 75

With a Discount of Five Per Cent for Cash.

Coal can be weighed on Public Scale at extra cost of five cents per ton if desired.

HART & BAKER,

Victoria Square.

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DE MANDEVILLE & MACKINNON,

REAL ESTATE BROKERS

AND

GENERAL AUCTIONEERS,

162 ST. JAMES STREET, Room 14,

MONTREAL.

Loans negociated. 64-1y

GREAT RUN ON WALSH'S CLOTHING.

Men's Full Suit of BEST ENGLISH AND CANADIAN TWEEDS for $9. The best value ever seen in Montreal. 104

1874. WALL PAPER.

OUR SPRING STOCK IS NOW COMPLETE,

Having just opened Fifty Cases of the finest Paper-hangings ever imported from the

Best French, English and American Houses,

And comprise every description, from the CHEAPEST TO THE MOST EXPENSIVE.

An inspection is respectfully invited. Prices same as previous years.

GEO. C. DE ZOUCHE,

No. 351 Notre Dame Street.

92-1m*

POLISH FOR PIANOS AND FURNITURE.

Will produce a brighter lustre, with less labor, than any preparation known.

C. C. DE ZOUCHE,
Music Dealer, 351 St. James street.

Price 25 and 50 cents 99

H. F. JACKSON, Chemist and Druggist (by examination of the Pharmaceutical Society of Great Britain), begs respectfully to inform the inhabitants of Montreal that he has returned from England, and that all physicians' prescriptions and recipes confided to him will receive his immediate personal attention, and will be dispensed with the purest of Drugs and Chemicals.

Mr. J. will also add that he hopes shortly to receive an entirely new stock of Perfumery. 93

MUSIC.—A Lady, having three or four vacancies, would be happy to hear from Ladies or Gentlemen desirous of taking Lessons on the Piano; terms moderate. Apply at 14 Mansfield street. 97-3aw-2w

AUCTION SALES

FIVE NEW AND 18 SECOND-HAND CARRIAGES. Also, DOUBLE and SINGLE HARNESS, and several HORSES at Auction, on FRIDAY, 15th inst., at TWO o'clock, near Allow-ay's, Cote street, at J. Watkins & Co.'s large premises.

109 DAVID FRASER, Auctioneer.

By Benning & Barsalou.

SALE OF NEW SPRING DRY GOODS.

The subscribers will sell at their Stores, No. 126 and 128 St. Peter street,

On WEDNESDAY, the 13th MAY,

the contents of 117 packages assorted DRY-GOODS suited to the season, consisting of in part: Fancy Wool Coatings, A. W. Black Cloths (W. E.), Black Beavers, Scotch Tweeds, Sheep-coff Cloakings, Blue Twilled do., Beetle Twills and Casbans, Tailed Linings, Farmers satin, 3-4 and 6-4 Croydon Sheetings, Cottons, Prints, Hosiery, Ties, Gents' Scarfs, Gents' White Shirts, Merino do. and Drawers, Harvard and Oxford Shirts, Crimean do., and

5 cases assort-d Black and Colored SILKS,
4 " assorted DRESS LUSTRES,
3 " superfine ALPACCA PLAIDS.
2 " LINEN DRILLS.
2 bales SCOTCH CARPETS,
3 " TAPESTRY CARPETS,
2 " Gents' I. R. COATS,
1 " GREY MELTONS,
29 Rolls American OIL-CLOTH (floor).

Also, by order of the Assignee, a large and varied stock of HABERDASHERY, consisting of in part: Shirts, Drawers, Cotton Hose, Gents' Ties, Spools, Ladies' and Children's Underclothing, Nankeens and Pique Hats, Ladies' Linen Cuffs and Collars, together with a general assortment of Scotch and Irish Linens, consisting of 8-4 Bleached and Brown Linen Damasks, 60-inch Crumb Cloth, Pillow Linnen, Napkins, Bleached and Cream Huck Towels; likewise,

50 bales BLACK WADDING,
2 cases SHINGLING HATCHETS,
2 " assorted WHIPS,
6 boxes AXES,
1 case DOUBLE JOINTER PLANES
1 " WOOD SAWS.

Terms liberal.

Sale at TEN o'clock,

BENNING & BARSALOU,
105 Auctioneers.

VALUABLE PROPERTY

West side of the Mountain.

The subscribers have received instructions to sell at their Rooms, Nos. 126 and 128 St. Peter street,

On THURSDAY, 14th inst.,

that valuable property known as "Thornhill," Cote des Neiges, containing about 18 arpents, with a neat STONE COTTAGE and OUT-BUILDINGS, bounded in front by Cote St. Luke Road, in rear by Captain Raynes, on the east side by the property of Mr. Wm. Gunn, "formerly Judge Day's," and on the West side by Mr. John Lowe. This is one of the choicest spots on the Island. The property can be very advantageously divided into Building Lots. The Little Mountain is now wooded, and will be adapted for Fruit Trees; it has a gently from the house, comprises a part of the property, and is a natural feature of the greatest value for Villa Residences, and one which, in other circumstances, could not be purchased for money. The drives are good, the roads in Winter being much better than streets in the City. The New Park, the Boulevard, the improving of the Mountain road, &c., are all things that add considerably to its value.

To be sold in one Stock. Commuted. Title perfect.

Terms—One-fourth cash; balance in ten years, with interest at 7 per cent.

Sale at our Office at ELEVEN o'clock.

BENNING & BARSALOU,
107 Auctioneers.

SALE OF BUILDING LOTS ON THE WESTERN MOUNTAIN.

The subscribers have been instructed by Mr. Wm. Brown to offer at public auction, on the ground,

On SATURDAY AFTERNOON, May 30th,

about 70 Building Lots, each 50 x 150 feet, part of the beautiful and well-known grounds of the Marchmont Nurseries and Fruit Gardens. The terms of sale will be exceedingly liberal. Descriptive circulars and plans are now ready, which may be had from the Auctioneers, from Christie & Fulton, Accountants, Union Buildings, St. Francois Xavier street, or from W. F. Lighthall, Esq., N.P., No. 44 St. James street.

Parties desiring to see the Lots will please call at the gardens.

Sale on SATURDAY, 30th May, at THREE o'clock.

BENNING & BARSALOU,
109 Auctioneers.

PARIS HOUSE.

WIGHT & DESCHAMPS,

IMPORTERS OF

French, English and American

DRY-GOODS,

906 ST. CATHERINE STREET, 906,

Opposite English Cathedral,

MONTREAL.

W. WIGHT. | F. B. DESCHAMPS. 106*

CUT THIS OUT.

WHITE DRESS SHIRTS

FOR

$1.50, worth $2.25

SHIRTS MADE TO ORDER,

AT

DESMARTEAU & BOND'S,

415 Notre Dame Street,

Corner St. Peter. 94*

SPRING, 1874.

J. G. MACKENZIE & CO.,

Nos. 381 & 383 ST. PAUL STREET,

Spring Stock Complete!

Splendid assortment of PRINTED CALICOES MUSLINS, LAWNS, &c.

DRESS GOODS in great variety of style and texture.

Full lines HOSIERY, RIBBONS, BLACK SILKS, SMALLWARES, &c., &c., &c. 61-3m*

FOR SALE,—

1,000 half-chests Choice, New Season JAPAN TEAS.
2,000 catties " " "
100 half-chests Fine to Choice YOUNG HYSON, season 1873-74.
500 bags RANGOON and ARRACAN RICE.
Brls DRY-CRUSHED and GRANULATED SUGAR.
Brls REFINED SUGAR.
Hhds " "
Tierces BARBADOES SUGAR.
Barrels Chicago MESS PORK, Montreal Inspection.
Barrels Extra MESS BEEF.
Bags COARSE SALT.
Bales CINNAMON.
Cases CITRONELLA OIL.

W. R. ROSS & CO.,

No. 11 ST. SACRAMENT STREET.

GODERICH DISTILLERY.

The undersigned have now in Store, at the Warehouse,

No. 144 McGILL STREET,

A large supply of

HIGHWINES,

direct from their own Distillery, in Goderich, Ont., and are prepared to sell (in bond or duty paid) in quantities to suit the trade.

From this date we will receive weekly shipments, and customers can rely on their orders being executed with despatch.

70-3m* JAMES DOYLE & CO.

FREIGHT TO SUMMERSIDE AND CHARLOTTETOWN, PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND,

Per Schooner "Ariel," Capt. Philp, now loading at the Montreal Warehouse.

Apply to

ROBT. MITCHELL & SONS,

COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

99 ST. FRANCOIS XAVIER STREET. 106

NO ADVANCE.

A FINE LOT OF

JAPAN AND BLACK TEAS

FOR SALE AT OLD PRICES.

J. C. VANDAL,

Late Ducros & Vandal,

91 38 Bleury street.

CIGARS! CIGARS!

A large Stock of HAVANA CIGARS just imported, at

RUDMAN & HOROWITZ,

241 McGILL STREET.

521. BRITISH AMERICAN STEAM DYEING and SCOURING WORKS and PRINCIPAL OFFICE,

No. 521 St. Joseph street, West,

(Between Guy and Richmond streets.)

Also, goods received at the OLD STAND, No. 44 St. Joseph street.

396* THOS. PARKER, Proprietor.

CENTS FOR SALE at the STAR Office.

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FOUR O'CLOCK

FLOOD.

MEMPHIS, May 11.

There is a bad break in the levee at Maynard. A large section of cotton lands are submerged and the water is still rising.

MURDER IN NORTH CAROLINA

WILMINGTON, N. C., May 10.

A letter received here from Rockingham, in Richmond county, states that a day or two since a Mr. C. Yarboro was instantly killed by one Samuel Davis under circumstances of a most unfortunate nature.

The case, as related, goes to show that Yarboro was accused of having some unpleasent words with Davis' wife, and that morning Yarboro, in passing the house of Davis, was accosted by his wife, who demanded to know why he had given her the lie. Yarboro disclaimed any knowledge of applying such language to her, whereupon Davis, husband of the woman, seized a spade, and, with one tell blow split the head of Yarboro, dashing out his brains. Davis was immediately arrested and incarcerated in the jail of Montgomery county.

SUICIDE OF A CLERGYMAN'S WIFE.

CONCORD, N. H., May 8.

The wife of the Rev. Corban Curties, of Tilton, committed suicide in a fit of temporary insanity this morning, by jumping into the Winnipiseogeo River.

ROUND TOWN.

—The Treasurer of the Montreal General Hospital acknowledges with thanks the receipt of $76, a donation from the officers and men of the City Police Force.

—In consequence of all the seats being taken for Mrs. Siddons and Walker entertainment on Wednesday evening, another will be given on Thursday evening in order to satisfy the demand for tickets. The readings will take place in Association Hall.

—A Montreal and Acadian Steamship Company has been formed to furnish steam communication between Montreal, Shediac, N. B., Charlottetown, P. E. I., and Pictou, N. S. The first weekly steamer, the Columbia, will be despatched on Friday next.

—The regular monthly meeting of the Woman's Board of Missions will meet at Mrs. Lay's Seminary, 852 Dorchester street, on Tuesday, 12th inst., at half-past three o'clock p. m. Letters from Italy and Syria will be read. All ladies are cordially invited to attend.

—Cabin passengers per ss. Nova Scotian, Portland to Liverpool: Prof. Watson, Kingston; E. H. Plummer, B. Plummer, Belleville; Chevalier A. N. de La Mothe, Montreal; W. R. Davis, Mitchell; Arthur Saul, Detroit. To St. Johns, R. Blackwood, A. Harvey, Montreal.

—The Treasurer, Andrew Robertson, Esq., of the Montreal General Hospital, acknowledges with thanks the receipt of the following donations: $10 from John Hamilton, painter; $5 from James Toner, grocer; and $7.20 from Mr. H. Clark, G. T. R. C6., being a balance of a testimonial fund.

—W. S. Humphreys, proof-reader of the STAR, on the occasion of his recent marriage, was the recipient of a very handsome silver tea-service, accompanied with an address, couched in very flattering terms, from his fellow-craftsmen in the office. Mr. Humphreys, who was taken completely by surprise, made a suitable reply.

—Gold opened at 112¾ and advanced to 112¾; bank 60-days' sterling varied from 109⅞ to 109¾; bank gold drafts from par to ¼ per cent. premium.

The stock market was dull: Montreal, opening at 194½, closed at 194½; and was quoted ex div., holders 187½, buyers 186½; Merchants' was improved and Toronto had fallen a fraction.

American Securities were somewhat more favorable:—

PacificMail, 45¼, 45⅝; W.U.Telegraph, 72¼, 72⅝; N. Y. Central, 98¼, 98⅜; Erie, 35¼; Michigan Southern, 76⅛, 76½; Rock Island, 97½; 98; North-West, —; —; North-West Preferred, —; Union Pacific, 3-½; Ohio and Mississippi, 24⅜; 5-20 Bonds, 115½; C. C. & I. C., 2-½; Toledo and Wabash, 40½; St. Paul, 35; Delaware, 107½.

Interest to carry gold rated at 4 per cent.

Sales at the noon Board:

10	shares of Montreal at	194½
7	" "	194½
35	" "	194½
10	" City at	194½
15	" Merchants' at	114
20	" Hamilton at	97½

Corporation stock 7 per cent., changed hands to the value of $3,000 at 111½.

THE PREMIER CONCEDES A POINT.

The Council of the Board of Trade forwarded a protest against the change in the manner of choosing trade representatives on the Harbor Commission; a reply has been received from the member for Montreal West, stating that the Government has abandoned this clause, the Premier conceding the principle of election for the representatives of the Board of Trade and Corn Exchange, which will take place yearly, however, instead of every four years as formerly. The Board of Trade will be limited to one representative instead of two, and the Government representation will remain at the increased number of five, giving the Administration a majority.

MONTREAL CENTRE ELECTION

Further evidence was taken in this matter on Saturday afternoon.

Mr. Jas. Black, Treasurer, produced the four books of the Assessment Roll of 1872; they had never been sworn to within his knowledge, and had been placed in his charge before the 15th of August of 1873.

The testimony of Mr. Glackmeyer was continued: The voter's lists had not been made from the assessment roll of 1872, but from the list of voters corrected by the Board of Revisors in Jan. 1873; this list, copied from the original list was made from the assessment roll mentioned; he had certified to the correctness of the lists before two magistrates.

The cross-examination of the witness was postponed till to-day.

MONTREAL CENTRE CONTESTATION

The Election Court opened this morning when Mr. Glackmeyer, City Clerk, cross-examined, produced the original and revised voters' lists; he testified that they were not sworn to until the 15th ult., when his attention was called to the fact that such an affidavit was required through reading the proceedings with relation to this case.

Mr. O'Meara, assistant City Clerk, gave further evidence with regard to these lists, and Mr. Robert Henry, silversmith, of Ste. Famille street, stated that owing to the difficulty he experienced in endeavoring to find the proper polling-booth he had not voted.

Mr. Richard McShane, grocer, McGill street, deposed that he had used his influence prior to the election in favor of Mr. Ryan, but he was not aware that any committee had been regularly organised for this purpose.

Court took recess.

CENTS FOR SALE AT THE STAR office.

Garden Tools of every description, Watering Pots, &c., at L. J. A. Surveyer's, 924 Craig street. 108

MONTREAL STOCK REPORT.

[*Reported for* THE STAR *by Bond Brothers.*]

STOCKS.	Offered.	Bought.	Transactions.
Bank of Montreal	194½	194¾	194¾
Ontario Bank	111½	110½	....
Bank of B. N. A.	154	148	....
City Bank	104½	104	104½
Banque du Peuple	106	105	....
Molson's Bank	111	110¾	....
Bank of Toronto	204	203½	....
Banque Jacques Cartier	....	....	....
Merchants' Bank	114½	114	....
E. Townships Bank	....	120	....
Quebec Bank	....	109¾	....
Banque Nationale	110	108½	....
Union Bank	108	108¾	....
Mechanics' Bank	....	93½	....
Royal Canadian Bank	143½	141	....
Can. Bank of Commerce	127	126¾	....
Metropolitan Bank	102¾	102	....
Dominion Bank	....	....	....
Bank of Hamilton	99	97	97½
Maritime Bank	99	96¾	....
Exchange Bank	108½	108½	....
Byron Copper Co.	20	15	....
Intercolonial Coal Co.	73	65	....
G. T. R. 7 p.c. Bonds	95	92	....
Champ. & St. L. R'd 8 p.c. Bonds	....	101	....
Do. Sterling 6 p.c.	....	....	....
Mont. Telegraph Co.	107½	107	....
Dominion Telegraph Co.	....	101	....
Montreal Gas Co.	195	....	....
Canadian Sav. Co.	80	70	....
City Passenger R'd	170	171	....
City Gas Company	130	128	....
Merchants' Exchange Building Society	....	102	....
Hamilton Pr. & L. Society	....	101	....
Canada Rolling Stock Co.	98½	98½	....
N. American Car Co.	50	46	....
Canada Screw Co. Machine Company	65	60	....
Quebec Fire Insurance	....	....	....
Canada Fire Insurance	....	....	....
Can. R. Equipment Co.	104½	103	....
Cornwall Cotton Manuf'g Co.	80	....	....
Mont. Warehousing Co.	99	99	....
Colebrook Rolling Mills	....	....	....
Quebec Gulf Port S S Co.	....	....	....
Graphic Pr. Ink Co.	....	....	....
Dominion Stock	....	108	....
Gov't Deb. 6 p. c. stg.	....	....	....
Gov't Deb. 6 p. c. cy.	....	....	....
Gov't Deb. 6 p. c. sterling	....	....	....
Gov't Deb. 8 p. c. cy.	....	....	....
Montreal Harbor 7 p. c. Bonds	....	....	....
Montreal Harbor 7 p. c. Bonds	....	....	....
Do. 7 p. c. Bonds, due '85	....	....	....
Mont. Harbor, 6½ p. c.	101	99¾	....
Quebec Corp. Stock, 7 p.c.	....	....	....
Quebec Bonds, 6 p. c.	98	97	....
Montreal 7 p. c. Stock	112	111	....
Montreal 6 p. c. Stock	98	....	....
Montreal Corp. Bonds	....	....	....
Montreal W. W. Bond	99	97	....
B. N. A. & C.	....	....	....
Do. 6 p. c.	99	97	....

EXCHANGE.

Bank of London 60 days	109¾ @ 109¾
Merchants' Bills, 60 days	— —
Bank on demand on New York	— —
Merchants' Bills	— —
Bank Gold Drafts on New York	par @ ¼ prem.
Gold rates at noon in New York	112¾ "

New Advertisements this P.M.

IRISH CATHOLIC BENEFIT SOCIETY.—Semi-annual adjourned meeting of the above Society will be held at their Hall, in Tempe's building, McGill street, on WEDNESDAY EVENING, May 13th instant, at 8 p.m. sharp, to proceed with the Election of Officers and other business. Every member is particularly requested to attend.

109-3 M. NEWELL, Secretary.

SALE OF CHINA and GLASSWARE.

On THURSDAY, MAY 14th, inst.,

at our Salerooms, 650 Craig street, a choice assortment of China and Glassware, Dinner Sets, Tea Sets, Toilet Sets, Parian Statuettes, Decanters, Tumblers, Wines, &c., &c.

Sale at TWO o'clock P. M.

BOOKER & RITCHIE,
110 Auctioneers.

HOUSEHOLD.

OUR STOCK OF HOUSEFURNISHING GOODS IS VERY COMPLETE.

Good Tapestry Carpets, 60 cents.
Crossley's Tapestry Carpets, 85 cents.
A few extra choice Tapestry Carpets $1.
One case White Quilts, from $1.50 to $3.50 each.
One case Lace Curtains, from $1 to $15 per set.
Linen Damask, from 30 cents to $2 per yard.
Matelasse striped Lancaster Reps, double-fold, 75c.
Piano Covers, from $4 to $20 each.
Linen Table-Cloths, from 1½ to 6 yards long.

SILKS! SILKS!

12 yards of a fair quality of Black Silk, for $6.50.
12 yards rich, wide Black Silk, for $7.00.
One case Rich Black Gross Grain Silk, only $1.10.
This $1.10 Gross Grain is the cheapest article we have ever offered.
Our Striped-colored Silks, at 75 cents, are the talk of nearly all the Dry-goods men in Canada, no other house being able to sell them for less than $1.

DRESSMAKING.

In our Dressmaking Department we do not employ either Apprentices or Improvers. This is one reason why our work and fit is so superior.

BLACK GOODS.

One case rich, striped Black Grenadines.
Our Black Lustres are the best make possible to procure. All fast dyes are guaranteed to stand the rain, and not show creases.
Our Black Arabian Cords make splendid Dresses or Costumes, and are excellent goods to wear.
Just received, another lot of Real Cashmeres for Mantles, Jackets, Polonaises or Riding Habits.

HARRIS'S KIDS.

Look for the name. Harris's Kid Gloves have the name on each pair. Two pair of Harris's equal for wear to two pair of any other make, and they fit perfectly.

S. CARSLEY,
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MANUFACTURED TO ORDER.

Schultze, Reinhardt & Co.,

291 NOTRE DAME STREET,

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HOW IS IT that all the leading Gentlemen of Montreal and neighborhood wear J. G. KENNEDY & CO'S NOTED TRULY FITTING PANTS? First: Because they are cut on anatomical and mathematical principles. Second: Because the materials are of the most fashionable and chaste designs. Third: Because, the workmanship is, undeniably, of the best order. Fourth: Because the prices are extremely moderate, varying from $2.75 to $6.00. Address: 31 St. Lawrence street. 110*

GOLD EAR-RINGS,

From $5 to $190.

E. G. MELLOR,

285 Notre Dame Street,

CRYSTAL BLOCK.

WANTED, a dry Cellar, with one or two Rooms, for manufacturing purposes. Address Box 778½, Post-office. 110-1

TWO COTTAGES FOR SALE, charmingly situated on the river Bank, Longueuil. Will be sold separately if desired; immediate possession if desired. Apply to E. LUSHER, 716 Craig street, Real Estate Agent, and Auctioneer. 110-2

TO LET, a comfortable Brick Tenement, of three rooms. Apply at 145 St. Urbain street. 110-3

TO LET, large Rooms, at 160 Bonaventure street. 110-4

BOARD.—Vacancies for Boarders, at No. 8 Bonsecours street. 110-12

BOARD WANTED, by a man and wife (without children); private family preferred. Address, stating terms and location, N, 10, STAR office. 110-1

BOARDERS WANTED, at Hochelaga, opposite the Telegraph Office. 110-4

LOST, on Wednesday, May 6th, between St. James and St. Mary street, a small, Round Inlaid Tortoise-shell Brooch. The finder will please leave it at 506 St. Mary street. 110

WANTED, a good Plain Cook. Apply at No. 18 Durocher street. 110-2

WANTED, two Girls for Dressmaking. Apply at 101 Fortier street, corner St. Dominique. 110-3

WANTED, at 45 Belmont street, a good, smart Housemaid; must be well recommended. 110-6

WANTED, a Shingle Sawyer, to run a self-feeding machine. Apply immediately at Henderson's Steam Saw Mills, William street. 110-3

WANTED, a respectable Girl as General Servant. Apply at once, at 18 Drummond street. 110-6

WANTED, by a respectable woman, Gentlemen's or Families' Washing. Apply at 29 St. Charles Borromme street. 110

WANTED, Washing, at No. 34 St. Andrew street. 110

WANTED, a situation as Checking Clerk, by a Young Man; good writer and quick at figures. Address N, 12, this office. 110

WANTED, a Thorough Servant also, a young Girl to act as Nurse. Apply at 122 Upper St. Urbain street. 110-3

WANTED, by a married Man, of steady habits, a situation as Express Driver, (double or single); understands the care of horses thoroughly and retands the care of horses thoroughly, would go as Light Porter, Messenger, Night Watchman or any place of trust; can read and write; knows the city; good references. Address N, 11, this office. 110

WANTED, Eight First-class Table-maids, for a First-class Hotel, at Cobourg, Ont.; wages, $10 per month; passage paid. Apply to Patrick Fitzgerald, No. 44 Philip street, between 4 and 6 p.m. 110-1

WANTED, family's and gentlemen's washing, by a good Laundress. Address K, 7, this office. 109

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SIX O'CLOCK.

DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

[*Special to the* STAR.]

OTTAWA, May 11.

In the Sub-Committee of Public Accounts on the Dawson Road, it has been proved that Mr. McKay, manager of the road, supplied stores to the Government, paid accounts therefor, and in addition audited and receipted them.

The Insolvency law has been drafted, and came before the Privy Council today.

Buckley, a witness in the McGee murder trial, is dangerously ill.

Senator Robertson, of St. John, has resigned his seat on account of leaving Canada.

A number of Senators will oppose M. C. Cameron's Act to annex Muskoka to South Huron, when it goes to the Upper House.

The Committee on Manufactures has decided to take no more evidence.

The News of Nova Scotia.

[*Special to* THE STAR.]

HALIFAX, May 11.

Good fares have been taken by fishermen on the Sambro banks lately.

The Red Island light ship, formerly the Halifax light ship, sailed on Saturday evening for Quebec.

The steamers Falmouth, from Portland and Somerset from Boston, arrived at Somerset and proceeded to Charlottetown.

The iron ship Roseneath, forty-five days from Glasgow, arrived this morning, having had heavy headwinds during the entire passage.

The News of the Capital.

[*Special to the* STAR.]

OTTAWA, May 11.

The Government will probably soon institute a searching enquiry into Custom House matters at Montreal. A strong pressure is being brought to bear upon them to this end.

Speculation is rife as to what will be the upshot of the Post-office investigation:—How will Mr. Freer be affected? Who will be his successor for the office? There are already a large number of applications.

The discussion on Mr. Costigan's New Brunswick School resolution will be resumed this afternoon.

Mr. Cornish, Mayor of Winnipeg, left this morning *en route* for home.

A letter, signed "M," appears in the *Times* suggesting an enquiry into the position which the G.T.R. Company occupies towards the Dominion.

News of the West.

[*Special to* THE STAR.]

TORONTO, May 11.

The following are the principal items of insurance on the property destroyed in the fire on Saturday night, obtained from the books of various companies interested:—Messrs. Smith & Keighley, Western Insurance Co., $10,000; Scottish Fire, $12,500; Queen, $10,000; Northern, $5,000; Lancashire, $10,000; British American, $5,000; Royal Canadian, $10,000; Union, $10,000; Royal, $10,000; Gore District Mutual Insurance Company, $3,000; Imperial, $10,000; Queen City, $5,000; Hand-in-Hand, $300; Messrs. Thorne, Parsons & Co., Commercial Union, $10,000; Royal Canadian, $6,000; Imperial, $10,000; Queen, $5,000. Northern, $14,000; Hand-in-Hand $3,000; Western, $5,000; Phœnix, $10,000.

An attempt was made early this morning to fire the building 611 King street west. The flames were discovered in two places, but the inmates were alarmed and the fire was extinguished. Two men were concerned in the attempt, having affected an entrance through a window.

The Toronto cricket ground was formally opened and play commenced this morning.

News of

...LE EVENING STAR.

Monday, May 11, 1874.

THE DEEP SECRET;

OR,

THE LIVING WONDER.

CHAPTER XLIV.—*Continued.*

We need not detail the incidents of Lord Adlowe's excursion to Cardiff. It is enough to say that the parliamentary train proceeded with its customary slowness, and that Adlowe was annoyed beyond expression at the long stoppages; that he arrived safe at last at his destination; that he found the agent out secured the house under an assumed name, paid a quarter's rent, and with the receipt and the house-key in his pocket, returned to Dalton by the express in fine spirits.

It was six o'clock—already dusk—when he strode up the street towards the inn. Lord Adlowe hurried to his room on reaching it, flung aside his outer garments, and rang for Wigby and his supper. Both speedily made their appearance.

"Well," said Adlowe, impatiently, when the landlord, who had personally served him, had withdrawn, "what luck?"

"The best—the very best, my lord!" responded Wigby, triumphantly. "I discovered her hiding place through a little street urchin whom I fortunately thought to question. He saw a beautiful young lady, accompanied by a little boy, an old woman, and a country lad, dismount before the door of the pastrycook's shop yesterday. He described them. They were, of course, Miss Giralda, Mrs. Pumpton, the shepherd lad who conducted them, and——"

"You have found the bird, Wigby," Adlowe interrupted, "and I have secured the cage. I have taken a small lonely country-house near Pencoed, and I we must secure the young lady, and convey her there between this and daybreak. You must go to the bluff cottage, find Mrs. Bittly, and bring her to my house at Pencoed, to act as housekeeper and gaoler. You must be speedy and secret."

"Yes, my lord. I will order a conveyance to be got ready at once. I shall have time to assist you off before leaving by the train. But how are we to get hold of the young lady? Enter the pastry-cook's shop and boldly abduct her?"

"No. Miss Arevalo has been confined to the house all day, and will be likely to seek the fresh air as soon as the darkness renders it safe. She isn't afraid of rain, I know. We will lie in wait for her near the pastry-cook's door."

This decision was carried into effect. Horses and a vehicle were procured, and master and man set out ostensibly on a day or two's excursion to the north, a liberal fee blunding the landlord to the singularity of starting after nightfall in the face of the mist.

A little later Lord Adlowe and Wigby were crouching in a dark doorway near the pastry-cook's shop, the horses being secured to a post around an adjacent corner.

An hour passed here in painful watching and waiting.

"She won't come!" muttered Adlowe at last, disapointedly. "The rain has frightened her. I shall have to wait till to-morrow night, unless I break into the house, and that, of course, is out of the question. Was there ever anything more annoying——"

"Hush!" whispered Wigby, laying his hand on his master's arm.

The pastry-cook's like the other shops, had been closed and shuttered. At this moment its door opened, and a long ray of light fell upon the wet pavement.

The two men gathered themselves like tigers for a spring.

"Oh, I'm not at all afraid, Mrs. Jones," they heard a voice, which they recognized as Giralda's, saying. "I'm equipped for the rain, and, as for company and protection, I've got litte Fay here. The fact is, I want to send a message to Peggy and her new inmate, and the docter will go to the Burnt Downs early in the morning. If I see him before he goes, I must see him to-night. You know I don't dare to go out in the daytime. It's only a little way to the doctor's."

Mrs. Jones closed the door; and, with Fay clinging to her, Giralda hurried along the street towards the doctor's residence, the two sheltering themselves with an umbrella.

The two villains, master and man, crept after the innocent young pair, with gleaming eyes and eager stealthiness.

CHAPTER XLV.

Unconscious of the deadly enemies creeping up stealthily behind them in the mist and the darkness in that lonely, deserted street, Giralda and little Fay hurried onward towards the doctor's residence, conversing in low tones as they went.

As they gained the nearest corner—that by which Adlowe's hired horses were in waiting—a gust of wind seized her umbrella threatening to turn it inside out.

"Wait a moment, Fay," said Giralda, pausing to right the umbrella and to gather her waterproof cloak closer. "The night is worse than I thought. I do not like to expose you to the wind and rain. We will go back, darling."

"Oh, no, no," urged Fay, pleadingly. "You want to know how the sick man is. The doctor has been to see him a..in to-day. Let us go on."

Giralda allowed herself to be persuaded her own anxieties urging her strongly in the same direction.

The refractory umbrella was reduced to a condition of usefulness, and the young pair were about to resume their walk, when Adlowe gave a signal, and in an instant the two men had sprung upon their prey.

There was a woman's gasping cry, a child's low, frightened moan, and Giralda and Fay, helpless and terrified, were clutched close in the hands of their captor's.

"Not a word—not a cry, Giralda!" whispered Lord Adlowe, fiercely. "You know who I am. At the first sound you make to summon assistance I will choke your brother as remorselessly as I would crush a worm!"

Giralda repressed the scream that trembled on her lips. Her brain was in a whirl. She could not think. She knew only that her enemy had found her out, and that she was again in his power.

More thoughtful of another than of herself even now, she stretched out her arms to encircle her brother, and to defend him with her life.

"Put the boy into the waggon, Wigby," commanded Adlowe, keeping a close hold upon Giralda, and a keen watch up and down the street.

Little Fay, more dead than alive, was deposited in the waggon.

"Bind him!" said Adlowe, briefly.

Wigby hastened to tie the little fellow's ankle's together, and then secured his wrists in like manner.

"Oh, do not take him without me!" cried Giralda, Fay's low, quivering moans rending her heart.

"I don't intend to," declared Adlowe, his voice thrilling with his savage exultation. "You shall go with him. You shall be in a measure his guardian, for upon your conduct shall depend his life. I am a desperate man, Giralda, and I am in a good mood for desperate deeds. Let me help you into the waggon."

Giralda hesitated, flashing a wild glance through the darkness, and the thin, slow-falling rain. No one was in the street at that moment. The shops were closed, and their proprietors had retired to their back parlours. There was no one to hear her if she should call.

Half-stunned and half-fainting, she submitted to be helped into the waggon.

"Shall I bind the young lady, my lord?" asked Wigby.

"No, it is not necessary," replied Adlowe. "You have only to place the boy within my reach. If she choose to escape, she will only seal his doom."

Giralda sank down on the cushioned seat, and Wigby covered her and Fay with lap-robes, then descended to the pavement.

"Go at once to the bluff cottage, and bring Mrs. Bittly, Wigby," said his lordship, in an undertone. "You had better be on your way to the station. I can manage my passengers alone."

He mounted to his seat, took the rains, and drove slowly down the street, Wigby hurrying on foot in the direction of the station.

For a time Giralda did not speak, seeming wholly benumed. She sought out poor little Fay's bound wrists, and clasped his hands in her own; but his low, frightened sobs and moans were almost more than she could bear. She laid her face against his little tear-wet cheek, and drew him close to her; but she could not soothe him with words.

Adlowe hurried out of the town by the shortest route, having informed himself in advance in advance in regard to his course. His evil soul thrilled with exultation at his success in his night's work, and he began to indulge a hope that he should yet retrive his sinking fortunes and attain to the wealth he so much coveted.

The rough town pavements were soon left behind, and the wheels, rolled almost noiselessly over the country road upon which they had entered. The mist continued to fall slowly, and through it, as though a haze, Giralda saw houses up on either side; and now and then a light flashed out from some parlour window, and the sound of music and laughter strayed to her ears, seeming to mock her with a happiness which she feared she was never to know again.

After a while, rousing herself from her despair, she broke the silence.

"Lord Adlowe," she said, in a low voice, "where are you taking us?"

Lord Adlowe started as from a reverie, and answered, promptly—

"To a house which I have hired under an assumed name, near Pencoed."

"For what purpose?"

"You know as well as I do, Giralda—to compel you to become my wife. This house at Pencoed is merely intended as a temporary retreat. I mean to keep you there until the search for you is over, and your spirit is broken sufficiently to make you submit to my will. In the house which you promise to marry me I shall give you every freedom. Till then you will be my prisoner."

To be Continued.

A RACE OF PIGMIES.

The question whether there has ever been a race of pigmies on the earth, which is as old as Homer and Herodotus, is invested with fresh interest by a letter from Bayard Taylor, just published. By the courtesy of the Khedive of Egypt, our American traveller was permitted to see, in the Palace of the Nile at Cairo, two specimens of the race obtained by the Italian traveller, Miani, who did not live to accompany them to Egypt. Dr. Schweinfurth had previously seen some natives of the tribe among the Nyam Nyams, but he did not penetrate their country, which is called Takkatikat, and is said to be an equatorial table land covered with low, dense thickets, in which the pigmies hide. The home of these curious people is a journey of a year and a half at the necessarily slow rate of a trading expedition's passage there and back, from Khartoum, the great trading port for the African interior which is midway between Cairo and Zanzibar, some two hundred miles inland. The two dwarfs that Bayard Taylor saw are respectively twenty and ten or twelve years old. Tubbut, the man, is forty-six inches in height, twenty-six inches round the breast and twenty-eight around the abdomen.

Though the arms and heads of these creatures are symmetrical, there is a marked curvature of the spine inward and a consequent projection of the abdomen, which a diet of beans and bananas had distended. The brain of the dwarf seemed well developed, his eyes were bright and intelligent, the nose extremely flat, with correspondingly wide and square nostrils, and the complexion that of a dark mulatto. According to the statement of the Khedive, the dwarfs are quite warlike and are by no means contemptible opponents of their larger negro neighbors, as they combine the activity of the ape with great skill in concealing themselves in their native jungles.

This curious story tends to show that the discredit cast upon previous accounts of the existence of a race of dwarfs was undeserved. Dr. Schweinfurth supposes them to be the pigmies mentioned by Herodotus, but Bayard Taylor is mistaken in his idea that no account of the race has yet been published in Europe or America. Du Chaillu, in his "Country of the Dwarfs," published by the Harpers in 1872, describes these pigmies, whom he calls Obongos.

While in the Ashango country, he came upon one of their settlements, but the story tol l him by the chief of Niembouai that the little people were as shy as the antelopes and gazelles—of the woods, proved true. They ran away on the approach of the stranger, and hid themselves in the thickets, so that Du Chaillu saw at first unable to observe any but the women and children. Afterwards, however, he succeeded in becoming better acquainted with the Obongos, and on one occasion met fifty-nine dwarfs in one of their villages.

A few of them were not more than four feet in height; others were from four feet two inches to four feet seven inches in height. They were, however, stoutly built, with big broad chests, and, though their legs were small they, as well as the arms, were muscular and strong. Their hair is described as being unlike that of the negroes and Ashangos among whom they live, but growing in tufts apart from each other which looked like balls of wool.—*Boston Globe.*

ABANDONED WOMEN.

Yes, kick her down as low as possible. Don't give her a chance to rise and invade respectable society again.

She has been tried and tempted, and she has fallen from the holy estate of innocence, and it behooves every virtuous woman to see to it that she is not allowed to breathe the foul malaria of her presence among the purer of her sex.

There is contamination in her touch. There is moral darkness and degradation in her presence. Beware of her as you would of one smitten with the plague.

When she passes by, or when her disgraced name is mentioned, wrap your pious garments around you, and let the blush of shame tinge your maiden cheek, and the pocket handkerchief of insulted modesty cover your face.

Men will deem you modest, and do not men adore modesty in a woman, and do they ever by any act of theirs destroy that quality in the female character? Oh, no. Certainly not. We all know that the world of men at large are equally as careful of the characters of the young girls with whom they associate as they would be if these same girls were their own grandmothers! To be sure!

Always think of the Abandoned Woman at her worst! Never for a moment indulge the idea that there may be good left in her. The days when it was possible "for good to come out of Nazareth" are passed away.

She is [illegible]—let her lie where she has chosen her place. In the mud of the gutter, under the flaring gaslight in the wintry streets, in the shine of the river—do not trouble your fair heads about her! "She has made her bed; so let her lie!"

You can pity the poor heathen in foreign lands, and knit stockings for the godless inhabitants of the tropics, and send Bibles and tracts to the South Sea Islanders, and put pennies in the mission box, to enlighten the Hindoo as he goes out to cast himself beneath the wheels of Juggernaut, but with these wretched heathens at your very gates, you have nothing to do! Your eyes must be blind to the sad fact of their existence, and if perchance they cry out for help—you must not forget that you are a virtuous woman, and as such your ears must be deaf!

Smile your sweetest on the men who have made them what they are, and ignore the certainty that there are temptations in the world to which you have never been exposed.

Your gilt-edged, gold-clasped Bible holds for you no lessons of mercy and forgiveness, for you read it with a heart set in judgment, and your idle eyes have never paused to rest with grave consideration upon the sentence:

"For the greatest of all there is charity."

KATE THORN.

DR SS. FROM THE CRADLE TO THE GRAVE.

Dress, dress, dress! It is the bane of womanhood from her cradle to her grave, and has been ever since Eve made an overskirt for herself out of fig leaves. Everthing we do is mixed up with our toilette somehow. When we are christened, our christening robe is the first thought. When we are first taken to church we are be-ribboned and be-laced to make our appearance there; and are told that we cannot possibly go in those shabby old shoes, but must wear the nice Sunday ones. When we are married, our costume is the topic which all discuss, and white satin and pearls are more important by far than our emotions. And when the most terrible grief of life falls upon us, anxious voices begs us to declare in favor of bias folds of crape and a vail with a hem half a yard wide, or ask us softly, whether we are "going to mourn very deeply," alluding, of course, only to our black clothes.

Yes, and when we are dead ourselves, it is still how we are dressed that is to be thought of, though at least we are relieved of the task of dressing ourselves.

Some witty French writer has declared that women will insist upon having the proper dress for the Day of Judgment, or refuse to attend at all. This sounds very wicked, of course, but it recurs to one's mind when a little innocent, trotting by her young aunt's side to church, asks shrilly:

"Aunty, dear, what's Easter Sunday?"

And aunty replies:

"Easter Sunday? Oh, it's the day for one's new spring bonnet.

MARY KYLE DALLAS.

NEEDED PRECAUTIONS.

At the meeting of the Board of Health Drs. Dugdale and Laroque presented the report of the Health officers relative to vaccination, in which they recommend the appointment of 14 medical officers for the purpose of vaccination. That every child of three months and upwards be brought to the doctor to be vaccinated, and examined eight days afterwards, and a certificate obtained by the doctor according to law, whose fee shall not be more than 50c. The police to visit from house to house and obtain the names of unvaccinated children over three months. If the parents refuse within ten days, the child being in good health, a penalty to be imposed on conviction. Also, all teachers of schools before entering the children shall receive a document from them showing that they have been vaccinated. That it shall be the duty of each proprietor or occupant of every house to report the sickness of any one, on pain of penalty, and cause a placard to be affixed to the door, with the words "Small-pox," in English, so as to be seen by every person. That any person who shall make, sell, or cause to be sold, clothing which has been manufactured in a house in which any person was infected at the time of its being made, shall be liable to a penalty on conviction. That any person or guardian who shall send a child to school until all danger of contagion shall have ceased, be subject to a penalty. That the remains of any one dying with small-pox shall be buried within 24 hours, and not be allowed to enter any church.

MONARCHY AND REPUBLIC.

Under the head "What we may learn from England," the Boston *Herald* says:—

"The cost of running the British Government is about $350,000,000. This includes the interest on the public debt, $120,000,000, while ours is only $88,000,000; a great army, six times as large as ours; a vast navy that carries the British flag to every port; a colonial system which stretches around the whole world; an expensive royal establishment with numerous idle princes to maintain; and a civil pension list. It also includes a great many expenses which, in this country, are borne by the State, county and municipal governments. The expenditures of our national government for the last year were not far from $325,000,000, of which about $140,000,000 were for interest on the public debt and army and navy pensions. This leaves $185,000,000 for ordinary expenses, or rather more than three times as much as was ever expended for all purposes before the war. Meanwhile the expenses of all the State, county and municipal government have been increased in like proportion under the reign of high prices which result from a depreciated currency."

CAPTAIN KIDD.

An Episode of Colonial History.

The New York Historical Society held a stated meeting last evening, at their Library at Second avenue and Eleventh street. The chair was occupied by Frederick De Puyster, President of the Society. The Hon. James W. Beekman read an "Unpublished chapter from the History of New York," by the late John Brodhead, the historian. The paper relates to the career of Lord Bellamont in this country. He was spoken of as an irascible, quick-tempered man, who called all his opponents in politics hard names. He was much opposed to piracy, and formed a partnership for its suppression. Capt. William Kidd was a member of the firm, but when he had the full confidence of his associates, turned pirate himself. The paper states that the popular delusion that Capt. Kidd ever buried any treasure in New York State is utterly untounded. He died on March 5, 1771, in the 65th year of his age. In New York he was honored by a pompous funeral procession. A memorial of the late Mr. Brodhead was presented for the records of the Association.—*New York Tribune, 6th.*

A TOUGH STORY.

A correspondent of the Summerside *Journal*, Prince Edward Island, says the pay of school teachers is so poor in some parts of the Island that, lacking skeletons to teach anatomy, they make use of their own emaciated carcases, and don't have to take off their clothing either, so prominent are the bones. If this doesn't secure "better terms" for the poor instructors of youth, we should say they had better form a mutual cremation society or emigrate.

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IN reference to the above, I beg to inform the public that I will carry on the business as hitherto, under the name and style of B. J. PETTENER, and am also pleased to state I have engaged Mr. W. WRIGHT (late with Brown & Childs) to superintend the Boot and Shoe Machinery business.

(Signed), B. J. PETTENER.

Montreal, 14th April, 1874.

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The Co-partnership heretofore existing between HENRY A. WHITE and GEORGE W. RYAN, as Wholesale Wine and Spirit Merchants, under the name of WHITE & RYAN, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.

The business will be carried on as hitherto by H. A. White, under the name and style of HENRY A. WHITE & CO., he said H. A. White alone having power to collect all outstanding debts and to settle all affairs in connection with the late firm.

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