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ALASKAN BOUNDARY.

Sir Robert Finlay Cannot Understand the United States Contention That There are no Mountains Suitable for a Boundary.

HE PROVES THAT MOUNTAINS EXIST, AND PROCEEDS TO DETERMINE WHICH PARTICULAR MOUNTAINS SHOULD BE TAKEN.

Maps and Photographs are Exhibited Which Sustain Canadian Contention.

(Canadian Associated Press.)
London, Sept. 22.—Toward the close of yesterday's proceedings of the Alaskan Boundary Commission Sir Robert Finlay, the Attorney-General, took the question seven. Dealing first with the question as to whether there were mountains suitable for a boundary, he said that at all events as regards that portion of the line north of Cape Spencer, it was difficult to understand the United States contention, for beyond all dispute there existed along that stretch a bold range of very high mountains coming down to within a short distance of the coast.
Regarding the head of Lynn Canal, he quoted General Foster to prove the existence there of a well-defined range within a few miles of the head. Touching that portion between the 56th parallel and Lynn Canal, he showed by the evidence of Mr. W. F. King, a Canadian expert, the existence during the whole distance of mountains three to four thousand feet high within five or six miles of the ocean coast.
To-day Sir Robert Finlay resumed the examination of Mr. King's evidence as to the existence of mountains bordering the coast. He said that the evidence of the United States experts largely confirmed Mr. King, for Mr. Tittman and Mr. Dixon, who had been called by the United States, had both admitted that the mountains were there. Thus Hodgkins reports that from Dixon Entrance north mountains rise abruptly, sometimes precipitously almost from the water's edge. He took exception to the qualification of the United States experts that these mountains did not form well. He defined "range" and "chain," and consequently they did not fulfil the requirements of the treaty. That, he held, was for the tribunal to determine. The experts had only to report facts. He again stated that the treaty did not call for a "range" or "chain," and repeated that the United States surveys were in error. Dealing with Dall's contention that the negotiators were misled by Vancouver into supposing the existence of a symmetrical line, the Attorney-General compared two of Vancouver's charts of the same region, and showed numerous discrepancies, arguing therefrom that the negotiators could not have contemplated or expected anything like uniformity or regularity in the mountain line. Having thus shown the existence of mountains

generally, the Attorney-General proceeded to determine which particular mountains should be taken, and for this purpose exhibited a series of contour maps of the British Commission under the Convention of 1892, on which appeared, traced by Mr. King, a line from peak to peak claimed by Great Britain. He explained this line in detail, and illustrated his remarks by photographs of various localities.
Mr. Root, a United States commissioner, asked the Attorney-General what he understood by the phrase in the treaty "summit of the mountain."
Sir Robert Finlay replied that he did not in his view call for a series of continuous summits.
Mr. Root—"Then you interpret the word 'summit' as though it were 'summits'?"
"Yes," said Sir Robert Finlay, and continued that while King's line was on the whole practicable, and the one most conformable to the treaty, he did not affirm that in places it might not be necessary to have recourse to the alternative provision of the treaty.
Mr. Dickinson, United States counsel, asked what Great Britain considered the coast line to which Mr. King's line was parallel. This was promised for to-morrow.
Sir Robert Finlay observed that Mr. King's line crossed the larger inlets, but even if it went around them, mountains would be found running round at a short distance from the head of the Lynn Canal. He insisted that the underlying fallacy of the United States claim is that it presupposes the necessity for taking the dominant range, while what is required is the mountains nearest the sea.
THE 'DAILY NEWS'S' UNWARRANTABLE ATTACK.
(Canadian Associated Press.)
London, Sept. 21.—A recent editorial of the 'Daily News' attacking Attorney-General Finlay for what it called his "discourteous tone towards the United States in his argument on the Alaska dispute, is the only unfriendly reference to the Canadian case that has appeared in the British press. The 'News' attacked the attack on Canada was most scurrilous. The 'News' is no longer the organ of any political party, but simply a private enterprise, so no importance is attached to its utterances here.

PERMANENT SHEDS
Harbor Commissioners
Accomplish Nothing at
This Morning's
Meeting.

SITTING MARKED BY DISORDERLY SCENES AND PERSONAL CHARGES

The special meeting of the Harbor Commissioners, held this morning, to examine into the plans for the proposed new sheds, adjourned in more or less confusion without having decided definitely upon any plan regarding the objection for which the meeting was called. Previous to the main discussion the commissioners engaged themselves in small talk until finally Mr. Doran called out 'Sheds, sheds.' After some little hesitation, Mr. Kennedy finally produced the blue print and for the first time, after much waiting, the board was in possession of the long-talked-of and discussed plans. Mr. Kennedy went minutely into details during which he carefully studied that the plans had been carefully studied and that as shown in the specifications the plans call for three-story sheds. The first floor, he said, was for railway traffic, the second floor for freight storage. The lower and second floor would be constructed much heavier than the third, as the latter would be required for the proper storage of certain cargoes. The chief engineer went into detail and all went well until Mr. Doran, who, up to this time remained silent, began to question Mr. Kennedy very minutely on certain points. Mr. Doran held that there was grave doubt as to whether the plans were such as would give the best possible results and accommodation.
Mr. Kennedy announced to Mr. Doran that he would be pleased to go through the entire matter with the latter gentleman, to which Mr. Doran replied that he would be most happy to do so.
Senator Mackay, who presided at the meeting, thought that the plans had been prepared carefully and independently of the wharf ramps.
"I beg your pardon, Mr. Chairman," said Mr. Doran.
Mr. Geoffrion desired to know if an elevated railway could be used if necessary in connection with the new sheds. Mr. Kennedy replied that it was now too late to talk of elevated railways, as

conditions surrounding the proposed new sheds were too far advanced, and furthermore, such a construction would entail a very large expenditure.
"Gentlemen," said the chairman, "Mr. Kennedy has based his plans on what he has seen of permanent sheds in his travels, and I am of the opinion that it is better to decide upon the erection of three-story sheds."
Mr. Bickerdike asked the chief engineer as to the estimated cost of the sheds.
In reply, Mr. Kennedy gave the following figures: One shed of five hundred feet long and ninety-six feet wide, would cost one hundred and forty-four thousand dollars. The square foot area would be three dollars, while the floor per foot would cost one dollar and fifty cents. Mr. Kennedy calculated that three-story sheds as proposed would cost \$2,807,000, while two-story sheds could be erected for the sum of \$2,432,000.
Mr. Doran, in order to bring the entire matter to a focus, was quite willing to move the adoption of the plans as presented, but he wished to go on record regarding the feasibility of their erection within eight feet of the wharf edges. Mr. Bickerdike said that he would add no rider, but was willing to move the adoption of the plans just as they stood, in order to get something done.
"Mr. Chairman, I still repeat," remarked Mr. Doran, "that if the sheds are set back seventeen feet there will be a saving in expenditure."
"Look here," retorted the chairman, "we have decided to erect sheds eight feet back from the wharf's edge, and now we are simply trying to change all the calculations. Is it any wonder that the public accuse us of doing nothing and talking away the time?"
Mr. Lemay, who, up to this time had kept rather quiet, came to the front with a motion to the effect that the three-story sheds be erected within eight feet of the wharf front as prepared by the chief engineer be accepted.
This motion was the signal for a stormy scene, for the chairman started the ball rolling by again asserting that the Board was wasting time by talking, and furthermore the Commissioners were going back and asking the government to again agree to certain changes in the proposed original plans.
"Mr. Chairman," said Mr. Reford, "before I vote on the plans as presented, I want to know how we are going to get into the second story of the new sheds."
At this point Mr. Bickerdike became indignant and remarked to Mr. Reford that in keeping the sheds back, he, Mr. Reford, was retarding not only the erection of the work but holding up the final completion of the new grain elevator.
Turning to the chairman, Mr. Bickerdike exclaimed: "You must press the

motion of Mr. Lemay and have Mr. Reford go on record."
A voice—"Let us adjourn."
"I would move," said Mr. Doran, "that the present and chief engineer proceed to Ottawa and submit the plans of a two-story shed and ask an order-in-council so as to regulate the exact height that the sheds can be placed over the wharf. I repeat that I go on record in favor of going back to the seven-feet in the building of the sheds, so that space outside will be of some use."
"What about that, Mr. Reford?" asked Mr. Bickerdike.
Mr. Reford—"Mr. Bickerdike says that I am an obstructionist, and I think that such an assertion is most unfair and unwarranted."
"I will say, however," remarked Mr. Bickerdike, "that you are not in any hurry to see the sheds erected."
"Mr. Chairman," said Mr. Reford, "I will not vote for the present plans until I know definitely if we can conveniently use the second story."
Mr. Lemay suggested that the Board should meet in full session before a final vote is taken.
Mr. Bickerdike would not hear of this, and demanded a vote immediately.
Mr. Doran—"Now is the time to do something."
Mr. Bickerdike still persisted that Mr. Lemay's previous motion should be voted on. Mr. Bickerdike finally became obnoxious by charging Mr. Reford with starting a crusade against the erection of the sheds, and that his obstruction at the Board is going to prevent the port acquiring the use of the new grain elevator for an indefinite period.
Mr. Reford—"You are making a serious charge."
"Further than that, if necessary I will prove," said Mr. Bickerdike, "that our friend, Mr. Reford, is doing his best to keep this Board from erecting the new sheds. And why is this? Well, I will tell you. Some time ago the Reford's agency erected sheds of its own at a cost of fifteen thousand dollars, and now it is satisfied."
Mr. Reford (heatedly)—"Mr. Bickerdike, I charge you to prove your assertions."
"Oh, do not worry. I can do so if necessary," was the retort.
Mr. Reford—"Mr. Chairman, Mr. Bickerdike has made a statement that is utterly untrue from beginning to end, for I can assure you that I have never referred to the matter to any one, and Mr. Bickerdike is making untrue remarks."
"Very well, Mr. Reford, the next thing we know you will again deny that you are a director of the Montreal Elevator Company," was Mr. Bickerdike's reply.
A number of voices—"Adjournment, please."
Mr. Hodgson claimed that he had a right to say something, and what he wanted to remark was that he, too, had been accused of being an obstructionist. (Laughter, and 'No, no'.)
Finally, Mr. Reford said that in order to show that he was desirous of seeing the sheds go up, he would gladly second the previous motion of Mr. Doran to the effect that the president and chief engineer proceed to Ottawa and interview the government re the new sheds.
The secretary—"Gentlemen, will you tell me what you really want?"
"The chairman, addressing the secretary—"I am trying to find out where we are at just now."
The secretary—"I do not know what they are talking about."
Mr. Geoffrion here moved an adjournment.
Mr. Bickerdike—"I object strongly to an adjournment of this meeting until the present have voted on the plans submitted."
The chairman—"Gentlemen, it seems to me that you are trying to stop the erection of the sheds indefinitely."
"I agree with you, Mr. Chairman; that is exactly the situation," was Mr. Bickerdike's final shot.
The meeting then adjourned amid confusion.

TARTE AND BOURASSA
THE FORMER REBUKES THE LATTER.

Referring editorially to last Saturday's meeting, in the columns of the 'Patrie,' Mr. Tarte charges Messrs. Monet and Bourassa with having resorted to what they claim to be anti-Imperial policy. They tried to show that Mr. Tarte and all those who, like him, were a higher tariff have decided to give up the independence of Canada to Mr. Chamberlain. Mr. Tarte calls this childish work, and he then adds—"The fiery appeals of Mr. Bourassa to the passions and prejudices of those of our race whom he expects to reach with his vibrating language, are not up to his talent. They show a deplorable blank in his mind which is otherwise cultivated and laborious. The French-Canadians have an immense national interest in being loyal subjects of the Empire. Our manifest destiny is to develop ourselves in harmony, peace and goodwill side by side with the races that surround us. Now, on Saturday, the young member for Lebel forgot himself to such an extent as to cry out to Mr. Tarte, turning towards him: 'Your Britain, what does it do?' etc. This was said with reference to the embargo on Canadian cattle. Because a British government adopted a regrettable policy—which the Laurier Cabinet could not have repealed—should such seditious cries as those imprudently uttered by Mr. Bourassa on Saturday be given out before the multitude?"

THE POPE ILL
DESPATCH TO MORNING LEADER SAYS THE PONTIFF SUFFERING FROM RHEUMATISM.

London, Sept. 22.—A despatch from Rome to the 'Leader' says the Pope is suffering from rheumatism and the audience have been suspended. His sister Antonia is critically ill at Venice.

CABINET VACANCIES
Nothing has Yet Been Done in Reconstruction of the Ministry

THE GOVERNMENT NEGOTIATING WITH IRISH NATIONALISTS FOR THEIR SUPPORT.

London, Sept. 23.—It was officially announced from Downing street last evening that there was nothing to announce in regard to the reconstruction of the Cabinet. No further resignations were announced. It is stated unofficially that the Duke of Devonshire has definitely decided to support Mr. Balfour's retention policy, and that a majority of the Unionist free traders are likely to do the same, but speculation on this subject, like forecasts in regard to new ministers, have not received any solid confirmation. The fact that a special messenger left London on Sunday bearing a message from the King to Lord Milner, has somewhat strengthened the belief that the latter is destined to enter the Cabinet.
According to a despatch from Belfast to the 'Daily Mail,' the government is negotiating with the Irish Nationalists for their support of the retention policy. Communications on this subject have been passing for some time, and an agreement will probably be reached before the expected general election. The correspondent asserts that it is highly probable a quid pro quo will be given the Irish party in the shape of a Roman Catholic college at Dublin on the lines suggested by the recent Royal Commission on university education, and adds that Mr. Wyndham, Chief Secretary for Ireland, is already drafting such a measure. It would raise much opposition in Ulster, but the government will endeavor to neutralize this by giving additional endowments and greater powers to the Protestant colleges at Belfast and Londonderry. The Nationalists desire some further powers in the direction of Home Rule as the price of their support.
Mr. O'Brien, in a speech at Cork, last night, said the future aim of the Nationalists was 'Ireland, a nation.' Both the English parties were broken and a solid Irish party would meet whichever came out on top.
The 'Daily Chronicle' asserts that Mr. Chamberlain, in addition to offering a large reduction of duties on certain commodities to balance the imposition of duties on others, will try to get the support of labor ministers by advocating the establishment of a ministry of labor, which will work in connection with the Foreign Office and the Board of Trade.
It will be the duty of the Minister of Labor to ascertain the conditions under which goods are produced in various countries. If they come from places where 'sweating' or low wages or long hours prevail, they will be subjected to higher duties.

A CURIOUS PHASE
MR. BALFOUR SEVERELY CRITICISED FOR PUBLISHING AND SELLING HIS VIEWS ON THE FISCAL QUESTION.

New York, Sept. 21.—A despatch to the New York 'Times' says: "A curious phase of the situation is the severe criticism, regardless of party lines, based on Mr. Balfour's action in publishing his views and selling them in pamphlet form.
The Premier's keen sense of chivalry and honor is far too deeply appreciated by all parties to ever permit the suggestion that he purposely adopted the 'Outlook' practice. By Mr. Balfour's own admission he is a 'mere child in such matters,' and his inexperience in business affairs now appears to have put him at the mercy of the publishers of the pamphlet, who are coining money over the vital issue in national affairs.
That Mr. Balfour will devote his portion of the proceeds to some charity is generally assumed; but it is regretted that he did not mention some such intention in the preface of the pamphlet. The 'Outlook,' which is a warm supporter of the Premier, declares that Mr. Balfour's indiscretion 'strikes a rude blow at one's reverence for the traditions of English public life, when a public servant's position seems to be used for private gain, no matter whose.' The 'Outlook' adds that the fact that a note was sent to the editors of the pamphlet only allowing them to quote a thousand words textually is 'one of the worst features in this deplorable business.'
The 'Spectator' and other periodicals also express concern on the latter point. The 'Outlook' estimates that the profits on 100,000 copies alone will be over \$17,000, of which Mr. Balfour will receive a large share. The pamphlet promises to reach a sale of 1,000,000 copies. In the meantime there are no pamphlets in print and the copies printed have reached a premium, many of them selling for fifty cents, double the price of the issue. Mr. Balfour's party managers openly proclaim grave dissatisfaction. In the first place, they say they cannot get any more copies for their impatient constituents, and they add that they object to paying for literature which is supposed to be the most powerful aid in keeping the government in power. Several of the Conservative agents have gone so far as to threaten to resign. The publishers make no discount to party organizations, even though thousands are ordered, and actually demand the money in advance.

NEW GERMAN CABLE.
New York, Sept. 20.—The German cable steamer 'Von Podbielski' arrived here to-day from the Azores. She will

lay the shore end of a new cable from Coney Island to a point 110 miles to sea for the North German Sea Cable Company. The other part of the cable will be laid from the Azores to meet this part. It is stated that the cable will be completed within a year.

WESTERN CROPS
DAMAGE FROM STORM NOT NEARLY AS SERIOUS AS REPORTED.

Winnipeg, Sept. 21.—Latest reports from various parts of the country indicate that the damage to crops as a result of the recent storm is not nearly as serious as was anticipated. The cold weather since the storm has prevented the grain from sprouting and given it a chance to dry and harden. Threshing is being resumed all over the country.
MR. OBEID SMITH'S REPORT.
Winnipeg, Sept. 22.—In face of the fact that the total wheat yield in the Canadian west this year will fall short of last year, Mr. J. Obed Smith, immigration commissioner, after weighing the information received from various agents and other sources at the disposal of the department, has wired the chief officials at Ottawa that the cash value of the yield of 1903 will exceed that of the bumper year previous. Mr. Smith, commissioner, has also sent an estimate on the damage to crops resulting from the recent storm, which is in striking contrast with the reports which have appeared in various papers to the effect that crops in Western Canada were ruined. When the commissioner was asked for the text of the crop message sent to Ottawa the former made the following statement:—"If the present fine weather continues and present high prices are maintained, farmers in Western Canada on the whole will probably receive more for their crops this year than they did in 1902. In other words any loss in quality and color will be more than made up by the enhanced cash value to the grain."
The loss to crops from the recent storm will not exceed ten percent in quantity in Manitoba, although discoloration will put down the grade a point or two. In the Territories, owing to a certain portion of the crop being uncut at the time of the storm, and therefore liable to loss, the damage may amount to twenty percent, but not more.

A SERIOUS CHARGE
TORONTO RETAIL MERCHANTS' ASSOCIATION WILL PROSECUTE A UNION BUSINESS AGENT.

Toronto, Sept. 22.—The Retail Merchants' Association, at its meeting, which lasted till nearly midnight, decided to prosecute F. C. Letts, business agent of the Amalgamated Meat Cutters and Butchers' Workmen, on a charge of violating the Criminal Code. Letts is alleged to have sent out black-mailing circulars to a number of city butchers who did not display the union card in their store, and who did not close at seven o'clock in the evening, telling them that customers had noticed that they were not friends of organized labor, and unless they complied with the rules of the union they would find that there would be a falling off in business.

MR. STUPART'S REPLY
HE MERELY QUOTED REPORT FROM REGINA METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE.

Toronto, Sept. 21.—Mr. Stupart, director of the Meteorological Observatory, when asked to-day regarding a despatch from Ottawa giving the complaints of western members on the floor of the Dominion House as to a published interview purporting to be with him in a Toronto paper, said: "I merely quoted the despatch received here from the Meteorological Office, at the barracks, Regina. 'Snow and sleet on the 12th.' I do not recollect making any comment on the despatch."

THE KERT INQUIRY.
The Kert enquiry developed nothing new yesterday afternoon. Mr. Isaac Kert, father of the accused, swore that he had never given Barrett, the witness for the Crown, five dollars or any other sum—in fact, he had never seen him outside the Enquete Court.
Albert Roussel, a laborer employed by Mr. Kert at the Bourdon, was positive that Barrett was not present at the time Greenley was shot.
Andrew Buchanan, another of Kert's employees, was positive that Barrett was not present at the time of the shooting.

As to the mysterious men spoken of by Barrett, Mr. Jacobs, counsel for the defence, said he could produce one of them; that his name was Stephen O'Brien, alias Burin, and that he lived at 44 St. Urban street.
Mr. Cooke, Crown prosecutor, demanded that this man be brought into court before the case was continued, and in consequence Mr. Lambert, deputy high constable, was armed with a subpoena and sent after O'Brien, but the people at 44 St. Urban street said that O'Brien had left the house last Friday and had not returned.
An adjournment was taken until Thursday morning, to admit of O'Brien being present.

APPLES FOR FRANCE.
Although the export trade from Canada to France has not come up to expectation the steamer 'Hesperus,' which is the next boat to sail to that country from Montreal, will take on a good general cargo. This will include 9,000 barrels of apples which is a new venture. At the present time there are a number of French buyers in this country who intend to foster the trade.

GERMAN RAILWAY MEN
Engineers and Traffic Managers will Study Canadian Systems and Methods

COLONIAL CABLES OF SYMPATHY WITH MR. CHAMBERLAIN IN SOME QUARTERS CHARACTERIZED AS INTERFERENCE.

(Canadian Associated Press.)
London, Sept. 22.—The German State Railway authorities are sending a number of engineers and traffic managers to Canada to study the railway systems and methods. Five leave Hamburg on Oct. 3.
The Canadian Manufacturers' Association, before sending an informal invitation to Mr. Chamberlain to visit Canada, have instructed sympathizers in this country to discover if possible how it would be received. They have been empowered to assure Mr. Chamberlain of an enthusiastic greeting and a sympathetic hearing.
Some people here are inclined to resent the colonial telegrams expressing sympathy with Mr. Chamberlain, considering them as a breach of constitutional etiquette, and an attempt of the colonies to interfere in domestic concerns of the United Kingdom.

SIR WILLIAM HOLLAND
He is Enthusiastic Over Canada and the Reception to Commerce Delegates

THE BUSINESSLIKE STATEMENTS IN THE NORTH-WEST MOUNTAIN POLICE REPORTS.

(Canadian Associated Press.)
London, Sept. 22.—Sir William Holland, who attended the recent meeting of the Chambers of Commerce at Montreal, speaks in the highest terms of the reception the delegates received in Canada. They were particularly struck with the loyalty displayed everywhere in Canada and were deeply impressed with the potentialities of Canada as a food producing country. Lord Strathcona, Canada's grand old man, was a most striking type. He seemed to possess all the enthusiasm of youth. The delegates are brimful of the hopefulness in the future of the country, and one cannot live a brief period among Canadians without noticing the evident sobriety and thriftiness of the people. Sir William Holland feels grateful to the Canadian delegates to the Congress for the patient attention and consideration paid to his views expressed in behalf of Manchester.
MOUNTED POLICE REPORTS.
The Yorkshire Post, Leeds, says the reports of the North-West mounted police are short, businesslike statements of the work done, and unlike the pamphlets circulated by emigration agencies' officials or others, are under no suspicion of prejudice.

THE ANCIENT CAPITAL
DEATH OF SERGT. DENSMORE—DR. ARTHUR SIMARD'S APPOINTMENT—BISHOP LABRETE TO VISIT ROME.

Quebec, Sept. 21.—Sergt. Densmore, for many years steward of the officers' mess at the Citadel, died at the hospital there on Saturday last, and was buried this morning with military honors. His funeral was an exceedingly large one, including large deputations from both R.C.G.A. and R.C.M., as well as representatives from other local corps. Densmore was a native of Carnoch Castle, Blarney, Ireland, where his aged mother still resides.
Dr. Arthur Simard, of this city, has been elected governor of the College of Surgeons and Physicians, to replace the late Dr. Vallee.
Bishop Labre, of Chicoutimi, and the Rev. Mr. Bonnard, pastor of St. Malo, will leave for Rome on the third of next month, to be absent about three months.

GUNS FOR ESQUIMALT.
Victoria, B.C., Sept. 21.—The steamer 'Nigbow,' from Liverpool, via Port Said, brought amongst her cargo two heavy 9.2 guns, which are to be mounted at the new fort being constructed on Signal Hill, a prominence covering all other batteries in the Esquimalt defenses. The mounts for these big guns were placed in position at Esquimalt some time since.

FINE AND WARM

Toronto, Sept. 22.—11 a.m.—Victoria, 55; 52; Kamloops, 55; 44; Barkerville, 45; 30; Calgary, 44; 32; Edmonton, 46; 34; Qu'Appelle, 55; 40; Winnipeg, 54; 46; Port Arthur, 64; 46; Parry Sound, 65; 44; Toronto, 80; 46; Ottawa, 72; 52; Montreal, 68; 53; Quebec, 70; 48; Halifax, 55; 32.
Light winds, fine and warm to-day; on Wednesday, strong south-westerly winds; fair and warm during day; showers at night, followed by a change to cooler.
Since yesterday morning rain has fallen in Nova Scotia and also over the North-West Territories. Elsewhere in Canada the weather has been fine and warm. A disturbance now centred in Manitoba is likely to move across the great lakes followed by a moderate cool wave reaching Ontario on Thursday.
1225, Notre Dame street, Montreal.
Sept. 22, 1903.—Readings by the Optical & Engineer's Supply Company's standard barometer at noon.
Yesterday, 30.25; to-day, 30.25.
Temperature.
To-day 70 50
Yesterday 67 51

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Col. and Mrs. Sweeney, Westmount, are visiting their son in Toronto.

Mrs. R. Wilson-Smith and family return to town next week from Ste. Agathe. The Hon. S. N. Parent is on a fishing trip to the Ouichouan River, near Lake Bouchette.

Chief Justice Falconbridge spent the week end in the city, the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Vincent J. Gillespie. Mr. and Mrs. Jas. A. Gillespie and family, Stanley street, returned to town yesterday morning from their summer residence.

Mr. W. McLes Walbank, who, with Mrs. Walbank, is spending some time abroad, was at Basle, Switzerland, on Sept. 8.

Mrs. Hunter Dunn, wife of the Lord Bishop of Quebec, returned on Saturday from the "Bavarian," from a visit to England.

Miss Garneau, who is visiting in Ottawa, the guest of the Misses Chapeau, will remain for some time longer in the Capital.

Judge H. C. St. Pierre and Madame St. Pierre have returned from Ottawa, where they were the guests of Sir Wilfrid and Lady Laurier.

The engagement of Miss Muriel Sanford, daughter of the late Hon. W. E. Sanford, of Hamilton, to Mr. Gordon Henderson, is announced.

Miss Eileen Cambie, of Vancouver, B.C., who has been spending a few days in the city, the guest of Mrs. H. B. Casella, leaves to-morrow.

The marriage of Mr. Arthur J. Auger, of Quebec, formerly of Montreal, and Miss Antoinette Delisle, daughter of the late Mr. C. Delisle, and niece of Mr. C. Darveau, K.C., of Levis, is to take place on Nov. 9.

The marriage of Miss Marjorie Riddell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Riddell, to Mr. Austin Stead takes place to-morrow afternoon at half-past four o'clock in St. Paul's Presbyterian Church. The Rev. Dr. Barclay will officiate.

Sir Thomas and Lady Shaughnessy arrived in Winnipeg on Friday night. Lady Shaughnessy was entertained by Mrs. W. Whyte, at luncheon, on Saturday, and by Mrs. Killam, at tea. Sir Thomas and Lady Shaughnessy were guests of honor at a dinner given by Sir Daniel and Lady McMillan, at Government House, on Saturday night.

The marriage of Miss Lillian Blanche Henderson, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel H. Henderson, Toronto, to Mr. Charles Percy Read, of Chicago, was solemnized at the Church of the Redeemer, Toronto, yesterday. There was a choral service, the bride having been connected with the choir for some time. The ceremony was performed by the rector, the Rev. C. James. The bride's gown was of ivory white silk tulle, mounted on chiffon over lousine silk.

TO FEEL JUST RIGHT

The Stomach Must be Right—Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets make the Stomach Right. Testimony of H. Hutchison, of Chatham.

The stomach must be right or the man or woman cannot be right. The stomach's work is to provide the different parts of the body with the food and heat they need. If this is not done the body becomes starved and cold and weak.

Consequently if you are feeling useless you know that your stomach needs help. Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets give the stomach the right kind of help. They digest the food and the stomach rights itself naturally. Then the body gets the food it needs, and energy and vigor return. H. Hutchison, of Chatham, Ont., is one of the thousands who have proved that Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets will cure Stomach Trouble of any stage. He says: "I had suffered for a long period from Dyspepsia until a short time ago a friend brought me a box of Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets and from the very first I got relief."

"I keep them by me, and any time I feel my food is likely to disagree with me I just take one or two of them and feel no more effects of indigestion."

The skirt was shirred to a lace yoke, outlined with tiny crystal beads and seed pearls. The bodice had a guimpe of chiffon, and beaded lace bertha, with tassel of seed pearls. She wore tulle veil, the hem outlined with pearls, and carried roses and lilies of the valley. The bridesmaid, Miss Ethel Pym, wore Nile green crepe de soie with bodice in bolero effect over accordion plaited cream chiffon, a black picture hat with plumes, and carried American Beauty roses. Mr. Herbert Lionel Read was best man. After a reception at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Read left for a trip to the Southern States and elsewhere before going to Chicago, where they will reside.

DOMINION PARLIAMENT

MR. BORDEN BRINGS FORWARD TWO MORE AMENDMENTS.

(See also Page 2.)

Ottawa, Sept. 22.—When the amendments before the House yesterday were rejected, the leader of the Opposition then proposed two more amendments. The first stipulated that the government shall not be bound "until the Grand Trunk Railway Company of Canada shall have subscribed for the common stock of the Grand Trunk Pacific Company, payable in cash at par to the amount of not less than \$2,900,000." The second stipulated that "the Grand Trunk Railway shall hold the said common stock to the amount aforesaid so subscribed for and acquired as aforesaid under the clause term of lease mentioned in the clause twenty of said agreement and so long as any of the bonds guaranteed by the government under the terms of the said agreement shall remain outstanding and unpaid, and no pledge, transfer or conveyance of any part of the said stock during the said period shall be valid or effectual."

Mr. Fitzpatrick announced his acceptance of the first amendment after striking out the words "payable in cash at par."

The second amendment he could not accept without substantial change. The Opposition leader charged over and over again that the Grand Trunk Pacific had left it open to the old Grand Trunk Company to divert the traffic of the Grand Trunk Pacific through Chicago and Portland. He asked that steps be taken to prevent this being done. The government had argued that the Grand Trunk would not find it to its own advantage to kill like business prospects of the government-built division to Quebec, but Mr. Borden laughed at this suggestion as childish and absurd. The government should make a specific declaration in the bill that the Grand Trunk is to pay par value for the common stock of the new railway instead of getting it for nothing and using the power for manipulation.

The Minister of Justice answered that there was not a point raised by Mr. Borden that had not already been fully considered by the government.

NOTES.
The members are once more drawing their indemnity cheques by an arrangement made between the accountant of the House and the Bank of Montreal. This does not mean that the Auditor-General has gone back on the attitude he took in refusing to advance more letters of credit under the new system of accounting the government has adopted.

INTERFERED WITH POLICE.

Detectives Legere and Boulard were in the vicinity of St. Antoine and Bisson streets on Saturday, Sept. 5. It was between 11.30 and 12 o'clock at night. While walking along, the detectives saw a young man and some girls who presumably were not behaving in the most seemly manner possible. Detective Legere told them to move on, but Patrick Tierney, who from all accounts, has no love for the police, resented the detectives' interference. Tierney, in fact, according to the officer (supplemented his remarks with a show of physical force. The detective determined to arrest him, when William Smith, a companion of Tierney, came to his (Tierney's) rescue with the result that he (Tierney) made his escape, and has not been seen since.

Smith was arrested on two charges—interfering with an officer while in the discharge of his duties. In the Recorder's Court to-day Smith denied having attempted to assault the detective, but said he expostulated with him because he did not show his authority, and therefore thought he had no right to order anybody to move on.

This explanation did not satisfy the Court, who, in fact, told the prisoner that it was almost inconceivable that such a well known officer as Detective Legere should be a stranger to young fellows like Daly, Tierney and Smith. "It is not necessary," said His Honor, "that the police in plain clothes should show their authority at every turn, or bring a brass band along with them to warn criminals or petty offenders of their approach. In a large city like Montreal, officers in plain clothes are an absolute necessity, and it seems incredible to me that you and Tierney should have taken Detective Legere, who is well and favorably known to this court as a brave and conscientious officer, for anybody but a preserver of the peace. Smith was fined two dollars and costs on the charge of interfering with an officer and three dollars and costs for attempt to assault."

THE PRICE OF BREAD.

In some parts of the city bread has risen in price, while in other sections there has been no change. Some time ago, owing to keen competition, a number of the city bakers began cutting their rates. Owing to the recent advance in the price of flour those who reduced their rates have found it necessary to charge their customers the maximum scale.

The regular price of bread to-day is 16 cents for a large white loaf and 18 cents for a brown loaf.

SENT TO SPECIAL SESSIONS.

Hormisdas St. Louis, who pleaded guilty in the Police Court to two charges of forgery in connection with the Hoche-la Bank, was yesterday sent to the Court of Special Sessions by Judge Lafontaine.

A FIEND AT LARGE

POLICE OF WESTMOUNT, LACHINE AND COTE ST. LUC IN SEARCH OF HIM.

The police of Westmount, Lachine and Cote St. Luc are after a fiend in human form who outraged a little girl on Saturday last, in the woods back of Cote St. Luc, while she was coming from school in the afternoon. The brute, who is described as an Italian, gave the little brother of the girl fifty cents to get some candies, and the lad went off. The child was subsequently discovered in an unconscious condition. Great indignation is felt in the locality. The little girl's father, a powerful man, is with the police in their search, and has expressed the determination never to give up until the assailant is caught.

RE MACKAY STREET IMPROVEMENT.

(To the Editor of the "Witness.")

Sir,—If Ald. Sadler had been conversant with the facts regarding Mackay street, he would hardly have asked delay to enable interested proprietors to be heard. The Quebec Legislature, with the concurrence of the representatives of the Montreal City Council, approved the expropriation of the small piece of Mackay street lying between the upper and lower ends thereof, the city to bear one-half the expense and the other half to be levied on an area to be fixed by commissioners named by the city of Montreal.

The City Council and the Legislature having thus indicated that the improvement is in the public interest, the commissioners will fix the area to be taxed for only one-half the cost and opinions of proprietors may be sought as to the area, but this is the work of the commissioners and not of the Finance Committee. J. P.

Montreal, Sept. 21, 1903.

JEWISH NEW YEAR

THE FEAST OF ROSH HASHONAH CELEBRATED BY MONTREAL JEWS.

With the ancient ceremonies and traditional observances which have come down to them through generations, the Jews of Montreal began at sundown last evening the celebration of the festival of Rosh Hashonah, or the New Year, the first holiday of the festival season, which includes Yom Kippur, the Day of Atonement, and Succoth, the Feast of Tabernacles.

The religious celebration of the festival began at six o'clock last evening, services being held at that hour in all the city synagogues, permanent and temporary. It is not generally known that the regular places of Hebrew worship in Montreal, numerous though they are, are not adequate for the accommodation of all the Jews who assemble for worship during the holiday season, and several halls and vacant stores are rented and fitted up as temporary synagogues. All of these places of worship were crowded last evening and again at the services held this morning, when the solemn ceremony of the blowing of the shofar took place.

SIX MONTHS FOR BIGAMY.

John Nelson was sentenced to six months to-day for bigamy by Judge Desnoyers.

WESTMOUNT WATER

COMPANY ASSERTS THAT THE SUPPLY IS PURE.

At the meeting of the Westmount Council last night the greater part of the sitting was taken up with a discussion on a by-law on taxes and licenses. It was read the third time and adopted. Near the close of the meeting a long letter was read from the Montreal Water and Power Company denying the assertion made recently in the press that the town supply of water is impure. The letter compared the death rate with that of Westmount and American cities of various Canadian and American cities. The death rate in that town is very low. It also stated that during the present year, only eight cases of typhoid have been reported in the town and only one death. As typhoid is caused by impure water or milk, the letter claims that Westmount cannot be suffering from an impure water supply.

The company, in conclusion, asked the council to take means to allay the disquiet caused by the publication of the aforesaid rumor.

KING EDWARD IS COLONEL.

His Majesty the King is Colonel-in-Chief of the Coldstream Guards, and is greatly interested in common with the officers in the very fine band of the Regiment which in recent years, under the direction of the talented bandmaster, Mr. J. Mackenzie Rogan, has reached the foremost place among the bands of the British service. Not that the Coldstream Guards have not always had a fine band, but Mr. Rogan is a musician of exceptional ability, and his merits have won him the recognition of Bandmaster of the Brigade of Guards. He is withal a fine soldier, and has seen active service in South Africa, in India and in Burma. He received for his work on active service a medal and two clasps from Queen Victoria, and has been decorated by King Edward VII. with the silver medal of the Royal Victorian Order. Mr. Rogan is a composer and conductor. At a celebration at Eton he conducted a chorus of voices numbering 1,200, and was specially complimented by the Queen on the magnificence of the effect. He has composed march band music and arranges all the parts for the massed bands of the Guards Brigade. This notable band and leader will be here on Sept. 26 and 28, at the Arena. As soloist, Miss Kathleen Howard, a distinguished contralto, will accompany the band.

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Scores of people do not think of trying Dr. Chase's Ointment for bleeding piles because they have used so many other treatments in vain and do not believe their ailment curable. It is by curing when others fail that Dr. Chase's Ointment has won such a record for itself. It will not fail to promptly relieve and completely cure any form of piles, no matter how severe or of how long standing.

Mr. James Uriah Pye, Marie Joseph, Guysborough Co., N.S., writes: "I was bad with bleeding piles for about four years, and could get no help. Dr. Chase's Ointment cured me in a very short time, and I cannot praise it too highly for this cure." Mrs. Thomas Smith was troubled with erysipelas in the feet and legs, and was all swollen up. I gave her some of the ointment, which took out the swelling and healed all the sores. She had tried many treatments before, but none seemed to do her any good. I am telling my friends about the wonderful cures which Dr. Chase's Ointment made for Mrs. Smith and myself, and would say that it is only a pleasure for me to recommend so excellent a preparation."

Wherever there is irritation, inflammation, ulceration or itching of the skin, Dr. Chase's Ointment will bring quick relief and will ultimately heal and cure. On this account it is useful in scores of ways in every home for the cure of eczema, salt rheum, tetter, scald head, chafing, itching peculiar to women, pin worms, piles and all sorts of skin diseases and eruptions.

Dr. Chase's Ointment, 80 cents a box, at all dealers, or Edmondson, Bates & Co., Toronto. To protect you against imitations the portrait and signature of Dr. A. W. Chase, the famous receipt book author, are on every box of his remedies.

SHIPPING NEWS

WIRELESS TELEGRAPHY.

The government cable SS. Tyrian, sailed yesterday from Sydney, C.B., for Belle Isle, to which place she will bring some wireless telegraph stations, and stations on that island and at Chateau Bay, Labrador. Captain Leary reports that the wireless system erected between these two places, twenty-one miles apart, has worked very satisfactorily since the new receiving station was erected on Belle Isle this summer. After finishing work at Belle Isle the Tyrian will come back to Byron Island to repair cable.

BOSTON-FRANCE SERVICE.

Boston, Sept. 21.—Steamship connection between Boston and French ports is to be inaugurated by the White Star line, some of the present Dominion liners being designated to make Marseilles a call port. The steamer New England, which is to be renamed Rinaldo, will be the first one to go on the new route.

LAKE MICHIGAN DUE THIS AFTERNOON.

The Canadian Pacific Atlantic line SS. Lake Michigan, from Liverpool, arrived at Quebec at 3.15 o'clock yesterday afternoon, and landed all her 560 passengers. She is expected to arrive at Montreal about four o'clock this afternoon.

THE SS. SOUTHWARK.

The Dominion line SS. Southwark is due to arrive in port on Saturday with passengers and a general cargo. She sailed from Liverpool with 212 second cabin and 248 third-class passengers. The whole of the latter will disembark at Quebec.

NOTES.

The C.P.R. SS. Montfort, Captain Cross, from Bristol, will arrive in port this evening or early to-morrow morning. The Head line SS. Dunmore Head, Capt. G. Bingham, sailed from Montreal yesterday morning with general cargo and passengers for Dublin. The steamer will call at Quebec to complete her cargo.

The Hamburg-American line SS. Frisia, Captain C. von Lausnitz, sailed from Montreal early this morning with general cargo for Hamburg.

The Canadian Pacific Atlantic line SS. Montague, Captain H. Parry, sailed from Montreal early this morning with a general cargo and cattle for Bristol.

The Manchester line SS. Manchester Commerce, Captain J. Baxter, with general cargo from Manchester, arrived at Montreal yesterday and berthed at Jacques Cartier pier.

The SS. Athara, Captain H. Madel, from Glasgow, with a cargo of coal for the Canadian Pacific Railway, arrived at Montreal at 8 o'clock yesterday morning and berthed at the coal towers at Hochelaga. Messrs. McLean, Kennedy & Co. are the steamer's agents.

The Donaldson line SS. Tritonia sailed from Glasgow last Saturday with general cargo for Montreal.

The Head line SS. Malin Head, Captain W. McKee, sailed from Dublin last Saturday with general cargo for Montreal.

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MONTREAL.

ors' Institute will be held to-night. A good programme has been arranged, and among those taking part will be Miss Marie Hollinshead.

The Lord line SS. Lord Lansdowne, with a cargo of coal from Cardiff, is due to arrive in port to-morrow.

The Donaldson line SS. Alcides, with a general cargo and live stock, from Montreal, arrived at Glasgow to-day.

The Canadian Pacific Atlantic line SS. Montreal, with general cargo from London, is due to arrive in port to-morrow.

The Head line SS. Torr Head, Captain M. R. Thompson, from Belfast, with a general cargo, is due to arrive in port on Thursday.

The Allan line SS. Pomeranian, from Glasgow for the St. Lawrence, passed Fame Point at 12.30 p.m. to-day.

New York, Sept. 22.—Arrived, Kaiser Wilhelm Der Grosse, from Bremen; Bremen, from Cherbourg.

HEAD LINE MOVEMENTS.

Rathlin Head—Sailed on Sept. 8, Belfast to New Orleans.

Torr Head—On passage Belfast to Montreal, due here Sept. 23.

Ramora Head—At Galveston loading for Belfast.

Carrigan Head—On passage New Orleans to Belfast.

Glenam Head—On passage Galveston to Dublin.

Malin Head—Sailed from Dublin for Montreal, Sept. 19.

Bray Head—At Rotterdam loading for Montreal.

Intoshown Head—On passage New Orleans to Belfast.

Bengors Head—Sailed from mQuebec for Belfast, Sept. 15.

Dunmore Head—At Quebec completing a cargo for Dublin.

Teelin Head—Sailed from Quebec for Dublin, Sept. 12.

Glen Head—On passage Maryport for Campbellton, N.S.

L'Islet—Clear, west wind.

River du Loup—Clear, south-west wind; inward 8.30 a.m., steamer.

Father Point—Clear, west wind; inward 2.25 a.m., Lord Lansdowne; 2.50 a.m., Montreal; 3.15 a.m., Pomeranian; 3.50 a.m., Torr Head; yesterday 4.25 p.m., Cape Breton, with a tow; 4.45 p.m., Hanscet; outward 1 a.m., Montague.

Martin River—Clear, strong north-west wind; inward yesterday, 6 p.m., one tug with a dredge.

Fame Point—Clear, strong north-west wind; inward yesterday 8.35 p.m., Gaspeien.

North Shore—Cloudy, north wind.

Anticosti—Clear, strong north-west wind; Point Amour—Cloudy, strong west wind; inward yesterday, 6.15 p.m., one Allan liner.

Low Point—Clear, north-west wind; outward 6 a.m., St. Helens and Deramore; outward 8 a.m., Mystic.

OBITUARY.
London, Ont., Sept. 21.—Hugh McLean, formerly connected with the "Advertiser," but for the last few years a landing waiter at the port of London, died while on his holidays at Detroit, of appendicitis.

NOTES AND NOTICES.
If banks indicate prosperity, Edmonton certainly is prosperous, as there are eight of these institutions doing business there, and two more are to be added next spring.

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Weekly Calendar.

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M.A.A.A. GROUNDS, Saturday, 26th September,
1903, at 3 p.m.

Programme of Events:

100 yards Run, 220 yards Run, 440 yards Run, 880 yards Run, 1760 yards Run, 3520 yards Run, 7040 yards Run, 14080 yards Run, 28160 yards Run, 56320 yards Run, 112640 yards Run, 225280 yards Run, 450560 yards Run, 901120 yards Run, 1802240 yards Run, 3604480 yards Run, 7208960 yards Run, 14417920 yards Run, 28835840 yards Run, 57671680 yards Run, 115343360 yards Run, 230686720 yards Run, 461373440 yards Run, 922746880 yards Run, 1845493760 yards Run, 3690987520 yards Run, 7381975040 yards Run, 14763950080 yards Run, 29527900160 yards Run, 59055800320 yards Run, 118111600640 yards Run, 236223201280 yards Run, 472446402560 yards Run, 944892805120 yards Run, 1889785610240 yards Run, 3779571220480 yards Run, 7559142440960 yards Run, 15118284881920 yards Run, 30236569763840 yards Run, 60473139527680 yards Run, 120946279055360 yards Run, 241892558110720 yards Run, 483785116221440 yards Run, 967570232442880 yards Run, 1935140464885760 yards Run, 3870280929771520 yards Run, 7740561859543040 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CHUMMING UP

THE REV. MARK GUY PEARSE'S
VIEWS ON CHRISTIAN SOCIALISM.

"There is a kind of socialism which says 'down with everything that's up,' but Christian socialism says, 'up with everything that's down.'"

"The corners of the optimist's mouth have an upward curve, while those of the pessimist turn down; that's the difference—people call me an optimist."

"Some saints can't smile, but we're a merry lot," said Mr. Pearse, in the course of some observations on the people's drawing-rooms which are regularly held in connection with his work in the west end of London. "The devil can't laugh; poor devil! Some people can't laugh—poor people!"

Getting acquainted in those drawing rooms, Mr. Pearse calls 'chumming up,' and he gave several striking examples of the results of the 'chumming up' methods employed for the purpose of getting acquainted with the people who need elevating influences in the purlieus of old London.

"The people's church of the future will be the church without pews rents. Statistics show that the mission halls of London are well filled, while many of the churches are almost deserted."

"The prayer meeting is the big wheel of the church when it is properly conducted."

So said the Rev. Mark Guy Pearse in his lecture on 'Christian socialism' in Centenary Methodist Church last evening. The Rev. D. Winter, pastor of the church, presided, and introduced the speaker, after the singing of 'Onward, Christian Soldiers.'

Mr. Pearse said he was glad to have the opportunity of speaking to the large audience on the social conditions to be found in London. What he would say should make his hearers thankful for the many blessings they enjoyed in this great and grand Dominion.

"Do you ever pray for London?" he asked. "I dare say you pray for the heathen and help send them the gospel, and yet you never think of London, the city in which as many families as dwell in Montreal live in homes of one room, and in some instances three families live in the same room. The growth of London was so great that it seemed impossible to keep up with it in regard to religious accommodation. Many were totally unprovided for. There were 400,000 people in London not provided for by Methodists with religious privileges such as were enjoyed in Montreal. Most of us were linked to London in some way, and still only thirty-four out of every one hundred were to-day provided for, religiously speaking."

In London a million people live in conditions which the law calls insanitary. What pleasure is there for the man who toils faithfully and hard all day, and then goes home to his family, all living in a one-roomed house? If one-third of the man's wages goes for the rent of that one room, and the rent is

fixed, while work is uncertain, how is that man to keep out of the workhouse? It seems to me the public house is the natural and, in many instances, the only attraction for such a man. Little wonder he asks: 'If they want me in the church, why do they not take the same trouble as the 'pub' to catch me?'

We will never fight the drink traffic successfully in England by lectures and speeches, but by establishing meeting places for the working people as attractive as the tavern and music hall.

"They are tearing down a million dollar music hall in the west end of London because it is not grand enough. How must the poor people who dress in rags and live on alms and refuse, regard this? I do not think so much about preparing people for the next world as helping to make them comfortable here. It is a most stupid thing to denounce the anarchist and not do anything toward sweeping away the causes of his existence. Unchristian socialism is no worse than unchristian Christianity. There is the bitter, sour socialism of hate which says, 'Thine is mine,' and there is the socialism of love, which says to the downtrodden, 'Mine is thine.' The latter is the only cure for the former. Look back over the history of the world and you will see that the cruelest, ugliest, haughtiest, proudest thing in the world is religion without love. How much do I love the man who is none the better for my having lived?"

The speaker closed his address with a high tribute to the work of the 'slum sisters.' He would not like to have them called 'deaconesses,' as they are in Canada. He told of the value of flowers in connection with their services and daily mission work, and specially urged the necessity of getting acquainted with the people, or 'chumming up,' if one wanted to reach and elevate the masses.

He believed there was good in everybody, and by right means it could be reached and developed.

The Rev. Mr. Winter, on behalf of the Young Men's Brotherhood of the church, thanked the speaker for his address and the people for their attendance and attention, and the meeting closed with the benediction by the Rev. Mr. Manning.

The Rev. Mr. Pearse speaks to-night in Dominion Square Church, and to-morrow evening in St. James's Church.

TOURNAMENT A SUCCESS.

The recent naval and military tournament held at the Arena has been a success from both a financial and artistic point of view. After paying all expenses, including \$120 to the sailors for expenses and prizes, there was a surplus of \$707.50, which has been handed over to the treasurer of the Samaritan Hospital.

MIRACULOUS ESCAPE

An electric car struck an address wagon owned by Mr. A. H. Bastien, of 2123 St. Catherine street, last evening, at St. Catherine street and Green avenue. Strange to say, neither the driver, wagon nor horse was injured.

STREET RAILWAY OFFER

The Company's Proposition Under Discussion

ROAD COMMITTEE FORMULATES SEVERAL NEW CONDITIONS WHICH MR. WANKLYN SAYS THE COMPANY CANNOT ACCEPT.

That the question of the proposed extension of the franchise of the Montreal Street Railway is considered to be one of paramount importance at the City Hall was shown by the large attendance at yesterday's meeting of the Road Committee called to discuss the letter from Mr. Wanklyn, submitted at the previous meeting. Ald. Vallieres presided, and besides all of the other members of the Road Committee there were present and took more or less part in the discussion, Ald. Laporte, chairman of the Finance Committee; Ald. Clearihue, chairman of the Water Committee; Ald. Giroux, chairman of the Police Committee; Ald. Lavallee, chairman of the Incineration Committee; Ald. Couture, chairman of the Parks and Ferries Committee; Ald. Dagenais, chairman of the L. A. Lapointe and Bumbay. The Montreal Street Railway Company's interests were looked after by Mr. F. L. Wanklyn, general manager and chief engineer, and Mr. Robinson, while Mr. Mullarkey, general manager of the Montreal Terminal Railway, was present as an interested spectator. There were also a considerable number of private citizens present.

The meeting was called for two, but it was past three before it settled down to business. After the chairman had taken his seat there was some doubt as to just how to proceed, the chairman, Ald. Vallieres, being as he explained at the previous meeting, opposed to discussing the letter at all, pending specific instructions from the council. The committee had decided otherwise, and the chairman, as the servant of the committee, had no option but to call the meeting, and after taking his seat, he appeared disposed to await suggestions as to procedure rather than to take the initiative.

Ald. Hebert undertook to start the ball rolling. He explained how he had come to be instrumental in having this meeting called. His intention, and he understood the intention of the committee, was to proceed to discuss the proposals of the company clause by clause, and report on them in order to council. They had asked the company on what grounds it was prepared to do certain work. The company had replied, and had made some additional suggestions of its own. He thought that obviously the first duty of the committee was to proceed with a discussion of the replies of the company to the inquiries put by the committee. As to the additional suggestions, that was matter for future consideration.

Ald. Vallieres remarked that if it was the wish of the committee to proceed with the discussion of the various propositions on the understanding that by so doing the general principle of franchise extension was not conceded, he supposed they might as well proceed to discuss the first clause, that regarding the removal of snow from the tracks.

Mr. Wanklyn moved up to a chair to the left of the chairman prepared to answer any questions, and Ald. Lariviere asked the general manager to explain exactly what kind of a snow removal service the company proposed to institute.

Mr. Wanklyn replied that the company proposed to do exactly what the city did at present so far as the removal of snow from the tracks streets from curb to curb was concerned. It did not matter whether the snow was what fell on the streets or was shovelled into it from roofs and sidewalks. But Mr. Wanklyn added he thought the company was entitled to know that they would continue to have the same privileges as enjoyed by the city at present as to dumps, etc.

Ald. Vallieres said the city could not promise that, as it had to engage dumps from year to year.

Mr. Wanklyn said at least the city should agree to put no obstacles in the way.

Ald. Lariviere moved the following: "The company shall not be allowed to deposit snow except in such places as shall be approved by the city."

Mr. Wanklyn remarked that the company could not accept such a condition, but it was adopted.

Ald. Laporte questioned the sense of proceeding with the discussion when the council might refuse the proposed extension.

Ald. L. A. Lapointe said that in a few years there might be a way to melt the snow instead of carting it away.

Mr. Wanklyn explained that the company was offering to remove the snow and not to find dumping grounds. The company wanted to use those now obtainable or others equally convenient.

Regarding the watering of the streets, a motion was made to have this done three times a day by mechanical means from the car tracks. This was adopted.

Ald. Turner then moved that the company clean the whole of the streets with electric sweepers.

Mr. Wanklyn said that that could not be considered, as the company would then require a special department. He added the sweeping could probably be done for a few feet on each side of the track, but not more.

However, the motion was carried.

Ald. Vallieres suggested that the company be asked to sell eight tickets for 25 cents during the whole day, as the Montreal Terminal had offered to do.

Mr. Wanklyn remarked that it was useless to go on formulating new conditions. The company's letter and its offer was based on what the committee had asked, and there was nothing therein about eight tickets for twenty-five cents.

The chairman's suggestion was, however, put in the shape of a motion, and carried.

Regarding the paving of streets, Mr. Wanklyn said that was a large plan, and he was not prepared to accept such a responsibility. He declared, however, that the company would be willing to pave between the tracks and furnish the granite blocks on those streets that were paved or that the city would pave in future.

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This proposal was accepted by the committee.

Regarding the exemption of taxes referred to in his letter, Mr. Wanklyn said what was desired was that the company should not be liable to any special tax, and that those now paid would continue to be paid.

The last question brought up was that of the franchise. Upon this there was a difference of opinion. Ald. Lariviere and Ald. N. Lapointe declared the matter was too important to be decided at once.

It was therefore decided to leave the matter over till the next meeting, and to ask the company to reply to the amendments made to its proposal.

TUBERCULOSIS LEAGUE

COMMITTEE OF INVESTIGATION
MET YESTERDAY AFTER-
NOON.

The regular weekly meeting was held at five o'clock yesterday afternoon of the Investigation Committee of the Montreal League for the Prevention of Tuberculosis. One particular case brought before the committee was that of a girl, aged 16, who was suffering from consumption, in its incipient stage.

The father of the girl is dead, the mother maintains herself and children by keeping a boarding house. The family are in poverty and unable to help the girl. The Rev. W. D. Reid, of Taylor Church, their clergyman, says the parish will second any efforts the league may be able to make in sending the girl to some country place, where, owing to the incipient character of the disease, she would have splendid chances towards recovery. The committee was informed that the funds were very low, yet the case was urgent, and good results would be certain to follow could she be sent away. Thereupon, Lieut.-Col. Jeffrey H. Burland generously offered to assist the parish at his own expense, in maintaining the girl in some mountain place until her health is restored. This offer was enthusiastically received by the committee.

Before the meeting adjourned it was decided to hold the meetings on Friday of each week instead of Monday. The next meeting will take place on Oct. 2. At yesterday's meeting Mr. W. H. Stethem presided, the others present being Mrs. Learmont, Dr. Roddick, M.P.; Dr. Richer, Lieut.-Col. Jeffrey H. Burland, Dr. Harding and Messrs. J. C. Holden, R. H. Lane and S. P. Stearns.

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CHATEAUGUAY & NORTHERN
WISH TO CROSS THE M. S. R.
AT VALOIS AVENUE AND
ONTARIO STREET,
MONTREAL.

Ottawa, Sept. 22.—Before the Railway Committee of the Privy Council this morning the Canadian Northern Railway Company asked for approval of its plan to cross the Canadian Pacific Railway's Brookdale branch in Manitoba.

Mr. Z. A. Leach, solicitor for the Canadian Northern, thought that the ordinary diamond crossing is all that would be required.

The C. P. R., on the other hand, urged that the interlocking apparatus is necessary to properly safeguard traffic.

Mr. Fielding—We will reserve the case in order to obtain the advice of our engineers.

At the request of Mr. Leach an interim order was passed calling for a diamond crossing in order that the tracks may be laid for carriage of wheat this fall.

This was agreed to by the C. P. R., but the question of safety appliances will be considered later.

CHATEAUGUAY & NORTHERN.
The Chateaugay & Northern Railway Company applied for permission to cross the Montreal Street Railway tracks near the intersection of Valois avenue and Ontario street in Montreal.

The company had no objection to offer and the order passed subject to the approval of a departmental engineer. The question was raised whether the city had any objection, but Montreal itself was not directly represented.

MR. PRESTON EXPLAINS
HIS RECENT REFLECTIONS HAD
NO REFERENCE TO STEAM-
SHIP AGENTS IN GERMANY.

(Canadian Associated Press.)
London, Sept. 22.—Mr. W. T. R. Preston, Canadian Immigration Commissioner in Great Britain, is sending a letter to the press denying that in issuing the warning to immigrants he intended any reflection upon steamship agents generally. The warning referred entirely to the operations of the various so-called immigration societies.

LABOR CONGRESS
NINETEENTH ANNUAL GATHER-
ING OPENS AT BROCK-
VILLE.

Brockville, Ont., Sept. 22.—At the opening of the nineteenth annual congress of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada here this morning there were over one hundred delegates present, including three ladies representing the Shoe Workers' Union.

A large number more are expected this afternoon.

Mr. John A. Flett, of Hamilton, president, was in the chair, and after he had called the conference to order, addresses of welcome from the local Trades and Labor Council and the Corporation of Brockville, by the president, Mr. Hugh J. McGee, and Mayor Harrison respectively.

Paternal greetings from the United States were presented in neat speeches by Mr. John Coleman, Buffalo, representing the American Federation of Labor, and Mr. John B. Tobin, Boston, president of the Boot and Shoe Workers' Union.

Short addresses were also made by Mr. Mack, vice-president, of Montreal; Mr. A. W. Puttee, M.P., Winnipeg; and Mr. L. Crawford, past president of the International Typographical Union.

Mr. Flett, the president, then read his annual address, dealing at length with labor matters in general, but before doing so he thanked the members of the Brockville Trades and Labor Council and the Corporation of Brockville for their kind words of welcome, and expressed the hope that the deliberations of the congress would be of much benefit to the interests of labor.

At the close he suggested that it might be well, when the time arrived, in order to define their policy and outline methods for future work, to hold private sessions.

The congress then adjourned till 2 p.m.

INTERESTING LAW POINT
A SEQUEL TO THE BOOKBINDERS' STRIKE.

Mr. Justice Purcell gave judgment this morning in the case of Joseph Gauthier suing for wages Messrs. William H. Eaton & Son, printers and bookbinders. This suit, while involving only \$6.75, effects many other bookbinders, and the decision given settled a much disputed point with reference to back pay when men go on strike. At the time the local bookbinders went on strike, five months ago, \$6.75 was owing to Joseph Gauthier. The firm refused to pay the amount, contending that they had not received the required notice from their employee of his intention to quit work. As the union of bookbinders had given employers three weeks' notice to accept the terms or suffer a strike, the plaintiff contended that it was sufficient. The Court dismissed the action, on the ground that

there was no "lien de droit" between the union and the employers, and that the plaintiff having quit his employment without legal cause and against the will of his employer and without previous legal notice, was forfeiting all claim to wages accrued up to the time of quitting said employment.

This case was a test case and will decide a large number of a similar sort. Mr. G. A. Maran, LL.B., was acting for Messrs. W. H. Eaton & Son.

SERVIAN AFFAIRS
SKUPSHINA WILL MEET IN EXTRAORDINARY SESSION ON
SEPT. 27, WHEN MINISTERS WILL RESIGN.

Belgrade, Sept. 22.—The elections yesterday to the Skupshina, resulted in unexpected victories for the extreme Radicals, of whom sixty-five were elected.

The House otherwise is composed of seventy-five Radicals, fifteen Liberals, and two Socialists. All the party leaders were elected.

The Skupshina will meet in extraordinary session on Sept. 27, when the ministry will resign. It is practically certain that General Gruic will be the next Premier.

TURN THE TIDE
MANY EVICTED IRISH TENANTS
NOW IN AMERICA HOPE TO
REGAIN THEIR HOLD-
INGS.

London, Sept. 22.—Interest has been evoked here by a letter from Mr. O'Callaghan, of the United Irish League of America, to Mr. London, M.P., saying that since the passage of the Irish Land Act many evicted tenants now residing in the United States have been making serious inquiries regarding the possibility of re-acquiring their former holdings. Mr. O'Callaghan expressed the belief that should a large proportion of the inquiries be able to do so it would go far towards solving the question of emigration and turn the tide back to Ireland.

WHERE IS FRAPPIER
Francis Frappier should have been in the Enquete Court to-day to answer to the charge of having, while he was a boss painter at the Hochelaga shops of the Canadian Pacific Railway, carried on the pay roll the names of men not employed by the company, and presumably pocketing the wages paid. The pay cheques, it is alleged, were received by friends of Frappier and afterwards cashed by a neighbor named Boquet, who is under arrest. The sureties for Frappier's appearance in court to-day are feeling worried, and they are asking themselves whether he is sick or detained for some good reason, or simply jumped his bond. The hearing was adjourned to this afternoon.

THREATEN TO RESIGN
CERTAIN MEMBERS MAY YIELD
SEATS ON HARBOR BOARD.

There are all kinds of rumors on the street to-day as to the possibility of certain commissioners resigning their seats on the Harbor Board. For some time past the business transacted by the Board has been held up to ridicule in local commercial as well as shipping circles, and as a result several of the members have become more or less disgusted.

A prominent member, in conversation with a "Witness" representative, said to-day that he was about tired of the way business was being done at the Board, and that unless matters somewhat right themselves in the near future he had at the present moment serious intentions of resigning as a member of the Board.

"Then you really intend to resign?"
"No, not for the present at least, but all depends on future circumstances whether or not I take such a step."

"Have you heard of other commissioners having the same object in view?"
"Well, that is not for me to say, but there are others like myself not satisfied with the existing state of affairs."

Certain of the members of the Harbor Board are indignant at having their names passed around in connection with the Board in its poorly managed affairs, and many of them assert that public opinion will certainly be inclined to put the commissioners down to a low ebb if the meetings of the Harbor Board are to be taken as a criterion as to their methods as business men.

COURT OF KING'S BENCH.
The case of Michael R. Donnelly, a former agent of the York County Loan & Savings Company, was before the jury to-day. It was charged that Donnelly had received certain moneys from shareholders of the company which he failed to turn over to the officials or to account for. Witnesses declared that the accused made collections of weekly payments after he ceased to be an agent of the company and also that he collected payments from certain persons who supposed they were shareholders for several weeks before they were really entered on the company's books. This is the last case to come before the court in this term and Friday will be sentence day.

The case of B. Budd, of London, which was yesterday fixed for trial on Friday, has, by an arrangement between the Crown and counsel for the defence, been postponed to the next term.

The petit jurors not empaneled on the Donnelly case were discharged this morning. The Donnelly case is expected to be concluded to-day.

THE BONDED CHINAMEN.
Argument in the habeas corpus case of the two groups of bonded Chinamen was heard before the Court of Appeal this morning. The same issues were raised as in the Superior Court, and after hearing counsel on both sides, their lordships took the case on deliberation and will render judgment on Thursday morning.

FINANCIAL

LOCAL STOCKS.

DOMINION STRONGER, WITH MORE
GENERAL ACTIVITY.

The Dominion issues were stronger to-day, if a stock selling on a 23 percent interest basis, with a dividend due next week, can ever be called strong. This is the condition of iron preferred, which sold up point to 34 this morning. Iron common opened at 10 1/2 and rose as high as 12 1/2, closing at 12. Coal, the most active of the lot, sold from 69 up to 71 1/2, closing at 70 1/2, with sales of 250 shares. Total sales in the Dominion group were 901 shares and \$1,000 bonds, against 739 shares and \$400 bonds in all other issues.

One feature of the present depression is that it is bringing out Coal preferred and bonds in appreciable quantities. These issues, paying 8 and 6 percent respectively, have for some years been valued above their real prices of 115 and 110, and sellers offered on the stock exchange.

The general market showed more activity than usual, in spite of to-day being a Jewish holiday, which detracts seriously from business on the New York and European exchanges. Two hundred shares of C.P.R. were sold at prices better than yesterday's average, and the other stocks traded in also showed improvements.

Montreal Street Railway stock does not seem to be benefited by either its coming issue of stock, or its statement of earnings, which shows an improvement this month, for about the first time this year. Minneapolis, St. Paul and Sault Ste. Marie common and preferred have been sold on the Montreal Stock Exchange, and will be called for the first time tomorrow.

MORNING SALES.
Can. Pac.—100 at 122, 75 at 122 1/2, 25 at 123 1/2, 100 at 124, 100 at 114, 50 at 124, 100 at 124.

Montreal Power—50 at 76 1/2, 100 at 77, 100 at 77 1/2, 100 at 78, 100 at 78 1/2, 100 at 79, 100 at 79 1/2, 100 at 80, 100 at 80 1/2, 100 at 81, 100 at 81 1/2, 100 at 82, 100 at 82 1/2, 100 at 83, 100 at 83 1/2, 100 at 84, 100 at 84 1/2, 100 at 85, 100 at 85 1/2, 100 at 86, 100 at 86 1/2, 100 at 87, 100 at 87 1/2, 100 at 88, 100 at 88 1/2, 100 at 89, 100 at 89 1/2, 100 at 90, 100 at 90 1/2, 100 at 91, 100 at 91 1/2, 100 at 92, 100 at 92 1/2, 100 at 93, 100 at 93 1/2, 100 at 94, 100 at 94 1/2, 100 at 95, 100 at 95 1/2, 100 at 96, 100 at 96 1/2, 100 at 97, 100 at 97 1/2, 100 at 98, 100 at 98 1/2, 100 at 99, 100 at 99 1/2, 100 at 100, 100 at 100 1/2, 100 at 101, 100 at 101 1/2, 100 at 102, 100 at 102 1/2, 100 at 103, 100 at 103 1/2, 100 at 104, 100 at 104 1/2, 100 at 105, 100 at 105 1/2, 100 at 106, 100 at 106 1/2, 100 at 107, 100 at 107 1/2, 100 at 108, 100 at 108 1/2, 100 at 109, 100 at 109 1/2, 100 at 110, 100 at 110 1/2, 100 at 111, 100 at 111 1/2, 100 at 112, 100 at 112 1/2, 100 at 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CHAPTER XXVIII.—(Continued.)

Many members of the court circle passed close to the royal party without recognizing them; they made every effort to reach the scene of the festival, but the crowd was so great that the ladies had several times to get into a tomb to avoid it. In each they found the altar loaded with offerings, and, in most, family parties, who here remembered their dead, with meat and fruits, as though they were departed travellers, whom they hoped sooner or later to see again.

The sun was near setting when at last the princess and her companions reached the spot where the feast was being held. Here stood numbers of stalls and booths, with eatables of every sort, particularly sweet cakes for the children, dates, figs, pomegranates, and other fruits.

Friends and acquaintances greeted each other kindly, while the children showed each other their new sandals, the king and his family were used to listen to the feast discourse, and under its shade sat to-day the Regent An.

They could see, too, the seats of the grandees, and the barriers which kept the people at a distance from the Regent, the priests and the nobles.

Here Amen himself had announced to the multitude the miracle of the sacred heart, and had proclaimed that a new god had been found among the herds of the Regent An.

His announcement of these divine tokens had been repeated from mouth to mouth; they were omens of peace and happiness for the country through the means of a favorite of the gods; and though no one said it, the dustiest could not fail to see that favorite was none other than An, the descendant of the great Hatasu, whose prophet had been the heart of the sacred ram. All eyes were fixed on An, who had sacrificed before all the people to the sacred heart, and received the high-priest's blessing.

Pentaur, too, had ended his discourse when Bent-Anat reached the scene of the festival. She heard an old man say to his son:

"Life is hard. It often seems to me like a heavy burden laid on our poor backs by the cruel gods; but when I heard the young priest from the House of Seti, I felt that, after all, the Immortals are good, and we have much to thank them for."

In another place a priest's wife said to her son:

"Could you see Pentaur well, Hor-Usa? He is of humble birth, but he stands above the greatest in things."

Two girls were speaking together, and one said to the other:

"And how his eyes shone when he spoke of truth as the highest of all virtues!" replied the other. "All the gods, I believe, must dwell in him."

Bent-Anat colored as these words fell on her ear. It was growing dark, and she wished to return home; but Kamei wished to follow the procession as it marched through the western valley by torchlight, so that the grave of his grandfather Seti should also be visited. The princess unwillingly yielded, but it would in any case have been difficult to reach the river while every one was rushing in the opposite direction; so the two ladies, and Kamei, let themselves be carried along by the crowd, and by the time the daylight was gone, they found themselves in the western valley, where to-night no beasts of prey dared show themselves; jackals and hyenas had fled before the glare of the torches, and the lanterns made of colored papyrus.

The smoke of the torches mingled with the dust stirred by a thousand feet, and the procession moved along, as it were, in a cloud, which shrouded the multitude that followed.

The three companions had labored on as far as the house of the parasites Pinem, but here they were forced to pause, for guards drove back the crowd to the right and left with long staves, to clear a passage for the procession as it approached.

"See, Kamei," said Bent-Anat, point-

ing out the little yard of the hut which stood only a few paces from them. "That is where the fair, white girl lives, whom I ran over. But she is much better. Turn round; there, behind the thorn-hedge, by the little fire which shines full in your face—there she sits, with her grandfather."

The prince stood on tip-toe, looked into the humble plot of ground, and then said in a subdued voice:

"What a lovely creature! But what is she doing with the old man? He seems to be praying, and she first holds a handkerchief before his mouth, and then rubs his temples. And how unhappy she looks!"

"The parasites must be ill," replied Bent-Anat.

"He must have had too much wine down at the feast," said Kamei laughing. "No doubt of it! Only look how his lips tremble, and his eyes roll. It is hideous—he looks like one possessed."

"He is unclean, too!" said Nefert.

"But he is a good, kind man, with a tender heart," exclaimed the princess eagerly. "I have enquired about him. He is honest and sober, and I am sure he is ill and not drunk."

"Now she is standing up," said Kamei, and he dropped the paper-lantern which he had bought at a booth. "Step back, Bent-Anat, she must be expecting some one. Did you ever see any one so very fair, and with such a pretty little head. Even her red hair becomes her wonderfully; but she staggers as she stands—she must be very weak. Now she has sat down again by the old man, and is rubbing his forehead. Poor souls! look how she is sobbing. I will throw my purse over to them."

"No, no!" cried Bent-Anat. "I gave them plenty of money, and the tears which are being shed there cannot be stanching with gold. I will send old Assath over to-morrow to ask how we can help them. Look, here comes the procession, Nefert. How rudely the people press! As soon as the gold is gone by we will go home."

"Pray do," said Nefert. "I am so frightened!" and she pressed trembling to the side of the princess.

"I wish we were at home, too," replied Bent-Anat.

"Only look!" said Kamei. "There they are. Is it not splendid? And how the heart shines, as if it were a star!"

All the crowd, and with them our three friends, fell on their knees.

The procession passed opposite to them, as it did at every thousand paces; a herald came forward, and gloried in a loud voice, the great miracle, to which now another was added—the sacred heart since the night had come on had begun to give out light.

Since his return home from the embalming house, the parasites had taken no nourishment, and had not answered a word to the anxious questions of the two frightened women. He stared blindly, muttered a few unintelligible words, and often clasped his forehead in his hand. A few hours before he had laughed loud and suddenly, and his wife, greatly alarmed, had gone at once to fetch the physician Nebsecht.

During her absence Uarda was to rub her grandfather's temples with the leaves which the witch Nefet had laid on her bruises, for as they had once proved efficacious they might perhaps a second time scare away the demons of sickness.

(To be continued.)

BIBLE WORDS.

TUESDAY, SEPT. 22.

CHRIST MY PORTION.

Three times God is claimed as the portion of His people. (Ps. cxix, 57; cxlii, 5; Zech. ii, 12.) We have the thought of the Hebrew world in the Greek Meros, to share, be partakers in. (Col. i, 12.) Here in this life, believers share alike in the heavenly inheritance. Mary chose a good part (Lu. x, 42) which she shall not lose. In Lu. xii, 48, the unfaithful servant shall have his portion with those who shall be punished. As a man sows he reaps. If to the flesh, he reaps corruption; if to the Spirit, he reaps eternal life. (Gal. vi, 8.) Christ is the portion, the inheritance of His people. He is the present possession of the saints. (Act. xvi, 18.) They have a goodly heritage. (Ps. xvi, 6.) All have an equal share in Him. Each may have His fulness of life, power and riches, filled with Him, filled to overflowing. Each may say: I am enriched in Him, in all things. (I. Cor. i, 4, 5.) Whom, or what, have I in heaven but Christ, whom or what on earth, beside Him? Having Him I have all things. (I. Cor. iii, 22, 23.) How few realize the riches of their inheritance in Christ. How few are always rejoicing in Him, their everlasting portion. Truly, their souls should be satisfied with good.

A Christian who would thrive in Christianity must be no stranger to a course of meditation.—Cotton Mather.

A prominent actor, speaking recently about preachers, severely criticized the delivery of almost all of them, and said that the difficulty of remembering most sermons is due to the lack of emphasis and force in their utterance. He added that if actors paid as little attention to their elocution as preachers do, they would be hissed off the stage. If he would be well if this friendly critic's advice were borne in mind. How few realize the public reading of the Scriptures, a matter that receives deplorably little attention from most preachers, but which, a sure means of grace to the hearers.—"The Christian."

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On the golf links the exclamation "Fore!" is given to warn any one on the course who may be in danger of being struck by a ball. During a recent tournament a player called out "Fore!" to a fat man in front, and then played. The ball struck the gentleman on the head. The player ran up to the injured one, and said, "I'm awfully sorry, but you know I called out 'Fore!'." "Yes," said the fat man, "I know you did, but, thank goodness, only one of them hit me!"

A Scottish farmer had twin sons, one Jimmie, the other Willie. They were so much alike that one could hardly tell them apart. One morning Jimmie, whose duty it was to take round the milk, was ill, and Willie took his brother's place. "Oh, my laddie," said one woman, as she opened the door in response to his knock, "it's you, is it?" "Please ma-am," responded the youngster, "it's nae me this morning, it's ma bither."

ON THE LOOK-OUT. What's the matter? asked the philosopher. Oh, dear, sighed the old lady, a lot of trouble that I had just been cleared away, and now there's no knowing what's going to happen next to worry me.

A young lady in town went to the country on a visit, and while there was given some very good honey. After eating a lot of it she said, gushingly—Oh, this is such delicious honey. Do you keep a bee?

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UNCHANGED FASHIONS IN CHINA. At a dinner party in Washington, the new Chinese Ambassador discussed American fashions satirically.

"Now, in China," he said, "our fashions never change. I wear the same sort of hat, the same sort of coat, the same sort of shoes, that a man in my position wore a thousand years ago. And it is the same with the Chinese women. Their fashions also have not changed in 1 know not how many dynasties. Long ago, in China, we found the costumes that seemed to us the most graceful and the most comfortable, and we cling to those costumes. We love them."

"But you—here in America—how often is it every week, every fortnight—that you change your fashions? Only the other day I met on the street an American naval officer of whom I am fond. He had a parcel under his arm. I stopped my carriage. 'Come,' I said, 'let us have a little chat—a comfortable little chat.'"

"But the naval officer shook his head. He said hurriedly: 'No, I cannot. In this parcel there is a bonnet for my wife. Were I to stop and talk, the fashion in bonnets might change before I reached home.'"

"But, son," said the practical mother, "do you think she will make you a wise, steady, reliable wife?" "Why, mother!" exclaimed Cholly, "the very ideal! She makes the most de-l-i-cious fudge! Weally!" —Baltimore "News."

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A STRONG LINK

A Change has Come in Our Relations With Motherland Since John Bright's Time

MR. SEDDON HEARTENS MR. CHAMBERLAIN.

(Canadian Associated Press.)

London, Sept. 21.—The 'Daily Telegraph' referring to Canada's preference in favor of Britain, says it is the only question since the deplorable era, which is now dead, let us hope forever, when John Bright declared in the House of Commons that the separation of Canada from the empire would be best for her and best for us, and when the Radicals of the penurious school complained of the expense of our North American establishments.

A recent cablegram from Canada stated that the proposal to give preferential treatment to Canadian wheat alone was condemned in the strongest manner by the Canadian supporters of Mr. Chamberlain, as that in the case of adverse action there might be a cessation movement, or a movement for wider reciprocity with the United States. Mr. Chamberlain's secretary, replying to the correspondent, said Mr. Chamberlain did not think there was the slightest foundation for the statement.

Mr. Seddon, of New Zealand, writing to Mr. Chamberlain, advises him not to be discouraged, as to obtain reforms always entails great sacrifice.

PILGRIMS' CLUB

Messrs. Christopher Robinson, Duff, Wade, King and Collier to be Entertained

ROWE'S TIME-WORN EXCUSE FOR ROBBERING THE GREAT FINGAL COMPANY.

(Canadian Associated Press.)

London, Sept. 21.—Messrs. Christopher Robinson, Duff, Wade, King and Collier have accepted invitations to the Pilgrim Society dinner, to be held on Oct. 6. Mr. Sifton will entertain the members of the Alaskan commission on Friday at Brown's Hotel.

SAME OLD STORY.

Rowe, who was arrested in Toronto for alleged fraud on the Great Fingal Company, in a letter to the board of directors, asserts that he had no criminal object, and that he intended to redeem the forged documents when Westerners boomed again.

COMMERCE DELEGATES

PARTY WILL REACH MONTREAL THIS EVENING.

Ottawa, Sept. 21.—A party of over a hundred of the delegates to the Congress of Chambers of Commerce, which met in Montreal in August, spent the day in the Capital, having reached Ottawa a day ahead of time, owing to the cancellation of the visit to the Canadian 'Soo.' The 'Soo' visit was foregone because of the closing down of the Clergue mills. At the meeting of the City Council in the evening several of the delegates addressed the aldermen on invitation of the Mayor. The speakers were: E. Parka, M.P., Birmingham; R. S. Fraser, London; Mr. Peck, Leeds; R. Crabtree, Bradford; J. L. Pollock, Paris, and F. Cooke, Dudley. They were all enthusiastic in their praise of Canada from coast to coast and were especially struck with the undeveloped mineral wealth of the country. The majority of the delegates occupied seats in the Speaker's Gallery in the House of Commons this evening. They leave for Montreal to-morrow morning on the steamer 'Empress.'

DR. MENZIES DEAD

PRESBYTERIAN MISSIONARY TO INDIA SUCCUMBS TO THE PLAGUE.

Toronto, Sept. 21.—A telegram was received to-day by Dr. R. P. Mackay, secretary of the Presbyterian Foreign Mission Board, announcing the death by plague of Dr. George Menzies, medical missionary at Mhow, Central India. Dr. Menzies went to India less than a year ago, and was appointed to care for the famine boys, for which work his medical profession and industrial aptitudes specially fitted him. Although the plague has been raging violently in Indore and Mhow, yet there was a sense of security as to Europeans, the natives being almost altogether the victims. Now there is anxiety lest other missionaries should be cut off by the dreadful scourge. Dr. Menzies was a son of Mr. William Menzies, of Ailsa Craig, Ont., and brother of Dr. James Menzies, of Honan, China.

TRINITY-TORONTO

REPLY OF FEDERATIONISTS OF THE FORMER TO THEIR OPPONENTS.

Toronto, Sept. 21.—The reply of Trinity federationists, filed in court this afternoon, is contained in five affidavits, which it is likely counsel for the opponents of federation will request time to answer, so an adjournment of the arguments set for to-morrow is almost certain. After citing his various decrees from different universities, Prof. Goldwin Smith says: 'For a great part of my life I have been engaged in academic work, and have associated much with university and literary men in England, the United States, and this country, so as to be competent to speak as to the value of university degrees. In my opinion, the degrees now held of the University of Trinity College would not be, but would gain in value as academical

certificates by being commuted into degrees of the University of Toronto under the proposed federation.'

The affidavit of Canon Welch, formerly of Trinity, in part says: 'I have a knowledge of the proposed terms of federation, and of the effect which it will have on the existing degrees of Trinity, and I am of the opinion that there is nothing in the proposed terms of federation which will prejudicially affect the value of the degrees or the statutes of graduates of Trinity. Instead of being ruined, Trinity will be materially benefited by the federation.'

The Rev. William Jones, bursar and secretary of Trinity, and also the Rev. Prof. Clark, made affidavits favoring federation.

The affidavit of the provost, Rev. T. C. Street Macklem, is a document of fourteen closely typewritten pages. It reviews the whole history of the movement since January, 1900. The provost shows that in the event of federation not being consummated by October of this year subscriptions of \$130,000 will be endangered. These, he explained, were given on the understanding that federation would be effected by that date, though it is not to go into operation before October of next year.

TURKS BLOWN UP

Five Hundred Mohammedans Killed With Dynamite During a Fight

BULGARIA LAYS HER CONDITIONS BEFORE TURKEY.

Sofia, Sept. 21.—It is reported here that five hundred Turks have been killed with dynamite, while fighting against a body of insurgents in the Kresna defile.

BULGARIA REPLIES TO TURKEY.

Sofia, Sept. 21.—The unfavorable replies of Austria and Russia to Bulgaria's last note and the fact that none of the other great powers have yet replied coupled with the allegation that one of the powers is encouraging the military party at Yildiz Kiosk, tend to create a less hopeful feeling here.

The 'Dnevnik' says Turkey has presented a note to Bulgaria asking for the latter's assistance in reaching a peaceable solution. Bulgaria replied that Turkey must end the massacres, withdraw her frontier forces, guarantee peace and protection to the villages; amnesty the principal offenders and introduce such governmental reforms as will pacify Macedonia and Adrianople. The Bulgarian reply concluded:

'If the present situation continues the Bulgarian Government will be compelled to yield to public opinion and send an army to the frontier.'

HUNGARIAN CRISIS

NEW MINISTRY WILL BE FORMED OWING TO GOOD OFFICES OF FRANCIS KOSSUTH.

Vienna, Sept. 20.—Count Hedevar, who placed his resignation as Hungarian Premier in the hands of the Emperor Francis Joseph some time ago, had audiences with the Emperor yesterday and to-day, which have led to the solution of the Hungarian Cabinet crisis, and a ministry will be formed either by Count Julius or Rassyor M. Koloman Szell. Should this news be confirmed, it will be due to the correct and patriotic attitude of Francis Kossuth and his party. Kossuth declared resolutely against anything in the shape of a resolution, and even forbade any street demonstrations on the anniversary of his father's birthday.

VICTORIA MEMORIAL

BUST UNVEILED IN PARISH CHURCH NEAR BALMORAL CASTLE.

London, Sept. 20.—At the parish church of Canby, three-quarters of a mile from Balmoral Castle, which was attended by Queen Victoria, the King, in the presence of the Prince and Princess of Wales, Prince and Princess Charles of Denmark, Mr. Balfour, Lord Lansdowne, other ministers, and a distinguished congregation to-day unveiled a memorial bust of the late Queen Victoria, by the sculptor, Emil Fuchs, and two mural tablets in memory of the late Duke of Edinburgh and the Empress Frederick of Germany. The three memorials were erected at the expense of the King. General A. Miles was among the speakers.

THE DEXTER TRAGEDY

MURDER BELIEVED TO HAVE BEEN THE WORK OF POACHERS.

Ogdensburg, N.Y., Sept. 21.—Mr. Orlando P. Dexter, who was assassinated near his summer home in the Adirondacks, near Santa Clara, N.Y., on Saturday, has had much trouble of late with parties owning property adjoining to his, which has undoubtedly made him some enemies. The authorities are making every effort to apprehend the murderer. The dead man's body was taken to Malone, and will be sent to New York. The sheriff and posse are at the scene of the murder. The motive is believed to be revenge for Dexter's efforts to keep poachers off his big game preserve.

He had much litigation, and many of the woodmen felt bitter against him as they do against other wealthy gentlemen who have established game preserves in the north woods, and who are held to be infringing on the rights of the original settlers. Some of these men had made threats against Mr. Dexter's life and naturally they are under suspicion.

Mr. Dexter was of a reticent disposition. He was almost mysterious. It was known that he had a large ranch at Santa Clara, in the Adirondacks,

where he spent his summers. Most of his wealth was in stocks and bonds, and in addition he was largely interested in the American News Company, of New York, and was a large stockholder in the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railway. His father, Henry Dexter, lives in New York.

Mr. Dexter had been justice of the peace in South Norwalk for a number of terms. He was a bachelor and about forty-nine years old.

MAYOR OF NEW YORK

MR. LOW WILL RECEIVE SUPPORT OF GREATER NEW YORK DEMOCRACY.

New York, Sept. 21.—At a meeting of the leaders of the Greater New York Democracy to-night to determine whether the organization should oppose Mayor Low and the fusion ticket or make up a slate of its own, Mr. Wm. Hepburn Russell, who resigned to-night as commissioner of accounts, protested against the endorsement and criticized Mayor Low's administration as being principally Republican. Mr. Cantor, borough president, denounced Mr. Russell as having betrayed the organization as being desirous to be in league with Tammany Hall. Other leaders also condemned Mr. Russell for his failure to support the Mayor. It was finally decided by a vote of 50 to 1, Mr. Russell being the only dissenter, to sustain the action of fusion conferees on the selection of Low, Grout and the Fornes, to head the ticket.

BURNED TO DEATH.

Ottawa, Sept. 20.—In a fire at Hull in the early hours of this morning Lorenzo Chouinard, the sixteen-year-old boy of Marcell Chouinard, was burned to death. The two went home from work at five o'clock, and the father built a fire and went to sleep beside it, while the boy retired to an upstairs room. Half an hour afterwards the house caught fire in the attic and when the boy was endeavoring to escape he opened the wrong door and went into a clothes room, where he was suffocated. The house was badly gutted.

POSTAL FRAUDS

STERN BEFORE TORONTO JUDGE ON APPLICATION FOR EXTRA-DICTION.

Toronto, Sept. 21.—Louis Leopold J. Stern, of Baltimore, wanted at Washington to answer charges in connection with frauds in the Post-office Department, was before Judge Winchester to-day on an application for extradition. He was remanded a week, as the papers which have so far arrived are not sufficient to make out a case against him. The statement made to-day by Mr. Mayer, United States Post-office Inspector, charges that Stern, in Dec., 1901, obtained \$5,029, and in Oct., 1902, \$8,022, to supply straps for letter carriers' satchels to the department. It is contended that Geo. D. Lamb, of New York, who made the straps for Stern, had also been paid, but the documents presented to-day did not disclose anything that Stern received beyond the amounts above mentioned, which he appeared to be entitled to under his contract.

FOOL JOKERS

THEY ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR A YOUNG WIFE'S DEATH.

Newark, N.J., Sept. 19.—Mrs. O. Mott committed suicide to-day at her home as the result of a cruel practical joke played upon her by friends. Mrs. Mott was only eighteen years of age and had been married but a short time. She and her husband had lived happily until within the last few days when some mischievous friends intimidated slyly that her husband had another wife living. She did not speak of the matter to her husband, but became moody. To her husband's anxious questions she made evasive answers. In the meantime her friends continued in their persecution. This afternoon she was found dead in her room with an empty carbolic acid vial lying near by. Mr. Mott is distracted with grief.

A LONG RIDE

TROOPER DAVIS THE FIRST TO REACH WEST POINT FROM OKLAHOMA.

Newburgh, N.Y., Sept. 21.—Trooper Davis, of the 8th United States Cavalry, has reached Westpoint, being the first of a detachment of twelve troopers who started from Oklahoma thirty days ago on a test ride of two thousand miles. The men were allowed to eat and sleep when they pleased. Relays of horses were provided every thirty miles, the object of the ride being to cover the distance in the shortest practicable time. Davis, the lightest man of the party, led his comrades at the start and had the advantage of getting the pick of mounts at the relay stations. He rode up the east bank of the Hudson river after reaching New York until near Garrison, where his horse gave out. Davis weighed 137 pounds but 108 pounds. The record for the distance was 45 days. The ride is one of several taken to test the stamina of men and horses, made at the suggestion of General Young, the new chief of staff.

AN ANGRY LION

HE TEARS OFF A KEEPER'S HAND IN STREET CARNIVAL.

East St. Louis, Ill., Sept. 19.—During a performance of a street carnival company to-day an angry lion sprang upon the keeper, Ricardo, who was in the cage, and tore off his right hand. Only the prompt work of attendants, who beat off the lion and dragged Ricardo from the cage, saved the keeper's life. The lion has killed three keepers.

TO DINE SHAMROCKS.

A Proposal to Banquet the Champions is Afoot.

IT IS THOUGHT THE BOYS ARE DESERVING OF THIS WHEN THEY RETURN

If negotiations are carried through, the Shamrock lacrosse team will receive a rousing welcome and banquet upon its return from British Columbia. In local lacrosse circles there is a strong feeling that the city clubs should unite in paying honor to a team that has done so much to retain the lacrosse championship of the world in Montreal. During the last three years the Shamrocks have, by their work upon the field, placed this city before the sporting community as the home of lacrosse, and in recognition of their efforts in this particular respect a movement is on foot to celebrate their achievements when the champions return from their trip West.

ATHLETICS

Y.M.C.A. FIELD DAY.

The following events will be run off at the Y.M.C.A. field day sports, Saturday, at Queen's Park, Verdun, commencing at 3 o'clock:

Track events—100 yards, 220 yards, 440 yards, 880 yards, one mile, four mile harrier for silver cup, 100 yards, boys' under 15 years, 100 yards for boys under 15; 880 yards, boys under 18; half mile relay by teams representing the various clubs of the Association for a silver cup.

Field events—Putting 16 lb. shot, throwing 16 lb. hammer, broad jump, high jump, hop, step, jump.

Admission to the grounds will be free. Tickets may be obtained from members of the Association.

G.T.B.C. STEEPCHASE.

The first annual steepchase of the Grand Trunk Boating Club takes place on the morning of Thanksgiving Day at 10 o'clock. The course is laid from the club house to the end of May avenue, across farms to the stone bridge at Cote St. Paul, along Cote St. Paul road to Verdun dyke to the club house. This gives a run of 4 1/2 to 5 miles, over fair country, several fences, two water jumps and two small hills having to be negotiated. Three prizes are to be given. A large field of entries is expected, and a good time may be looked for, as the 'Point' boys are no slouches, turning as they do, material for the crack upturn teams in lacrosse, hockey, football, etc.

BASEBALL

JERSEY CITY WON CHAMPIONSHIP IN EASTERN LEAGUE.

Jersey City, Sept. 21.—Yesterday's victory of Jersey City over Buffalo carried with it the Eastern League championship. Jersey City outplayed Buffalo in all departments. Score:

Jersey City . . . 0011311 2-7 8 1
Buffalo . . . 0000000 0-1 0 12-7
Batteries—Threlman and McManus; Milligan and McAllister. Umpire, Swartwood. Attendance, 1,800.

Buffalo, N.Y., Sept. 22.—Rochester and Montreal indulged in a slugging match yesterday. The former held the lead until the last half of the ninth when Montreal scored two runs, and won out, the hitting of Clancy and Lepine drove in the runs for their respective sides. Score:

Montreal . . . 100031010-6
Buffalo . . . 200011012-7
Summary—Earned runs, Rochester, 2; Montreal, 2. First base on balls, Hemming, 2; Gettig, 4. Struck out, Hemming, 5; Gettig, 2. Home runs, Clancy, Three hits, Schall, Sheehan. Sacrifice hits, Kelackey, Schall, Stolen bases, Sheehan, Toohy (2), Clancy, Connoughton, Johnson (2). Left on bases, Rochester, 7; Montreal, 7. Double plays, Connoughton, Sheehan to Clancy; Gettig to Madison. Hit by pitcher, Kelackey, Wild pitches, Gettig. Passed ball, Steelman. Umpire, Kelly. Time, 1:45. Attendance, 735.

Baltimore, Md., Sept. 22.—The Orioles shut out Providence yesterday, scoring five runs themselves. Score:

Baltimore . . . 000004010-5 14 1
Providence . . . 000000000-0 0 1
Batteries—Rutherford, Burchell and Hearne; Amole and Dugan. Umpire, Cauliflower. Attendance, 870.

NATIONAL LEAGUE GAMES.

At Chicago—

Chicago . . . 000000012-3 11 5
New York . . . 400200002-8 12 1

Batteries—Currie and Kling; Mathewson and Warner. Umpire, O'Day. Attendance, 4,800.

At Pittsburgh—

Pittsburgh . . . 200000002-4 7 7
Brooklyn . . . 111000105-9 9 3

Batteries—Wenham and Carish; Jones and Ritter.

Second game—

Pittsburgh . . . 102000-3 6 2
Brooklyn . . . 0003220-7 9 3

Batteries—Moran and Weaver; Thatcher and Jacklitch. Umpire, Emalle. Attendance, 3,580.

At Cincinnati—First game—

Cincinnati . . . 000100100-2 11 6
Philadelphia . . . 200020010-11 12 0

Batteries—Harper and Fohl; Sparks and Rieth.

Second game—

Cincinnati . . . 112603-13 12 8
Philadelphia . . . 000770-14 18 2

Called dark.

Batteries—Ragan and Peltz; Dugley, McFetridge, Doolin and Roth. Umpires, Johnstone and Hurst. Attendance, 2,400.

AMERICAN LEAGUE GAMES.

At Philadelphia—

Detroit . . . 000001000-1 9 1
Philadelphia . . . 000001310-5 13 0

Batteries—Donovan and Buelow; Plank and Schreck. Umpire, Adams. Attendance, 2,993.

At Boston—

Boston . . . 10000200000-4 12 2
Chicago . . . 00030000000-3 7 2

Batteries—Gibson and Farrell; Patterson

and Sullivan. Umpire, O'Loughlin. Attendance, 1,981.

At New York—

New York . . . 000300001-4 8 4
Cleveland . . . 300100301-8 13 0

Batteries—Dunkle and Kitzbridge; Slevens and Abbott. Umpire, Sheridan. Attendance, 3,126.

At Washington—

Washington . . . 310110000-6 10 1
St. Louis . . . 000001012-4 10 2

Batteries—Dunkle and Kitzbridge; Slevens, Wright and Kahoe. Umpire, Connolly. Attendance, 979.

FOOTBALLERS BUSY

Preparing for Coming Season—Intermediate Match on Saturday

ELECTRIC INSTALLATION AT M.A.A.A. GROUNDS IS A SUCCESS.

The new electric installation at the M. A. A. grounds was tried last night and found a great success. Regular nightly practices will be held from this out.

The lamps are swinging in two rows down each side of the field, seven in each row, the fourteen lamps giving ample light on the gridiron. A special reflector has been designed for the lamps, and by means of it excellent results are anticipated. The reflectors were not in place for last night's test, but will be fitted on the lamps as soon as possible. A fine clear light is diffused over the field. It is possible to follow the ball without effort, and there is no trouble to discern objects.

Practices will be held on the lighted field to-night, to-morrow and Thursday nights at 8 o'clock.

THE BRITANNIAS.

The Brits are turning out well and the management feel encouraged. Nearly every old senior player was in uniform yesterday morning, the few absentees will be on hand to-morrow morning. Several new men are out and altogether it looks as if the old blue and white would be a hard team to beat this season.

The intermediates meet their old rivals, Montreal, on Britannia grounds on Saturday in the first match of the season. This is always a good game. As both clubs show considerable strength it ought to prove interesting on this occasion.

The Ottawa Rough Riders will likely drop out of the Ontario Union and play exhibition games with McGill and other college teams. A meeting will be held to-morrow night.

OTTAWA TEAMS

Ottawa, Sept. 22.—Ottawa College had a good practice this afternoon and fine form displayed by the men. The line-up included O'Brien, Shea, Eddie Gleason, MacCredie, Lafleur, Austin, Killen, Jones, Freeland, McDonald, and a number of others, who will likely make good play. Dooner and Harrington, of last year's fifteen, who are now on their way to Montreal, witnessed the play to-day. Joe Gleason and several likely candidates will be out to-morrow. Prospects are good for a winning team.

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SCHEDULE OF GAMES.

The schedule of the senior, intermediate and junior series of the Quebec Rugby Football Union is as follows:

Senior Series.

Oct. 3—Ottawa College at M.A.A.A.
Oct. 3—Britannia at Brockville.
Oct. 10—Brockville at Ottawa College.
Oct. 10—M.A.A.A. at Britannia.
Oct. 17—M.A.A.A. at Brockville.
Oct. 17—Ottawa College at Britannia.
Oct. 24—M.A.A.A. at Ottawa College.
Oct. 24—Brockville at Britannia.
Oct. 31—Brockville at M.A.A.A.
Oct. 31—Britannia at Ottawa College.
Nov. 7—Ottawa College at Brockville.
Nov. 7—Britannia at M.A.A.A.

Intermediate Series.

Sept. 26—M.A.A.A. at Britannia.
Oct. 3—Britannia at Westmount.
Oct. 10—Westmount at M.A.A.A.
Oct. 17—Britannia at M.A.A.A.
Oct. 24—M.A.A.A. at Westmount.
Oct. 31—Britannia at Westmount.
Nov. 7—Ottawa College at Britannia.
Nov. 7—Britannia at M.A.A.A.

Junior Series.

Sept. 26—Britannia at M.A.A.A.
Sept. 26—Grand Trunk at Shamrock.
Sept. 26—Strathcona at Westmount.
Oct. 3—M.A.A.A. at Strathcona.
Oct. 3—Westmount at Shamrock.
Oct. 3—Grand Trunk at Britannia.
Oct. 10—M.A.A.A. at Grand Trunk.
Oct. 10—Britannia at Westmount.
Oct. 10—Shamrock at Strathcona.
Oct. 17—M.A.A.A. at Shamrock.
Oct. 17—Westmount at Grand Trunk.
Oct. 17—Britannia at Strathcona.
Oct. 24—Westmount at M.A.A.A.
Oct. 24—Shamrock at Grand Trunk.
Oct. 24—Strathcona at Grand Trunk.

Winners of above to play home and home games with Quebec Football Club on Nov. 7 and 14, and former to have option of grounds for first game.

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