

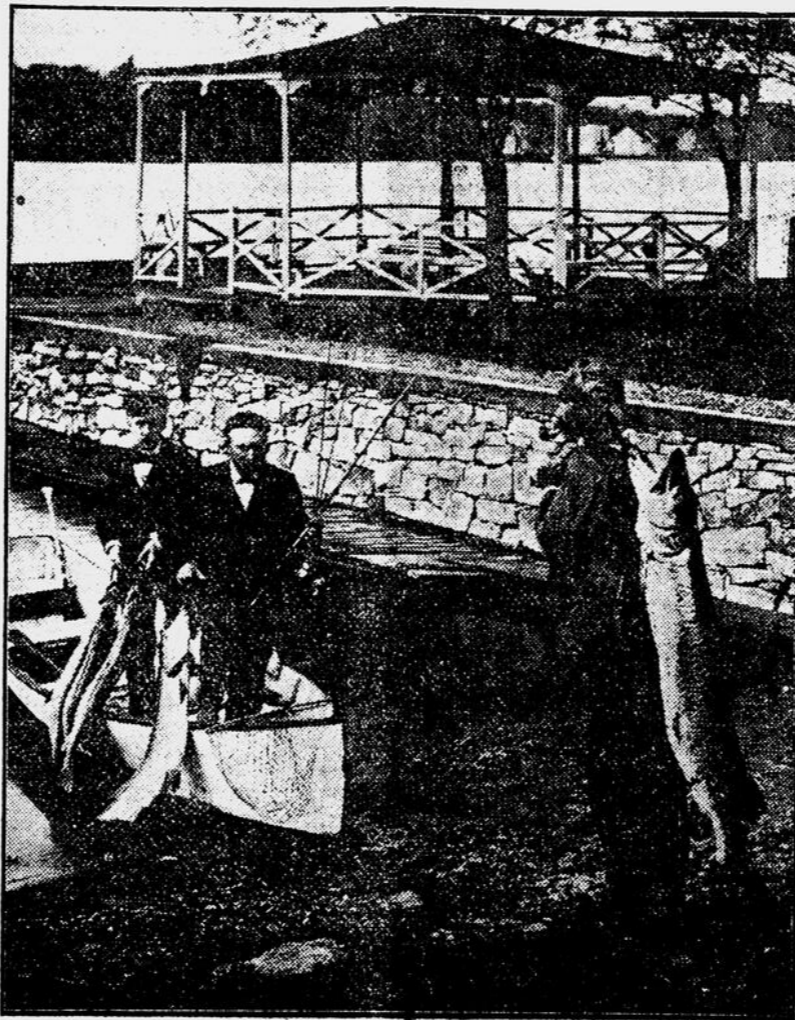
## Local Fish and Fishing.

SINCE the publication on this page, at the beginning of last month, of an article dealing with the opening of the trout fishing season, there have been various requests for another article covering the coarse fishing in the vicinity of Montreal. As the open season for bass has begun this week, and anglers are now free to catch any fish in local waters, with the season for maskinongé not open until July 2—now an opportune time for such an article.

Early summer the finest salmon fishing in the world, and many of the wealthiest men in the United States make an annual pilgrimage thither to take part in the sport.

The superb Laurentian country immediately to the north of Montreal, with its innumerable lakes and creeks, is the home of almost every variety of trout, from the lovely little brook trout to the giant grey trout of the lakes. And all around Montreal the St. Lawrence and Ottawa rivers, with their numerous tributaries, offer some of the finest coarse fishing that anyone could wish for.

Leaving aside the fishing to be had along the harbor front—where the riverside dwellers often get fair catches of pike and other fish—the most popular local fishing waters are undoubtedly those of Lake St. Louis. The fish to be caught there are the black bass, rock bass, pike, perch, and doré. Of these the black bass is undoubtedly the favorite, for once hooked it will put up a



MASKINONGE CAUGHT BY TROLLING AT STE. ANNE DE BELLEVUE.

This striking photograph shows Mr. W. E. Davis, the passenger traffic manager of the Grand Trunk Railway, and Mr. H. G. Elliott, the assistant general passenger agent of the same company, landing at Ste. Anne de Bellevue with a catch of five maskinongé, of a total weight of 118 pounds.

favorite of sporting youth—the sun-fish, or pumpkin-seed, as some call it.

Trolling for pike with a spoon, or still-fishing with a small fish bait, in five or six feet of water, near weeds, provides good sport in various parts of the Chateauguay river and Lake St. Louis. The pike that are usually taken on a line vary from a pound and a half to four or five pounds, but they have been taken up to twenty or even thirty pounds in weight. Their growth is very rapid. When one year old they are from 8 to 10 inches in length; 2 years, 12 to 15; 3 years, 18 to 25.

The doré feeds on the same food as the pike. That is to say, it takes a little of everything, and may therefore be caught with the same baits. Usually, however, the doré takes the bait at the bottom, but it will sometimes rise to the lure in shallow water. In appearance it is much like a large perch, with the same coloring and markings. It also has some resemblance in shape to the pike, and indeed it is often called the pike-perch. In the United States it is called the wall-eyed pike, while the fish that we know as the pike is called the pickerel. Doré usually run from

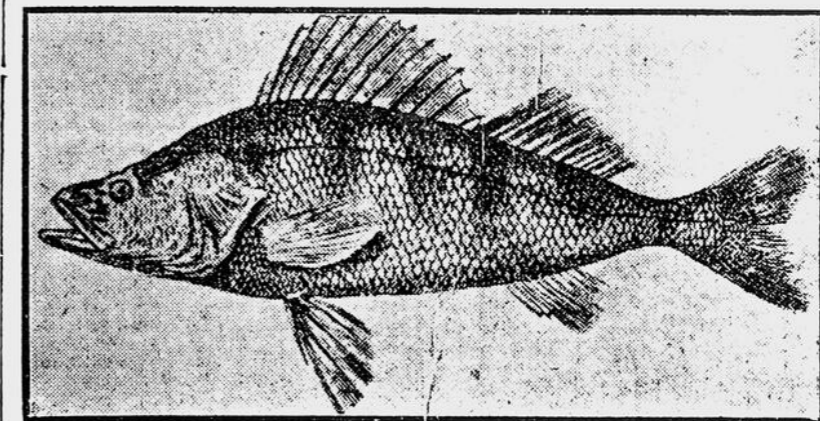
two to six pounds in weight. It has a spinous fin on its back like a perch, and fishermen should be careful not to get their hands pricked with this, as it often causes blood-poisoning. It is an excellent food fish.

There is another kind of fishing to be had in Lake St. Louis that at one time provided most exciting sport, and that is fishing for the great lake sturgeon. This fish formerly abounded in the St. Lawrence, and is even now very far from being extinct in the local waters. It grows to as much as five or six feet long, and 150 pounds in weight. The writer last year saw a fish quite five feet in length jump out of the water on Lake St. Louis, and was told by one of the Caughnawaga Indians that it was a sturgeon. This fish has a long snout, with a small sucking mouth underneath. It is primarily a bottom feeder, but small fishes constitute a not inconsiderable portion of its food.

only one thing which it appears to like better than being caught, and that is for the angler to grasp it anywhere but behind the pectoral fins. These fins, which are each armed with a sharp spine, are held rigidly at right angles. While the angler is locating the hook, which is usually swallowed almost to the tail, the fish, as it slips about in the hands, often manages to run one of these spines into the flesh. Then its happiness is complete, and its broad mouth seems actually to expand in a grin.

Coming back to the subject of fishing grounds, it may be said that maskinongé is not the only fish to be caught at Ste. Anne de Bellevue. Perch, bass, doré and pike are very plentiful there. The Ottawa river, at Vaudreuil, which is close to Ste. Anne de Bellevue, is extremely picturesque, and is a favorite haunt of anglers. The river here is

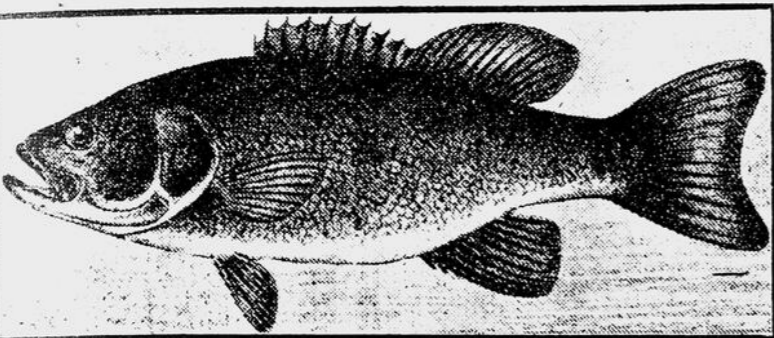
studded with several hundred islands, offering around their shores many choice spots for fishing. At the point where the westerly branch of the Ottawa enters the St. Lawrence, about six miles below Vaudreuil, and about the same distance



THE PERCH, ONE OF THE MOST NUMEROUS OF LOCAL FISHES.

'Dere's some lak dory, an' some lak bass An' plaine dey mus' have trout— An' wite feesh too, dere's quit a few Not satisfy do widout. Very fon' of sucker, some folk is, too, But for me, you can go an' cut

below Ste. Anne's, are the famous Cascade Rapids, in the neighborhood of which many a good string of fish has been taken. A favorite starting point for sportsmen is from the town of St. Johns, distant

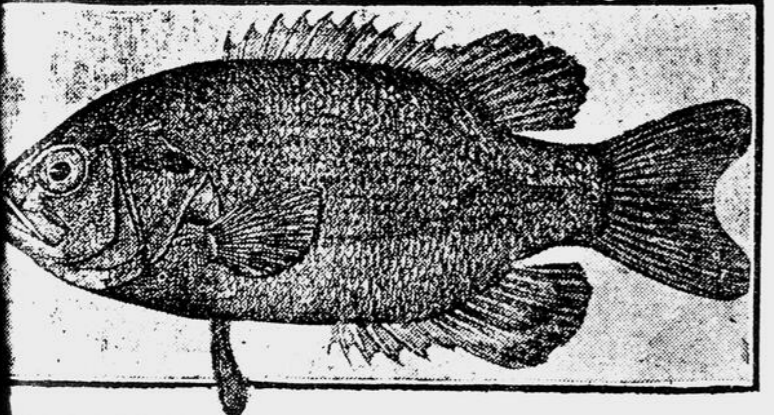


SMALL-MOUTH BLACK BASS, WHICH ABOUNDS IN LOCAL WATERS.

hardly a city on the continent so advantageously situated for fishing enthusiasts as Montreal. It may be found in North America within an hour or two's

fight that for sheer desperate energy is perhaps unequalled by any other fish of its weight—

'Makin' you sweat till you shirt is wet, And sorry you're comin' dere,'



THE ROCK BASS, OLIVE GREEN IN COLOR, WITH BRASSY TINTS.

from the heart of the city, but all the important varieties are so abundant as to attract the region anglers from far

as the late Dr. Drummond says in one of his poems.

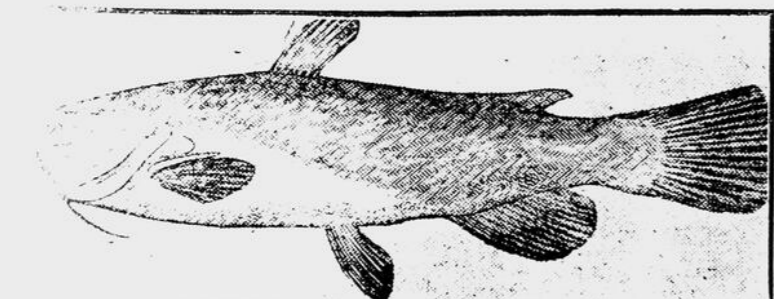


CATCHING OF PIKE.

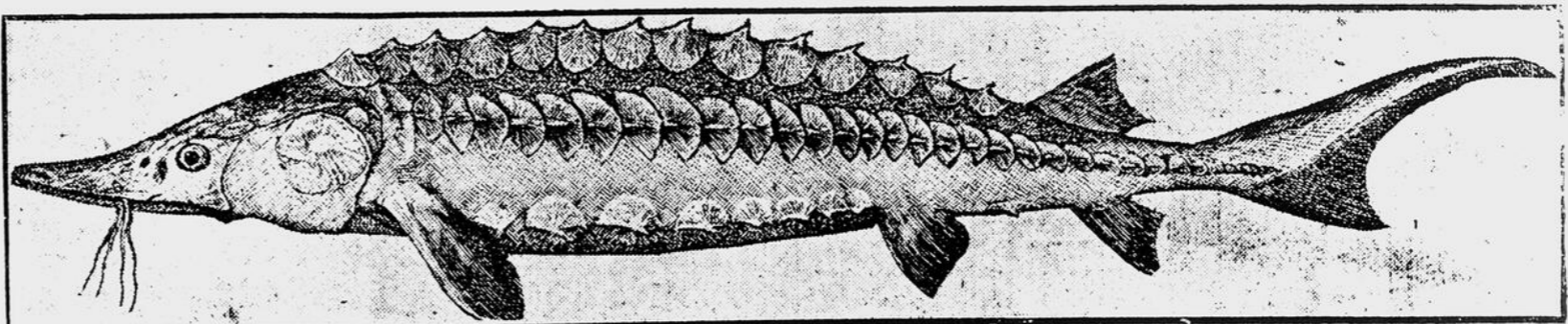
The black bass inhabits the open water along the south shore of the lake, and in particular around the mouth of the Chateauguay river, but many fishermen say that the Chateauguay river itself, above the village, is the best place to find the bass at home. It can be caught by trolling with a spoon or artificial minnow, or with natural minnows, worms, or grasshoppers. It will also take the artificial fly. The bass usually run from three-quarters of a pound up to two or three pounds in weight, and are sometimes four or even five pounds.

The yellow perch is almost always to be found in the neighborhood of bass, and may be taken at times in great quantities with worm or minnow. Isaac Walton used to think a great deal of the perch, and with reason, for it is not only a good pan fish, but in England is a very vigorous fighter. The variety to be found in Canadian waters is more slender, yellow, with dark bars, is utterly lacking in the vim and fight of the English kind. Still, a bit of perch fishing is not to be despised—especially when the bass are not biting.

Swift, clear water over gravel or rock is the place to find the rock bass—a favorite with the youthful sportsman, as it bites well. The rock bass is much smaller than the black variety. It is olive green, with brassy tints, and is sometimes confounded with that other



THE BULL-POUT, OR BARBOTTE.



THE STURGEON, WHICH RUNS FROM 5 TO 150 LBS., IS FOUND AT THE HEAD OF LAKE ST. LOUIS.

fresh water seas. This grand fish is almost exclusively taken with a spoon, or other artificial bait, and from its habit of lurking among or in the immediate vicinity of the weed beds, it is seldom taken in the nets of professional fishermen.

The maskinongé is caught in most parts of the St. Lawrence river, but its favorite habitat seems to be in the vicinity of Ste. Anne de Bellevue, within twenty miles of the city. The maskinongé grounds lying something like seven miles below the village of Ste. Anne's, and within easy access of the latter, are believed to be the very best in Canadian waters. Last year the record fish taken at this place tipped the scales at 57 pounds.

There are two other fish very frequently met with by the local angler, and these are the sucker, which most people can readily recognize, whether they are anglers or not, and the bull-

not roll over on its side and struggle, but lies quite still on its stomach, looking ridiculously contented as it turns its small silvery eyes up at the angler. There is no happiness than to be caught. It does



THE DORÉ, OR PIKE-PERCH.

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Local Fish and Fishing.

(Continued from Page 1.) guides, good boats or canoes, and all requisites necessary for a fishing or hunting expedition can be secured in the town. The principal fish that abound in the waters of the Richelieu are black bass, doré, pike and perch. Twenty-one miles south of St. Johns is Lake Champlain, and the inlet of the Richelieu river. Up the river between St. John, Que., and Rouses Point, N.Y., there is capital perch, pike and doré fishing, but one must go down the river, below St. Johns, for black bass, where good sport can be had in the rapids within a mile of the town. Farther down the Richelieu, at Besset, twenty-one miles from Montreal by rail, the fishing is fair, bass and pickerel being the species that are caught. Very pretty sport is also to be obtained in the Richelieu by angling for a kind of white fish, very much like herrings in appearance, with grasshoppers sunk about three feet below the surface. These fish run from half a pound to a pound and a half.

Other good fishing places are Brome Lake, near Knowlton, famous for its large black bass, and Lake Memphremagog, partly in the Province of Quebec and partly in Vermont, and famous for large grey trout and pike, both of which may be caught by trolling with spoon bait or minnows.

The Back River, at Cartierville, cannot be recommended to the angler. At any rate, the writer's personal experience is that there are precious few fish to be caught there. Fairly good sport is to be had at times, however, farther up the Back River at places like Ahuntsic, and Sault aux Renoult, while good strings of perch, bass or pike are frequently brought back by those who know their way about the waters at the confluence of the rivers at Bout de l'Île. The same holds good in relation to various points all down the St. Lawrence, on both sides as far as Lake St. Peter.

Perhaps the very best coarse fishing to be had anywhere within comparatively easy reach of Montreal, is by taking a trip down to Sorel. Below Sorel Lake St. Peter spreads out into immense shallow areas, the shore line being cut out into natural canals with five or six feet of water in them, and bordered with reeds—ideal places for fish. Conveyances can be hired to drive out to what are locally known as 'Les Chenals,' and the people living in the local houses—which, by the way, are built on stilts, because of the high water at times—are quite ready to act as guides to the fishing grounds. The angler in this district seldom has any one but himself to blame if he does not make a good catch of pike, bass, doré or perch. It may be added that the unattached fisherman usually goes farther down on both sides of the lake, most of the fishing in the vicinity of 'Les Chenals' being done by members of clubs.



TENDERS.

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to The Secretary, Department of Indian Affairs, Ottawa, will be received up to Saturday, the 27th June, for the erection of a frame school-house and a teacher's residence on the Caughnawaga Indian Reserve.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of J. Blain, Indian Agent, 366A St. Denis street, Montreal, and at the house of Constable Martin Two Axes, Village of Caughnawaga.

All tenders should be for each building separately, the lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. The unauthorized insertion of this advertisement in any paper will not be paid for.

J. D. McLEAN, Secretary. Department of Indian Affairs, Ottawa, June 12, 1908.

Resorts—New York.

Advertisement for Adirondacks Hotel Champlain and Cottages on Lake Champlain. Includes details about location, amenities, and contact information for Robert Murray and Port William Henry Hotel.

Advertisement for R. & O. Hotels, featuring Manoir Richelieu and Tadousac Hotel. Includes opening dates and manager information.

Advertisement for Jackson & Co. Carpenters, Builders and Contractors. Lists services and contact information.

Advertisement for Groceries, Provisions, &c. Spring Importations. Lists various goods and prices.

Advertisement for Walter Paul's Spring Importations. Lists various goods and prices.

Advertisement for Summer Resorts. Lists various resort locations and services.

Advertisement for Abenakis Springs. Describes the mineral water and resort amenities.

Advertisement for Mont Tremblant Inn. Describes the hotel and its location.

Advertisement for Gaspe Basin. Describes the resort and its amenities.

Advertisement for Baker's Hotel. Describes the hotel and its location.

Advertisement for Les Cormiers. Describes the resort and its amenities.

Advertisement for Inch Arran House. Describes the hotel and its location.

Advertisement for Laurentian Cottage. Describes the cottage and its location.

Advertisement for The Everett, Old Orchard Beach, Me. Describes the hotel and its location.



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DOMINION LINE FROM MONTREAL. \*DOMINION... July 11, Aug. 15. \*OTTAWA... July 18, Aug. 22. \*KENSINGTON... June 20, July 25, Aug. 29. \*CANADA... June 27, Aug. 1, Sept. 5. \*SOUTHWARK... July 4, Aug. 8, Sept. 12.



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AMERICA'S SCENIC LINE MONTREAL-TORONTO LINE (via 1000 Islands and Rochester, N.Y.), daily except Sundays, at 12 noon. MONTREAL-TORONTO-HAMILTON LINE (via 1000 Islands and Bay of Quinte)—St. Belleville sailing every Friday at 7:00 p.m. Special low rates on this line.

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Going Dates, June 20 to July 1. Return Limit, July 2, 1908. DEDICATION MONUMENT LAVAL AT QUEBEC June 21st to 24th, 1908. \$4.25 for the round trip. Going June 20, 21, 22 and 23. Return limit, June 25th, 1908.



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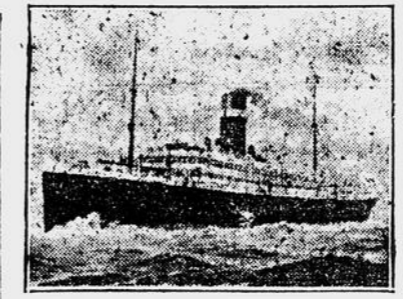
EXCURSION TO CARILLON, \$1.00. Take 8 a.m. G.T.R. train for Lachine Wharf. SHOOT THE RAPIDS, take 5 p.m. train for Lachine Wharf. Tickets at Grand Trunk Station and Windsor Hotel; also Offices 123, 134, 178, 286 St. James street. Head Office, 165 Common street. Tel. Main 1023.

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calling at Charlottetown and Halifax. 'TRINIDAD', 2,000 tons, sails from Quebec 25th July, 8th and 22nd August. BERMUDA. Summer excursions, \$40 and upwards, by the twin screw steamer, '5,500 tons. Sailings from New York fortnightly from 2nd June to 5th October. Temperature, cooled by sea breezes, seldom rises above 80 degrees. The finest trips of the season for health and comfort. ARTHUR AHERN, Secretary, Quebec. For freight, passage and Staterooms, apply to J. G. BROCK & CO., Agents, 211 Commissioners street, city.



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Victorian, June 19... 3:30 a.m. 4:00 p.m. Corsican, June 26... 9:00 a.m. 11:00 p.m. Virginian, July 3... 2:30 a.m. 3:30 p.m. Tunisian, July 10... 4:00 a.m. 7:00 p.m. Victorian, July 17... 3:30 a.m. 3:00 p.m. Corsican, July 24... 4:00 a.m. 2:00 p.m. Midship saloons, Cabine du luxe, spacious promenade decks, electric lights throughout. SALOON, \$77.50 and up. The Turbiners, \$87.50 and up. SECOND-CLASS, Liverpool, Londonderry, \$45.00 and \$47.50, and upwards, according to steamer. THIRD CLASS, Liverpool, London or Belfast, \$27.50 and \$28.75, according to steamer.



CANADIAN PACIFIC ATLANTIC STEAMSHIPS

To LIVERPOOL From June 12—EMPERESS OF BRITAIN... May 23. June 20—LAKE ERIE... June 3. June 26—EMPERESS OF IRELAND... June 12. July 4—LAKE MANITOBA... June 11. July 10—EMPERESS OF BRITAIN... June 25. July 18—LAKE CHAMPLAIN... July 1. July 24—EMPERESS OF IRELAND... July 10. Aug. 1—LAKE ERIE... July 15. Aug. 7—EMPERESS OF BRITAIN... July 24. Aug. 15—LAKE MANITOBA... July 23. Aug. 21—EMPERESS OF IRELAND... Aug. 7. Aug. 29—LAKE CHAMPLAIN... Aug. 12. Sept. 4—EMPERESS OF BRITAIN... Aug. 21. Sept. 12—LAKE ERIE... Aug. 28. Sept. 18—EMPERESS OF IRELAND... Sept. 4. Rates, \$72.50 and upward, Emperesses, \$90.00 and upward. 2nd Cabin—\$42.50 and upward, according to steamer. GEO. McL. BROWN, 3 Board of Trade, General Passenger Agent.

Reford Agencies

DONALDSON LINE TO GLASGOW. SS. SALACIA... June 19. SS. CASSANDRA (cold storage)... June 25. SS. PANTHERIA (cold storage)... July 2. Passenger rates—Second cabin, \$42.50; Steerage, \$26.50 Eastbound, \$27.50 prepaid Westbound. ROTTERDAM SERVICE. SS. KASTALIA... July 18. THOMSON LINE TO LONDON. SS. IGNA, cold storage and coal... June 20. SS. LURONA (cold storage and coal... June 27. SS. DEVONA (cold storage and coal... July 4. LEITH SERVICE. SS. FREMONA... July 1.

Black Diamond Line.

S.S. 'BOVAVISTA' is intended to leave Montreal June 15th P.M. for Charlottetown, P. E. I., Sydney, C. B. and St. Johns, Newfoundland. For accommodation and other particulars phone Main 2155. J. E. COOKSON, General Passenger Agent, Montreal.

PROTESTANT BOARD OF SCHOOL COMMISSIONERS of the CITY OF MONTREAL.

TENDERS FOR BONDS. Tenders addressed to the undersigned, marked on the envelope 'Tender for Bonds,' will be received up to noon of THURSDAY, June 25th, for the purchase of \$45,000 of 4 percent 30 year bonds of the Protestant Board of School Commissioners of the City of Montreal. Further particulars will be given upon application. CHARLES J. BINMORE, Treasurer, High School Building, 197 Peel street, Montreal.

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suitable for wrapping purposes, for sale at the 'Witness' Office, in 15-lb. packages, at \$1 per 100 lbs.

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM. DOMINION DAY. REDUCED FARES.

Quebec... \$4.00 Peterboro'... \$7.85. Sherbrooke... 3.26 Hamilton... 10.65. Ottawa... 3.35 London... 12.95. St. John's... .00 Toronto... 10.00. And all other points in Canada and Return at

SINGLE FIRST CLASS FARE

Going Dates, June 30 to July 1. Return Limit, July 2, 1908. ST. JOHN BAPTIST CELEBRATION, COHOES, NEW YORK. June 22, 24, 1908. From Montreal and return, fare \$2.00. Going dates, June 22, 23. Return limit, June 24.

DEDICATION MONUMENT LAVAL AT QUEBEC

June 21st to 24th, 1908. SINGLE FIRST-CLASS FARE for the round trip. Going p.m. train on June 20th; all trains June 21, 22 and 23. Return limit, June 25th, 1908. SUNDAY TRAIN SERVICE Between MONTREAL, HEMMINGFORD, FORT COVINGTON and intermediate Stations. Commencing Sunday, June 21st, 1908. Leave Montreal at 8:00 a.m. Returning, arrive Montreal 9:00 p.m.

MONTREAL-TORONTO.

Leave Montreal, 9 a.m., 9:45 a.m., 7:02 p.m., 10:39 p.m. daily. MONTREAL-PORTLAND-OLD ORCHARD KENNEBUNKPORT, ME. First sleeping car will leave Montreal at 8:15 p.m. Sunday, June 28. First Parlor Car will leave Montreal at 8 a.m. Monday, June 29. Sleeping car leaving Montreal on Saturday night will run to Kennebunkport only on Sunday morning. Passengers for Kennebunkport will take electric cars at Kennebunk.

NEW ONE WAY FARES

From all Points in Quebec TO WINNIPEG AND THE Canadian Northwest VIA CHICAGO, ST. PAUL AND MINNEAPOLIS. IN EFFECT DAILY FROM JUNE 14th, 1908. FARES FROM MONTREAL.

Table with columns for destination, 1st. Class, and 2nd. Class. Includes Winnipeg, Emerson, Portage la Prairie, Carman, Brandon, Neepawa, Yorktown, Regina, Moose Jaw, Saskatoon, Prince Albert, Battleford, Vermillion, Edmonton, Alta.

IMPORTANT CHANGES IN TIME TABLE

Effective Sunday, June 21st, 1908, week days, except otherwise noted. MONTREAL-ST. HYACINTHE. Train leaving Montreal at 5:35 p.m. will run daily, except Saturday and Sunday. New train will leave Montreal at 4:45 p.m. Saturday only.

MONTREAL-RICHMOND-LEVIS

All Grand Trunk Railway trains will run to and from L.C.R. Station at Levis. MONTREAL-HEMMINGFORD-MASSENA SPRING. Train leaving Montreal at 6:55 a.m. will leave at 6:50 a.m.

MONTREAL-NEW YORK, VIA D & H CO.

Train leaving Montreal at 8:45 a.m. will leave at 7:20 a.m. Train leaving Montreal at 11 a.m. will leave at 10:05 a.m. Train leaving at 7:40 p.m. will leave at 8:25 p.m. daily. New train will leave Montreal at 7 p.m. daily. MONTREAL BOSTON, VIA C V R. Train leaving here at 8:30 p.m. commencing June 25th, will leave at 8:25 p.m. daily. MONTREAL-ST. JOHNS. Commencing July 1st, NEW TRAIN will leave here at 1:10 p.m. Saturday only. Train now leaving Montreal at 1:35 p.m. daily, except Sunday, will leave Montreal 2:25 p.m. daily except Saturday and Sunday. Commencing June 25th, train leaving here at 6:20 p.m. will leave at 5:30 p.m.

MONTREAL-CITTAWA

NEW TRAIN will leave Montreal at 6:07 a.m. Train leaving Montreal at 7:30 p.m. will leave at 8 p.m. daily.

Advertisement for Montreal Levis and other services.

Advertisement for Montreal Bluff Point and other services.

Advertisement for Montreal Alaba and other services.

Advertisement for Montreal New York and other services.

Advertisement for Cheap Week-End and other services.

Advertisement for Canadian Pacific and other services.

Advertisement for Dominion Day and other services.

Advertisement for Desirable Week-End and other services.

Advertisement for Unveiling of Mgr. de Laval Monument at Quebec and other services.

Advertisement for Montreal-Portland-Old Orchard Kennebunkport, Me. and other services.

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ANK STATEMENT FOR MAY COMPARED.

Show Trade of Country Less Than Year Ago, and Now Barely Marking Time.

Comparison of the chartered tonnage according to the official statement, as compared with the corresponding figures for the same month of the year 1907, shows a decrease of 2,000 tons, or 1.5 per cent.

Table with 4 columns: Month, 1907, 1908, and Difference. Rows include Jan, Feb, Mar, Apr, May, and Total.

THE ST. JAMES RECOUNT

BOURASSA GAINED FOUR BALLOTS IN YESTERDAY'S EXAMINATION.

In the St. James election yesterday afternoon, Mr. Bourassa's majority at four in an examination of the day of the returns from the division of which twenty-one ballots were found to be in connection with Mr. Bourassa's name.

WOMEN WIN ACTION.

Appeal rendered judgment in favor of the women in the case of the late Mrs. Henry Morgan & Co., who were claiming a share in the extension of the Union Avenue, and the right to restrain the demolition of a shop, six feet wide, on the west wall of his property.

FABRICATION AFFRAY.

John Doherty was admitted to the St. Andrew's Hospital last night, after a wound in the forehead, caused by a blow from a brick, which was thrown at him by a man named James.

IMPROVED FATAL.

The man who was shot yesterday afternoon, at the St. Andrew's Hospital, is now in a more favorable condition, and it is expected that he will recover.

DETECTED WITH THEFT.

A man who was detected with a gold watch and a diamond ring, was arrested yesterday afternoon, and is now in custody of the police.

NO CONSTABLES TO SPARE

CHIEF CAMPEAU HOPES HE WILL NOT HAVE TO SEND DETACHMENT TO QUEBEC.

Montreal may be asked to send a detachment of police to the Quebec Centenary celebrations, and, if so, Chief Campeau hopes the City Council will refuse the request.

A MARVELLOUS RESCUE

ONE ARMED, LEGLESS CRIPPLE SAVES TWO BOYS FROM DROWNING.

New York, June 20.—The 'World' today says: 'With stumps for legs, a stump for his right arm, and his left hand minus several fingers, Joseph Gilligan, eighteen years of age, swam to the rescue of two boys in a gravel pit pond at Morris Plains, N.J., and saved their lives.'

ASSISTANT PASTOR LEAVES.

The Rev. Geo. D. Armstrong, B.A., who has been assistant pastor at St. James Methodist Church for past two years, has left for his new field of labor at Hudson. A purse of gold, presented to him on Wednesday evening, after the regular midweek service, will help to strengthen his attachment to the congregation, which he has just left.

THE LATE MR. J. H. MAHONEY.

The funeral took place yesterday at St. Patrick's Church and Cote des Neiges Cemetery, of the late Mr. John H. Mahoney, St. Louis street. A requiem service was chanted by the Rev. James P. Killoran, assisted by the Rev. Father O'Reilly as deacon, and the Rev. Father Singleton as sub-deacon.

GOLD MEDALIST.

Miss Dorothy Duff, daughter of Mr. J. M. Duff, is being warmly congratulated upon having won the gold medal offered by His Excellency the Governor-General, with her essay in connection with the Quebec battlefields fund.

JUBILEE SERVICES.

Campbellford, Ont., June 18.—Very impressive jubilee services were held in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church on Sunday last. The Rev. John Hay, of Renfrew, a former pastor, was the preacher for the day, and delivered two inspiring and helpful sermons.

STORM FOLLOWED HEAT

WIND AT ONE O'CLOCK THIS MORNING BLEW TWENTY-SIX MILES AN HOUR.

The hot wave which struck the city yesterday, when the thermometer reached a maximum of 86.4 degrees above zero, was followed by a violent wind and rain storm at midnight, which, however, according to reports this morning, did not do much damage.

CATTLE EMBARGO

ENGLISH MEAT TRADERS WOULD LIKE TO SEE IT REMOVED.

(Canadian Associated Press.) London, June 19.—The meat traders are sending a deputation to the Board of Agriculture to the high prices and the removal of the Canadian embargo, Superintendent Siskman, of the London Central Meat Market, says the shortage is a lesson to the government to remove the embargo from Canadian and Argentine. What is wanted is free competition, he declared.

ONTARIO FRUIT

LABORERS SUFFERED.

Buffalo, N.Y., June 19.—A severe electrical storm, accompanied by a high wind and a heavy rainfall, struck western New York and Central Ontario tonight. Telegraph and telephone lines were torn down and the fruit farms in Orleans and Niagara counties suffered heavily.

PUBLIC ACCOUNTS

COMMITTEE

THE NORTH SHORE TELEGRAPH LINE—DR. REID AND HIS YACHT REPAIRS IN THE GOVERNMENT YARD.

Ottawa, June 19.—In the Public Accounts Committee this morning Mr. J. C. Taché, resident engineer of the Public Works Department, at Chicoutimi, was cross-examined by Mr. Ames, as to the charges made by Mr. Ames to the effect that there had been gross extravagance in the construction of telegraph lines and other public works in Chicoutimi and Saguenay.

MILLS PLEADS GUILTY

VIOLATED SHERMAN ANTI-TRUST ACT—SENTENCE DEFERRED.

New York, June 19.—Counsel representing all but three or four of the paper mills included in the membership of the Fibre and Manila Paper Manufacturers' Association, appeared before Judge Hough in the United States Circuit Court, and pleaded guilty to indictments charging them with violation of the Sherman Anti-Trust Act.

ASIATIC PROBLEM

ORDER-IN-COUNCIL REQUIRES ALL IMMIGRANTS TO HAVE \$200, SAVE CERTAIN EXCEPTIONS.

Ottawa, June 19.—An order-in-council has been passed requiring all Asiatic immigrants to have \$200 in their possession, except in the case of immigrants from those countries with which the government of Canada has made special arrangements, or those concerning whose countries special statutory regulations exist on the part of Canada.

DYNAMITE CAR EXPLODES

TRAIN BLOWN TO PIECES AND TRAMPS KILLED.

Saigent, Col., June 19.—By the explosion of a carload of dynamite near here today, a freight train on the Denver & Rio Grande Railway was blown to pieces. Two tramps were killed and several trainmen were injured, one fatally. A hole forty feet deep was blown in the ground.

JAMES W. MILLIKEN.

New York, June 19.—James W. Milliken, a member of the State Senate of Michigan, was stricken with apoplexy and died on a New York Central train at Poughkeepsie while on the way to this city today. Mr. Milliken was accompanied by his wife. The body was brought to this city and was taken to an undertaker's establishment.

PAN-ANGLICAN CONGRESS

SUBJECT OF CAPITAL AND LABOR DISCUSSED.

(Canadian Associated Press.) London, June 19.—At the Pan-Anglican Congress, in a discussion on capital and labor, under the presidency of the Bishop of Columbia, Mr. N. W. Howles told his hearers how far Canada had gone on the labor question.

RAILWAYS PROMISE

REDUCTIONS

IN ORDER TO DIVERT GRAIN TRAFFIC FROM MONTREAL TO NEW YORK.

New York, June 20.—Representatives of the Trunk Line Association yesterday met deputations from the Produce Exchange and the Chambers of Commerce of Boston, Baltimore and Philadelphia, and heard their complaints against the transportation conditions that have developed as a result of the diversion of the European grain trade through the Great Lakes and the St. Lawrence river.

DOHERTY ACQUITTED

SLAYER OF McMILLAN WAS INNOCENT, SAYS THE JURY.

Summerside, P.E.I., June 19.—The second trial of Alonzo Doherty, who shot and killed Joseph McMillan, who was at the time walking with a young woman on the roadside, ended today with a verdict of not guilty on the ground of insanity. The jury was out two and a half hours. The judge ordered the prisoner to be placed in custody until the pleasure of the Lieutenant-Governor is made known.

FATAL EXPLOSION

A FOREMAN RESPONSIBLE FOR DISASTER.

Scranton, Pa., June 19.—Four unidentified Italians, employed by Burke Bros., contractors on the Lackawanna Railway, cut off at Lehigh, on the Pocono mountains, were killed today by a premature blast. The blast had failed to explode, and the foreman, a resident of Dunmore, near here, instead of using a stick, used an iron rod to see what was wrong.

WOMAN TO BE EXECUTED.

Watertown, N.Y., June 19.—The jury in the Farmer murder case returned a verdict of murder in the first degree after three hours' deliberation today. Justice Rogers sentenced Mrs. Farmer to be executed at Auburn prison during the week beginning Aug. 2.

RECOUNT IN LENNOX.

Kingston, Ont., June 20.—Judge Madden, of Napanee, will conduct a recount on Monday of the ballots cast in the provincial election for the riding of Lennox, by which Mr. T. G. Carscallen, Conservative, was declared elected.

NEWS IN BRIEF

Prominent patriotic societies in Persia are uniting in an appeal to Germany for protection against Turkish invasion.

Judge Pottevin, of Paris, has been suspended from the Bench for three years for allowing Lemoine, the diamond manufacturing swindler, to have his freedom after he was arrested, thus enabling him to escape.

King Leopold's chauffeur has just been fined for upsetting and injuring a bicyclist last fall.

The bans of Madame Anna Gould and Prince Helié de Sagan were published in Paris this morning.

An old Moorish stronghold has been discovered in Serra Daire, Portugal, and immense quantities of gold and silver coin and antique arms studded with precious stones have been brought to light, as well as hundreds of skeletons.

Reporters in the Italian Chamber of Deputies have challenged Deputy Santani to a duel for calling them cowards.

The wrestler, Hackenschmidt, is ill at Aix-la-Chapelle, from paralysis, caused by an operation on his knee.

The storm yesterday did serious damage in Central Ontario and New York State. In Warwick township one farmer was killed by lightning and another while rowing on the Welland River, and fruit trees suffered heavily. In Buffalo trees and buildings were blown down, and one young man had an arm broken and a boy of sixteen had his left arm torn off.

At Morris Plains, N.J., yesterday, a boy of 18 years, who in an accident ten years ago had had both legs cut off, the right arm severed at the elbow, and three fingers of the left hand cut off, swam out into a pond and saved two boys from drowning.

Eighty-five Italian laborers caused considerable trouble to C. P. R. officials at Woodbridge, Ont., yesterday. They had been discharged after refusing to work, and refused to leave the cars in which they had been living, defending themselves with dirks and revolvers. The trouble is said to have been fomented by a strange Italian who recently appeared among them.

A serious explosion occurred in No. 2 mine at Coal Creek, B.C., last night, when three men lost their lives. The killed are: George Neath, aged 45, married; married; George Rudolph, 40, married; and Steve Kooey, 21, Slav. The explosion, which was felt all over Coal Creek, and brought people flocking to the mouth of the mine, occurred in section six at the bottom, the debris at the top stopping the air from going in and causing the gas to quickly accumulate.

Five fires, all believed to be of incendiary origin, occurred in Victoria, B.C., on Thursday night.

British Columbia next fall will supply all her school children with tree school books.

RAILWAY IS RESPONSIBLE.

The Court of Appeal has confirmed the judgment of the Superior Court in a case of Farnor vs. the Great Northern Railway Company, an action to recover the value of a coat and valued lost by the plaintiff Farnor, while he was a passenger on one of the company's trains. The effects were left in a car which was detached from the train while Farnor was in the smoking car. Both courts held the company responsible, and awarded the plaintiff \$250 damages.

In the case of Hill vs. Stevens et al, the Court of Appeal yesterday confirmed the judgment of the Superior Court, granting plaintiff \$300 damages for defendant's failure to deliver 200 cases of dried apples to him, and which were contracted for delivery at the close of navigation in the fall of 1907.

In a case of Rutenberg et al vs the Dominion Express Company, the plaintiff, sued to recover the value of a trunk shipped from Brantford to Winnipeg, which was never delivered. The Superior Court maintained the action for \$200.75, full amount of the claim, but the Court of Appeal yesterday modified that judgment, and limited the company's responsibility to \$50.

FINE WITH LOCAL THUNDERSTORMS

Toronto, June 20.—Lake and Georgian Bay—Moderate to fresh westerly winds, fair and very warm.

Ottawa and Upper St. Lawrence—Moderate westerly winds, fair and very warm, but some local thunderstorms.

Of all the winds that come and go, I'd rather be a south breeze low. Must thou come forth to do thy part, Yes, in love's tropic, sunny bowers, Must catch the spirit of the flowers, And then wherever thou shalt go, Some flower shall bud, some blossom grow.

—LUCIA BELL COOK.

10-12 Notre Dame Street East, Montreal, June 20, 1908.—Readings by Heaton & Harrison.—Barometer, 30.00; Thermometer, 29.94; 11 a.m. to-day, 29.83.

Table with 4 columns: Day, Temperature, Wind, and Remarks. Rows include Yesterday, To-day, and To-morrow.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS.

Notice of Births, marriages and deaths must invariably be endorsed with the name and address of the sender, or otherwise no notice can be taken of them. Birth notices are inserted for 10c, marriage notices for 10c, death notices for 10c per line. The announcement of funerals is inserted for 10c per line. Other notices are inserted for 10c per line. Notices of 10c per line per word extra, except poetry, which is 10c per line extra—prepaid. Annual subscribers may have announcements of births, marriages and deaths without extended ordinary or special covering in their immediate families free of charge, in which case name and address of subscribers should be given.

BIRTHINGHAM — In Kingston, Ont., on June 16, 1908, to Mr. and Mrs. Warren Birmingham, 27 Union street, a daughter.

BROWN — ANGUS — At St. Mark's Church, Montreal, on June 5, 1908, by the Rev. G. F. Kinnear, B.A., Agnes Angus to John Brown, both residents of Montreal.

CURRAN — PATTON — At Arundel, Que., on June 11, at the residence of the Thomas Graham, brother-in-law of the bride, by the Rev. J. B. Sincennes, Mr. Edgar Curran, of Corey Hill, Que., to Miss Emma Patton, of Arundel.

DE MILLE — BARKER — On June 17, 1908, at St. Paul's Church, St. John, N.B., by the Rev. E. Bertram Hooper, rector, Alban Bertram de Mille, son of the late James de Mille, of Halifax, to Agnes Madeline Shuttleworth, daughter of the Hon. G. E. Barker, Chief Justice of New Brunswick.

FRASER — HAMMOND — At Montreal, on June 17, 1908, by the Rev. C. A. Bowen, assisted by the Rev. R. Denham, Robert Charles Fraser, son of Frank Fraser, and Bertha Elizabeth Hammond, both residents of Montreal, Que.

MORROW — BLONG — On June 17, 1908, at the residence of the bride's mother, Kensington avenue, Eglinton, Ont., by the Rev. W. G. Black, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, Mr. Alfred D. Morrow to Miss Mollie McLaughlin Blong, daughter of Mrs. Margaret Blong and the late Edward Blong, of Toronto.

MODE — GRIER — On June 18, 1908, at the residence of the bride's parents, Ormstown, by the Rev. D. W. Morrison, D.D., George Drummond Mode to Annie Jane Cairns, only daughter of Mr. Wm. Grier.

SEELEY — ROSE — On Wednesday, June 19, 1908, at the residence of the bride's parents, Denbigh, Ont., by the Rev. Hugh McLean, Joseph Seeley, of Matawatschan, Ont., to Ethel Florence Rose, daughter of Mr. Melbourne Rose, of Denbigh, Ont.

THOMSON — ROSE — On June 17, 1908, at St. Stephen's Church, Toronto, by the Rev. J. A. Broughall, Florence Louise, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roger H. Rose, to William Herbert, son of Lieut.-Colonel and Mrs. John T. Thomson, of Toronto.

DIED.

ALLAN — In this city, on June 19, 1908, Euphemia Stenhouse, beloved wife of John Allan, in her 78th year. Funeral from her late residence, 57 Mayor street, on Monday, 22nd inst., at 2:30 p.m.

BLACK — At St. Sauveur des Monts, on Tuesday, June 16, 1908, James Pierce Black, son of the late Rev. John Black, Ireland, and brother of John P. Black, Montreal. Funeral on Wednesday, the 17th, on arrival of the 11 a.m. train, C.P.R., Place Vicer Station.

DOULL — At 101 Workman street, on June 18, 1908, Ann Jane Johnston, aged 75 years, a native of County Fermanagh, Ireland, wife of James Doull. Funeral private. Kindly omit flowers.

De VEBER — On June 18, 1908, at 137 Leinster street, St. John, N.B., J. S. Boies De Veber, in the 79th year of his age.

TAYLOR — On Friday, June 19, 1908, Clara (Clare) Snadell Taylor, aged 13 years and 3 months, beloved and only daughter of David and Lily Taylor, and granddaughter of John Gould Snadell. Funeral service at Christ Church Cathedral at 3 p.m., 29th inst.

Those sending notices for the above column may send with them a list of names of interested friends together with a correct stamp for each address, and marked copies of the "Witness" containing the notice will be promptly mailed. For addresses in foreign countries there will be required. Notices received too late for this page may possibly be in time for page 5.

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DEATH OF MR. GEORGE OLDS WAS FORMERLY TRAFFIC MANAGER OF THE C. P. R.

Mr. George Olds, formerly general traffic manager of the Canadian Pacific Railway, passed away at his residence, 740 Sherbrooke street west, yesterday. Born at Stapleton, Gloucestershire, in 1832, Mr. Olds was educated in his native country. He came to Canada in 1854, and entered the service of the Great Western Railway. Three years later he joined the Buffalo & Lake Huron Railway, becoming general freight agent in that line in 1861. Subsequently he joined the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railway, and remained with it for sixteen years, during which he, for some time, filled the position of general freight and passenger agent. He then took up a similar office with the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway, and this he held until 1882. In 1886 he became general traffic manager of the Canadian Pacific, a post which he filled with faithfulness and ability until Dec. 31, 1895, when, at his own request, he was released from active service.

Since then he has passed a retired life, enjoying the well-merited rest to which his arduous duties had entitled him. He was one of the older and well-known members of the Board of Trade, having joined that body in 1887, and continued to belong to it up to the time of his demise.

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GARDEN TALKS

This department is conducted by Mrs. Annie L. Jack, Chateaugay, Basin, something full grown, and a silver sheen till night is gone. 'Who plants a tree for fruit or shade, In orchard fair, or verdant slop, Who plants a tree, a trust has made With future years, in faith and hope.

'Far reaching upward, lo! the tree, Shall catch the light of early dawn, And moonlight, on its crest shall be, A silver sheen till night is gone.' It is a sign of the uplift of the age that so many people of all grades and conditions are interested in tree planting, or otherwise adding a bit of greenery to their surroundings.

But amid the hurry of this world's work and play, the spirit of haste has entered even into the garden, and the demand is for something that will grow. No pleasure is experienced in watching the development of leaf and stem, of bud and blossom, the average demand is for immediate effect. Arbor Day, now an institution of national importance, was the grand scheme thought by one man in Nebraska, and shows the far-reaching effects of a noble spirit and influence.

The value of the work is beyond estimation, only future generations can tell of the wide philanthropy. The story is told of the little son of this national tree enthusiast, who, when five years old, was found by his mother, after anxious searching, digging behind the barn, where he had set out a tiny seedling apple tree, a small cottonwood and a little elm tree.

When called, he said to his mother: 'I'm too busy to talk; I'm planting an orchard.' The trees still live, though the child died before manhood, the cottonwood is a giant, and the graceful elm sways in the breeze, while the apple tree bears year after year its small, sweet fruit. Ah! there are many sacred memories that live in trees, and whisper of love and immortality. Let the children plant their flowers and shrubs and trees, and learn the lessons of patient waiting and fulfillment that is needed in every life.

'Nature, the old nurse took, The child upon her knees, Saying, 'Here is a story-book Thy Father hath written for thee, Come wander with me,' she said, Into regions yet untrod; And read what is oft unread, In the manuscript of God.'

THE ROSES OF TO-DAY. Several correspondents send questions regarding roses, and just now it seems as if they have the first claim on our affections, though it seems a rough and thorny way to success when we see the array of enemies with which to contend—the aphid, rose slug, leaf hopper, and many others. But, for the love of roses we would make a valiant fight against many foes.

Some one asks which is the oldest variety of our, or any other day? and it is doubtless the Province or Cabbage Rose (Rosa Centifolia), so-called from the great number of its petals. This was probably the favorite rose of the Romans, and was introduced into England in the fifteenth century. Opening its cut-leaved blossoms is the York and Lancaster rose, and the long sprays of cinnamon roses have passed their best blooming.

Some of the old hybrid perpetuals are grand roses, and cannot be surpassed. Of these, Ulrich Brunner is still one of the finest, rich, red, velvety roses that can be found, and for a pink beauty nothing will surpass 'Mrs. John Laing.' Fragrant with roses is the summer air; it is the sweetest and most loved of the darlings of the year, and with it none can compare.

The Syrians held it as an emblem of immortality, while in ancient Egypt it was a token of peace. Poets have been inspired by it in all ages and climates, and praised it in many languages, for it has played an important part in the history of the world. So they are opening for us, the pink and the crimson and white, ever dear and sweet, as they mark the passing hours.

FOR A BACKGROUND, E.R.—For a background along a fence why not plant Delphiniums for blue, Golden Glow for yellow, and Bellonia for a cloud of white flowers. Double Hollyhocks are useful, but do not continue in the ground like the perennials mentioned, that are effective and continuous in flowering. If Dahlias are wanted the tall growing and richer ground to bring to growth and bloom. The best plants are the hardy perennials for this purpose.

TREATMENT OF CYCLAMEN. Florist.—Pot your bulbs in small pots, using leaf mold and sharp sand mixed with the loam. Give drainage at bottom, and set the pot or bulb so that two-thirds of it is above the soil. During the summer the pots should be plunged to the rim in earth, with coal ashes below to keep out worms. Water if the weather is dry, and in September take up and change into pots one size larger.

Keep as cool as possible, as they do not agree with much fire heat, but should have the morning sun. If the leaves are dipped in water twice a week it will help to keep down red spider, that often troubles them.

THE HIBISCUS. Helen D.—The reason the Hibiscus drops its buds is probably poor drainage, as it will cause the trouble. The 'Biscuit' plant, as I have heard it called, is a very easy plant to grow, but cannot be left out of doors late in the season, as it is very easily injured by frost. Its great value in this climate is as a pot shrub, the glossy leaves and showy flowers thrive well in a window if given plenty of sunshine.

Take up the plant in autumn and give the same treatment as the Oleander, it will even do very well if kept in the cellar all winter. A BED OF TEA ROSES. Emily asks if it is worth while buying small tea roses to make a bed for the summer's flowers. It is really worth while if there is a little extra care given to their culture, but it is necessary that the soil be rich and well pulverized and not too shaded by trees.

Plant each rose a little deeper than it has been growing, spread out the roots naturally—sift over them fine soil until an inch deep, and give water until the soil settles. Set so far apart as to allow for a free circulation of air and sunshine and protect from wind for a few days. Spray with soap suds to keep off insects, and cut buds with long sprays, which will be all the pruning necessary.

A QUESTION. Flower Lover saw last year some plants of Pyrethrum that bore flowers in September after they had given the usual summer crop, and asks the reason of the double flowering. The secret no doubt is that the plants were cut down directly after flowering, and a new growth started in the buds, thus giving two crops in the same season. To ensure this the land must be well

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cribed about the plants to give the root sufficient nourishment. GROWING WATERCRESS. Mr. McM.—I have no ideas as to the profit of growing watercress, but think the demand must be limited. It will grow on the bank of a ditch of clear cold water, but stagnant water does not agree with it. The plant is a hardy perennial, aquatic in its nature, but will grow on moist land as well as in running water. In fact there is a healthy spreading plant in a rose box among my house plants, that gives a taste of its pungent and peculiar flavor now and then, and is a pleasant ingredient in a salad. It grows readily from seed, and soon learns to take care of itself. SIZE OF POT. Miss M.—Your plant is doubtless suffering from over-potting, as well as from becoming pot-bound. Keep a plant in a pot until its roots form a network about the ball of earth, then shift into one of two larger, but not more. If the roots are not spread out to fill the plant does not require a larger pot, and it is not well to disturb it. A small plant in a large pot will soon have vegetable dyspepsia, because it will not be able to assimilate the nutriment in the soil. PROPAGATING AZALEAS. Mrs. C.—It is much cheaper to import plants of Azalea than to raise them, the florists tell us, but it can be done in early spring from cuttings of new growth or half ripened wood. Let them be about two and a half inches long—remove the lower leaves, and insert the cuttings into sand in a shallow pan. Be sure the drainage is perfect by placing bits of broken pot in the bottom of the pot. Plant firmly, cover with glass in the daytime, but uncover at night and syringe every day to keep off insects. After two weeks the glass may be left off, and at the end of six weeks they should be rooted and ready for potting. But it is not an easy matter for an amateur to propagate azaleas, so that it is hardly fair to encourage you in the attempt. The soil must be of sand and leaf mold and no trace of lime must ever be allowed near the roots. KEROSENE EMULSION. Amateur.—The formula for the above has been often given in these columns, and is very simple. Take one ounce of pounds of soap, one gallon soft boiling water, two gallons of kerosene. Dissolve the soap in the water, add the kerosene and churn for ten minutes. Dilute about twenty times before using, according to

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“ 8.50 “ “ 6.25
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Weekly Calendar

DOMINION SQUARE METHODIST CHURCH.

SUNDAY, June 21st. Rev. C. E. BLAND, B.A., will preach at 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m.

Solos by Miss BERTHA FERUGSON and Mr. MURRAY BROOKS.

ZION CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Corner Manoe and Milton Streets.

Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

Preacher—Rev. JOHN W. SCHOFIELD, Ph.D., of Toronto. A WELCOME FOR ALL.

Rev. J. H. MACVICAR, B.A., of Fergus.

—WILL PREACH— SUNDAY, June 21st, MORNING AND EVENING.

CRESCENT STREET PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH,

Corner Dorchester and Crescent.

ST. JAMES METHODIST CHURCH

REV. W. R. YOUNG, B.A., D.D., Pastor. REV. N. D. DREW, Church Secretary. Service at 11 a.m. Subject: 'MARCHING ORDERS.' Service at 7 p.m. Subject: 'A NAMELESS PROPHET, and his Message.'

POINT ST. CHARLES CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

REV. J. B. SILCOX will preach 7.00 o'clock service. 195 Congregation street, Point St. Charles.

MONTREAL

HIGHLAND CADET CORPS BENEFIT

Musical and Military Entertainment

MONUMENT NATIONAL THEATRE

Friday Evening, June 26th, 8.15 o'clock.

PRICES: 25c, 50c, 75c, \$1, \$2. ALL SEATS RESERVED.

A Special Feature of the Military Entertainment will be a Squad Drill in Manual Exercises of 1870, and in uniform of that time.

ST. MATTHEW'S and VERDUN SUNDAY SCHOOLS

PICNIC SATURDAY, JUNE 27th, 1908.

HIGHGATE SPRINGS

ADULTS 75c. CHILDREN 40c. Train leaves Bonaventure 9.00 a.m. & 1.30 p.m. Point St. Charles 9.10 a.m. & 1.40 p.m.

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A Thousand Laughs in as Many Seconds

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SUNDAY, JUNE 21.

MEN'S OWN

In CALVARY CHURCH - CUY STREET. SUNDAY, June 21st, 3 p.m. Speaker—Mr. W. G. TAYLOR. Soloist—Mr. R. C. PENNINGTON. ALL MEN MADE WELCOME.

ART ASSOCIATION

Phillips Square Galleries of Oil Paintings, Water Colours and Statuary. Open Daily Admission 25c.

CANADIAN ELECTRICAL ASSOCIATION.

Toronto, June 19.—The Canadian Electrical Association has elected officers for the ensuing year as follows:—President, W. N. RYERSON, general superintendent Ontario Power Company, Niagara Falls, Ont.; first vice-president, R. M. WILSON, Montreal; second vice-president, P. S. GOTTIE, Chatham; secretary, Mrs. T. S. YOUNG, Toronto. Managing committee, Messrs. R. G. BLACK, Toronto; A. A. DON, Ottawa; G. F. REESOR, Lindsay; Chas. B. HUNT, London; J. J. WRIGHT, Toronto; W. WILLIAMS, Sarnia; J. O. FISK, Peterborough; J. W. PUNDELL, Walkerville; W. A. PETERSON, Niagara Falls; R. S. KELSCH, Montreal.

MAILS FOR GREAT BRITAIN, EUROPE, & CLOSE AT MONTREAL.

June. \*20 1.00 p.m. Kensington, Dominion. 22 9.30 a.m. Kaiser Wilhelm III. N.G. Lloyd. \*22 6.00 p.m. Supplementary. 23 9.30 a.m. Mauritania, Cunard. \*23 6.00 p.m. Supplementary. 24 9.30 a.m. Deutschland, Ham. Amer. 26 9.30 a.m. Carmania, Cunard. \*26 6.00 p.m. Supplementary. \*26 6.00 p.m. Empress of Ireland, Can. Pacific. \*27 1.00 p.m. Canada, Dominion. \*Letters may be posted up to 6.00 p.m.; other matter should be posted before 5.00 p.m. Registered before 5.00 p.m. \*Parcels (per Parcel Post) are forwarded by the Canadian steamer, the last time of mailing at Head Office being 5.30 p.m. on Fridays and 12.30 p.m. on Saturdays. Letters for the above mails may be posted at Postal Stations 'B' and 'C' up to within 15 minutes of the above mentioned hours of closing.

ACCOMMODATION ASSURED FOR THE QUEBEC TRICENTENARY CELEBRATION

According to press despatches, the new 100 room Lake St. Joseph Hotel in the Laurentian Mountains, a few miles outside of Quebec, has re-opened under New York management. In order to give as many people as possible an opportunity to visit the Tercentenary, and at the same time become acquainted with the beauties of the Laurentian route between Montreal and Quebec, and the attractions of Lake St. Joseph, with its up-to-date summer hotel, 3 day \$10.00 excursions will be run daily between Montreal and Quebec during the Tercentenary, which include meals and lodgings at Lake St. Joseph as well as a round trip over the Canadian Northern Quebec Railway. For reservations, booklets, etc., apply early to the City Ticket Office, C.N.Q. Ry., Imperial Bank Building, Victoria Square, Montreal.

SPORTING NEWS

ROYALS STILL LOSING

BALTIMORE MADE THREE RUNS IN EIGHTH INNING AND WON GAME.

Baltimore, Ind., June 19.—The Royals still, in a losing vein, fell before Baltimore by one run. The Montreal team led all the way from the second inning until Baltimore scoring three in the eighth won the game.

Score: BALTIMORE. AB. R. H. PO. A. E. O'Hara, 1.f. ... 3 1 1 2 0 0 Casey, 2.b. ... 2 0 1 0 2 0 0 Dunn, 2.b. ... 2 0 0 2 0 0 0 ...

Summary—Two-base hits, O'Hara; sacrifice hits, Casey, Louden, Dunn; stolen bases, Strang, Demitt; double plays, Dunn to Knight; O'Neil to Evans; Hall to Dunn to Hunter; bases on balls, off Dessau, 2; off Tift, 5; struck out, by Dessau, 1; by Tift, 2; left on bases, Baltimore, 2. Time, 2:15. Attendance, 1,200. Umpire Moran.

EASTERN LEAGUE RESULTS.

Buffalo, 4; Jersey City, 2. Providence, 13; Toronto, 1. Rochester, 3; Newark, 2.

EASTERN LEAGUE STANDING.

Buffalo ... 23 18 592 Baltimore ... 25 20 396 Toronto ... 23 19 548 Providence ... 23 22 511 ...

AMERICAN LEAGUE RESULTS.

Chicago 6; Boston 4; St. Louis 4; New York 0; Detroit-Washington 2; Philadelphia games stopped on account of rain.

NATIONAL LEAGUE RESULTS.

Cincinnati 5; Philadelphia 0; Boston 8; St. Louis 6; New York 3; Chicago 3; Brooklyn 3; Chicago 3; Pittsburgh, Cincinnati, New York, Philadelphia, Boston, St. Louis, Brooklyn.

BLUE BONNETS

Again the Montreal Jockey Club's meeting was favored with perfect weather, and those who journey to Bluebonnets yesterday afternoon say a day's racing which was marked by good fields and close finishes.

The feature arranged for yesterday was a hunters' flat, gentlemen to ride, and contrary to what often happens to features, it was the best race on the card. The winner turned up in Mr. Wray's Midas, ridden by the owner's son. Five horses went to the post, with Mr. Wright riding Stalker. Dr. McEachran's Brick Top, with Mr. Kerr up, made the early pace, but fell back and was caught in a jam in the home stretch, and never got up again. Kumschaw, who had followed the pace closely all the way, was in front when the last pole was reached, and the race seemed his, when Mr. Wray suddenly brought Midas around on the outside and electrified the crowd by gaining on the leaders at every stride, working up to second place, and then nipping victory from Kumschaw by a head at the wire. Stalker finished with the leaders, a head behind Kumschaw, with Brick Top a length and a half behind, and Red Monk last.

(Summary.) First race—five furlongs.—1, Takahira, 114, Shilling; 2, Ragman, 104, T. Koerner; 3, Havre, 112, Murphy. Also ran, Tony W, Pearl Point, Ceremonius, High Hat. Second race—1 1/8 mile.—1, Goldway, 107, Shilling; 2, Debar, 107, Moreland; 3, Almandine, 97, T. Koerner. Also ran St. Lario, Alitia. Third race—1 1/8 mile.—Midas, 152, Mr. Wray; 2, Kumschaw, 160, Mr. Higginson; 3, Stalker, 160, Mr. Wright. Also ran, Brick Top, Red Monk. Fourth race—1 1/8 mile.—1, King Cole, 111, Englander; 2, Lyndhurst, 110, McCahay; 3, Cursus, 115, Murphy. Also ran Autumn King, St. Clair, Graitton, Harmony. Fifth race—six furlongs.—1, Montbert, 100, McCahay; 2, Adrian, 100, T. Koerner; 3, La Jeunesse, 102, Swain. Also ran, Gold Heart, Princess Jewel, Wm. H. Lyon. Sixth race—4 1/2 furlongs.—1, Lilly Pad, 97, McCahay; 2, Thistle Belle, 82, Francis; 3, Col. Zeb, 108, Shilling. Also ran, Al Busch, Catherine Cardwell, London, Miss Shannon, Southern Bride, Mardella, Fairy Sprite.

MORE HALIFAX CREWS

Halifax, N.S., June 20.—Two more Halifax four-oared crews, North West Arm's and North Star's, and another sculler, Duggan, leave this afternoon to compete in the Olympic rowing trials at St. Catharines, Ont., next week. They go by the Intercolonial. Mr. J. C. Lithgow, Olympic representative in Nova Scotia, goes with them.

NOTES AND NOTICES.

Farmers' Excursion to the Fertile Lake St. John Region.—On Tuesday, July 7th, 1908, leaving by the Canadian Northern Quebec Railway, 8.45 a.m., for Roberval, 30-day return tickets; first class, \$7.15; second class, \$4.80. (Excursions also August 11th, September 15th to 29th.) An opportunity to visit the vast north country at very low rates.

LAWN TENNIS.

QUEBEC INTERMEDIATE LEAGUE CONSISTS OF FIVE CLUBS, ALL WITH GOOD TEAMS.

The schedule for the intermediate league of the Province of Quebec Lawn Tennis Association was drawn up at a meeting held for that purpose on Thursday evening. Five clubs have entered this season, and all have good teams. It was decided that all matches must be played on or before the scheduled dates and the returns sent in to the secretary of the association, Mr. A. C. Dunlop, after each match, to avoid the possibilities of error later.

The complete schedule is as follows: June 20—Y.M.C.A. at Mount Royal. June 20—St. Lambert at McGill. June 27—Pastime at Y. M. C. A. June 27—Mt. Royal at St. Lambert. July 4—St. Lambert at Pastime. July 4—Mount Royal at McGill. July 11—Pastime at Mount Royal. July 11—McGill at Y. M. C. A. July 18—Y. M. C. A. at St. Lambert. July 25—St. Lambert at Mount Royal. July 25—McGill at Pastime. Aug. 1—McGill at St. Lambert. Aug. 8—St. Lambert at Y. M. C. A. Aug. 8—Pastime at McGill. Aug. 15—Mount Royal at Y. M. C. A. Aug. 22—McGill at Mount Royal. Aug. 22—Y. M. C. A. at Pastime. Aug. 29—Y. M. C. A. at McGill. Aug. 29—Mount Royal at Pastime.

OBTAIN THEIR REVENGE

WESTMOUNT BOWLERS SECURE DEFEAT OVER VICTORY ON M.A.A.A. ON THE LATTER'S GREENS LAST EVENING.

Westmount took their revenge on the M.A.A.A. bowlers last night for the previously scored defeat and won in a five-rink match on the green of the latter by sixty shots.

The home team was beaten with one exception, by large majorities, this exception being in the case of Skip James Wilson, of the M.A.A.A., who held his opponent, A. W. D. Howell, to a tangle point win. Skips D. M. Wilson and W. E. Findlay had a battle royal on green No. 1, now one and now the other getting the lead, but a five, a couple of ends before the last pin the Westmount representative ahead, and added by a six-end on the last, he beat his opponent by 27 to 7.

Skip Geo. Corneil, of the M.A.A.A., suffered the heaviest defeat, going under to Skip Wray's bowler's rink by 29 to 9 in a game of which the feature was the display of the Westmount skip.

Fred. Fowler, skipping a Westmount rink on the poorest of the M.A.A.A. greens, found it a difficult matter to hold his opponent, Williamson, in the first half of their match, but when the members of the Westmount rink became accustomed to the run of the green, the score on the Westmount side of the scoring board rapidly mounted up, and at the finish read 29 to 17.

Following were the rinks: Westmount. M.A.A.A. F. H. Scott W. V. Taylor S. F. Rutherford A. H. Evans H. E. Skelting J. H. Lindsay D. M. Wilson W. E. Findlay (Skip)—27 W. W. Pope A. J. Ayer S. A. McMurtry J. H. Henderson James Bailie I. B. Tytler W. Brown W. E. Corneil (Skip)—17 A. E. Christmas H. Fisher P. H. Gardner C. Lockerby W. S. Wilson W. H. J. Hughes J. W. Brown R. B. Thompson (Skip)—24 L. A. Whittet W. G. Robertson Harry Rees J. F. Alexander w Fred. Fowler Alex. Williamson (Skip)—29 W. Abbott J. F. Scriber H. Mason T. McElchison A. H. Gardner J. F. McLaren A. W. D. Howell James Wilson (Skip)—17 Total..... 129 Total..... 60 Majority in favor of Westmount, 60 shots.

MATCHES AT MOUNT ROYAL

PRESIDENT'S CUP. G. B. Wickes, beat H. P. Douglas by default. G. W. Grier, beat A. C. Dunlop 3-6, 6-2, 6-1. T. W. Holland beat W. W. Craig, Jr., 6-4, 6-4. R. B. Drew beat A. R. Chipman, 6-4, 8-6. R. B. Hingston beat I. D. Bell 3-6, 8-6, 9-7. A. J. Veyssey beat F. D. Sutherland 6-0, 6-1. H. P. Barnara beat P. Garneau 2-6, 6-2, 6-3. H. P. Barnara beat R. P. Jellett 6-0, 6-4. A. S. Cassils beat J. D. McCulloch 6-1, 6-2. R. G. McAvity beat E. Cope 6-1, 6-3.

CLUB HANDICAP. T. W. Holland owes 34 1/2, beat F. B. Larkin, plus 15, 6-3, 6-2. G. B. Wickes, ser., beat J. M. Miller, ser., 6-2, 6-3. H. M. Suckling owes 30, beat Sutherland plus 3 1/2 30, 6-4, 6-1. A. J. Veyssey, ser., beat G. R. Coghlin, plus 3 1/2 30, 6-0, 6-8, 6-1. A. G. McAvity, plus 1/2 15, beat Dr. D. F. Gurd, plus 30, 6-2, 6-3. R. B. Kingstone, plus 15, beat W. J. Joseph, plus 30, by default.

LADIES' HANDICAP. Vice-President's Prize. Miss E. Clay owes 30, beat Miss N. Tippet, default. Miss L. Brodie, ser., beat Miss Archibald, plus 1/2 15, 6-4, 7-5. Miss Hutchinson owes 15, beat Miss C. Clay, plus 1/2 15, 10-8, 6-4. Miss Hague owes 30, beat Miss F. Hanson, plus 1/2 30, 6-3, 6-1. Mrs. Hale owes 15, beat Miss King, plus 1/2 15, 6-1, 5-7, 6-3. Miss C. Dunlop, ser., beat Miss V. Walker, plus 1/2 15, 6-4, 6-2. Miss C. Dunlop, ser., beat Mrs. Cape, plus 1/2 30, 6-2, 6-4. Miss C. Dunlop, ser., beat Miss Walker, default. Miss K. Walker, plus 15, beat Miss Starnes, plus 1/2 30, 6-3, 6-1. Miss L. Hanson, plus 1/2 15, beat Miss A. Peacock, ser., 6-0, 6-0. Miss E. Clay owes 30, beat Miss L. Brodie, sr., 4-6, 6-3, 6-4.

LACROSSE.

Shamrock and National Meet in Championship Match at Mile End this Afternoon.

Everything points to a great match this afternoon at Mile End, when Shamrock and National cross sticks. Both teams express confidence in the outcome of the match, and spectators are certain of seeing a hard match. Neither side can afford to lose another championship game without gravely jeopardizing their chance of winning the first place, and it only for this reason the game is certain to be very keenly contested.

It is not likely there will be any change in the line-up of the teams from that published yesterday. It has been practically decided that young Hyland will be on the Shamrock team in place of George Roberts, who is suffering from a sprained ankle. He is stout of foot, and a clever stick handler. Those who have seen him at practice expect him to make good in senior company.

The Montreal team left last night for Toronto, where they meet the Teumseh's today on the island oval. There were quite a few admirers of the team at Windsor station to wish the warriors of the winged wheel good luck in their struggle with the Indians. The team will be the same as that which won from the Shamrocks last Saturday, and after downing the champions it is not too much to expect them to win from the Teumseh's, even if they are playing a few hundred miles away from home.

The Montreal defence is stronger than the Indians' defence, and fifth hole and home end of the team could hold their own with Charlie Quenne and his braves, they should be able to land a victory.

ROYAL ST. LAWRENCE YACHT CLUB

On the occasion of the race for the Rear Commodore's Cup, to be sailed on the Club course at Dorval, on Saturday, June 20, there will be a club tea at the club house, at which members and their friends are cordially invited to be present. The dinner on the entertainment programme for that evening has been cancelled.

The club dinner postponed from May 20, will take place on the following Saturday, June 27, at which the commodore of several sister clubs will be present, and prominent yachtsmen from the United States. There will be an illumination of the club house and grounds and the yacht anchored in the harbor. A special car has been arranged for from the Park & Island Railway to take members back to town after the dinner. The price of tickets has been fixed at \$3, to be had of members of the committee. Uniform—Civilian or club evening dress, or club service dress.

The year book for 1908 has been published, containing the constitution and by-laws, sailing regulations, membership roll, quadron list, together with copies of its admiralty warrant, colors, and regulations, and may be had on application to the secretary, P.O. box 1083. Price 25c.

GALT HORSE SHOW

Galt, Ont., June 19.—The second day of Galt horse show was marked by extraordinary features both as to attendance and events. The largest crowd ever assembled on Dikeon Park witnessed the exhibition, and the programme embraced much that was new and exciting. There were visitors from Montreal, Ottawa, Toronto, Hamilton and London, New York, Philadelphia, Boston and Buffalo were also represented. Among guests of the association were Senator Beith, Senator Gimson, Mr. Crossen, of Cobourg, and Colonel Dickey, of Ottawa. The last-named, who is commissioned by the Ottawa Government to investigate the resources of the province, as a recruit territory for the British cavalry, expressed himself as amazed at the splendid animal show, and declared he had never believed that the province had reached so high a position in horse-breeding as was witnessed in the entries at Galt Horse Show.

The only drawback during the whole day's proceedings was the rain which developed into a fierce thunderstorm which broke just as the last event on the programme was called. A sensation at the day was the 7 feet 6 inch jump of The Wasp, owned by Chas. and Murray, Toronto. The awards were as follows: Single heavy draughts—First, Sir Thomas, Dominion Transport Company, Toronto; second, 'Charlie,' Dominion Transport Company, Toronto; third, Sandy, Brecht's Leather Company, Berlin. Light, Bob, Chas. Larter, Galt.

Saddle and harness horses—First, Jas. M. Cox, Toronto, fourth, 'Columbia,' Mrs. Cox, Toronto; third, 'Jeddy,' Idea, A. Yeager, Simcoe; fourth, 'My Prince,' Pepper, entry. Mare or gelding, not previously receiving a first prize—First, Lady Brillant, Dr. Young, Toronto; second, Lady Warwick, Ennisclair Stables, Toronto; third, 'Miss Whitney,' A. C. Bain, Hamilton; fourth, Maid of Wayne, T. A. Cox, Brechtford.

Fair, wares or geldings—First, 'Phebe' and 'Mary Vincent,' Mrs. K. L. Wilks, Galt; second, Helen General and 'Clara Leyburn,' Miss K. L. Wilks, Galt; third, 'Betty' and 'Felicia,' C. R. Young, London; fourth, 'King Bob' and 'King George,' John Watson, Listowel. Horses over 150—First, Lord Myrick, Ennisclair Stables, Toronto; second, Lord Bonnie Blair, E. L. Wilks, Galt; fourth, 'All Ablaze,' Miss K. L. Wilks, Galt. Ladies' saddle horses—First, B. P. Mine, Mrs. H. Cox, Toronto; second, 'Columbine,' Mrs. H. Cox, Toronto; third, 'My Surprise,' Miss A. Pepper, Toronto; fourth, Belle of Wellesley, Miss V. C. Quickfall, Wellesley.

Roadsters, pace First, 'Stivy T,' Mrs. K. L. Wilks, Galt; second, 'Bertha Belle,' Jack Davey, Berlin; third, 'Nellie Brady,' F. T. Seagram, Waterloo; fourth, 'Queenie Sphinx,' E. G. Getty, Galt. Hunters, open to all—First, Glenwood, Crow and Murray, Toronto; second, 'Foxglove,' J. Milne, Toronto; third, 'Georgina,' Crow and Murray, Toronto; fourth, 'Lady Sarah,' A. Rogers, Toronto. Harness tandems—First, 'Crelphion' and 'Brighton,' Geo. Pepper, Toronto; second, 'Woe Myrick' and 'Lord Ennie,' Ennisclair Stables, Toronto; third, stable of A. Yeager, Simcoe; fourth, stable of Crow and Murray, Toronto.

Three-year-old filly or gelding, shown to best—First, 'Galt,' W. Peckering, Galt; second, 'George Wilks,' Geo. Stevens, Galt; third, 'Goldstein,' W. Hunter, Galt; fourth, 'Axtland D.,' James Clary, Galt.

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Only as a matter of knowing the most ultra fashionable summer dress that it will be well worth your while to walk a few miles to see the display we have arranged for to-night.

BOAS AND RUFFS

In the summer time? Yes. Hasn't it occurred to you that the nights are up in the mountains, away in the country, in other places where you'll spend your summer?

Besides many of these boas and ruffs are much below half their price. A lot of samles worth \$5.50, \$6.50, \$7, \$7.50, \$8, \$9, \$10 and \$12, offered on Monday at each..... \$4.95

TOWELS, QUILTS, SHEETS.

Prices Made Special for Monday

We went thoroughly into our stock of staples bent on finding out what appeared to us to be among the things you would require to take away to the country with you. We did so, and we marked them at these special prices:

- Towels for children, ladies and gentlemen. No. 1, 20 x 40, worth .20 for.....15 No. 2, 22 x 46, worth .35 for.....25 No. 3, 22 x 50, all linen, worth .50 for.....35 American crochet quilts, full bed size and very fine quality, worth \$1.00, offered on Monday at each.....\$1.69 Bed sheets, good quality, free from dressing, special each.....69 Pillow cotton, extra fine quality and free from dressing, special each.....14

The Perfection of JUNE WHITEWEAR

These Corset Covers Especially.



A Corset Cover of Fine Nainsook, loose fitting, yoke nicely hemstitched and embroidered in dainty patterns, neck and arms finished with fine Val lace and threaded with washing silk ribbon. JUNE PRICE.....85

The perfect freshness of it all—the tasteful final touches—the distinctive neatness of the stitching—the nicety of taste with which its made—and more important still the most determined moderation of its price—all these are features of the lovely June white wear we have just brought down from our own factory—features especially of these corset covers we are offering on Monday.

A Corset Cover of Fine Nainsook, trimmed with two insertions of Val lace and 6 loops of lace insertion in the front, each loop hemstitched daintily, neck and arms trimmed to match. JUNE PRICE.....55

A SALE OF VEILINGS

Those .35, .40, .50, .60, .65 and .75 Values, MONDAY.....25

Parisian imported veilings they are, in plain, spotted and those handsome Russian mesh effects. Fully 1200 yards are involved, in lovely tones of brown, blue, pale blue, green, mauve and mixed colors, in chic combinations—black and white veils, of course. They are those identical styles you may have seen on our counters these days marked at .35, .40, .50, .60, .65 and .75, offered on Monday, at per yard.....25

AN OFFER OF HIGH CLASS RIBBONS

\$3.00 quality for per yard \$1.95—that's the full significance of it. Exclusive rich brocade duchesse ribbon, of American design, 9/8 inches wide, extra heavy and fine, made for elegant sashes, opera bags and girdles, in sky blue clear pink and white.

A Great Sale of Wash Goods

English Imported Muslins.

.10, 18, .20 and .25 Qualities, } .10

On Monday, we place on sale 3500 yards of fine English muslins, such as the daintiest summer girl might love to robe in—muslins patterned over, overchecked and figured in beautiful color schemes.

On white foundations, the delicate tones of sky blue, pink, mauve, Nile green, fawn and navy, are all introduced in most effective blending.

They come to us direct from England, where they were made, which means they're among the best in the world. The regular selling prices are .18, .20 and .25.

The price Monday, per yard.....10

Just think of it—a shirtwaist suit of the muslin you can see in the window for about \$1.00.

Excellent Summer Hosiery

Besides the lovely fine quality of all this ladies' summer hose, there is the price of it—little more than half its value, in some cases.

This is what we offer Monday:

- Ladies' silk plaited hose, white, sky, pink, also gauze lisle thread hose, black, white, sky and grey; lines that were .85. Monday.....69 Ladies' fine gauze lisle with garter top and double sole, white, black and sky; were \$1.00. Monday.....69 Ladies' finest gauze lisle, the thinnest and finest quality imported, garter top, spliced heels and toes, white and black. Were \$1.25. Monday.....69

BLACK SILK GLOVES

There are those who require a good strong silk glove of wrist length, and for them we have a goodly assortment of sizes in black, to which we invite your attention on Monday—they are frame or seamless styles. With them we shall offer a line of extra heavy Milanese silk gloves the 2 dome fastener kind. Both lines, each pair.....\$1.25

WOOD PULP SITUATION.

Issued by United States Census Bureau.

WOOD FROM CANADA NEAR TWENTY-FIVE PERCENT GREATER THAN IN 1906.

June 18.—A preliminary report of the consumption of pulpwood in the United States for the year 1907 has been issued by the Census Bureau in cooperation with the United States Forest Service.

The report shows that the consumption of pulpwood in the United States for the year 1907 was 1,144,000 cords, or 25 per cent greater than in 1906. The increase was due to the fact that the consumption of pulpwood in the United States for the year 1907 was 1,144,000 cords, or 25 per cent greater than in 1906.

CANADIANS IN LONDON.

The following Canadian visitors registered their names at the Canadian High Commissioners Office, 17 Victoria Street, London, during the week ending June 18.—Robinson Pirie, Toronto; Miss May M. Miller; the Rev. Canon Tucker, Toronto; A. T. Matthews, Montreal; L. Mrs. and Miss Hockin, Dalton, Ont.; S. Munroe, London, Ont.; Misses M. A. and L. Hazen, St. John; P. A. Powers, Fort Erie; W. H. Laurie, Montreal; L. G. Hunt, Halifax; A. C. Mrs. and T. T. C. Skelton, Brandon; Mrs. C. J. R. and Miss E. Stirling; I. J. H. and Mrs. Burgess, Montreal; Dr. G. A. and Mrs. Black, St. John; A. T. Drummond, Toronto; Prof. L. A. Herdt, Montreal; Archbishop of Rupert's Land and Miss Matheson, Winnipeg; J. C. and Mrs. Forbes, Montreal; Miss M. Wright, Ottawa; Mrs. E. Miss, and A. B. D. Sullivan, Toronto; Mrs. H. Heigham, Ottawa; Mrs. and Miss McLaughlin, Toronto; J. B. Campbell, Toronto; R. C. Le Vesconte, Toronto; Stanley McKeown Brown, Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. Downes; Miss E. H. Jarvis, St. John; Miss C. Sturdie, St. John; G. H. and Mrs. Stilmer, Toronto; the Rev. Mr. Robbins and Miss Robbins; Miss M. E. Grenfell, Ottawa; the Rev. G. A. and Mrs. Keating, St. John; D. Noble, Petrolia; Mrs. D. Kiehl, Montreal; Dr. A. and Mrs. (term) Main, Montreal; N. Thompson, Vancouver; G. and Mrs. McKerron, Halifax; Miss Dennistoun, Peterborough; Mrs. Devlin, Peterborough; Maggie L. Graham, Toronto; Agnes L. Simpson, Toronto; E. H. Ward Ross, Ottawa; D. M. and the Misses Browning, St. John's, Nfld.; T. B. Browning, Mrs. and the Misses Finley, Montreal; H. Meredith, Brandon, Man.; J. R. Wainwright, Owen Sound; Mrs. P. and Mrs.

HELPS M.S.R. EMPLOYEES

STREET RAILWAY BENEFIT SOCIETY HAS DONE CREDITABLE SERVICE.

The fifth annual meeting of the Montreal Street Railway Benefit Association was held on Thursday evening at the Cote street depot. A large number of the officials and employees were present.

Before the president, Mr. W. G. Ross, read his annual report, he congratulated the committee of management on the able manner in which they had performed their duty during the past year. Mr. Ross then gave a summary of the relief work that had been done. The number of members who had been treated for sickness or injury were 549. The number of visits made by physicians to disabled members, 1,114; consultations given by physicians to disabled members, 6,828; prescriptions issued, 5,661; amount paid for sickness and injury, \$7,321.30; for medicine \$1,707.78; for pensions, \$161; for death and burial insurance, \$4,791.68.

The committee of management acknowledged the special Christmas donation of \$3,000 from the Montreal Street Railway Company, which made the total contributions received from the company \$14,463.00. This, and other fees received from the members, and other investments, amounts to \$37,335.63. The expenses were \$21,767.91, leaving a surplus of \$15,567.72 on hand.

ROYAL TEMPLARS.

Mr. G. E. Minns, organizer for the Dominion Council, Royal Templars of Penitence, is in the city and will address a public meeting in the interest of temperance, in the Congregation Church, Point St. Charles, next Thursday evening, under the auspices of the District Council. The visit of Orient Council to Metropolitan Council in the A.O.U.W. building, corner of Sherbrooke street and Park avenue was numerous attended, and the proceedings were of an entertaining character.

QUEBEC'S TRICENTENARY.

Two Issues of the 'Canadian Pictorial' Will be Devoted to it.

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Next month all roads will lead to Quebec. By land and by water, from eastern Canada, from western Canada, from Great Britain, from the United States, from King Edward's domains beyond the seas, thousands will flock to the far-famed Gibraltar of the North American continent. Quebec—the Ancient Capital of Lower Canada—is always an interesting place to visit but its natural advantages, next month will only be incidental.

The great attraction will be the series of pageants arranged to celebrate the Tricentenary of the founding of Quebec by Samuel de Champlain—pageants which Mr. Frank Lascelles, who has had charge of all the great pageants of England for years, says will eclipse in grandeur and realism anything yet attempted on either continent. The British Crown will be represented by His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, who will be attended by a brilliant suite and an escort of battle-ships emblematic of the might of Britain's sea-power. Our own Canadian forces will represent the Empire's land-power and French and United States vessels will ride at anchor side by side with the British men of war in the sheltered harbor of Quebec.

WILLIAM HAMILTON YOUNG.

Chicago, June 19.—William Hamilton Young, manager of the Washington office of the Western Union Telegraph Company, and familiarly known to newspapermen throughout the country as 'Colonel Ham' Young, died to-day at the home of his son, F. M. Young, in this city. He came here on duty connected with the Republican National convention, and was taken ill yesterday at the Coliseum. Mr. Young was one of the oldest telegraph operators in America, and was the retiring president of the Old Time Telegraphers' Association. He entered the telegraph service in 1850, and during the Civil War served in the War Department.

THE 'TEMPORARY' RINK

OPponents of ST. CATHERINE STREET ERECTION MAY APPEAL TO THE COURTS.

The people who are opposed to the erection of the elevated skating rink on St. Catherine street, opposite Western square, do not intend to make a mere passive resistance, and therefore legal advice is being sought as to whether they can appeal to the courts to prohibit the erection of the rink for the following submitted reasons: (1) That it is a contravention of the by-law which forbids the erection of any building with a wooden front on St. Catherine street; (2) that it will be a serious risk from fire; and (3) that it will depreciate the value of the surrounding property and constitute a standing menace to the safety of the inhabitants of the adjacent houses.

The reply of the civic officials to the first objection is the now familiar assertion that the rink is a 'temporary building,' and, as such, does not come within the provisions of the by-law. The opposition does not take this submission seriously, and argues against it. The building inspector, however, maintains that it is not a matter for argument at all. For him, it is a matter of fact that this is a temporary building. The building by-laws do not contain a definition of a temporary building, but Mr. Chausse's definition is: 'A temporary building is one whose plans and specifications provide that it shall be taken down within ten years.' A permanent structure must have a stone foundation.

Regarding the fire risks, Mr. Chausse says that there will be no danger in this respect, because the rink will be an open building, and, moreover, there will be no fire in it. 'Before they start the rink,' added Mr. Chausse, 'the management must obtain a license, and before that is issued I shall take care to measure myself, that every possible precaution has been taken against danger from fire.'

PROSTRATED BY HEAT

MAN BECAME DELIRIOUS IN HOSPITAL AND WAS REMOVED TO PADDED CELL.

An unknown man of Roumanian nationality fell a victim to the heat last night in a crowded labor bureau at 39 Craig street east. The man was conveyed to the Notre Dame Hospital, but when he recovered consciousness he turned delirious, and it became necessary to remove him to a padded cell at the central police station. Readers of the 'Witness' removing to the seaside or country during the summer months can have the 'Daily Witness' each day of publication, by mail, at twenty-five cents per month. Great Britain and the United States included. To include the 'Illustrated Witness' ten cents additional per month.



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### FIRES IN VICTORIA

#### INCENDIARISM BY SOME UNKNOWN MISCREANTS.

Victoria, B.C., June 19.—As the climax to a series of fires, the work of some unknown persons, the paper and box-making factory and plant of T. N. Hibben & Co., occupying the top of a three-story building on Government street, was destroyed by fire this morning. The damage is about \$75,000, mostly covered by insurance.

The incendiary began his work last night, when a fire was discovered with in a few yards of the Hibben building, papers and inflammable material being piled in an old box at the rear of a wooden frame building on Bastion street. This was quickly extinguished with a chemical, and an hour later a fire was discovered, similarly, in the rear part of a brick office building scarcely ten yards away. The next blaze was at Weiler Bros. furniture factory and dry kiln on Humboldt street, the kiln being destroyed. This was also believed to be a fire of incendiary origin. Then, at 4:55, the firemen were called to the Metropolitan office block on Government street, where the incendiary had built up some inflammable material and fired it on the main floor near the back door, entrance being effected by breaking a glass panel in the door. This was discovered and quickly extinguished.

The Hibben building suffered most, the top floor being entirely destroyed, and the offices on the second floor and stores on government street, including the tobacco store of E. A. Morris & Co., Indian Curio Store of F. M. Landberg, and cutlery store of Fox Bros., suffered considerably by flooding, most

### THE LOWER ST. LAWRENCE

The following booked berths on the Intercolonial Railway trains which left Montreal last evening for the country resorts—

Matapedia.—Geo. Dewitt and H. De. forest, New York; W. De F. Haynes, C. W. Volman and party, H. M. Stanley, F. Mershon, R. V. Hutchins and party, F. G. Bourne.

Bic.—J. Torrance and family.

Rimouski.—Colonel O. Fiset, Senator Fiset.

Cacouna.—A. T. Patterson and party, A. D. Durnford and family, H. W. Ham and family, Mrs. F. E. Meredith and family.

Little Metis.—H. J. Hague and family, C. B. Esdaile and family, H. B. Young and family, J. McDonald and family, Mrs. (Dr.) Von Eberts and family, Mrs. F. Stevenson and family, H. B. Mussen and family, R. Macfarlane and family, H. E. Smith and family, A. G. Ross and family, Miss Howard and party, W. L. Dyer, Shirley Ogilvy and family.

Riviere du Loup.—J. W. Woods and family, J. Lewis and family.

Murray Bay.—H. Budden and family, Mrs. Van Dusen and party, E. Bowditch, A. H. Campbell and party.

### ICE COMPANY INDICTMENTS.

New York, June 19.—Five indictments were handed to Justice Goff in the Supreme Court to-day by the special grand jury which has been investigating the American Ice Company. Several bench warrants were issued, but no names were made public.

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### THE HIGHLAND CADETS.

The Highland Cadet Battalion's engagements for next week are: Monday, recruits and special concert class, Wednesday, (battalion drill, uniform, grey caps, serges and kilts; bugle band to attend; parade at 8 p.m. sharp.

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TAYLOR JUNIOR C. E. SOCIETY.  
The closing meeting of the season of Taylor Juniors was held yesterday, a large number of members being present. Mrs. T. J. Dawson, president of the Local Union, gave an address on the 'Evils of cigarettes.' The financial report showed a satisfactory year's work. Attendance prizes were presented by Mrs. Dawson, also a gold C. E. pin to the organist.  
The annual picnic was held last Saturday.

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### COLLISION AT POINT ST. CHARLES

TRAIN CRASHED INTO FREIGHT CARS.

Some of the passengers came into town by the street cars and the rest of them were brought to Bonaventure station by a special train.

The Boston train is due at the Wellington street subway about 8:30 p.m. Castleman, the driver, in charge of engine 418, expected to have a clear line and was accordingly coming from Victoria bridge at a good rate. Just then a yard engine backing up half a dozen freight cars was let in on the main line near the subway. When the engineer of the passenger train saw the obstruction in front he applied the air brake, but it was too late to prevent a collision. The impact was severe enough to derail two of the freight cars and smash them into kindling wood.

The passengers were very much excited for a time, but it was soon realized that no serious damage had been done.

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### CEDAR AVENUE LAND

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QUEBEC TRICENTENARY.

Great Crowds Expected—International Naval Review.

Quebec, June 19.—To accommodate some of the great host of visitors expected at the tricentenary celebration a committee of the best known and most public-spirited citizens of Quebec has founded the Tented City on the site of the historic battlefield. The tents already provided will furnish comfortable hotel accommodation for 3,500 people at reasonable prices.

The tents are of three sizes. Prices for single beds range from \$1.50 to \$2 per day, with reductions when a whole tent is taken.

Three dining tents, with a seating capacity of 1,500 at once, will serve good meals at 50 cents apiece, and in another place meals will be supplied to the public generally as well as to guests of the Tented City at 25 cents.

There are five huge lavatory tents, with excellent drainage and equipped with the most modern sanitary appliances, a lavatory tent being provided for ladies in grounds quite separate from the main camp. The Tented City will have ample police protection day and night. Personal effects can be checked and a safe for depositing valuables is provided. Applications for accommodation to be received should be made without delay to Mr. W. S. Wiggs, vice-president of the Tented City Company, Quebec. Application forms and programme sent on request. The site for the Tented City is the best possible for the occasion—on nearly the highest ground in Quebec.

An erroneous impression has gone abroad in regard to the eight different scenes of the pageant, as evidenced by the fact that the authorities at Quebec are in receipt of inquiries asking on which days the different scenes are to be presented. The answer sent out in every case is that all the scenes are performed each day that the pageant is given.

Mr. Lascelles has commenced the rehearsal of the different scenes on the Plains of Abraham, and the rush of would-be performers is such that a waiting list has been opened for some of the scenes. In view of the Laval celebration of next week and the tricentenary fetes a month later, the entire city has taken on the appearance of a huge painting and decorating establishment.

London, June 19.—Ten officers and 120 men of the Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve will sail with the Prince of Wales for Quebec.

Ottawa, June 20.—The Dominion Central Committee of the Quebec Battlefields Association, has started local organizations for the purpose of collecting money to further the nationalization of the battlefields in about two hundred of the more important towns in the Dominion, from the Atlantic to the Pacific within the past four weeks. Reports received show that the work of collection has already been actively begun in these centres. The Canadian Clubs in the West are carrying on an aggressive campaign, and similar organizations in New York, Boston, Pittsburg, and other points in the United States are doing their utmost to further the movement. A special appeal has been issued to the Mayors throughout the Province of Quebec. A circular letter has been sent today to the local secretaries stating that it has been decided to ask that all sums collected should be sent to Mr. J. M. Courtney, C.M.G., Honorary Treasurer, National Battlefields Commission, Ottawa, not later than the first week of July next, so that the total amount subscribed throughout the Dominion may then be ascertained.

I.O.F. RATES

NEW SCHEDULE ONLY AFFECTS MEMBERS WHO JOINED PRIOR TO 1899.

Toronto, June 19.—At four o'clock this afternoon it seemed as if the Supreme Court of the Independent Order of Foresters would not be able to settle the rates problem for several days yet, to say nothing of a discussion regarding the general expenses of the order. Matters took a peculiar turn, however, and at ten o'clock tonight a decision had been reached with reference to rates, and the salaries of the Supreme Court officers had been adjusted. The new rates will only affect the 110,000 members who joined prior to 1899, while the finding of the court was in the nature of that compromise of the two original propositions most favored. The new scale varies from amounts of twenty-five cents a month higher than the old rate which these members have been paying. It was described tonight as a combination of permanency and expediency. There are provisions by which these old members do not need to pay the increases. One of these entails the loosening of the value of the policies they carry, while in another instance they may borrow the difference in the monthly payments from the funds of the order and they will be charged four per cent for such sums. In the end these sums will come out of their policies.

PERJURER FINED \$300.

Carlo Spagnoli, who at the March term of the King's Bench was found guilty of perjury, was sentenced to a fine of \$300, and twenty-four hours' imprisonment by Mr. Justice Laverge, yesterday afternoon. The offence was committed while giving evidence in connection with the hearing of one of a series of actions instituted in the Superior Court against the prisoner by Gualtari Bros., for alleged breach of contract.

GERMAN NAVAL SCANDAL

FRAUDS COMMITTED AT KIEL AND WILHELMSHAVEN.

Berlin, June 19.—The German press, which a year ago was so caustic in its remarks about the French naval scandals at Toulon, now has cause to remember the adage concerning the throwing of stones by persons who dwell in glass houses. A scandalous state of affairs similar to that existing at the French naval port has just been unearthed at the Imperial dockyards of Kiel and Wilhelmshaven by a Berlin detective, who noticed that Berlin merchants were in the habit of selling rope, paints, and lubricants considerably below the market price.

The plan of operations was for those inside the dockyards to pass out cartons of stores which were scheduled for the use of definite ships. These were immediately sent to Berlin and sold to merchants. In one day goods valued at \$10,000 were abstracted. Among those arrested was one storehouse director, who had been in the service fifty-two years and who, although constantly blackmailed, had acquired a fortune. Another was a scrap-iron merchant, who used to buy used stores wholesale from the yards and always received about twice as much as he was charged. The Berlin police confiscated at his place \$150,000 of merchandise belonging to the government.

THE OBLIGING STRANGER

HOW A POINTE CLAIRE MOTORIST LOST HIS AUTOMOBILE.

A man in Pointe Claire has lost his automobile in rather a peculiar way. One day a stranger to the village saw the owner of the car scrutinizing it pretty closely and he came to the conclusion that it wanted repairing. Without more ado he gave the owner his card and stated that he would repair the automobile for \$20.

Being assured that the automobile required a machinist's attention the owner parted with his car to the stranger. Unfortunately for the Pointe Claire man he lost the smart tradesman's card and at present he is in a dilemma as to where his car is really gone. However, he has not given up hope that the automobile will return, although a visit be paid to the police of Montreal, proved disconcerting, as they informed him that there were a hundred motor repair shops in Montreal, and that it would be extremely difficult to find his automobile.

NEW GERMAN CHURCH

CORNER STONE WILL BE LAID TOMORROW AFTERNOON.

Tomorrow afternoon at three o'clock the interesting ceremony of laying the corner-stone of the new German Lutheran Church at the corner of Prince Arthur and Mance streets, will be performed by the Rev. Emil Jestinsky, pastor of the church. The Rev. R. Mossig, of Port Elgin, Ont., will assist and preach the sermon, while



THE REV. E. JESTINSKY.

the Rev. C. Beck, pastor of the English Lutheran Church, will also assist. An invitation has been extended to the Mayor, and the civic authorities are expected to be represented. The German Lutheran Church, in Montreal, which was founded in 1858, stood on the site now occupied by the Labor Temple, in St. Dominique street. Mr. C. Ludwig, Sr., a prominent German of this city, attended the laying of the foundation stone of the old church, and although fifty years have elapsed he hopes to be present when the corner-stone of the new church is put in its place.

Mr. R. Francken, the German consul, will attend the ceremony in his official capacity, while Mr. Edward Schultze, honorary Consul-General for Austria, will also be present. Mr. H. Gutheil, president of the congregation; Mr. Frederick Briegel, and Mr. William Studer, who have for many years been associated with the old church, will also attend the ceremony. Altogether, the laying of the corner-stone should prove an interesting event for the German Lutherans of this city.

BANWELL'S BOND

Toronto, June 19.—The appeal of the London Guarantee & Accident Company against the judgment in favor of the Crown Bank for \$11,000, being the full amount of the guarantee policies of Edward St. George Banwell and F. M. Manssell, has been dismissed and the judgment stands.

MR. SHERMAN'S NOMINATION

VICTORY WAS AN OVERWHELMING ONE.

Chicago, Ill., June 19.—With Congressman James S. Sherman, of New York, chosen as vice-presidential candidate and running mate of Secretary Taft, the Republican National convention of 1908 passed into history today. The final session lasted less than two hours, adjournment sine die being taken at 11.47 a.m. The committees to notify the candidates were officially promulgated, Senator Wm. Warner, of Missouri, past commander-in-chief of the Grand Army of the Republic, being selected to head the delegation that will call upon Secretary Taft, and Senator J. C. Burrows, of Michigan, being placed at the head of the committee to notify Mr. Sherman.

Before the convention assembled this morning it was practically certain that the vice-presidency would go to Mr. Sherman. A large number of states had endorsed his candidacy in caucus, and it spread like wildfire. The New York delegation solidly stood back of Mr. Sherman, and when the voting began there was a rush of delegates to fall into line, victory being assured to the New York representative long before the roll had been half completed. Speaker Cannon appeared unexpectedly upon the floor of the convention, and by unanimous consent was granted the privilege of making the second speech for Mr. Sherman, who had been placed in nomination by Mr. Timothy L. Woodruff, chairman of the New York delegation.

Mr. Cannon was uproariously greeted as he stepped to the convention platform, and his earnest tribute to Mr. Sherman, one of his floor leaders in the Lower House of Congress, was enthusiastically applauded. Governor Curtis Guild, of Massachusetts; former Governor Franklin Murphy, of New Jersey, and Mr. Sherman were the only candidates for the vice-presidency formally placed in nomination. There were scattering votes, however, for Vice-President Fairbanks and Governor Sheldon, of Nebraska, from two of the state delegations.

Mr. Sherman's victory was an overwhelming one, 816 votes being the total before his nomination was made unanimous.

TROOPS CHARGED STRIKERS

Rome, June 19.—Seven hundred laborers, who had been engaged by farmers at Parma to take the places of strikers who refused to harvest the crops, arrived at Parma today. The strikers, who had learned of their coming, assembled at the railway station and attempted to prevent them from entering the town. The situation became so threatening that troops were called to deal with it. The strikers resisted the soldiers, some of them using revolvers. Repeated charges were made by the cavalry, and finally the laborers were escorted into the town. Several officers and soldiers were injured. The strikers are making threats and more serious conflicts are feared.

MARRIED.

DAVIDSON—ROSS.—On June 17, 1908, at 'Pine Grove Farm,' Britannia Bay, by the Rev. D. Findlay, B.A., Archibald Davidson, son of Mr. Andrew Davidson, Mervale, to Mary Henrietta Rose, daughter of Mr. Robert Ross, contractor, all of Nepean.

GORDON—HOUSTON.—On Tuesday, June 16, 1907, at the residence of the bride's mother, 1346 St. Hubert street, by the Rev. K. J. Macdonald, Mr. Wilfred B. Gordon, Miss Helen Houston, both of the city.

DIED.

OLDS.—At 740 Sherbrooke street west, on June 19, 1908, George Olds. Funeral from his late residence on Monday, June 22, at 2.30 p.m.

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA AND DEFENCE. NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Supplies for Troops, Quebec Tricentenary.

SEALED TENDERS for the supply of live cattle, meat, bread, potatoes and fresh vegetables, bacon, butter, four, beans, jam and groceries generally, forage, fuel, wood, cartage and other supplies and services for the Troops to be encamped at Quebec and Levis before and during the Tricentenary celebration in July next, will be received up to noon of Saturday, June 27, 1908.

Tenders should be marked on the outside of the envelope 'Tender for...' (stating the supply of service), and should be addressed to the Secretary of the Militia Council, Ottawa.

Printed forms of tender and full particulars may be obtained from the Director of Contracts, Dept. of Militia and Defence, Ottawa, and at the offices of the Officer Commanding Quebec Command, Montreal, and of the District Officer Commanding Military District No. 7, Quebec City, respectively.

Whenever possible, the tender should state the quality or brand of supplies it is proposed to furnish. The tea and coffee should be delivered in the original packages unbroken.

Tenders must be submitted on printed forms supplied by the Department of Militia and Defence, and each tender accompanied by an accepted cheque on a Canadian chartered bank, for 75 per cent of the amount thereof, payable to the order of the Minister of Militia and Defence, which amount will be forfeited if the party tendering declines to enter into a contract in accordance with the tender. Tenders for each supply should be made separately, and no form should contain tenders for more than one of the above mentioned supplies. Tenders for supplies to the Troops at Quebec and Levis should be made on separate forms.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

E. F. JARVIS, Secretary. (H.Q. 1645-9-1-P.) Department of Militia and Defence, Ottawa, June 15, 1908.

Newspapers will not be paid for this advertiser, if they insert it without authority from the Department.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. Eugenie Lafleur is visiting at Chateaugay.

Dr. C. F. Wyde and family left yesterday for Halifax by the Maritime Express.

Miss Lucie Taschereau will spend the remainder of the summer at Lake St. Joseph.

Mrs. H. B. Ames left yesterday by the Maritime Express to spend some time at Orangedale, N.S.

Mrs. and Miss Robidoux are leaving early in July for Mount Clemens, Michigan, for the summer months.

Mr. Alex. D. Fraser has left for Saranac Lake, N.Y., to spend the week end with his son, Mr. George A. Fraser.

Miss Helen Rhind, accompanied by her nephew, Master John Rhind, sails next week to spend the next two months in Europe.

Miss Ethel Houghton, St. Famille street, has returned from Quebec, where she had been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. James Ellis, Maple avenue.

Mr. D. George McMillan, of St. Johns, has left for camp at Three Rivers. Mrs. McMillan is the guest of her brother, Dr. C. H. Christie, 1153 Delorimier avenue, Montreal.

The engagement is announced in Buffalo, N.Y., of Miss Mary McWilliams, daughter of Mrs. Mary Hubbell McWilliams, to Mr. Charles W. Davis, Jr., son of Mr. Charles W. Davis, of 45 Mackay street, Montreal.

The church of St. Colomba de Sillery, Quebec, was the scene of a fashionable wedding this morning, when Miss Clothilde Jetté, daughter of His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, Sir Louis Jetté, and Lady Jetté, was married to Dr. Grondin, one of Quebec's prominent physicians. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Abbé Cloutier, curé of Jacques Cartier, in the presence of a large assemblage. The bride was given away by her father, and was handsomely gowned in white satin, with veil and wreath of orange blossoms. After the ceremony a recherche wedding breakfast was served and reception held at Spencer Wood, at which were present over two hundred guests, among those invited being the Hon. A. B. and Mrs. Aylesworth, the Chief Justice and Mrs. Taschereau, the Hon. Rodolphe and Mrs. Lemieux, Chief Justice Sir Francois and Lady Langelier, and the members of the federal and local cabinets. Dr. and Mrs. Grondin will leave by the R. & O. steamer at six o'clock this evening for the Thousand Islands, where the honeymoon will be spent. The bride will travel in a brown suit, with brown hat. The wedding gifts bestowed upon the bride were numerous and costly, a large number being received from all parts of Canada.

CURRAN—PATTON.

A pretty wedding took place at Arundel, Que., on July 11, at the residence of Mr. Thomas Graham, brother-in-law of the bride, when Miss Emma Patton, of Arundel, was married to Mr. Edgar Curran, of Covey Hill, Que. The Rev. J. B. Sincennes performed the marriage ceremony in the presence of a large company of relatives and friends. The bride was gowned in white brocaded silk, and carried a bouquet of pink roses. The bridesmaid was Miss Eleanor Orr, of Covey Hill, and the groom was assisted by his brother, Mr. W. T. Curran, of Montreal. The bride was given away by her brother-in-law, Mr. Graham. After congratulations had been extended, the guests sat down to a dainty supper, where the young lady friends of the bride, in pretty gowns, attended. The bride received many beautiful and useful presents, the groom's gift being a valuable gold watch chain. Her travelling suit was of brown Panama, with brown hat.

SHIPPING NEWS.

STEAMSHIP ARRIVALS.

Table with columns: Vessels, At, From. Includes La Provence, Mauretania, Siberian, etc.

PASSENGER STEAMERS INWARD.

Table with columns: Vessel, From, Date. Includes Corsican, Canada, etc.

LINERS LEAVING PORT.

There will be six sailings from port today, including the passenger liners 'Kensington,' of the Dominion Line, and 'Lake Erie,' of the C.P.R., both bound for Liverpool, and the Allan liner 'Griplan' for Glasgow. Other sailings are the Thomson liner 'Iona,' for London; the Dominion liner 'Manxman,' for Avonmouth, and the Allan liner 'Corinthian,' for London and Havre.

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When you afflict your feet with an ill pair of shoes you will soon be the owner of a wooden walk—and a heavy, toilsome tread wears tires the body.

Nature intended that you should walk easy and freely without growing weary—that you should be light on your feet, and easy and free in your stride.

The Napoleon Shoes, have the 20 improvements which Nature says you must have in shoes. They give toe-freedom. They have a hurtless instep, an artistic-shaped steel arch and a plumb-line heel and sole.

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The Goodyear-sewn welt is reinforced by the art genius of an orthopedic understanding — 'Napoleon' shoes sold at the same price in every country.

We are also agents for the celebrated A. J. Nettleton Shoe of Syracuse and exclusive agents in Canada for the finest ladies' shoe made in Philadelphia, Laird, Schober & Co., and other superior lines.



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FOR SALE, A THIRTY... Colbie Day... old. Can be seen at...

SHIPPING NEWS.

The SS. 'Sunshine' from Glasgow for Liverpool and 37 stowage passengers. The R.M.S. 'Vancouver' mail liner sailed from Quebec and Montreal on Saturday afternoon. She carries 66 first class passengers and 332 stowage passengers. The indicator for the morning registered at 10 inches in the barometer. Both the R.M.S. 'Canadian' and the 'Corinthian' are expected to arrive. The 'Corinthian' has 100 passengers, 180 second and 100 stowage passengers.

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CHANGES OF STOCKS AND INVESTMENT RETURNS

Tables of active and inactive stocks listed on the Montreal stock exchanges have been compiled up to and including Friday afternoon.

Table with columns for stock names, prices, and returns. Includes sections for 'High Low Last Sale Return' and 'Dividend Payable'.

Country Board

BAY VIEW COTTAGE, SITUATED ON shore of Lake Meaganic, Que., 5 hours' ride from Montreal.

OLD ORCHARD FARM, SITUATED 1 1/2 mile from village, depot, river, beautiful shade, \$3.50 per week.

ELM HILL FARM HOUSE, OPEN FOR Summer Boarders; piano, thirty-five steps up to 'Shady Nook'.

LAKEFIELD BOARDING HOUSE, OPEN for boarders; boating, fishing, hunting, etc., first class board and rooms.

STANBURY, QUE.—BOARDERS CAN BE accommodated at pleasantly situated farm house, plenty of shade trees.

ORCHARD FARM HOUSE, IS FORTY FEET from shore, pleasantly situated on Memphrephag Lake.

SUMMER BOARD — 'DUFFERIN' House, Cacouna, is open for summer guests; good rooms and board.

SHAWBRIDGE — SUMMER BOARD at a farm house, nicely situated, large verandah, plenty of shade.

SOUTH FOLTON, QUE.—Limited number boarders accommodated, healthy, picturesque locality.

RIVINGTON—PRIVATE Boarding House, good location, River Rouge, at Belle Falls, 10 miles from C.P.R. station.

WANTED, SUMMER BOARDERS, AT Castle Cottage, Broms Lake, Knowlton, Que. Address CASTLE COTTAGE, Foster, Que.

CRYSTAL BEACH BOARDING HOUSE, five miles west of Brockville, now open for accommodation of several boarders.

To Let

TO RENT, IMMEDIATE POSSESSION, large front office; good light; heated, suitable for manufacturer's agent.

BEAUHARNOIS — NICE LARGE Brick house to let, immediate side Lake St. Louis, electric light, bath room, w.c., etc.

TO LET — FIRST AND SECOND Floors to let, suitable for offices or light manufacturing, 1,600 feet each.

VICTORIA AVENUE, WESTMOUNT, East side, near Sherbrooke street, 50 x 180. Apply 1287 Hutchison street, Annex.

FIRST FLOOR, on St. Peter street, near corner of Craig. For Offices or Warehouse, bright and attractive; heated, and newly decorated.

Furnished rooms to Let ROOMS TO LET, 961 ST. CATHERINE ST. W., lower floor; two furnished rooms, with private family, suitable for two gentlemen or two young ladies.

54 VICTORIA STREET, NICELY FURNISHED double rooms, hot and cold water; single beds.

BRIGHT, COMFORTABLY FURNISHED single and double room (single beds), on bath room, Auer light. Situation high and healthy; fine view, strictly private family.

ST. ANTOINE STREET, 394 — TWO splendidly furnished rooms, every modern convenience, very reasonable terms.

ST. CATHERINE STREET WEST, 128 — To let, back and front room, furnished, on bath room flat, with hot water.

48 MILTON STREET — A NEWLY FURNISHED front room; also, small room, unfurnished, for married couple; use of kitchen; also, a small room, furnished.

TO LET, AT STE. AGATHE DES MONTS, to one family, 3 or 4 furnished rooms, with use of kitchen in common.

ROOMS TO LET — COMFORTABLE furnished rooms, with respectable English family, to let, single or double. No. 21 Avilmer street.

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TO LET, AT A VERY REASONABLE price, two large rooms and one small one. Apply W. J. POUPRE, Jr., 124 Board of Trade, Montreal.

Rooms and Board. A FAMILY OF TWO OFFERS GOOD Board and room to a few guests in the Village of Huntingdon, Que., on the Chateauguay River.

DRUMMOND STREET, 69 — LARGE front room, bath and back parlor, bedroom, Auer light; breakfast or full board. Tourist accommodated.

Board and Rooms Wanted. FURNISHED ROOM WITH OR WITHOUT board wanted by gentleman. Central locality. P.O. Box 1493, Montreal.

Flats to Let. WANTED TO RENT, SMALL FLAT OF 4 or 5 rooms; state locality, condition and lowest terms. Address Box 162, 'Witness' Office.

55 SOUVENIR AVE. NEWLY FURNISHED Flat, from end of June to end of September. 6 rooms and bathroom, front gallery.

TO RENT, ON ST. PETER STREET, between St. James and Craig streets, two desirable flats, heated, suitable for light manufacturing or offices.

Cottage to Let. TO LET, FOR SUMMER MONTHS, OR longer if required, furnished Cottage, five bedrooms and library, besides general and beautiful garden on the mountain side, near Pine avenue.

Cottage Wanted. WANTED FOR SUMMER, FURNISHED Cottage, four or five rooms, near water, with half an hour's train or car run of Montreal. Address F.M., 'Witness' Office.

Farms For Sale. FARMS FOR SALE — \$450 BUYS 3 Acre poultry or vegetable farm; good high land, close to cars; 5c fare to city.

I WILL SEND YOU MY LIST OF FARMS For Sale, \$1.00 to \$15,000, on request. Full particulars given. NORMAN BINMORE, 19 St. John, Montreal.

Wanted. WANTED, A COOKING STOVE, 'Leader' or reliable make, in good condition, for a country summer home. Address, 'Witness' Office, 'Witness' Building.

Situations Vacant

WANTED, A COOK, WHERE OTHER maids are kept, to go to the country; references required. Apply 23 Chomedey street, before 10 a.m., from 6 to 8 p.m.

WANTED, GENERAL SERVANT; MUST have references. Apply to 399 Mountain street, between 2 to 3, and 7 to 9 p.m.

WANTED, LADY CLERK FOR THE RECEIVING Office, APPLY BRITISH-AMERICAN DYEING COMPANY, 215 MCGILL ST.

WANTED, GOOD GENERAL SERVANT, with knowledge of cooking, for Beaucafield. 88 Shuter street.

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WANTED, MECHANICS, CONTRACTORS, Clerks and others to see what The Men's Own is like. Good music and a short address. Come to Calvary Church, Guy street, above St. Antoine, Sunday, 3 p.m. sharp.

Employment Wanted. OLD MATTRESSES PROPERLY REMADE at residences, \$1.50, or two same day, \$2.70; any size. Address FRASER, Montreal South, Que.

STEADY, SOBER YOUNG MAN WANTS Work, drive, or any kind of work; willing to start on little salary, with advancement. Box C, 894, 'Witness' Office.

A LADY OF EXPERIENCE WISHES Position as companion, care of children or housekeeper; best references. Apply 17, CHAPMAN'S BOOK STORE.

WANTED, A SITUATION AS GOOD Meat and pastry cook; speaking French and English; no objection to hotel or boarding house. Apply S.H., 113 Nazareth street.

WANTED, BY A RESPECTABLE Young Girl, just leaving school, a situation to look after a baby, willing to go to the seaside or country. Apply 431 Grand Trunk street, Point St. Charles, in the rear.

STENOGRAPHER — YOUNG LADY DESIRES position as Experienced Stenographer and Typewriter. 174 Duluth ave.

Country Board Wanted. SUMMER BOARD WANTED, BY A SINGLE gentleman, on Lake St. Louis shore; references if desired. Address C, 900, 'Witness' Office.

For Sale. LADIES' CLEVELAND BICYCLE FOR Sale; Dunlop double tires and pneumatic saddle. Will sell cheap. Call at 21 Sussex avenue.

FOR SALE, REGISTERED AYRSHIRE Cow and Calf; also, Guinea Fowls and Guinea Fowls' Eggs. Apply to ANTHONY GREY, Beau Rivage Farm, Dorval, P.Q.

POINTER DOG, 13 MONTHS, Liver and white, winner four firsts, one second and two winners, St. John last year. Keen bird stock. R. C. KAYE, St. John, N.B.

CANOE (PETTERBORO) FOR SALE, in good order. Price, \$15.00. Apply 50 East Pine avenue, or Tel. E. 3287.

FOR SALE, A SMALL YACHT, YAWL-rigged in good order, appointments first class; lying at Little Metis. Address, T.E., 'Witness' Office.

100,000 FEET PIPE. All in good condition, from 1/2 in. up to 6 in.; useful for any purpose. Also, Pulleys, Hangers and Belting. Write for prices.

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Property. ANNEX—I HAVE THE BEST LIST OF houses and flats in this favorite locality. Get my list. NORMAN BINMORE, 19 St. John, Main 5535.

PROPERTY FOR SALE — FOR SALE, Cottage, 73 St. Urbain street, six rooms, lot 24 x 115; will sell for Corporation value, \$2,200; too small for present owner.

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Country Houses For Sale. BROCKVILLE—THERE IS FOR SALE, on easy terms, just outside of the town of Brockville, Ont., a fine stone residence, large, commodious, and beautifully situated. The grounds are ample and tastefully laid out with trees and shrubbery. There are nine acres of land and a good orchard; altogether this is a very desirable country residence. For further particulars, apply to THOMAS PATTERSON, Brockville, Ont.

Miscellaneous. ANY ONE NOT BEING ABLE TO GET a 'Witness' at his newsdealer will oblige the publishers by telephoning the Subscription Department by telephone 4690, or by postcard. JOHN DOUGALL & SON, 'Witness' Building, Montreal.

Teachers Wanted

WANTED, BY THE PROTESTANT Board of School Commissioners of the Town and Parish of Longueuil, two female teachers; one for the intermediate and one for the primary department of the Model School.

WANTED, A TEACHER FOR EACH OF the following schools in the Municipality of Havelock, viz. No. 3, for a term of 2 months; salary, \$25.00 per month. No. 6, term, 3 months; salary, \$25.00 per month. Schools to open Sept. 1st. Applicants to state qualifications, experience and testimonials, to W. SIMPSON WALKER, Secretary-Treasurer, Court House, Mont-real. Duties to commence 1st September next.

WANTED, TEACHER FOR THE ST. Theodore school, salary, \$15.00 per month, and lodging, school term, commencing Sept. 1st. Apply to L. MASSICOTTE, Secy-Treasurer, Avonvale, P.Q.

WANTED, FOUR TEACHERS, HOLDING Elementary Diplomas, term of eight months, beginning October 1, 1908. Apply, stating salary expected, to J. STANFORD, Secy-Treasurer, Montreal, Que.

WANTED, FOR THE SAWYERVILLE Model School, Assistant Teacher, holding Model Diploma. Salary, \$25.00 per month. Apply to R. W. MOUNTCOMERY, Secy-Treasurer.

TEACHER WANTED, WITH MODEL Diploma, for Fairmount School, Montreal, Annex. Applications in writing to GEO. L. LE BEAU, Secretary-Treasurer, 625 Park avenue.

WANTED, PROTESTANT TEACHER, holding McGill Model diploma, Municipality of Abbotsford; school to commence Sept. 1st, term, 3 months; salary, \$25.00 per month. Address A. M. PISK, Secy-Treasurer, Abbotsford, Que.

WANTED, TEACHER FOR POINT FORT, Protestant Elementary School, 10 months. Apply, stating salary to G.D. A. BARCLAY, Secretary-Treasurer, Point Fort, Que.

WANTED, TWO PROTESTANT TEACHERS, holding Model or Advanced Elementary diplomas. Salary, \$20.00 and \$22.00 for 10 months' term. Apply JOHN C. McCALLUM, Secretary-Treasurer, Lochaber Bay, County Labeled, Que.

WANTED, FOR SCHOOLS NO. 1 AND 2, Gaspé Village, P.Q., (Protestants). One teacher holding Model diploma, and one holding Elementary diploma for No. 1, holding Elementary diploma for No. 2. Term, 10 months from Sept. 1st; state salary required. Apply to H. McCALLUM, Secretary-Treasurer, Gaspé, P.Q.

TEACHER WANTED — FOR Ste. Agathe des Monts Protestant Elementary School, a Protestant Teacher, holding a Model Diploma. Salary, \$25.00 for ten months' course. Apply to J. ALEX. ALLAN, 214 Coristine Building, Montreal.

WANTED, FOR SHERBROOKE Academy, a Lady Teacher, holding Model School diploma. Apply, with references, stating salary required, to C. O. PALMER, Secy-Treasurer, Board of Protestant School Commissioners, Sherbrooke, Que.

WANTED — TEACHER OF MODERN Languages, Lady, who has spent some years abroad for study; seeks position in public or private school for the coming year. She is an experienced teacher. Address A.W., 2 Rue des Rosters, Paris, France.

TEACHER WANTED, INTERMEDIATE Department, Model School, Waterville, Que. Will pay good salary for good teacher. State references and salary. Apply F. G. GALE, School Commissioner.

Training School for Nurses. THE BRATTLEBORO Memorial Hospital Training School offers a three years' course of training in all branches to young women from 18 to 35 years of age. For any information apply to the superintendent. (MISS) E. P. McCLOSKEY.

Bargains. FOR SALE — HEINTZMAN & CO. Upright Piano, 7 octaves, ivory keys, walnut case, perfect condition, \$185. LAYTON BROS., 144 Peel street.

FOR SALE — UXBIDGE ORGAN, 5 octaves, 7 stops, high back, powerful tone, \$55.00 on easy terms. LAYTON BROS., 144 Peel street.

FOR SALE ON EASY PAYMENTS, Furniture, Carpets, Stoves, Gas-Carts, etc., etc. THE J. S. PRINCE CO., 33 St. Lawrence street.

WANT ADS. FOR THE 'WITNESS,' may be left with A. T. CHAPMAN, Bookkeeper, 315 St. Catherine street West, or with R. TURNER, Grocer, Point St. Charles, 601 Wellington street, West of Subway.

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Personals. Agents Wanted. 25 Words for 50c. NOTICE PARTICULARLY. Postage Stamps will be Accepted.

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GENERAL TRADE SHOWS GRADUAL IMPROVEMENT THROUGHOUT CANADA.

Trade shows little change from the conditions of a week ago. The movement is moderate. Retail trade shows improvement and wholesale trade is being stepped up. The movement of a wholesale movement is toward to.

OPINION ON THE MARKET BY A LOCAL FIRM.

Mr. Thomas Shaughnessy, President of the Montreal Board of Trade, has given in the weekly report of the Board of Trade, published by the Montreal Chamber of Commerce, the following opinion on the market: 'The market is not absolutely bright, but stocks are bound to show improvement.

NINE RAILWAYS THIS YEAR CONFESSED BANKRUPT.

The New York 'Evening Post' says:—The other day a receiver was appointed in the case of the Wheeling and Lake Erie, making nine railways that have confessed bankruptcy since Jan. 1. In some cases the receivership proceedings were brought about by floating debts, in others over-capitalization; for lack of working capital at least two of the companies failed to develop beyond the construction stage.

Only Way Money Grows. That is, increases Capital and Interest at the same time,—is by INVESTING it. Particulars of HIGH-GRADE INVESTMENTS FURNISHED ON APPLICATION. STEWART & CO., Bond and Stock Brokers, 151 St. James Street, MONTREAL.

THE CANADIAN RAILWAY ACCIDENT INSURANCE CO. MONTREAL. All forms of Insurance Policies issued.

PERSONAL ACCIDENT HEALTH EMPLOYER'S LIABILITY WORKMAN'S COLLECTIVE TEAMS LIABILITY SIDEWALK LIABILITY ELEVATOR LIABILITY. For rates apply to ERNEST PITT, Prov. Manager, 222 St. James Street, Phone Main 1886. AGENTS WANTED.

Stock Brokers NICHOLS & MARLER 21 HOSPITAL STREET, Montreal. Members Montreal Stock Exchange. Established 1877. INVESTMENT BROKERS. Correspondence invited. Orders carefully attended to.

LATEST IMPROVEMENTS. Fullest light, and every facility for best possible Workmanship. C. A. LAMOTHE, Horseshoeing and Clipping Parlor, 24 BIRTHELET STREET. Shoeing of Trotters, Runners and Gentlemen's Driving Horses a feature of this kind in Canada.

N.B.—SPECIAL WAITING ROOM FOR COACHMEN. If these roads are to be properly reorganized new working capital must be raised and fixed charges reduced without favoritism being shown to any class of security holders.

Great Northern Rumors. New York, June 19.—Rumors of a deal in which Great Northern is concerned are circulating in Wall Street with reports from L.L. sources favorable to higher prices for that stock later. BUCKBROUGH COMMITTED. Tilsonburg, Ont., June 19.—Chester Buckbrough was yesterday committed for trial on a charge of having set fire to the Queen's Hotel, in which three persons lost their lives.

# Champlain Tercentenary Celebration.

The publishers of the "Canadian Pictorial" have made extraordinary arrangements to give the best pictorial reproduction of what promises to be the greatest pageant the world has yet seen, at a price so low that single copies will be within the reach of all and many will buy them by the dozen to send to friends at a distance. A special effort is being made to have every picture surpass even the high standard which the "Canadian Pictorial" has maintained since its first issue.

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The AUGUST Number will be largely composed of a series of pictures of the GREAT PAGEANT itself. During the celebration a corps of expert photographers will level their cameras, exclusively for this issue, and their pictures will show

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The Vice-President of the United States,  
Representatives of the French Republic,  
His Excellency the Governor General,  
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**Historic pageants representing outstanding events in Canada's history,**

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The two issues will make a souvenir of the greatest event of the year in Canada that will be worth binding and that could not be obtained in any other way for many times the price, the object of the publishers being to give PHENOMENAL VALUE.

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## AFTER-GLEAMS FROM QUEBEC'S BATTLEFIELDS.

By Professor Edward E. Prince, F.R.S.C., Dominion Commissioner of Fisheries, Ottawa.

"We had full leisure to contemplate a scene of human industry and natural grandeur, which surpasses any that I ever remember to have beheld," wrote Sir Henry Bonnyycastle in 1840, as he anchored off Quebec. The assemblage of numerous spires, coated with bright tin, glittering like silver in the morning sun; the strong dark stone dwellings, mixed with painted wooden houses, hanging as it were on the face of a precipice, which seemed to threaten hourly destruction to those below it; the military works, impregnable in their aspect; the high watch-tower, on which signals were constantly making; the workmen at their employment on the summit of bastions directly above our heads, and below one of the mightiest of floods, the broad breast of a North American river. We were contemplating Nature and Art vying with each other.

Who, indeed, can view unmoved the storied city of Quebec? Seated on her imperious throne of rock, fit guardian of Canada's eastern portal, she has enchanted the attention and stirred the admiration of many generations. The soldier is awed by the strength and impenetrability of her once invincible fortresses and ramparts; the antiquary is fascinated by her picturesque site, studded with pinnaled churches, colleges, monastic and civic buildings; the historian revels in her ancient remains, her gates, streets, squares and battle grounds; the artist lingers amid her quaint edifices and precincts, her green heights and gloomy precipices; while the tourist is delighted with her bright and joyous men, the bustle of her wharves and esplanades, the clear bracing air about her heights and the calm placid waters of the majestic St. Lawrence at her feet. But to the common mind—the mind that is in most of us—Quebec is irresistible. She holds our gaze like a glowing cloud in a clear canopy of sky, and the spell she weaves touches all alike. No matter what be our race or country, or the trend of our intellectual tastes and emotional proclivities, there is, to all of us, but one Quebec. Happy the land that, as the varied peoples of the old and the new world enter her domain, can win all alike by the genius loci of the historic city at her gates!

### HEROES SLEEP ON ABRAHAM'S PLAINS.

Dull, indeed, must he be, that is not stirred by the recollection of the fateful thirteenth of September, 1759, when the gallant troops of France under the dauntless Montcalm held the bristling heights, and the choice British red-coats, under the brave Wolfe, crept along the rocky shore and scaled the gloomy steep. They

met in dread conflict on the Plains above. The result all the world knows. To Wolfe came glorious victory, to Montcalm came glory too, the glory of duty bravely done, of gallantry unquenched even in death, and thus the soldiers, who had marched under the lily-decked banner of France, slept side by side with the heroes who fell under the Royal Standard of England, and death with equal touch claimed their gallant leaders on that immortal field.

"What halloes ground where heroes sleep?" asks Thomas Campbell, in his famous stanza, and the field Plains of Abraham give the incomparable reply. A British subject instinctively bares his head when he stands on Bunker's Hill; an Englishman, on Flodden Field, sighs to-day for the flowers of Scottish chivalry "a wode awa" in 1513; and who could pace the sward of Waterloo, or the river bank at Bardenburg, or tramp over the wild waste of Marston Moor or Bannockburn, and be unmindful of the decrees Fate grimly pronounced there? I have stood on Towton Field, where Yorkists and Lancastrians, Englishmen and Englishmen, met in the bloody conflict of civil war five hundred years ago, and touching it was to see how jealously nature herself seemed to keep alive the memory of the heroic combatants, for everywhere over this Yorkshire waste red roses (the rose of Lancaster) intertwine with white roses (the rose of York) symbolize the common fame which history accords to the dead. It is because the battlefields of Quebec tell us of duty gloriously done, of valor unflinchingly displayed, of blood willingly given, that, whatever be our sympathies respectively, or our feelings racially, all as Canadians, may, as British subjects, desire to have set apart for ever this memorable field of former conflict as a national park.

### LIBERTY WON BY VICTOR AND VANQUISHED.

The fleur-de-lys gave place to the Royal Standard of England, but it may well be asked, "Did Montcalm and his brave troops really suffer defeat?" They did, if the freedom vouchsafed under Britain's flag is of no worth; if the toleration, the enterprise, the enlightenment, which have followed, is of no moment in the course of Canada's development, during the last one hundred and fifty years. But it was the motto of the university which bears the honored name of Laval himself who addressed these words, in 1901, to the Prince of Wales: "Ils sont fiers de vivre à l'ombre du drapeau d'une nation qui détient un cinquième de la terre habitable, qui compte quatre cent millions de sujets, qui fait à elle seule un tiers du commerce du monde, qui marche à la tête des peuples comme puissance coloniale, industrielle et commerciale. Ils apprécient les avantages

de la liberté dont ils jouissent." If Montcalm was defeated then was Wolfe defeated. But the French-Canadians of 1775 did not think so, and the words just quoted prove that the French-Canadians to-day do not think so. To Montcalm's gallant Canada owes much, and the fruits of the conflict in which he died came to all alike, to English and French, to Irish and Scotch, yea, even to the dusky aborigines. It is no wonder that the appeal of George Washington, in September of the same year, met with no response. "The slavery, corruption and arbitrary rule" which he luridly pictured, were a figment of the imagination to the men who had fought on opposite sides on the Plains of Abraham, and when he greeted them as "friends and brethren" and as "free-born sons," struggling to escape from the wretchedness of slavery, and straining for the blessings of liberty, they knew that, under the Union Jack, freedom and all its precious blessings were already theirs. The perils of savage onslaughts from the Iroquois were gone, nay, even the danger which they once feared, of being effaced by overpowering hosts of incoming British settlers and traders, was found to be baseless, for they found themselves free to quietly build up their own life as a people distinct yet part and parcel of the great Canadian nation, and partakers with their English-speaking brethren in the fair fame and common destiny of Canada.

The battlefields witness to this birth of aspirations which all who live in Canada share, and the city of Quebec is the historic centre whence our Dominion started, as Lord Dufferin eloquently declared, to realize that "she was 'the owner of half a continent,' and to glory in 'the magnitude of her possession, in the wealth of her resources, in the sinews of her material might, as the peer of any power on earth.'" It is in Quebec that the Canadian, prone to dwell upon the material success of the moment, appreciates the truth that our country has a history, and the retrospect should make us jealous of its fame in the future.

### EDUCATION AND RELIGION PRESERVED.

But Quebec is the historic centre of all that is sacred in the religious memories of our past. The ancient faith and religious practices of the French pioneers have continued from the seventeenth century till now. The shrines and seminaries of the early missionaries have been maintained. The great work of such men as the militant Montaigne de Laval received no check, and the Grand Seminary which he founded in 1663, the numerous colleges and schools, and the widespread educational system, which the University of the Ancient City, Laval University, as its Crown, received countenance and encouragement under the British regime. The battlefields stand for educational growth and religious freedom, and it is the illustrious Richelieu, who was so solicitous of Champlain's great enter-

prise on North America, could have foreseen, with prophetic vision, the progress and power of the church, of which he was so distinguished a prince, his proclamation of 1628 might never have been made, for the rule of the church has suffered no decline during the four ensuing centuries.

### IDEALS AND LOYALTY OF FRENCH-CANADIANS.

On the Plains of Abraham, Wolfe and Montcalm met the same glorious end and blended their heroic fame, and the fight in which they fell was unique in this that thenceforth both sides applied themselves to common ends and both shared in loyal allegiance to the same flag, and both rejoiced in the previous heritage of peace and liberty which the struggle had vouchsafed to them. The French-Canadians, though no longer subjects of the French king, were as true as ever to their own glorious race-traditions and to their mother-tongue. French literature has not declined in their keeping, but has been cultivated and enriched, and this two-fold allegiance to the British Crown and to their own language, literature, and faith is, as Dilke has said, "one of the most interesting spectacles the world affords." In defence of the Empire, French-Canadians have done their share on this continent, in the Imperial services they have won distinction, and their language literature and religion, have prospered and expanded under the shadow of the flag, which for a thousand years has braved the battle and the breeze.

The sacred influences which flow from the Battlefields of Quebec can never die. They are an indissoluble part of our national life, and the victory on the Plains of Abraham was a victory not only for all Canadians but for our race, it gave the seal of liberty to all men to cherish their most sacred ideals, to keep alive the memory of their ancestors, to cling to their traditional faiths, and to cultivate all that is best in the language, the literature, and the life, and faith, of the lineage to which they belong.

Quebec has been poetically described as "un plant de France cultivé par l'Albion"; but may not the French-Canadian race be described as Flowers of France flourishing under Britain's sheltering care, while the Thistle, the Rose, the Shamrock, and the humbler flowers of the European continent, are some of them despised and uncouth, are free equally under Britain's benignant sway to take root and expand in such proportions of beauty and of well-being as the peerless conditions of life in Canada so generously provide: "Mother of all things beautiful, Jamesless, Mother of hopes that her strength makes tameless, Where the voices of grief and of battle are dumb, And the whole earth laughs with the light of her mirth." —Lampman.

### PATRIOTIC VERSE

#### WOLFE AND MONTCALM.

(On the Plains of Abraham.)  
Lo, on Quebec's embattled height  
Two armies meet in deadly fight,  
Two nations struggling in their might,  
Contending for supremacy!

Immovable, in grim array,  
The British stand without dismay,  
While on the French rush to the fray  
With fierce impetuosity.

Yet like a rock Wolfe's warriors stand  
The Montcalm's men are near at hand,  
Then at their leader's loud command  
They sweep the plains with musketry.

The foemen's ranks their bulwark make—  
They halt and reel, then quickly break,  
Few fighting still for Montcalm's sake,  
Who now is wounded mortally.

Wolfe also falls: "They run!" one cries,  
"Who runs?" he asks in glad surprise,  
"The enemy, sir," the man replies,  
"Behold, they give way everywhere!"

"Then God be praised! I die in peace,"  
Says Wolfe, as his life pulses cease,—  
And passing time will but increase  
His fame for dauntless bravery.

The wondrous value of the prize  
Was hidden from the victor's eyes,  
Whose genius great and bold surprise  
Fixed half a new world's destiny.

Nor scarcely less renowned his name,  
Who to the grave rejoiced to go  
Ere he had felt the final blow  
Of yielding up the citadel.

O, gallant Wolfe! O, brave Montcalm!—  
The former bearing victory's palm,  
Yet both their names we now enshrine  
And blend in honored memory.

Calmly the dove of peace looks down  
On the historic plains and town,  
Where death gave Wolfe a fadeless crown  
And Montcalm immortality.

Peace to our heroes now at rest!  
Peace to our ancient city best!  
Peace to each French and English breast!  
Good will to all humanity!

Hail, glad tercentenary year,  
Champlain, we hold thy memory dear,  
Hail, Prince of Wales, thy presence here,  
Two races greet in unity.  
W. W. WILSON  
Bishop's Mills, Ont., June 19, 1908.

### CANADA, OUR HOME.

There is a land of boundless space,  
Of boundless wealth and boundless grace,  
Its landscape dots the eye with beauty,  
Its lakes and rivers give it beauty,  
A people of heroic blood,  
Within its lengthened borders dwell,  
The progress of the human race,  
With truth its noble motto dwell.

In this Dominion, side by side,  
In harmony and friendship live,  
Gaul, Celt and Saxon, and the  
Al, to one Sovereign give,  
We all are Britons to the core,  
And Britons we will ever be,  
From north to south, from east to west,  
From centre to circumference.

Should danger threaten from the West,  
Strong hearts and hands will  
found

To bear the weapons that we  
And face the ever ready foe,  
For God and right and  
For truth and liberty we  
We would not fear the  
But boldly rally to the

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Give us a good Canadian  
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The maple leaf and

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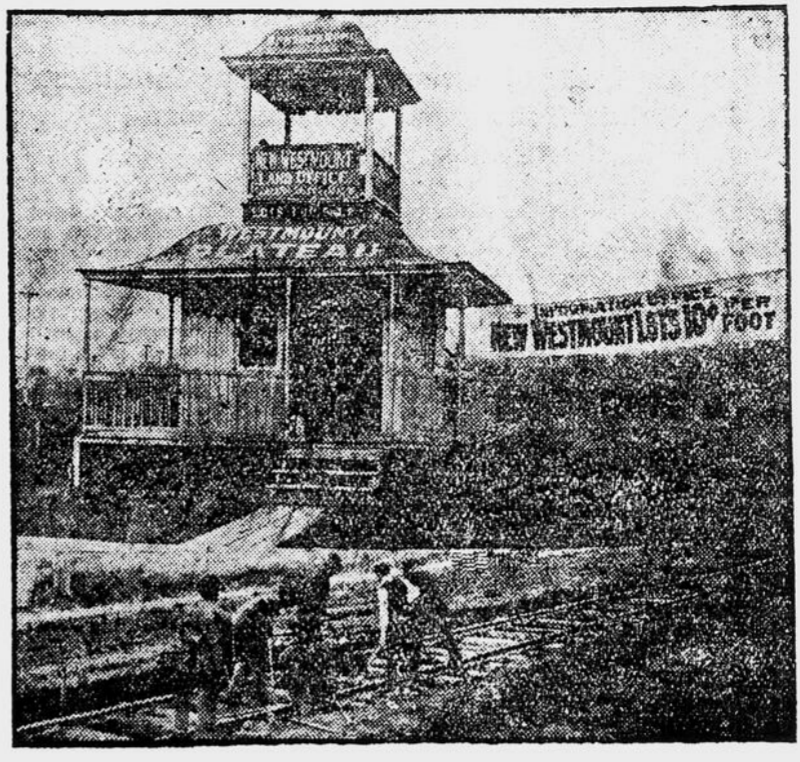
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NOW, MY ADVICE TO YOU is to do likewise. Contrary to what most people do, I PRACTICE WHAT I PREACH. I don't do like the banker, for instance, who advises you to put your money in the bank at three percent, so that he may lead it out at six percent, and clear an even hundred percent on the deal. I ask you to invest your savings in WEST END LAND, because I KNOW that it is the SAFEST AND MOST PROFITABLE place of deposit for your money. You do not have to trust to the business ability or integrity of the "Board of Directors," YOU are the whole board of directors YOURSELF, and nothing affecting your investment can take place WITHOUT YOUR SIGNATURE, when you invest in land. To mark this important epoch in my business career, I have decided to hold a MONSTER TWENTIETH ANNIVERSARY SALE by offering my NEW WESTMOUNT HOME SITES on such terms as will readily bring them within reach of every man, woman and child, by abolishing FOR THIS OCCASION the usual cash payment of fifty dollars (\$50.00) per lot which I have hitherto exacted, and which, I believe, has debarred quite a number of people from investing and participating in this the GREATEST HARVEST OF GOLD DOLLARS ever known in the history of suburban real estate of Montreal. I have therefore authorized all my agents to accept the coupon printed below as cash, and give the bearer CREDIT FOR FIFTY DOLLARS (\$50.00) on any two lots (or \$25.00 on one lot) he may select at New Westmount from the 20th to the 30th of June instant, the purchaser agreeing to pay the balance at the rate of \$5.00 per month, or more (according to location and value of lots).

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them to buy, with the result that they trebled and quadrupled their money. Did NEW WESTMOUNT get its parks? Of course it did! The Corporation bought Fifty-nine Thousand Four Hundred Dollars (\$59,400.00) worth of property there for park purposes. I did not provide all those improvements personally, but I managed to secure them from a Council of progressive men, thus fulfilling my promise.

When I made the promise last Fall that the electric cars would run through WESTMOUNT PLATEAU and NEW WESTMOUNT early this summer, — of course you would not believe it. See the gang of Street Railway men now at work on the job in the upper right hand corner of this ad.

I have given what I have promised. NOW, I am going to give AT MY OWN EXPENSE what I did not promise, namely, over four miles of street grading, about five miles of sidewalks, and over two thousand shade trees. Do you think you can trust a man with such a record? If you cannot, you are to be pitied. You cannot enter into any kind of agreement with anyone unless you have a certain amount of BUSINESS CONFIDENCE, and that is all I expect of anyone. The accompanying coupon is for the benefit of the readers of the "Witness," and this advertisement only appears in the "Witness" of to-day, and FOR THE FIRST AND LAST TIME. Be sure to cut it out and do not wait until to-morrow, but COME TO-DAY and secure a choice location. In addition to this "Coupon," we will allow five percent discount on all cash payments made within thirty days from date of purchase.

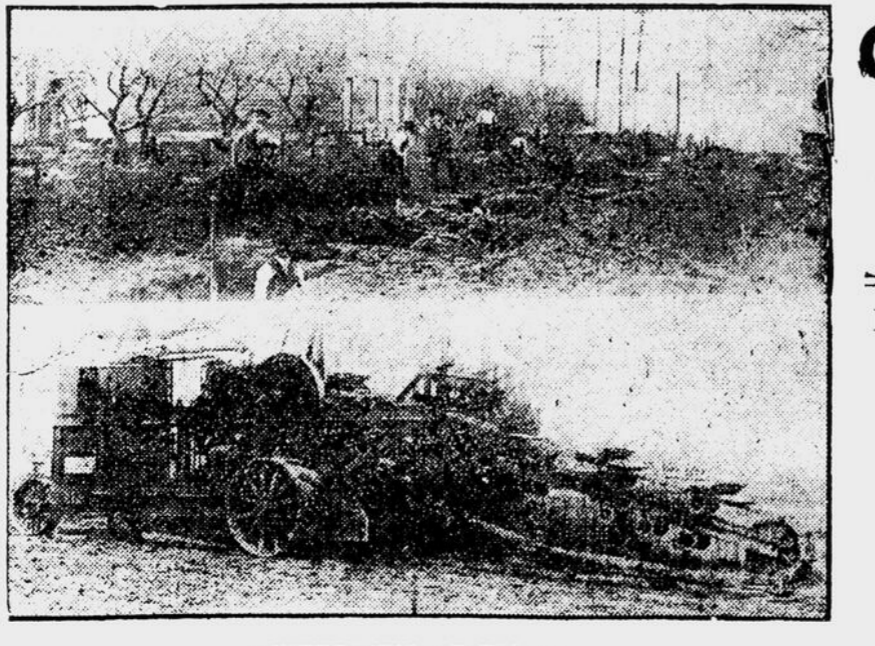
I also made the promise that drains would be put in this Spring. Most people thought it would take ten years before we would get them. See the gang of men in the lower left hand corner, ACTUALLY AT WORK ON THE PROMISED DRAINS. The Corporation is now spending nearly Three Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$300,000.00) in such municipal improvements. We already have water power and electric light.

New Westmount is delightfully and conveniently situated on the line of Sherbrooke street, just west of Westmount. In view of the large number of people who will visit these lots, we will run a special automobile service free for the accommodation of our visitors from our branch office, corner Victoria avenue and Sherbrooke street, up to the 20th instant.

I promised a public park for WESTMOUNT PLATEAU. Again most people were skeptical. The park is there, nevertheless, — right in the centre of the PLATEAU, purchased by the Corporation for the price of Forty-seven Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$47,500.00), and enhancing the value of all surrounding property.

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THE PORTS OF NEW YORK AND MONTREAL.

Mr. D. A. Watt Discusses Present Conditions Governing Transportation at Lake and Atlantic Points.

Mr. D. A. Watt, one of the older members of the Board of Trade, who has had long experience in ocean freighting matters, was asked by a representative of the 'Witness' for an explanation of the withdrawal of certain of the White Star fleet from their New York service, and the stir that this withdrawal had made in New York. He said, in effect:—From my standpoint the discontinuance by the Mercantile Marine Company of one weekly freight steamer from their New York service is an eminently wise and sensible move, more particularly as regards the port of Liverpool. And so also the temporary discontinuance of their Portland-Liverpool service, and a probable reduction of their Liverpool services at other Atlantic points. Considering the condition of the export trade, it is remarkable that these reductions were not made sooner.

AMERICAN GRAIN NOT WANTED.

The fact is that Liverpool has ceased to purchase her accustomed quantities of American grain or flour, whether from Canada or from the United States. Apparently she does not want American produce at American prices, and can buy her supplies of grain and flour from other countries at lower rates and on better terms. The same conditions apply, perhaps, to a lesser extent, to London and other British ports, as well as to Liverpool. And as regards Glasgow, that market for grain, flour and other bulky traffic is well-nigh dead. The large increase in ocean tonnage is doubtless partly to blame for the present conditions. New ships have been built and their capacity increased to an extent far beyond the current requirements of commerce, with the result that voyages are being made both ways with holds half empty, or worse, and export freight rates reduced to the vanishing point.

SPRING SHIPMENTS FROM MONTREAL.

Attracted, doubtless, by the low ocean freight rates, a considerable quantity of grain has, since the opening of navigation, come to Montreal, consisting mostly of low grade Manitoba wheat, which had to be moved early, and by the coal route, in order to preserve its condition. Some of this wheat, about three million bushels, I understand, was moved to Buffalo for export, no doubt via New York. But this movement from Fort William is well-nigh over, and ship agents are now wondering how their July-August ships are to get ballast cargo to make them safe for sea.

The inland freight rates on this Fort William wheat opened, I think, at 7 cents a bushel to Montreal, declining gradually, until now, when they are about 3 cents to 3 1/2 cents a bushel. The ocean rates have remained about the same to the three leading ports, say, per quarter, 9d. to Glasgow, and about 1s. to Liverpool and London, probably on the average less than one-half the inland earnings. Fort William to Montreal shipments are hopeful of better times in the autumn, when the winter wheat and maize of the South-western United States are marketed,

STRIKING ITALIANS COWED THE WORKERS.

Defied C.P.R. Officials to Eject Them From Lodging Cars.

Toronto, June 19.—Defending themselves with revolvers and dirks to retain possession of the cars in which they have been living, some eighty-five Italian laborers to-day defied the officials of the Canadian Pacific Railway to eject them from their lodging cars.

The trouble started at Woodbridge, and was brought to a termination in the C. P. R. yards at North Toronto. The laborers assumed such a serious aspect that it was necessary to have a special detail of policemen to put a stop to the trouble. The Italians claim that they were not work because the C. P. R. refused to accede to their demands for an advance in wages from \$1.25 to \$1.40 per day, but the company declares that the men made no formal demand from the engineer in charge of the work. Mr. A. C. Grout, who has charge of the demurrage line between West Toronto and Bolton, states that the trouble was due to the appearance of an Italian among those who quit work on the new Grand trunk Pacific elevator owing to labor troubles.

Some men organized themselves into three gangs and visited all the cars where their fellow-laborers were breaking down with instructions to keep them from going to work. Some of the men did not want to obey these orders, which gave rise to a general order on the part of the gang to use force to prevent them from commencing operations until their demands had been granted. The result was that a general riot ensued, and, to bring the trouble to a close, the officials in charge of the work decided to pack all the men into cars, numbering twenty-three, and ship them to Woodbridge. When they reached the latter place some of the Italians were anxious to go to work, and appealed to the superintendent to put them in separate cars and send them back to the camp. Subsequently the ringleaders of the gang learned of this, and when they discovered that the officials were making an effort to detach the cars containing those desirous to work, from the train, a riot ensued,

and the train crew were stoned. However, that part of the train with the eighty-five men was brought back to North Toronto. A special detachment of thirty-five policemen was waiting for them, and a posse of twenty-five recruits stationed in readiness at the Yorkville police station. Up till the arrival of the police the eighty-five Italian strikers had defied the officials to put them out of the cars, but when they saw the policemen the strikers scattered in all directions, but came back, and, without any further trouble, the Italians climbed into the cars and took away their things and drifted away into St. John's Ward.

some of which will doubtless reach Montreal for export. Possibly also exports of lumber, wood pulp, cattle, hay, and other coarse freight will recommence, which, with fruit and other perishables, will serve to offset the spring losses of shipowners. Ontario has ceased to be a factor in the export grain trade, and no great volume of Manitoba wheat can be looked for in the early autumn.

SHORT SEASON A HANDICAP.

Montreal's troubles are due to her short season of navigation, the excessive rates of insurance, and the heavy charges on ships. There is but one way of increasing her shipping trade, and that is to make Montreal a cheap, profitable and attractive port for ships, and more especially for regular lines. New York's basic troubles, over which a newspaper controversy has been raised, are of a different nature, and are above and beyond any opposition she is likely to get from Montreal. When cargo is scarce with her, she privateers throughout Ontario, cutting rates below those charged to her own people. She is able to get traffic by this means, for the reason that the inland rail rates to Montreal and to New York are the same. Years ago this was also the rule as regards the ports south of New York.

From large distributing centres like Chicago, the rail rates to New York, Baltimore, etc., were identical. More recently, however, differentials were given to southern ports, which have enabled them to build up an ocean marine of their own in competition with New York.

These favorable differentials were based partly on mileage, and partly with a view to conciliate the southern railways and, being in themselves reasonable, are unlikely to be abrogated. Moreover, the question has been before the United States Railway Commission, who have confirmed the present arrangement.

SERIOUS FOR NEW YORK.

From a New York point of view the matter is serious. For instance, the inland rate, Chicago to New Orleans, on packing house products, is 18 cents per 100 pounds, while Chicago to New York it is 30 cents per 100 pounds—an inland differential in favor of the southern ports of 12 cents per 100 pounds, or about the entire ocean freight New York to Liverpool in recent years.

Doubtless politics are mixed up in the present New York agitation. Doubtless, also, the contracting and constructing companies have an eye on the building of the new Erie canal, and on the hundred millions or more which it is likely to cost the taxpayers of the State.

In any event the city of New York cannot alter geographical conditions, nor change the course of nature. A large volume of foreign trade is tributary to her, and with that she should rest content. On our part we Canadians may as well possess our souls in patience, and await the inevitable return of better times.

and the train crew were stoned. However, that part of the train with the eighty-five men was brought back to North Toronto. A special detachment of thirty-five policemen was waiting for them, and a posse of twenty-five recruits stationed in readiness at the Yorkville police station.

Up till the arrival of the police the eighty-five Italian strikers had defied the officials to put them out of the cars, but when they saw the policemen the strikers scattered in all directions, but came back, and, without any further trouble, the Italians climbed into the cars and took away their things and drifted away into St. John's Ward.

The trouble started at Woodbridge, and was brought to a termination in the C. P. R. yards at North Toronto. The laborers assumed such a serious aspect that it was necessary to have a special detail of policemen to put a stop to the trouble. The Italians claim that they were not work because the C. P. R. refused to accede to their demands for an advance in wages from \$1.25 to \$1.40 per day, but the company declares that the men made no formal demand from the engineer in charge of the work.

Mr. A. C. Grout, who has charge of the demurrage line between West Toronto and Bolton, states that the trouble was due to the appearance of an Italian among those who quit work on the new Grand trunk Pacific elevator owing to labor troubles. Some men organized themselves into three gangs and visited all the cars where their fellow-laborers were breaking down with instructions to keep them from going to work.

Some of the men did not want to obey these orders, which gave rise to a general order on the part of the gang to use force to prevent them from commencing operations until their demands had been granted.

The result was that a general riot ensued, and, to bring the trouble to a close, the officials in charge of the work decided to pack all the men into cars, numbering twenty-three, and ship them to Woodbridge. When they reached the latter place some of the Italians were anxious to go to work, and appealed to the superintendent to put them in separate cars and send them back to the camp.

Subsequently the ringleaders of the gang learned of this, and when they discovered that the officials were making an effort to detach the cars containing those desirous to work, from the train, a riot ensued, and the train crew were stoned.

SCHOOL CLOSINGS

PRIZE DISTRIBUTION AT MOUNT ST. LOUIS.

The Rev. Father Desjardins, S.J., presided at the annual distribution of prizes at the Mount St. Louis College yesterday. A programme of music was presented under the direction of Mr. E. Hardy. It was stated that ten pupils of this school were writing in the matriculation examinations at McGill. Following are the names of those who were awarded prizes and diplomas:—

Matriculation—M. Laforest, R. Linagh, F. O'Leary, McGill Applied Science; D. Bonneau, P. Bourbeau, Leon Bourque, A. Dufresne, A. Dupont, A. Hamelin, Leo Patenaude, E. Poitevin, J. Wermerlinger, Polytechnique School.

Diplomas. Scientific Complete—H. Archambault, Leo Duquet, L. Hebert, H. Jetté, H. Labrecque, A. Lalonde, O. R. Pepin, L. Venne, Jas. Casey.

Scientific and Commercial—L. Gendron, J. Kavanagh, G. Papineau, H. Quintal, E. Senecal.

Commercial—E. Barbeau, Joseph Bergeron, A. Brouillette, A. Paul Brunet, E. Desaulniers, M. Dubrule, H. Fong, G. Laurendeau, L. F. Lessard, O. Nadeau, Henri Desjardins.

Special Prizes. First prize for general proficiency, a gold medal, awarded to Antoine Lalonde.

First prize for apologetics, a gold medal, presented by the Rev. J. A. M. Brosseau, chaplain, awarded to L. Venne.

First prize for Christian doctrine, in the commercial course, a gold medal, presented by Mr. L. Delorme, awarded to Ed. Desaulniers.

First prize for philosophy, a gold medal, presented by the Rev. J. A. M. Brosseau, awarded to Louis Hebert.

First prize for commerce, a silver medal, presented by His Excellency the Governor-General, awarded to J. B. Barbeau.

First prize for French literature, a gold medal, presented by Dr. P. E. Bousquet, awarded to H. Jetté.

First prize for mathematics, a gold medal, presented by Mr. Albert Dupuis, awarded to Antoine Lalonde.

First prize for French declamation, a gold medal, presented by Mr. N. Turcot, Mayor of St. Louis, awarded to Lucien Gendron.

First prize for French declamation, a gold medal, awarded to Edmond Latourle.

First prize for English declamation, a gold medal, presented by Mr. R. N. MacCosham, won by M. Chanut.

Second prize for English declamation, a silver medal overlaid in gold, presented by Mr. Thos. Hanley, won by Leslie Dann.

First prize for drawing, a gold medal, presented by Mr. Joseph Sawyer, awarded to L. Venne.

First prize for arithmetic, a gold medal, presented by Mr. Fred C. Lariviere, awarded to E. Senecal.

First prize for French poetry, a gold medal presented by Mr. C. G. H. Chamberland, awarded to G. Papineau.

KING'S HALL, COMPTON, QUE.

Mr. T. A. Cochrane, Lennoxville, presided at the annual prize distribution at King's Hall, the girls' school at Compton, Que., this week. The luncheon which preceded the closing exercises was attended by parents and friends of the students, several being from a distance. The programme, which included musical numbers, reports and addresses, was greatly enjoyed. Miss McKrill, instructor in music, was highly complimented as also were her pupils for the excellence of their vocal renderings. The report of the lady principal showed the school to be in a flourishing condition.

The Rev. A. Stephens, hon. secretary, read the report of Professor T. Ridler, Dean of McGill University, who recently examined the school for the second year in succession. This was most gratifying, special mention being made of the excellent work done in English, languages and art.

The chairman then called upon Mr. James Mackinnon, of Sherbrooke, to present the prizes. After the presentation, Mr. Mackinnon, in the course of his address, spoke on the advantage gained by such a training as they received at this school, and congratulated everybody connected with the school on its success.

The Rev. Dr. Shreve, of Sherbrooke, also gave a brief address. Tea was served in the reception rooms, which were prettily decorated, and the visitors had an opportunity of inspecting the art work which had been arranged in the hall, and adjoining rooms. The work in this section, which is in charge of Miss E. H. Messent, showed results in china painting, oil, and water-colors, Creta Sevis work and wood carving, such as are seldom obtained except by pupils who attend regular art schools, and devote all their time to such work. The school will re-open on Sept. 19.

FORM PRIZES. Form III, Iris Piddington; Form IV, B. Marie Rutherford; Form IV, A. Mollie FitzGibbon; Form V, Rachel Webb. Presented by Bishop of Quebec—Dionysy, Mollie FitzGibbon.

Presented by Dean of Quebec—Literature, Rachel Webb. Presented by Mrs. Hunter Dunn—History, Marie Rutherford. Presented by Mr. J. Mackinnon—Mathematics, senior, Mollie FitzGibbon. Presented by Mr. J. Mackinnon—Mathematics, junior, Iris Piddington.

Da Stewart; painting, oil and water colors, Dorothy Rhodes; wood carving, Dorothy Rhodes.

Drawing—Division I, Marjorie Stain; Division II, Hazel Ibbotson; Division III, Marjorie Cochrane; drill prize, Lois Rice; needlework prize, Phyllis Dean. House prizes—Form V, Edna Stewart; Form IV, A., Dorothy Rhodes; Form IV, B., Alice Evans; Form III, Evelyn Porteous.

Highest aggregate in greatest number of subjects—M. FitzGibbon. Examination prize, Dorothea Parsons. Highest position in Province of Quebec, finals—Marguerite Rice.

Highest position in preliminary subjects—Rachel Webb. Dr. King's medal for highest aggregate gained by pupil longest in the school—Iris Piddington.

PUBLIC EXAMINATION RESULTS.

Royal Academy and Royal Academy of Music—Associated Board, Intermediate, O. Lusk; school examinations, higher, G. Williams; lower, D. Browne, A. Evans; elementary, M. Cochrane, D. Parsons.

Province of Quebec school examinations, 1907—Preliminary subjects, R. Webb; final, M. Rice, F. Molony, H. Pyke.

SACRED HEART CONVENT.

A prize seldom won was awarded yesterday to Miss Therese Survever, of this city, a student at the Sacred Heart Convent. It requires the combination of many qualities to gain it. Two years ago it was won, but it was twenty-five years before that a candidate had come up to the required standard. The prize of excellence embraces the prize for distinction in study, the prize of virtue, and the prize of Christian doctrine, as well as those of diligence and order. Besides the winning of this exceptional honor, Miss Survever carried off the gold medal presented by Abbé Dupuis, who, in the absence of the Rev. Mother, presided over yesterday's ceremonies. The winner of the Governor-General's medal for English composition was Miss Violet Bouthillier, who also won the prize for success in studies.

Following were the members of the graduating class: Misses Therese Survever, Montreal; Laura Elston, Boston, Mass.; Gabrielle Emard, Valleyfield; Kathleen Pocock, London, Ont.; G. Watt, Montreal.

MISSIS BRYNSONS' SCHOOL RESULTS.

The closing exercises of the Misses Brynsons' school and kindergarten, 113 Shuter street, took place on Thursday. After a short programme by the pupils, prizes were awarded to the following: Bessie Stevenson, Muriel Dart, Mabel Dart, Greeba Williamson, Bessie Thompson, Olive Smith, Margaret Knox, Frances Thomson, Millicent Rendell, Marguerite Burnside, Rowena Clarkson, Kathleen Smart, Blossom Buck, Marjorie Cowan, Ross Gratton, Alexander Thomson, Willie Dart, Gordon Capel, Burfield Loucks, Russell Midgley, Roberts Winter, Reginald Lydon, and Arnold Evans. Margaret Knox was awarded special conduct and sewing prizes.

CANADA'S TRADE.

Combined Imports and Exports for May Decreased Nearly Fifteen and a Half Millions Under May 1907.

Ottawa, June 20.—The combined import and export trade of the Dominion for the month of May, amounted to \$37,882,077, a decrease of \$15,403,830 from last year. For April and May the combined foreign trade was \$68,852,664, which is a shrinkage of \$25,219,212.

The import trade for the month of May was \$23,424,684, a decrease of \$11,382,556. For the two months of April and May the imports were \$43,626,293, a decrease of \$19,516,234.

The exports of Canadian produce for May were \$13,906,472, a decrease of \$2,998,585, and the exports of foreign produce \$590,921, a decrease of \$1,082,689.

The exports of Canadian produce for the months of April and May together, were \$24,201,300, a decrease of \$2,453,066, and the exports of foreign produce \$1,025,071, a decrease of \$3,247,372 of which \$2,933,028 was made up of coin and bullion.

The May exports of domestic produce were as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Product and Value. Rows include The Mine, The Fisheries, The Forest, Animals and their produce, Agriculture, Manufactures, and Miscellaneous.

FETE CHAMPETRE.

A fete champetre will be held on Mr. C. W. Linn's grounds, Westmount avenue, on Wednesday afternoon, from four to six o'clock, in aid of the Brevin Rest, ice cream, strawberries, and other refreshments will be served. If Wednesday afternoon is rainy, the fete will be held on Thursday. The grounds are reached by the Beaver Hall and Guy street car. All are cordially invited.

A. C. P. R. APPOINTMENT.

Mr. George Hodge, superintendent of Canadian Pacific terminals in Montreal, has been appointed superintendent of the Montreal-Quebec division of the road, and will enter upon his new duties on July 1, succeeding Mr. W. J. Singleton, who will be superannuated on that date. As superintendent of terminals in Montreal, Mr. Hodge will be succeeded by Mr. J. R. Galliland, who has been terminal agent at West St. John for seven years.

THE QUEBEC BATTLEFIELD

Cards have already been distributed in twenty of the municipal schools in the province, and it is hoped that other schools will send in requests for cards.

For \$123.30 collected by 27 Crichton schoolboys, 18 will receive certificates of merit. Messrs. K. Handyside and Stewart MacTier have collected \$15.00 and \$10.00 respectively. The public spirit of these boys is greatly to be commended. Another member of the honor roll, Master Victor Edward Friedman, has sent in the proceeds from his second and third books, bringing his total collections up to \$15.00.

The committee has much pleasure in announcing that the substantial sum of \$253.00 was realized by a subscription dance given by Miss Dorothy Brown and Miss Lucy Dodge, on April 22. As already announced in the 'Witness' a cheque has been received from the Bank of Montreal for \$10,000.

GENERAL SUBSCRIPTIONS.

Table with 2 columns: Name and Amount. Lists various individuals and organizations contributing to the fund.

DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

Bill Amending Bank Act Passes Third Reading and is Sent to the Senate.

Ottawa, June 20.—The proposed amendment to the Bank Act to authorize the banks of Canada to enlarge their note circulation during the crop moving season to the extent of about \$24,000,000 by an emergency issue, was given second and third readings yesterday afternoon and afterwards sent to the Senate.

The House also concurred in the resolution to provide for the renewal for another five years of the pig lead bounty which will be embodied in a bill. The House then passed into committee of supply shortly before 4 o'clock, and gave up the rest of the day to the consideration of the estimates. The weather, however, was so warm that it was with the greatest difficulty that the whips could maintain a quorum of members in the chamber.

The remaining votes for public buildings, amounting in all to about a million dollars, now passed before the House rose at 10.45. In the course of the evening there was considerable discussion in regard to the rental of buildings in Ottawa for departmental purposes. The Minister of Public Works laid it down as his opinion that where the government rented buildings for office or other purposes it should pay the ordinary municipal taxes thereon.

KILLED BY LIGHTNING.

Wattford, Ont., June 19. James A. Tanner, a Warwick township farmer, was struck and instantly killed by lightning during a thunderstorm this afternoon. Mr. Tanner was sitting in his vehicle when the bolt struck him. He leaves a widow and family of five children.

Welland, Ont., June 19. Andrew Hooper, an aged and well-known farmer, was struck by lightning while in a rowboat on Welland river, this evening, and instantly killed.

Hespeler, Ont., June 19. An electrical storm passed over this district this evening, doing much damage to trees, etc., and blowing down telegraph poles. The electric light plant is out of business, and the town is in darkness to night.

THE TORREY CHOR.

The Torrey Choir will sing at the General Hospital to-morrow morning, commencing at 9.15 o'clock. A good number of members is looked for as the patients in the different wards to be visited have shown, in the past, that they appreciated this service of song very highly.

STREET CAR CHANGES.

Owing to the corporation of Montreal paving Car street east, the Guy street and Delormier avenue service will be altered as follows, beginning on Monday: Delormier and Craig streets run between Rachel and Craig streets and the Guy street and Beaver Hall cars will run between Place d'Armes square and Lansdowne avenue.

NEW HOCHI

The new Ho Chi Minh trail is being built through the mountains of Indochina. It is a 2,000-mile-long route that will bypass the French-controlled coastal cities and provide a direct link between the north and south of the country.



The man in the portrait is a prominent figure in the Ho Chi Minh movement. He is known for his leadership in the struggle for independence in Indochina.

The Ho Chi Minh trail is a significant development in the region. It will allow for the movement of supplies and personnel between the north and south, bypassing French military control.



LETTERS FROM READERS.

Correspondents are urged to keep in mind the fact that, in the fog of to-day, their letters are likely to gain attention in proportion to their brevity rather than by their length, and that it is far more within our powers to print short letters than long ones.

ENORMITIES.

To the Editor of the 'Witness.' Sir,—I consider that there are two great enormities in this world which are not ventilated and brought to the notice of well-meaning transgressors as much as they should be. The first is that many thousands of well-meaning people in this land of plenty, with more than abundance to supply their every need, can be aware of the awful famine conditions in other lands and never give a single cent's worth of relief. It is my opinion that if those people in Canada alone who are in fairly easy circumstances, together with those who are richer, gave as liberally as they could easily afford to famine relief, there need never be a single death from famine in any part of the world.

The second enormity which I wish to call attention to is the fact that the general public, as well as those in authority in all countries, are so slow and apathetic to heed the bright prospects which are becoming brighter each year of a substantial world wide peace, when fighting between nations over their disputes or misunderstandings will be practically unknown and considered even more outlandish than fighting between two individuals would be, because one or both of the individuals might easily be very much more fierce than the government of an enlightened country.

In conclusion, I wish to thank the editor for the interest taken by the 'Witness' in famine relief and world wide peace, as well as many other deserving causes.

D. E. KILLINS.

Marshville, Ont.

A PREMIUM ON DISHONESTY.

To the Editor of the 'Witness.' Sir,—Under the above caption, I would recall that for eighteen years this country was under the curse of protection, and the people suffered more than words can tell or figures set out, and the flood of evil corruption has spread through the whole community politically till it is almost impossible to find any honesty. I hope that the day will come soon when straight dealing will be the rule, then shall the people of this Canada prosper.

T. C. OLIVE.

St. John West N.B.

THE GRAVES OF THE PIONEERS.

To the Editor of the 'Witness.' Sir,—People generally are becoming interested in preserving graveyards from desecration and demolition, and the sympathy of every one with the natural interest in his ancestry and home, and the due reverence for the dead, is being aroused to a necessity of thought, and care, in this matter. In some cases a fund has been raised by subscription to meet the expense, to be drawn upon by the trustees, etc., of the denomination interested. So far as the present is concerned, or the immediate future, this system will succeed. But in the far-

away future, when the descendants of the pioneers visit the country, looking for proofs, or reminders, of the past, in very many cases it will be impossible to reach to the long ago. Who travelling in Eastern countries has not looked forward with pleasure, and enjoyed with profit, the old-time marks that were made of olden history? And who has not shuddered to see, in some countries, the flagstones, and inscriptions covering them, trampled on, and as time passed, made into open street? In some places it is customary to lay a large tombstone upon the grave, and in this manner there are graveyards in several of the cities in Great Britain. But even that does not appeal to us as do the graves of the first settlers of a country whose lives were worn out by sacrifice, unappreciated, unknown, by even the present generation. Who is there that has not the proper reverence for the dead, and with their past lives, and history?

This has caused thought and effort towards their preservation. But it must be admitted that the fund system is wanting in permanence. The changes going on, and, in some localities, the complete change, is so inevitable that a more permanent arrangement is necessary. Even in one hundred years from now, in many instances, the money will be accumulating, wasted, or lost. Not even a descendant of the organization in the country. The overturned and broken tombstones, the bramble-covered graves, the wasting ruins unthought of, boundaries encroached upon, limits lost, and churches rebuilt into stables.

Allow me, then, briefly, to say, it is the duty of posterity to preserve the graves of the first settlers of the province. It cannot be done by the fund system, but so long as provincial law shall control, and municipal corporations exist, so long would the matter be under proper control. Should the legislature pass a bill vesting in the municipal councils the care of the rural graveyards, and provide for the expense (which would be very small) by annual assessment on the municipality, such a measure would redound to the honor of the province. There is neither race, politics nor religion in this matter, and I trust it is a subject worthy the attention of the new legislature.

JAMES DICKSON, Trenholmeville, June 16.

INIQUITOUS ELECTION LAWS.

To the Editor of the 'Witness.' Sir,—For a number of weeks past an epidemic of political 'unpleasantness' has prevailed in parliamentary circles at Ottawa, greatly retarding the transaction of legitimate business of the session, needlessly increasing the public expenditure, lowering the dignity of Canada's lawmakers, and exhibiting the inconsistency as well as the injustice involved in the present mode of choosing the so-called people's representatives. Although political juggling is at the bottom of the trouble, yet the ostensible cause is the addition or subtraction of a few score names of doubtful electors on the voters' lists in Manitoba and British Columbia. Yet these legal 'strainers at a gnat' seem to be quite indifferent to the fact that practically more than seven-eighths of the adult population of the Dominion have no legal part in the choosing of the men who make and administer our laws.

Even were Canadian election laws permitted to retain the old fogeyish idea that women are incapable of exercising the full privilege of citizenship, the fact would still remain that practically over three-fourths of the men folk in the Dominion are deprived of the

privilege of helping to send their best men to represent them in parliament. In order to illustrate the palpable absurdity of the present representative system, let me refer to the case of the county of Hochelaga in the last provincial election. There were in the county 298 polling places, at which 16,705 votes were recorded. Of these recorded votes, 8,207, or less than one-half, were in support of the government candidate. Since the number of county of Hochelaga is somewhere in the vicinity of fifty thousand, we may safely reckon that fully forty thousand of them were disfranchised at the last election, as they either cast their ballots for men who were not elected, or else they had no chance to vote for a man whom they esteemed worthy of their support. Even the 8,207 electors who voted for the successful candidate were partially disfranchised since they had but one representative, while the average number of votes given for the successful candidates throughout the rest of the province was less than one-fourth of the votes recorded for the successful candidate in Hochelaga.

Had all the practically disfranchised voters of Hochelaga County—who did not come to the polls because they had no opportunity to vote for a man they thought worthy of their support)—had they instead turned out in a body and voted against a government that has for years been treating them so shabbily, the provincial premier might have had one less in the numbers of his support in parliament, a matter of small consequence, since he would still have three-fourths of the M.P.P.'s pledged to support him. But the thought that there was an adverse majority against him of over ten thousand of the votes polled in Quebec last Monday week, would not be pleasant to contemplate.

I have lately been amused when looking over the election news in some of the provincial papers in Ontario to read such statements as 'Liberalism is dead in Ontario,' 'Toronto is solidly Tory,' etc. Now, if we look into the matter carefully we may discover that Liberalism is still alive and kicking in Ontario, and Toronto is far from being as solidly Tory as its so-called representatives lately elected to the Provincial Legislature. The natural defective election laws of Ontario were made more wickedly one-sided in Toronto by dividing the city into four electoral divisions, each of which was to elect two members to the provincial legislature. Each of these electoral divisions was known to contain a voting majority of Tories, and each voter was given two votes, one for each of his party candidates in his division; consequently there was no chance, apparently, for any one but a Tory to be elected, and they were all accordingly duly elected. The double system of voting also helped to make it appear that Toronto was overwhelmingly Tory.

But by counting up the votes cast in the 421 polling places in the city of Toronto we find that 29,403 votes were cast for the eight government supporters who were elected. The candidates who were independent, or else were opposed to the government, received 22,115 votes. As each voter cast two votes, it would appear that 19,702 voters polled their votes for the eight government supporters elected, while 11,658 voters polled their votes for opposition or independent candidates, none of whom were elected. Since Toronto contains nearly four times as many legal voters as the number who voted for the successful candidates, had all of these practically disfranchised voters but turned out and voted 'agin the government,' not only in Toronto alone, but also including the whole province, the government would

have something less than a majority of the popular vote in their favor, although they might still retain among their supporters more than two-thirds of the M.P.P.'s elected at the last election. With such facts before us, it would scarcely require the aid of a pair of eyes to draw the inference that there is still considerable room for improvement in the election laws in this Canada of ours. D. C.

THE GIFT OF TONGUES.

To the Editor of the 'Witness.' Sir,—In your issue of March 10, I notice an article by E. M. Graham on 'The gift of tongues.' In it the writer refers to a footnote of yours commenting on a previous article on the same subject in which you ask that proof be given as to the reality of such remarkable occurrences. The writer proceeds to cite two instances in proof of the remarkable revival of apostolic faith, and gives the names of Pandita Ramabai and the Rev. Albert Norton, of India as vouchers for the genuineness of this work. At the outset, Mr. Editor, I wish it clearly understood that I am not writing as an opponent to the doctrine of 'the gift of tongues,' but only wish to state that in company with many other missionaries and Christians in India I would not care to accept the two instances as positive proof of this teaching. Not that I question the veracity of Pandita Ramabai or Mr. Norton, but I do question the conclusion they arrived at. Since the beginning of the revival I visited Pandita Ramabai's work at Kodaon. There I found a large staff of European missionary ladies superintending the various departments of work in connection with the institution. Quite a number of native helpers conversed with me in English, but I was also informed that English was being taught. The lady who conducted me through the different departments used English almost altogether when speaking to the natives. Throughout India to-day tens of thousands of the youth read and speak English. In my own station, in a native state, we have a number of young people who read English fairly well, but many do not understand the meaning of what they read. In mission government and state schools the children on certain occasions memorize and repeat correctly long recitations in English, yet in many cases they could not even attempt a translation into their own language.

Then, in reference to the instance at Dhond, which place is only a short distance from Kodaon and not in any sense a part of India. And if my memory serves me correctly, there was formerly some connection between the work or workers of these two stations. Sanskrit is referred to as the 'tongue used there.' Any missionary can tell you that many of the languages and dialects of India are derived largely from the Sanskrit. Educated Hindus are all supposed to know more or less Sanskrit. Many of our native mission helpers are fairly proficient in it. We are told that a young man 'brayed' in an unknown tongue, which was afterwards found to be Sanskrit. Why should we consider this a miraculous thing when there are so many opportunities offered for hearing, reading, learning, and speaking both English and Sanskrit? Some would, perhaps, rather first question what is the motive this person has in using this tongue.

In the second instance given, we notice that it was only afterwards that the tongue used was found to be Sanskrit. If we are to accept the two instances given as positive proofs, we can imagine how easily proofs may be presented for any doctrine or theory advanced. I have put the following question to a number of native Christians and Hindus: 'What would you think if you heard some of your near friends and family begin to pray or talk in a tongue you did not understand?' Their replies were about as follows: 'We would think they were gabbling, or that they were mocking us, or that they were out of their senses.'

Not one even hinted that they would be astonished, or that they would consider anything miraculous. We had always considered that the miraculous part was 'that every man heard them speak in his own language' (Acts ii, 3), and not in a, to them, unknown language, as in the two instances cited. Your Manitoba correspondent would do well to note that miraculous occurrences as a rule take place in some remote district or far-off country.

ALEX. NUGENT, Ujjain, Central India.

TEMPERANCE AND PROHIBITION.

To the Editor of the 'Witness.' Sir,—My attention has been called to an article in the 'Canada' of June 11, on the question of 'Temperance and prohibition.' I was sorry to find that a respectable journal like the 'Canada' would open its columns to such an absurd piece of literature. The article in question is given in an address by Julius Lieberman, president of the Brewers' Association of the United States. The speaker undertakes to show that the Milwaukee beer is a pure drunk and affirms that the principal physiologists are unanimously agreed as to its nutritious value. The author of this address has little or no knowledge of the imperial verdict of science as to the real value of beer and all other alcoholic liquors. Fifteen thousand physicians in England recently petitioned the government to have the school children taught the pernicious effects of alcohol on the human system. The use of liquor, whether it be in larger or in smaller quantities, is injurious to the human body. It damages the brain, the heart, the nerves, the muscles, the digestive organs. It sends its victims in vast numbers to untimely graves.

Mr. Lieberman wonders what all the clamor for prohibition means? He need not be surprised. The people are becoming educated as to the real character of the accursed traffic in which he is engaged. Sixteen millions of children in the day schools of the United States are being regularly taught in

scientific form the deadly evils of beer and whiskey. The light of intelligence is being thrown upon the hateful traffic, and the traffic must inevitably go down before the light. Education is doing much to stimulate the great movement for prohibition. Mr. Lieberman wonders for the excellent qualities of the saloon. He asks as it does not tolerate drunkenness or disorder? I have known a good deal of the saloon for fully sixty years. I am quite sure that it would be much better for the saloon if it were without its character. The saloon has always been a breeding ground of crime, and the fighting ground for the lowest class of toughs and rowdies. This is why the decent people of all civilized countries are so eager to prohibit it. It is worthy of remark that the people of the United States are beginning to solve the problem of the liquor trade in a very direct and drastic manner. This does not by any means please the brewery interests. The results of this popular interference with the trade is disappointing. Just lately, in Kansas they have noticed on many of the jails like this: 'Let in some of them not a single prisoner.' The poor Milwaukee brewer is scared. They feel that their business is being menaced with annihilation. It is an important fact that the millionaire liquor magnate of the United States have been accumulating a big fund to buy up newspapers to prosecute their cause to the detriment of the trade. I have no knowledge that this form of whiskey ethics or brewery morality has reached to Canada.

Mr. Lieberman imagines the solution of the problem of the traffic should be left to the politicians and to the merchants engaged in the business. It has been left to these parties for over two hundred years and a horrible solution has been made of it. The American and Canadian citizens have adopted a more sensible course. Local option and state prohibition which the United States and Canada are adopting will more effectively put an end to the traffic. The brewer orator advises that they should spread the light and try to make the people believe that the trade was in harmony with the principles of temperance. We thoroughly approve of the idea of spreading the light and we feel certain that the more the light is spread on this question the less hope there is for the continuance of the traffic.

We are not under any apprehension that the platform performances of the Milwaukee orators or the contemptible scribbles of a crowd of heralding journalists will do more for the cause. The misrepresentations in which they indulge are too many and too great to deceive anybody. Had they some regard for truth and common sense, they might mislead the most illiterate, but the recklessness of their statements causes them to fail utterly in their object.

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SOCIALISM.

To the Editor of the 'Witness.' Sir,—In today's 'Witness' you publish a letter from a correspondent who writes under the 'nom de plume' of 'Tonei.' He also claims acquaintance with me. Had it not been for this anonymity I would not have repined to his structures, as a close analysis of what he says, by an impartial thinker, will demonstrate that he has strengthened the arguments I used against socialism, which he seeks to repudiate. I have always made it a rule to speak and write under my own name, believing this course of action in the best interests of truth, more particularly when one is controvcrting opinions which he is presumed to have once held. Toher, in his opening remarks, charges me with confounding socialism with present political organization. 'Pray, what are the socialists laboring for? Is it not to secure control of the available political organization, that is a majority of votes? Do they not advise the exploited proletariat to vote for socialist candidates? He further says that he 'knows Mr. Rose when he speaks with all his convictions about the class struggle—he surely considered it righteous.' I will not for one moment deny that I was at one time sympathetically inclined towards socialism. With all the enthusiasm and idealism of youth I was sorely troubled at the poverty and destitution that met the eye and enraged the heart. Having read with avidity all the socialist literature I could lay hands on, my emotions were attuned to the denunciations of capitalism and hope, fired by the roseate pictures painted by socialist writers, who spoke of the economic and social paradise that would come with the ushering in of a socialist commonwealth. Being, however, keenly resolved to study the question in all its phases, and not from the standpoint of 'class' alone, I began to take an opposite view of the question with the object of reaching some rational conclusion, based upon the study and observation of individuals in their everyday ethical and practical relations towards one another. And here I must digress somewhat to confess that, even while holding semi-socialistic opinions, I was pained at the necessity from the socialist standpoint, of the preaching of 'class consciousness and its natural ally, 'class hatred.' It appeared to me as an extremely brutal method of awakening the human conscience to a more just appreciation of the rules that should govern man's humanity to man. In addition,

The average man is unconsciously prejudiced and persistent in his divisions, and a social life. It is only when he is excited and aroused to the low plane of the thinking man, that he gets out of his class and into the realm of the individual. This may be said to be the only method of which we are capable of escaping the influence of class distinctions. The generalization of revolutionary ideas, the distribution of the wealth of the world, and the abolition of the class system, are the only means of reaching the intellectual and moral heights of the individual. This may be said to be the only method of which we are capable of escaping the influence of class distinctions. The generalization of revolutionary ideas, the distribution of the wealth of the world, and the abolition of the class system, are the only means of reaching the intellectual and moral heights of the individual. This may be said to be the only method of which we are capable of escaping the influence of class distinctions.

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# The Boys' Page.

## Why Dayton Was Safe.

(By Carroll Carrington, in the 'Youth's Companion'.)

'He is one of those fellows who can do anything,' said Saunders to the group of boys gathered on the library steps.

It was past three o'clock on Friday afternoon, and recitations were over for the week. The next day would be something vastly more important—the occasion of the semi-annual baseball game between Prescott and Cole. Saunders was the Prescott captain, and his companions at the present moment were seven of the team that was to assemble under his leadership on the diamond the following afternoon.

'I haven't found a single thing in the way of athletics that he can't do—and do as easily as rolling off a log,' Saunders reiterated, as much to convince his own natural skepticism as that of his friends; for this new man, Drayton, was a stranger as yet.

'Where'd you say he came from, Saunders?' 'Oh, some mountain place—Pine Grove. I think he called it. He had quite a talk with him. He's assigned to my section, you know, and has a seat next to mine.'

'How do you know he can do anything?' asked another. 'Did he tell you himself?'

'Saw him. The first day I met him we were passing the football grounds and the ball rolled out in front of us. Drayton caught it, and sent a drop-kick straight over the goal, forty yards away. It nearly paralyzed the fellows who were playing. The next moment Brookings was asking him to show up for practice with the "try-out" squad. The same afternoon, as we walked down the cinder-path, he started after Smithfield, who was sprinting for all he was worth, and actually caught him by the belt and hauled him off the path.'

'Where?' ejaculated Browne, the second baseman. 'What did Smithfield do? He must have thought a goblin was after him.'

'He was too astonished to do anything but stare and pant. And yesterday Drayton took the hammer and threw it within two inches of the school record. The wonderful part of it is that he seems to be in first-class training, although he came here apparently fresh from the mountains.'

'There he is now!' said Dayle, Prescott's pitcher. 'And look! What has he got in his arms? Somebody dropped it!'

The boys set off at a run to meet a tall, stalwart youth who bore in his arms a limp little body in a bathing-suit. 'Professor Taylor's kid!' cried Saunders, catching sight of the little one's face. Drayton's whole apparel was soggy with water, and his hair streamed over his freckled face and trickled drops of water into his eyes and ears and down his neck as he trudged along at the head of a crowd of smaller boys.

'What's happened, Drayton?' Saunders shouted. The crowd was sweeping across the schoolyard toward Professor Taylor's residence.

'Ruddy, he fell into the big tank by mistake!' cried out one of the youngsters at Drayton's heels. 'He was in swimming in our tank, where it's shallow, and he got into the big boys' tank, where the water's over your head, you know, and he got scared and went down. We all screamed and yelled out of the windows; and Drayton heard us and jumped right through the window and into the water, and pulled Ruddy out. He's not dead; he opened his eyes just a minute ago, didn't he, Sammy?'

A crowd of the larger boys were round the rescuer and his burden, now, and the professor came running to meet them, pale but thankful.

'He isn't hurt any, sir,' said Drayton, delivering the child into the professor's arms. 'He hadn't been down more than once, I think. Here, kid, open your eyes and let a fellow see that you're alive.'

The child opened his eyes and slowly wiped the water out of one of them with a chubby fist. Then he began to cry. The crowd set up a tumult of cheers: 'He's all right!' 'Good for you, Ruddy!' 'Three cheers for the professor!' The professor bowed his head over the little half-naked figure.

'Where's Drayton?' 'The shout went round the crowd on a hundred tongues, and a hundred shoulders surged toward a central point from which represented the tempestuous desire of the moment.

'Drayton! Drayton! Here he is! Up with him! Here we go! Hurrah for the new boy!' 'Hurrah!' shrieked Saunders, throwing his cap into the air. 'What did I tell you, fellows? Didn't I say he could do anything?'

The eight members of the Prescott baseball nine followed the crowd which carried Drayton in triumph to his lodgings.

'We'll give you time to change your clothes,' said Saunders, when the hero was set down at his door and stood with his cap off, thanking the boys for their 'posting,' as he blushing called their admiring cheers. 'After that we want to see you.'

'All right. Where shall it be?' 'We'll be out in the field practising. Come out there, will you?' 'Yes,' said Drayton. 'Good-by for the present, and the door closed, while the crowd cheered again.

'Wonder if he can play ball?' said Dayle, the Prescott pitcher, as the base ball party moved away to the gymnasium to don uniforms for practice. 'Is that what you're going to ask him, Saunders?' 'Yes.'

'The chances are that he can,' said Browne. 'He seems to have had a good lot of experience somewhere and at some time. Are you sure he came from the mountains, Saunders?'

'Yes, but don't let that deceive you. They do a few things in the mountains, you know. And I have a notion that Drayton plays baseball as he does everything else—with a speed that will make most of us hustle to keep up with him. It's

tremendous energy that's the matter with him,' concluded Saunders, wisely. 'A fellow that goes right at a thing with confidence and energy is bound to excel in it if he's got ordinary sense to begin with.'

There was great need that Drayton—or somebody—should turn out a good ball-player, and that right speedily, since the game of the term was scheduled for the morrow, and the Prescott nine had suddenly found itself one man short on the very eve of the contest. Kingsley, the third baseman, had sprained his wrist at practice, and by a coincidence of misfortune three other men had been injured during the week. Any one of these three utility players might have taken Kingsley's place or substituted for some regular player who could have done so; but their removal made this impossible. There were two or three others, who might serve in an emergency; but Saunders realized the danger of resetting his regular field by shifting one of his regulars to the unfamiliar position at third, and he also demurred at putting into so responsible a position any of the boys of the school with whose playing he was acquainted—for Saunders was a hard critic.

'What I want is a man as good as Kingsley, if I can get him,' the captain declared, as the team walked out for practice, 'and there's a bare chance, as I said, that this new chap, Drayton, is the man we need.'

'Nothing like grasping at a straw,' remarked McCloud, the phlegmatic first baseman. 'He might be a crackjack, even though it is the greatest probability on earth that he can't catch a ball with a fish-net.'

'Here he comes. We'll soon find out.' Drayton sauntered out to the field as composedly as if he had not saved a life less than an hour ago and did not know that the whole school was watching him furtively to see what a real live hero looked like, and how he might act in his leisure moments.

'Do you play baseball, old man?' asked Saunders, while the others held their breath. 'Yes,' said Drayton. The team drew a sigh of relief.

'We're short a man for to-morrow's game against Cole,' Saunders went on, hopefully. 'Kingsley's sprained his wrist. Will you play third in his place?' Drayton shook his head. 'I don't altogether like base-ball,' he said, 'nor any other game where there's a chance for cheating.'

'Cheating?' 'But, my dear fellow,' cried Saunders, in surprise, while the others stared, 'we don't cheat! Whatever put that idea into your head?'

'I have played baseball myself,' retorted Drayton. 'Of course there's nothing personal in my remark. If you are assuring me that you fellows don't cheat when you get a chance, I'll take your word for it.'

'We play nothing but a square game,' said Saunders, with a frown. 'No other kind would be allowed at Prescott. We wanted you because we imagined you would help us beat Cole to-morrow, as you seem to be good at almost everything. But if you think we—'

Drayton walked up and patted Saunders' sleeve with a friendly laugh. 'I think nothing,' he said, lightly. 'And if you still want me to play to-morrow, just give me a Prescott uniform and put your trust in luck. Sorry I can't stay to practise with you now, but Taylor is sending "immediate delivery" messages after me to compel my presence before him, so you'll have to excuse me,' and he was off over the grass towards the professor's cottage.

When the team lined up against Cole on the following afternoon everybody in the immense crowd behind the diamond knew that the man in Kingsley's uniform was the new chap from the mountains who saved the kid's life. But nobody had seen him play yet, nor did anybody seem to care much whether he played well or not. It was a big day for the 'new boy from the mountains,' no matter if he should let slip past him every ball that came his way, and strike out every time he came to the bat. He had proved himself a hero, and a hero is bigger than a mere ball-player any day in the week, even if it be a Saturday at Prescott College.

As it turned out, this was extremely fortunate for the Prescott College ball-team and a fine thing for the college in general.

It began in the fourth inning, with the score tied and the adherents of each college standing on tiptoe to watch Cole's star base-runner trying to get in with the run that should place the visiting team a point ahead.

This base-runner, whose name was Conner, had made a fine drive of the ball into deep centre field for two bases, and was now playing far off, in a desperate attempt to 'steal' third. Twice the Prescott pitcher, who was watching the bases narrowly out of the corner of one eye, had whirled about with the ball and almost caught Conner napping by a swift throw to the base. There were two Cole men out in this inning, and a good batter was up, and Conner might score if he could get a long start from second base before the ball should be hit.

The Prescott pitcher drew back his arm. Conner took a generous lead, and started madly for third base the moment the ball was pitched. Drayton ran to the bag, the catcher caught the ball and whisked it down to third and into Drayton's hands like a shot.

Twenty feet from the bag Conner took the only chance left him to reach there safely. He dropped face downward, gave a terrific plunge, and by the space of a hair slid under Drayton's hands as the

latter whirled with the ball to touch him out.

The crowd broke into a roar of conflicting cheers and clamors for the umpire's decision. The noise was so great that nobody could hear what it was. Was Conner out or safe?

Drayton stood with the ball in his hand, looking at the umpire. Conner lay sprawled at full length on the ground, one hand clutching the bag, the umpire waved his hand toward him.

'You're out!' 'The words came to the ears of the crowd at last. Instantly the roaring was subdued, for now Prescott was cheering while Cole was indignantly shouting its protests against the decision.

'Safe! safe! He's safe!' cried a thousand voices. 'Play ball!' called the umpire, motioning for the Cole men to take the field. Prescott's men were walking in to their bench, counting the other side out—except Drayton. He still stood at his station. Conner still held to the bag.

'Come in, Drayton!' called Saunders, elation in his voice. 'You made a good play, then, old man!'

'But you are mistaken,' was the astonished reply, while the crowd suddenly fell into a deep hush. 'He isn't out. I didn't touch him.'

'What!' gasped Saunders. The seven other players of Prescott and most of those of the Cole team stared at the tall, freckled-faced youth in a daze of consternation, which quickly rumbled into a growl of disgust on the one side and surged into a yell of triumph on the other.

Drayton's action was incredible. For a player to volunteer to change an umpire's decision from favorable to unfavorable was an unprecedented proceeding. Was it not the umpire's business to settle things, and the duty of each side to abide by his judgments? Of course either side had a chance to profit by an incorrect decision now and then, but that was the other side's loss and the umpire's fault. Why should the advantage be abandoned by an unnecessary admission from the side acquiring it, even if it were acquired through error and not by actual play?

Saunders and all Prescott in unison rose up and denounced Drayton for the biggest dunce that had ever appeared on the Prescott diamond. 'They even insisted that his admission should receive no attention from the umpire—that it should pass as untechnical and out of order, on the ground that the umpire had already decided the play beyond recall before Drayton had spoken.'

But the umpire shook his head. He declared that the testimony of one of Prescott's own men was sufficient to change his decision, as it was obvious that the runner had reached the base safely if the opponent guarding the base said so. It might be untechnical, but his notion of the game was that both colleges wanted the play decided on its merits and not on mistakes of eyesight by one who was not playing. Therefore he would reverse his decision, glad to have been apprised of his error, and thankful that he had been spared the deplorable accident of giving the game to Prescott unjustly.

'Nothing much could be said to this,' what little was said Drayton himself uttered.

'I was told yesterday,' he said to Saunders, 'that nothing but a square game was allowed at Prescott. I warned you that I had played baseball before and knew the weaknesses of the game. There is only one way to play any game squarely. If a man is out he is out, and I don't want him called safe just because he is on my side; neither do I want an opponent called out if he isn't out. That might be a triumph of deception, but it wouldn't be a triumph of skill, and I believe the game is intended to be one of skill rather than one of deception.'

'Don't argue with him,' advised Dayle. 'There's no use talking from two different points of view on the matter. Fire the umpire and let Drayton do the whole thing. I don't imagine the other side would object.'

'Play ball!' ordered the umpire again, and the game proceeded.

Conner scored on the next pitched ball, which was batted out safely. A moment later the side was retired. The score now stood: Cole, 2; Prescott, 1.

So it remained to the last inning. Then something happened.

Cole had its turn at the bat and had failed to increase its lead. It was now Prescott's final chance to tie the score or win.

Dayle came to the plate and struck out. Browne followed with a lucky hit over second, and reached first base in safety. By a hazardous slide he ad-

vanced a base a moment later. Saunders came up and went out on a slow grounder to short-stop. Drayton was the next man up. There were two out. 'Has he made a hit during the game?' asked a glum Prescott devotee of his neighbor.

'One,' replied the neighbor, shortly. At that moment Drayton made another. The ball left the bat with a sharp crack that somehow told those who heard it that it was to be a long, safe hit. When it landed, the centre-fielder was chasing it away into the corner of the field, and Browne was centering home with the tally that tied the score!

On round the bases sped Drayton, now last, first, now over second, now coming down to third with a speed that made the eyebrows of the college crack sprinter rise. 'Come home! Come home!' shouted the Prescott coaches and the Prescott audience, while the other Prescott players danced from their bench and threw their caps into the air.

Would he be able to make it! The ball was recovered and thrown toward the diamond just as Drayton tore round the third corner and started for the plate. Cole's second baseman caught and sent the ball whizzing across the diamond to the Cole catcher, who stood quivering to receive it and block the coming Drayton before he should reach the rubber plate.

Down came the runner, slap came the ball into the catcher's big glove. It was a great and true throw from the Cole second baseman; but it was also a great slide which carried Drayton round behind his waiting toe and brought his outstretched hand to the plate a quarter of a second before the catcher could reach him with the ball!

If there had been a pandemonium of noise from the crowd before, there was a bedlam now. The umpire had been unable to see Drayton touch the plate, owing to the cloud of dust raised by the slide, and was hesitating whether to call him out or safe. 'Safe' meant the game for Prescott. 'Out' meant that the score was merely tied.

The crowd suddenly realized that the umpire was hesitating, and fell silent. The umpire looked Drayton full in the face.

'Did you touch the plate or not?' he asked sharply. 'I touched the plate,' came the reply, with equal distinctness.

And then the crowd knew in a flash that the game was won. Drayton would be believed. The decision followed as the Prescott contingent swept down with the cheers of victory thrilling across the field.

'You are safe,' said the umpire to Drayton.

Not one of the Cole nines dissented—'which fact,' said Saunders, at dinner that evening, 'goes to show that Drayton's scheme worked better than ours would have done, after all. We should have had those Cole chaps squabbling over that decision for the next six months, whereas now they are satisfied and cheerful.'

'Most fellows are satisfied to be beaten fairly,' said Drayton.

**To live for to-day is in the noblest sense to live for eternity.—D. J. Burrell.**

### PERFECT CONTROL.

I once visited a large steel factory, says a well-known man. My friend showed me a great steam triphammer that weighed thirty tons. It could hit a mighty stroke. After showing me what it could do, he said: 'The best thing and the wonderful thing about it is the control we have over it.' Then he took an egg, that I could have crushed between my thumb and finger. He raised the hammer and placed the egg under it. Then he let the hammer down and down until it touched the egg and held it quite firm. Then he lifted the hammer and removed the egg, which was not cracked the slightest. All our energies and powers should be under no less control than the triphammer.

### MODEST TOMMY.

The camel has nine stomachs—I heard it at the Zoo. Now, wouldn't I be happy if I had only two!

Oh, yes, I'd brim with gladness And call my life a dream, With one for just roast turkey, And one for just ice-cream. —Puck.

### PUZZLES.

- 34. What one must be to acquire a knowledge of books.
- 5-6. A courteous form of address used in speaking to a woman.
- 7-8. Freedom from anything that pains or troubles.
- 9-10. A woman who is a member of a religious community.
- 11-12. Two.
- 13. An article.

—New York 'Tribune.'

### Answers to Last Week's Puzzles.

Cross-Word Enigma.—Vesuvius.

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## INDOOR AND OUTDOOR DEPARTMENT

### The Baltimore Oriole.

(By Prof. W. C. McClelland, in the 'Youth's Companion'.)

From a port in Central America the Baltimore oriole duly arrived again this year. Most ships, it is true, are laden as common, but this one is otherwise. It he were a turtle dove he would nest and sit on a limb close to his mate, and both were in a mood to fly, but the brilliant knight, being stronger in wing than his lady, took his own way, and reached the site of his summer residence three or four days in advance of his sweetheart and his sisters. It seems a discourteous sort of proceeding, this, but, bless his selfish heart! she will be along without fail. Meanwhile all he has to do is to search the trim blossoms for nectar and thence to sing. With three or four comrades as brilliant as himself, perched among the snowy blossoms of the top of a great cherry tree, he delights to form as splendid a picture as the whole springtime affords.

The Baltimore oriole is especially distinguished as a piece of natural harmony; his breast is, perhaps, of the warmest color known; his voice is kept in a pitch to correspond with the hue of his vest; and his temper is as hot as his color. When his sweetheart, for practical purposes somewhat less cautious in color than he, for as a prospective prudent housewife she does not wish to attract too much attention, arrives, they select a pendant limb, a willow, or an elm, preferred, and prepare to swing a cradle in the air. Birds have strange whimsies about nesting material. The snow-bunting lines her procreant cradle with fox hair; one of the warblers makes much use of hickory catkins; the great crested fly-catcher regards a snakeskin as indispensable timber, while in this latitude the Baltimore bird scours hill and valley for the bark of the milk-weed.

The bird, as an architect, seems to have considerable power of accommodation; at any rate the depth of the nest varies from seven or eight to three or four inches, and as Dr. C. C. Abbott thinks, is a variation according to circumstances. While the male bird sings, the very structure rises, or rather descends, like an exhalation to the sound of music, in virtue of the industry of his mate, unaided except by the encouraging, inspiring notes of her husband's voice, who is a musician, not an architect. And he really is not a superb musician. At all events, if he were not so gloriously pretty, I would venture to say that his voice is not under perfect control; that he produces exquisite passages of pure melody, but gives them up before finishing them, and that he cheapens much that he has to say by over repetition. But in the presence of his conquering beauty I do not see how I have had the heart to write this. Indeed, if I thought anybody would remember it, I would erase it now.

### THE ONLY CHINCHILLA IN NORTH AMERICA DIES IN SAN FRANCISCO.

(George Bancroft Griffith.)

A chinchilla is a great rarity in animals. That this is true in fact may be believed when one learns that in one of the quiet homes on Clay street in San Francisco, California, lived, not long ago, the only chinchilla that was known in North America.

It was presented to its owner, George G. Gault, by Captain Robinson, of the British ship 'Doris.' Having been born on this ship, it was a great pet and especially one to be prized. Its parents came from Bolivia, in South America, far in the heart of the precipitous Andes. 'Chinnie' was the name of this desirable and rare little animal, and his owners prized him highly.

His home was a most comfortable wire cage amply large and clean. Here he spent a most happy existence, and was as merry a little chinchilla as one would ever wish to meet.

A tunnel consisting of basketry about six inches long and three inches in diameter, neatly wadded and covered with flannel, was placed inside his cage, and into this receptacle he always crawled to sleep when tired. His sleeping was all done during the day, and at night he was chipper and pert. He also had a little ladder in his cage, and on this he used to perform a number of tricks. Running up and down, rolling over and falling down and various little performances. He loved the inmates of his home very dearly, and at night when the members of the family returned home he was never so happy as when following them about. Perching on his master's shoulder when he went up stairs to the sitting-room, or rolling around and playing on the carpet, endeavoring to distract their minds and win attention to himself, which he usually succeeded in doing, and then there was a big frolic in store for this household pet.

He never drank water, but procured his nourishment and moisture from cabbage leaves, something after the manner of the rabbit; he also ate leaves of the cauliflower, a little carrots and raisins. He bathed in the dry sand and kept himself perfectly neat and clean.

### A RARE CHANCE.

'Make hay while the sun shines' is a proverb that is by no means limited to the farmer. It is something that we would each do well to learn by heart—a very vastly different thing, by the way, from learning by rote. In fact, when you think it out properly, making hay while the sun shines' is the real secret of success in whatever line you are in.

Now, the only chance of such 'haymaking' is coming for thousands of boys in the next two months, and we want every boy who reads this page to be at it while the sun shines. It will be a grand opportunity for every boy as well as for every girl. You can give them a chance to come time MAKE LARGE YOURSELVES by setting up your own 'make hay while the sun shines' page.

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The Baltimore Oriole is a beautiful bird, and it is a great pleasure to see it in its natural habitat. It is a very common bird in the mountains, and it is a great pleasure to see it in its natural habitat.

The only chinchilla in North America died in San Francisco. It was a great rarity in animals, and it was a great pleasure to see it in its natural habitat.

Chinnie was a great pet and especially one to be prized. Its parents came from Bolivia, in South America, far in the heart of the precipitous Andes. Chinnie was the name of this desirable and rare little animal, and his owners prized him highly.

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The Rev. Canon Chambers, of Lachine, was the guest of friends here on Sunday. Mr. Arthur Sanderson, of Lansdowne avenue, Westmount, has taken a room at Madame Duchesneau's for the summer. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nelles, of Fort street, are occupying the same house as last year.

The closing of the Point Claire district school will be held next Friday evening. Miss Blatchford, who has so ably undertaken the duties of the Point Claire school during the past season, leaves for her home in Huntingdon on Saturday.

The Rev. Mr. Welch and Mrs. Welch and Miss Olive Welch, were the guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Black of 'The Cove.'

Mr. Moodie, of Strathmore, and Mr. Scott, of Lakeside, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Perrin on Sunday. Mr. Andrew MacDougal and Mr. Andrew MacDougal, junior, visited their country home on Saturday last.

Captain Roberts, of the R.M.S. 'Kensington,' Dominion Line, was entertained by friends on Thursday.

LITTLE METIS.

The weather during the past week has been ideal for golfing, and the links are in splendid condition. The summer hotels are now open and ready to receive their guests.

Among the arrivals are the Misses Mathewson, who have opened their cottage at 'Eagle Point.'

Lady Dawson is spending the season at her pretty cottage here. Miss Lois and Mr. Bernard Harrington have arrived. Mrs. and the Misses Harrington will follow shortly.

The Rev. G. A. MacIntosh has returned to Greenwood, Ont. Miss E. Tuckey, Montreal, is spending the summer with her parents at the St. Lawrence house.

The Misses Gwill are now at their cottage, 'Crow's Nest.' Mrs. Dr. Nichols and family have arrived.

Mrs. Wm. Ross is at her cottage, 'Rosemount,' at Leggat's Point. Miss Mathie is the guest of Mrs. Wm. Ross.

Mr. and Mrs. Bates, Ottawa, will not occupy their cottage here this season. Miss G. Crawford has returned from Boston, where she has spent the winter.

Mrs. R. A. E. Greenshields is expected down with her family on Saturday next. She will occupy 'Merlinwood' cottage for the summer.

This cottage has been much improved, including a waterworks connecting with a spring at the back of the property, and modern plumbing throughout.

Mr. Jas. Houston, who was the guest of Miss Astle, has returned to town. Mrs. Cantlie and family are occupying Mrs. Peck's cottage for the season.

Mrs. J. T. Molson, Miss Molson, and Master J. Molson are spending the summer here. Mr. and Mrs. H. Molson arrived recently.

Miss English, accompanied by the Misses Savage and Master D. Savage, are occupying their cottage here.

Mrs. Baylis and Mrs. Williams are occupying Miss Crawford's cottage as usual. Mr. Davis, Montreal, is a guest at Turriff Hall.

Mrs. Fleet and family are expected to arrive at their cottage about the end of next week. Accommodation at the hotels is being taken up fast, and some of the hotels are already entirely spoken for.

These have plenty of accommodation left for the early and late summer weeks, which are often the most enjoyable down here.

SIE. ANNE DE BELLEVUE.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Shea spent a few days visiting friends in the village. Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Shallow and family are now occupying their residence in Senneville.

Miss M. Perkins was the guest of friends over Sunday at the Clarendon. Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hossack spent Sunday at the Clarendon Hotel.

LONGUEUIL.

The town will be as popular as ever this season as a resort for summer residents. Quite a large number have already taken houses and others are coming as soon as the schools are closed in Montreal.

Among the newcomers noticed are:—W. Gear and family, Victoria avenue; Mr. and Mrs. Pritchard, Mr. and Mrs. Bennett, St. Charles street east; Mr. and Mrs. Harold and family, Mr. Stewart, Mrs. Stevens and the Misses Stevens, Mr. Thos. and family, Mr. Moyer and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Watchorne and family have taken possession of their new residence on St. James street, purchased from Mr. Kent, who has moved into the city.

Mr. Priest has sold his house on Gardenville avenue to Mr. J. Anderson, who has taken possession of it. Mr. and Mrs. T. Scott have sold their property and have gone to the North-West.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Ferris, whose house on Quinn avenue was destroyed by fire last year, have returned to town and taken a house on the same street for the year.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Haines have left the town and returned to Montreal. Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Davies and young daughter are back to their old home on Labonte avenue.

The Misses Wright, of Manchester, England, and Miss Howarth are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Muddeman. Miss Carrie Taylor, of St. Henri, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Hand this week.

Mr. W. Eastman, lecturer in Western University, London, Ont., is spending some weeks at the White House, St. Charles street, for the purpose of perfecting himself in the French language, in view of a visit to Paris, where he purposes engaging in historical research.

Mr. P. Lenées Amaron, of Pittsfield, Vermont, who has spent a few weeks with his brother, the Rev. Dr. Amaron, pastor of Gardenville Avenue Presbyterian Church, has gone to Berthier (en haut) to visit his sisters before returning to his home.

Miss Porteous and her sister, Miss Irene, are spending a couple of weeks in Summerstown. Mr. Gear has rented a house on Victoria avenue to Mr. and Mrs. Greenshields, who will take possession of it shortly.

Mr. John Munro, Mr. and Mrs. Johnson, Mr. W. Black, Mrs. A. R. Hulce, Master M. Hulce, Mr. and Mrs. Lunn, Mr. and Mrs. Moriarty are among the new arrivals to town.

The guests of the White House, St. Charles street, were somewhat alarmed by a fire in the lunch room a few nights ago. This room was situated in the spacious grounds opposite the house, and was destroyed. As there was neither fire nor light at the time, it is surmised that it was a case of incendiarism.

A public meeting of the Protestant ratepayers was held on Tuesday at the school house, when the retiring commissioners gave a report of the work done during their term of office.

The examinations in the higher grades were held during the week, under the direction of the Rev. Dr. Amaron, deputy examiner. The closing exercises of the school will take place on Friday next.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian Church are arranging for a bazaar to be held in the church on Thursday, June 25, afternoon and evening. Prof. J. L. Morin, of McGill College, with Mrs. Morin, visited Dr. and Mrs. Amaron, spending the afternoon with them.

There is general satisfaction at the news that the Southern Counties Railway Company has obtained leave to enter Montreal. It is hoped that ere many months the electric cars will be running through Longueuil.

Mr. A. B. Clements of Berthier (en Haut), paid a flying business visit to town on Thursday. Mr. M. McLachlan has gone for an extended business trip and will not be back for some weeks.

The Club will hold a bazaar in the Church Hall on June 24, afternoon and evening, on behalf of the Fresh Air Fund. Mr. and Mrs. W. Kisseck are here for the summer.

Mr. Floyd Stanton was visiting friends in Ste. Anne's. Mr. Percy Seath is here for the summer. Miss Jean Dalrymple was visiting friends at the college.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Fowler have taken a cottage on St. Marie's road. Prof. R. Welch spent the week in Ste. Anne's visiting friends. Mr. B. Marquette spent a few days at the Clarendon Hotel.

They are expected back about the end of August. The French and English Girls' School held its annual examinations last week and its closing exercises. The young ladies passed most creditable examinations and showed special proficiency in French.

The Rev. Mr. Hibbard, who has had charge of the Church of England for a couple of years, and has also been headmaster of the Berthier Grammar School, has resigned and will take his departure in July. He has accepted the position of head master of Rotheray School, New Brunswick.

Miss Duclos, daughter of Mr. Silas Duclos, of St. Hyacinthe, has been the guest during the week of Mrs. C. H. Phillips.

The Rev. Mr. Heaven, M.A., has been appointed headmaster of the Grammar School and incumbent of St. James Church, in place of the Rev. Mr. Hibbard.

The examinations at the Berthier Grammar School were held during the week, and the distribution of prizes took place yesterday. Miss Howard, of the 'Goodwill Club,' is in town making preparations for the opening of their summer home for the coming season.

The club will occupy again the old rectory and will be visited by as many young women from the city as can be accommodated. It is an institution worthy of support as it gives an outing to many who could not otherwise breathe the pure country air.

ABENAKIS SPRINGS.

The past week was an enjoyable one for pleasure-seekers—boating, canoeing, bathing, riding and driving being indulged in to a great extent during the day, while the evenings were pleasantly spent in dancing, card playing, etc.

Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Neilson and friend, Mrs. W. Francis, of Westmont, returned to their home after a stay of two weeks at the Springs. Messrs. D. M. Millar and Wm. Wethers, of St. Johnsbury, Vt., returned to their home after a stay of three weeks at the Springs.

Those registered at the Springs are: Ernest Desrosiers, K.C., Mrs. Ernest Desrosiers, Mr. and Mrs. A. Sommer, Miss I. Sommer, Miss E. Sommer, Master Edward Sommer, Miss Lillian H. Stuart, H. A. Church, M.D., Charles A. Church, M.D., W. G. Cruickshank, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. F. Beaudry, S. Cross, A. E. Robitaille, Mrs. W. Badenach, Miss Agnes Badenach, Mrs. R. E. Wright, E. Badenach, Montreal; Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Gardien, St. Lambert; Mrs. Mills, Cowansville; Mr. A. Stewart, Chelsea, Mass.; Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Campbell, Mrs. S. B. Norton, Stanstead Junction, Que.; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. B. Renaud, Geo. Jas. H. Tessier, Ottawa, Ont.; C. Ponton, Farnham, Que.; O. Ponton, Ste. Brigitte; Miss M. A. Lamoureux, Miss R. P. Lamoureux, Ste. Guillaume, Que.

ORMSTOWN

Mr. Johnston, Montreal, is the guest of Miss Hutchins. Mr. Johnston was up for the week end. Miss Maud Parkinson has returned from Montreal.

Mr. Currie, of Montreal, attended the W.C.T.U. convention held here last week. Dr. Scott, of Douglas Methodist Church, Montreal, was the principal speaker at the evening meeting.

The Rev. Mr. McCusker, Mrs. McCusker and Miss McCusker, of St. Louis, visited friends here last week. The Misses Will, Huntingdon, were the guests of their sister, Mrs. J. Tomson, last week.

The Rev. A. C. Asch is filling the office of deputy examiner at Ormstown Academy. A lawn social was held on the rectory grounds on Tuesday evening, and was a success in spite of the cool weather.

The Rev. H. O. Loiselle, of Sabrevois, was at the Rectory this week. Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Morgan and Mr. Fred Morgan attended the marriage of Miss Grace Lance at Richmond, Que.

Miss Ethel Maw, of Howick, spent the week end here. Miss Bertha McMullin, of Bombay, N.Y., has been visiting friends here. Mr. and Mrs. A. Hollis, of Montreal, spent a few days here this week.

Miss Craig, of Toronto, secretary for Indian and Chinese work in the North-West and British Columbia, gave an interesting talk on the Presbyterian missionary work among the Indians of the North-West. The lecture was beautifully illustrated with limelight views.

FLOURISHING FLOWERS OF THE FIELDS AND WOODS.

Soon will the high Midsummer pomps come on. Soon will the musk carnations break and swell. Soon shall we have gold-dusted snapdragons. Sweet William, with his homely cottage smell.

And stocks in fragrant blow; Roses that down the alleys shne afar, And open, jasmine-muffled lattices, And groups under the dreaming garden trees, And the full moon, and the white evening star.

The spring blooms go so fast that our weekly tale can hardly keep pace with them. Well for us if we can see the seasons pass in the spirit of the words of Marcus Aurelius—the noblest pagan of them all—'Everything harmonizes with me which is harmonious to thee, O Universe. Nothing for me is too early or too late which is in due time for thee. Everything is fruit to me which the seasons bring.' Not so long ago, the trees were bare, the ground snow-covered and there was no green thing at

Advertisement for Abbey's Effer-vescent Salt. Includes a portrait of a man and text: 'This is the Man with visage grim... You can easily see what's the matter with him; His stomach's upset, and it's all his fault, He needs a bottle of ABBEY'S SALT. At Dealers'— 25c. and 60c. Keeps the Stomach Sweet and Bowels Regular.'

all on this our island; then the season came when the ferns sprang up; mossy banks were shot with bud and blade; time was sunny and green and the world touched a happier day; and now it is even sunnier and greener in the very heart of June—every meadow and hillside shady with maple, oak, elm, beech, birch and odorous pine, or flooded with open sunlight, are studded with a thousand gems and the rainbow colors of the year to invite the lads and lasses light-hearted and wayworn city age, to share their treasures and innocent delights.

The Forget-me-not is a near relative of the true European Forget-me-not, Myosotis Palustris. It flowers all the summer in damp meadows, beside ditches

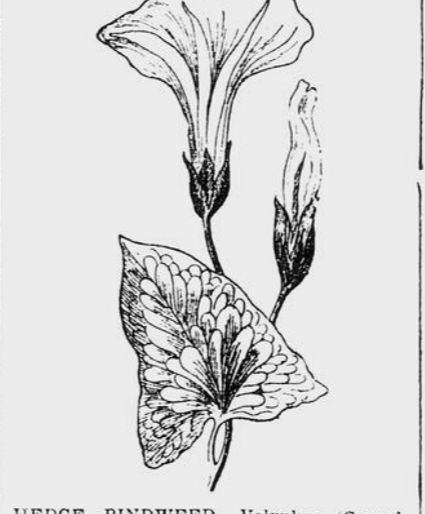


FORGET-ME-NOT (Myosotis Laxa), Boraginaceae Family.

or running waters. It has small blue flowers, with a yellow eye, and these have ever been associated with modesty, constancy and innocence. These attributes have made it very dear to humanity, and it has long been used symbolically as a pledge of faith and remembrance. Almost uncountable verse has been written around this gentle little flower, of which the following is fanciful and pretty:

When to the flowers so beautiful, The Father gave a name, Back came a little blue-eyed one, (All timidly it came), And standing at the Father's feet, And gazing on His face, It said, in low and trembling tones, 'Yet with a gentle grace: 'Dear God, the name Thou gavest me, 'Alas! I have forgot!' Kindly, the Father looked Him down, And said, 'Forget-me-not.'

The Hedge Bindweed, or Convolvulus Sepium, with its white or rose-colored

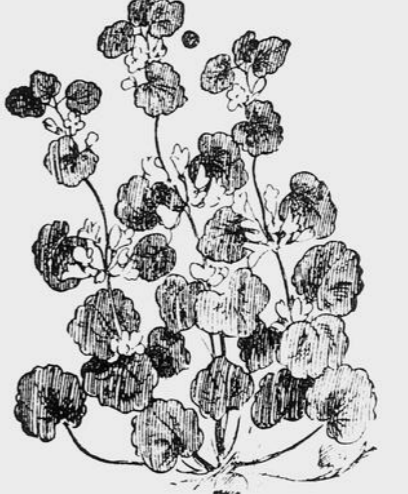


HEDGE BINDWEED, Volvulus (Convolvulus), Sepium, Convolvulus Family.

campanulate flowers, is the glory of the morning as it twines about fences and hedge-rows, with its dark, halberd-shaped leaves. Besides the Sepium, we have a variety known as the Spithamea, which is often to be found twined around tall weeds and bushes.

Advertisement for FITS CURED. Includes text: 'Sufferers from Fits, Epilepsy, St. Vitus' Dance, Nervous Troubles or Falling Sickness should write the LEIGH CO., 179 King street, Toronto, for a trial bottle of their Fit Cure and Treatise. Enclose 10c for postage and packing.'

Ground Ivy (Nepeta Glechoma), mint family, is undoubtedly an importation from Europe, but has long been familiar on the Island of Montreal. It is a creeping plant, with dark green, roundish-



GROUND IVY, GLECHOMA HEDERACEA (Nepeta Glechoma), Mint Family.

heart-shaped leaves, and clusters of small, deep blue flowers. Among its English names are Gill-over-the-Ground and Ale-hoot, the latter name being given it, according to Darlington, because it was employed until the reign of Henry VIII, to clarify and give a flavor to ale. It may be found in abundance in the neighborhood of Fletcher's Field.

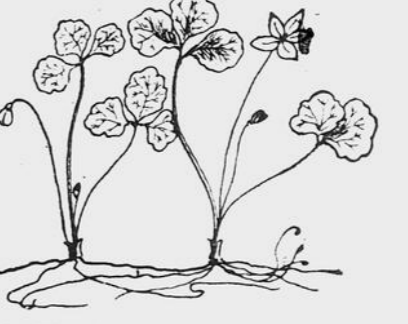
The Lily-of-the-valley of Europe only grows wild in a very few places on this continent, and the nearest resemblance



WILD LILY OF THE VALLEY, Cathartium Smilacina Biflorum, Lily Family.

to it on the island of Montreal is the little plant depicted above, which, however, has no fragrance. It is very pretty, however, and refined, with its broadly ovate shining leaves and pure white flowers. Its fruit is a reddish berry.

The Three-leaved Gold Thread is mostly found in close bush or the shade of the forest. Each stalk bears a group of three shining, dark green leaves, the flowers, which are white, rise, as do the leaves, on a separate stalk, and are about a third of an inch across. The slender,



THREE-LEAVED GOLD THREAD (Corydalis Trifolia) Crowfoot Family.

creeping rootstock is bright yellow, and looks like a piece of golden wire, whence its common name, Corydalis means gold, and is given to these plants because of the divided leaves. Yellow-colored roots are common in the Crowfoot family, some of the meadow-rues have them, and they have given names to the Golden Seed and the Shrub Yellow Root. The roots of the Gold Thread are sold in our markets in small bundles, and are used medicinally for sore throats, in the form of a tea or infusion, and are said to make a good tonic.

THE DRESS SARAH WORE TO THE WEDDING

(By Marion Brier, in the 'Christian Endeavor World'.)

Sarah Allen lifted the latch, and stepped briskly through the door into the small log house. 'You can't guess what is going to happen, John,' she exclaimed as she laid her knitting on the light-sticker in the corner and took off her 'Snaker' bonnet.

'John tested the sharpness of the scythe he was whetting before he looked up. 'Why, I don't know, I guess,' he began.

'You never would guess it in six weeks; so I suppose I may as well tell you,' Sarah interrupted. 'She had hung her Snaker on its nail on the wall, put on a big apron, and started the fire in the cook-stove before John got around to answer.

'Now she stopped impressively before she announced, 'We're invited to a wedding.'

John stared, dropping his whetstone in his surprise. 'A wedding?' he repeated with a bewildered look. 'Why, who? where? when?'

'Jennie Martin and George Smith at Mr. Martin's three weeks from Saturday evening,' Sarah answered concisely. 'You see the minister'll be here then, because the next day is his Sunday to preach here, and he always comes the Saturday afternoon before.'

'There's a cousin from the East coming out week after next, and she'll be there. Jennie says she is ever so stylish, and has just lots of dresses; so I suppose we'll have a chance to see all the new styles,' she rattled on.

In fact, Sarah's tongue ran on all the time she was getting supper on the table and all the time they were eating it.

Out there on the frontier where neighbors were widely scattered it was not very often that there was anything to go to. She had spent many lonesome days in the four years since she and her father and her brother John came West in the summer of 1867, driving across the country in the white-topped prairie-schooner drawn by the slow-moving oxen.

Surely the prospect of going to a wedding was well worth getting excited over. Even John was interested.

But when supper was over, and her father and John had gone out to do the chores, some way the enthusiasm died out of her eyes, and as she cleared off the table and washed the dishes her face grew sober and still more sober.

When the last dish had been set away, she took down her best dress from its nail, and holding it up in the flickering light of the candle, looked at it with a very serious face.

'I was faded and dingy-looking; there were patches of a brighter color on the elbows, and the skirt was too short. 'A needling dress to wear to a wedding!' Sarah told herself ruefully.

The longer she looked at it, the uglier it seemed. She winked fast, but in spite of her a great tear rolled down her cheek, and just as she brushed it impatiently away, John stopped still in the doorway, a milk-pail in either hand, and stared at her in amazement.

Sarah tossed the dress down hastily, and went out into the lean-to to strain the milk, mentally taking herself severely to task for letting John see her cry.

'Now, you've come and made John feel bad, too,' she told herself remorsefully. 'I didn't mean to be such a goose, when I know father has to save every penny for that old interest money. He'd get me a dress quick enough if he could. I wouldn't care so much, anyway, if that cousin from the East wasn't going to be there.'

When she went back into the kitchen, John was standing by the window with his hands thrust into his pockets, slyly whistling and looking out into the darkness. And all through the evening he was even more silent than usual, and seemed to be turning some problem over in his mind.

After a long period of silence he cleared his throat two or three times, then remarked in what he evidently meant to be a casual manner, 'I guess I'll go to town to-morrow.'

Sarah looked up in such surprise that she dropped a stitch in her knitting. 'Go to town to-morrow?' she exclaimed; 'why, I thought you were in such a hurry to get the laying done that you didn't have a minute for anything.'

John moved his chair uneasily. 'Well, I was, but I guess it can wait.' Sarah looked at him wonderingly; the trip behind the slow ox-team to the distant town was quite an event in those days.

'Well,' she said presently after waiting for John's usual proposition that she go with him, if you are really going, I guess I'll invite myself to go, too. I don't seem likely to get any other invitation.'

Once more John's chair scraped uneasily. 'Well, you see I'll have to start pretty early in the morning; I don't know as you could get ready in time.' Sarah burst into a merry laugh; the

idea that she could not be ready as soon as slow-moving John was so funny. Then she grew sober; evidently John did not want her to go with him! That was a remarkable circumstance, for he always dreaded the long, slow ride alone, and coaxed her to go even if she proposed staying at home. She could not understand it.

Ten minutes more of silence passed; then John cleared his throat again. 'Let's see; isn't your birthday some time this week?' he inquired, trying hard to look very unconcerned.

A light of understanding flashed into Sarah's face. 'It's next Friday,' she answered demurely, but everything was clear to her now.

'The dear old blundering boy!' she thought with a tender little smile; 'he means to get me a birthday present! That's the reason he is going to town in the middle of haying and doesn't want me to go with him. I wonder what in the world ever made him think of it, though.' For birthday presents were almost unheard of in a community where there was never money for anything but the barest necessities.

The next morning she watched John start off with the ox-team with a little feeling of excitement, and all through the day she could not settle down to work.

It was almost dark when John got back. He unyoked the oxen, and came in just in time for supper. Sarah at once began asking questions about the day at a rate that only Sarah was capable of, but he stammeringly evaded them all, and went about all the evening with an air of great mystery.

Sarah had about given up trying to make him talk when she noticed something that made her suddenly exclaim: 'Why, John, where is your watch-chain? You didn't lose it to-day, did you?'

John looked annoyed. 'It's all right,' he said in a tone that he seldom used to Sarah.

She looked at him in astonishment, wondering what made him so cross, and whether he could have lost the watch-chain that Uncle John gave him five years before, and of which he had always been so proud.

The next morning, after John and her father had gone to the field to work, Sarah, who was tidying up the house, noticed that John's coat that he wore to town the day before needed brushing. She took it down from its nail; and there, tied and pinned with great care within it, was a large package done up in brown paper!

'Oh, I believe it's a new dress! That's what John was so mysterious about, the dear old boy!' she exclaimed gleefully, softly clapping her brown hands, then springing to pat the package lovingly. 'O dear, I ought not to be glad; John couldn't afford to spend any money for me, I know; but it will seem so good to have something nice and fresh and new again that I just can't help being glad. Now I can go to the wedding and not be ashamed, even if that stylish cousin from the East is there!'

The brown hands clapped again joyously. Suddenly her hands fell to her side, and her eyes grew wide. 'John's watch-chain! He sold his watch-chain to get it for me!' She stood motionless for a moment, while a great tenderness for her brother who had done this for her swept through her heart.

By and by she patted the package again gently. 'There never was so good a brother as John,' she said with conviction; 'but, O dear! here it is only Wednesday, and I don't see how I can ever wait till Friday to see what you're like! I wouldn't look for the world, though, when John wants to surprise me! So I suppose I'll just have to make up my mind to make the best of it and wait.'

All that day and the next she sang about her work, while her thoughts were planning how the new dress should be made.

Many times she took a little peep at the package to see that it was really there. She had not let even herself realize before how much she wanted something pretty and fresh and new to wear once more, but now it seemed to her that she simply could not bear to put on the old, faded dress again.

At last it was Friday morning. Sarah was up early, as usual, and had the breakfast-table set before her father and John came in from doing the chores. She went into the lean-to to strain the milk; and, when she came back, the package lay on her plate.

She stopped to give John a grateful little hug, then rushed to it, her eyes sparkling, her cheeks flushed, and began untying the knots in the string with quick, happy fingers, while John stood by and watched, his slow smile gradually spreading over his face.

The knots were untied, the paper unwrapped; there lay the new dress. Sarah caught her breath sharply, and clasped her hands together with a quick movement, a way she had when she was surprised or deeply moved in any way, while her eyes seemed riveted on the new dress spread out over her plate.

'Chintz! all covered with great, gorgeous flowers of one, two, three, four, five, six different colors!' Sarah had an insane desire to shriek; but she remembered John, and rose to the occasion heroically.

As soon as she could get control of her powers of speech, she exclaimed: 'Aren't these roses lovely? And the pinks are just beautiful, and that is the prettiest shade of blue in those forget-me-nots, and the yellow daisies are just as natural as can be!' All of which was very true, for, considered as a flower-garden, the design was a great success.

John beamed. Fortunately he was standing back of Sarah, so had failed to see the expression of her face when she first caught sight of the gaudy fabric.

'I kind of thought that you'd think it was pretty,' he said with deep satisfaction, holding up the goods so that the sunshine fell on it and brought out the brilliant colors with a still more startling effect.

Sarah was seized with a violent fit of coughing that seemed likely to strangle her.

'I wish it was silk, Sarah,' John said, awkwardly stroking her dark hair with his work-roughened fingers. 'It's all well enough for father and me to rough it out here, but it doesn't seem right for you to have to work so hard and go without everything the way you do.'

'Just hear the boy talk!' Sarah exclaimed laughingly, while she wiped away the stream of tears caused by her violent fit of coughing. 'He thinks I am a vain, frivolous creature who can't think of anything but silks and frills, when all the time he knows how sensible I am. Truly, John, I'm glad it isn't silk,' she added, and nearly had a relapse into another fit of coughing as she imagined herself arrayed in a silk dress that was covered with all those bouquets of many-colored flowers.

'You aren't touching your breakfast, Sarah,' her father remonstrated a little later, and your cheeks are very red. You're not sick, are you?'

Sarah laughed. 'How unromantic you are, father, to think that I would feast on jolnny-cake and bacon when I have a chance to feast my eyes on all these pretty flowers!'

But after her father and John had gone to the field Sarah sat down in the big rocking-chair with the new dress in her lap, and laughed until she cried, and then cried until she laughed again.

Then she grew sober, and faced the situation squarely. 'It doesn't make any difference how dreadful it is,' she told herself with a vigorously little nod of the dark head. 'John would feel just dreadfully if I didn't make it up and wear it to the wedding, and I'm going to do it! I'd wear it if the flowers were as big as bushel-baskets and six dozen different colors, and if there were a hundred cousins from the East going to be there. John went and sold his watch-chain, and lost a day's work, and drove clear to town just to get it for me; and he's never going to know but what it's just lovely. I suppose it will make a story for that cousin from the East to tell all the rest of her life; she'll describe how they dress out West to all her friends; but I don't care if she does; I'm going to wear it, anyway. So there!'

Sarah sewed busily for nearly two weeks, for it was slow work with the little sewing-machine that screwed on to the edge of the table and must be run by one hand while the other guided the work, and that made a chain-stitch that sometimes unravelled all out the entire length of the seam if the end was not properly fastened.

A good many times the hot tears dropped on the brilliant flowers while she worked, but there was never any trace of them by the time John and her father came in from the field.

At last the dress was finished. Sarah tried it on, and went to look at herself in the glass. The sight of the resplendent reflection was too much. She dropped down in a brilliant little heap on the floor, and laughed until the tears streamed down her cheeks.

'I'll keep it on to show to John,' she thought, going on to a fresh paroxysm of laughter. 'I wonder what he'll say, anyway.'

So, when John came in from the field, she appeared before him in all her splendor. John blinked his eyes as if the brilliance rather dazzled him. 'Well,' he said slowly as he looked at the dress critically, 'now that is what I call real pretty!'

Sarah ran out of the room quickly, coughing very hard.

At last the evening of the wedding arrived. Chores were hurried out of the way, and by half-past seven John and Sarah were on their way to the festivities.

Sarah felt like a martyr going to the stake, but she only talked and laughed the more merrily. 'They never shall know that I care,' she told herself with a brave little toss of the head; 'I shall pretend that I think I look just fine!'

Oxen move slowly, and prairie roads were poor; but Sarah would have been glad if it had taken them ten times as long to reach Martin's. There was quite a gathering there when they drew up by the door, and Sarah's heart sank lower and lower, but she only held her head the higher.

Yes, every eye was turned toward her as she had expected the moment she stepped into the room; she felt her cheeks growing hot and hotter; then she stopped in wonder, her eyes fixed on a young lady with Mrs. Martin. Why, that must be the cousin from the East, and what in the world? she had on a dress like her own, only that the flowers were bigger and more gaudy!

Just then Mrs. Martin nestled across the room. 'O,' she exclaimed, looking at Sarah admiringly, 'if you haven't a Dolly Varden dress, too! I do want one so much myself! Do you know I never even heard of them till my cousin came with hers, but she says they are all the rage in the East. Now you mustn't be too puffed up with pride because you are in the height of fashion and all the rest of us are green with envy!'

Sarah gave a queer little laugh, while a frown seemed to roll off her mind. 'No,' she said, 'I'll try not to be.'

CHILDREN'S CORNER. THE WHOOPING-COUGH PARTY. 'Poor little fellows!' said papa. 'It's pretty tough for them.'

The twins had whooping-cough. That was bad enough of itself, but to have it last all through the Christmas holidays, and be kept from all the fun because the mothers of the children who didn't have it made such a fuss, was as papa said, 'pretty tough.'

Mamma sat thinking hard for a few minutes; then she smiled and said: 'They shall give a whooping-cough party.'

'That sounds well,' papa said. 'You may count on my pocketbook for anything reasonable.'

So invitations were sent to four little folks who had the cough. They all came, Katharine and Robert and Iva and little Betty—all in their very best party

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dress. The twins gave them a joyful welcome, and they began the fun by a fit of coughing to see which one could whoop the loudest. Mamma said they all deserved a prize, and she gave them a big box of cough candy to enjoy.

Up in the nursery all the Christmas things were waiting to be seen. Santa Claus had been very good this year to the twins, who couldn't have any Christmas outside the home, and it was about as good as a toy shop.

Mamma came in after a while and asked if she should tell them a story. They huddled about her at once, for stories told are better than toys or pictures or games.

'Tell a bear story,' said Robert. 'Yes, do,' said the rest; so mamma began.

'Oh, wait a minute,' said Betty. 'I've got to cough.' And that started all six of them. When the tempest was over, she made another start in the story.

'Once there was a big mother bear who had six little cubs. That was a pretty big family, and she was sorry she had so many she had adopted three of them for they were full of fun and mischief all the time. One day the big mother bear lay down to get a nap, and they began their antics; they tickled her ears and her toes and pulled her hair and ran up and down on her great sides as she lay with her eyes shut, till she jumped up in a rage and said: 'I will give you away, every one of you. Somebody else may have the bother of you, and so—'

Down in the hall the door-bell rang sharply, and the maid came up the stairs, bringing a big box.

'What is this?' asked mamma. She took off a great deal of cord and little teddy bears looking up, just as if they were alive, at the six little faces crowded close together over them. The children were so excited that they all fell to coughing and whooping, which gave mamma time to take out the little bears and read the name on the card that was tied with a ribbon around the neck of each of them. 'Six bears, and six children! What a wise old mother bear!'

Supper came, and the little cubs sat in a solemn circle on the floor while the children ate, and then the twins watched the four little guests go home, each lugging a Teddy bear.

'Wasn't the big mother bear nice to send them all to us?' asked Robert; and Iva replied: 'I'm glad we've got the whooping-cough, aren't you?' Michigan Christian Advocate.

WHAT SAITH THE SCRIPTURE? SATURDAY, JUNE 20. HAVE WE A REVELATION FROM GOD?

Assuredly we have. Where would we be without the Bible? What is the state of mind of mankind about the Book? The first fact of history is in Genesis 1: 'In the beginning God.' Then we have a history of creation which is in harmony with the facts of modern geological discovery. The various strata prove the truth of the Bible narrative of creation. Man can forget God, and has done so. Apart from the history of the world and of man, the natural man has forgotten God. See Romans 1: 'It is vain, therefore, to depend upon man for a true story of earth's early history. That must come from God. Adam had a revelation, but rejected it, as his seed has continued to do to this day. The fulfilled predictions of the Bible confirm its truthfulness. So do its gradual unfoldings of the world's history make the Book one from Genesis to Revelation. From the beginning man has disbelieved God, and followed his own opinions. There is not a Bible-truth which man has not rejected, nor a Bible fact which some one has not denied. Christ is the first predicted One, and the greatest fact of the Book. Yet, how many will not believe on Him, and many deny His teaching about Him. It was so in the beginning. God was not believed. Satan was believed. To this day, he is the god of this world.'

DAILY TEXT. June 20. Be of good courage, and he shall strengthen your heart, all ye that hope in the Lord. Psalm xxxi, 24. Be not afraid, only believe. Mark v,

READABLE PARAS. The New York...

THE WITNESS... A GOLD...

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SOME CHRISTIAN CONQUESTS OF SAVAGES.

(By the Rev. Jud-on Kempton, in the 'Christian Endeavor World.') I like to entertain a missionary in my home, or, more truly, to have him entertain me... The Rev. John Firth, when at home on furlough after ten years in the malaria-infested country of Assam...

SPRING ON THE COAST

DR. GRENFELL'S LETTER.

St. Anthony, May 11, 1908. Dear Mr. Editor,—Still we are struggling with snow and ice out here. It is winter in the world man is the sport of wind and waves, he certainly is so here... Perhaps all this sounds very unattractive to those who are only accustomed to warm climates...

THE POWER OF LOVE.

Ten or twelve years ago a Mohammedan woman, who had been a servant in the family of a missionary and so knew what to expect from missionaries, came to beg me to care for a Mohammedan waif in whom she was interested... There could be no better check were one needed on these festive occasions to utterances which are sure to be repeated and that only tend to strife, even if they were true...

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The Christian Endeavor Union of Montreal held its regular monthly business meeting in the Westminster Presbyterian Church...

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