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DOMINION DESPATCHES.  
FROM THE CAPITAL.

Civil Election—Personal—Mg. Smeulders at the Capital.  
OTTAWA, June 11.—There being no opposition at the nomination for alderman to fill the place of Alderman McCaig, resigned, for Wellington Ward, W. H. Lewis was nominated and elected by acclamation at noon to-day.

Mr. Bradley, Secretary of the Department of Railways and Canals, is in Toronto.  
Mr. Patterson (Essex) is here on business with the Marine and Fisheries Department.  
Lord Melgund returns on Saturday for a few days.  
It is said that Dr. Valade, of this city, will be appointed inspector of food and drugs for Ottawa under the new act passed last session.

Mr. Edson Fitch, immigration agent at Quebec, was in the city to-day on business with the Agricultural Department.  
The Catholic ladies of the city entertained Monsiegnr Smeulders and his Lordship Bishop Duhamel and about forty clergymen of the diocese, at a dinner in the College of Ottawa this afternoon. Monsiegnr Smeulders laid the corner stone of the addition to the College of Ottawa this afternoon at four o'clock.  
Col. Middleton, the new Commander of the Canadian force, will sail from England on the 3rd July.  
Sheriff Swetland, of the County of Carleton, left this evening for a tour in the North-West. He will be away for about two months.

It is rumored that Mr. J. G. Bosse, Q. C. M. P., is about to be made a justice of the Superior Court, and that Mr. T. Chase Casgrain will be the Government candidate in Quebec Centre to replace him.  
A beautiful album presented to the Geographical Society of Quebec by His Highness Prince Roland Bonaparte has just been received from Paris. It contains 35 finely executed photographs representing the different types of the Ontario realists. The Prince had the pictures taken for his own private collection from individuals of the tribe recently sojourning at the Jardine d'Acclimation, Paris.

QUEBEC.  
State Dinner—Personal—The Megantic Election—Heavy Export of Lumber—Belgian Cattle Imported—The Pharmaceutical Association—Two Beauties—A Shooting Case at Quo.  
Special to THE HERALD.  
QUEBEC, June 11.—Lient. Governor Robitaille entertained the local Ministers to dinner at Spencerwood last evening.  
Dr. Landry, one of the proprietors of Beauport Asylum, is reported dangerously ill, and is not expected to recover.  
Several politicians left town to-day to speak in Megantic to-morrow.  
One of our shipping houses has already this season cleared thirty-two vessels for sea with either full or part cargoes of timber and deals. The export value of these goods, and on which harbor dues have been paid, is three hundred thousand dollars in round figures.  
The steamship Helvetia from Antwerp landed 181 head of Belgian cattle this morning, which were placed in the Levis quarantine. They are all in good order and condition.  
The municipality of Levis are going to build a grand new town hall.

The annual meeting of the Pharmaceutical Association of the Province of Quebec took place yesterday in Laval University. There were two candidates for license to practice and three for certified clerks. Messrs. H. R. Gray, A. Manson, J. D. L. Ambrose, H. S. Evans, E. Giroux, P. Mathie, F. C. Saunders and H. F. Jackson were elected members of the council.  
Napoleon Ibesine, aged 23, of Cocoma, and Elazar Joly, 32 years, of St. Sauveur, two inmates of the Beauport Lunatic Asylum, missing since Sunday, were found drowned on the beach at Beauport to-day opposite the residence of Senator DeBlois. One of the bodies was almost nude, and the other only partially clothed when found. It is thought they went sailing in a small skiff and were capsized in the squall which occurred on Sunday afternoon.  
An inquest is in progress.

Quebec, June 11.—It is reported that a man named James Armitage was shot in a row yesterday morning about eight miles from here by a party named Thomas Woolsey. The ball entered below the neck and the wounded man is not expected to recover. The cause of the trouble is unknown. It is said the shot was fired in self-defence. The parties are neighbors. Woolsey gave himself up.  
[Another otherwise known as Onslow, is in

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Pontiac County, on the Ottawa river, about 25 miles from Aylmer.

### ONTARIO.

An Important Case—An Elephant Dead—Archbishop Lynch Protests—Erection of a Station—The Salvation Army Nuisance.  
TORONTO, June 11.—At the York Civil Assizes to-day the action of Miller, M.P. P.'s, executors, Parry Sound and the Canada Pacific Railway commenced. The plaintiffs claim \$75,000 for timber used by the defendants in constructing their railway across the timber berths and for trespass and waste committed. The defendants claim, amongst others, that they are vested with all the privileges of the Canada Central Railway Company, who had power to construct the road over the plaintiffs' property and use the timber along the track to the distance of six rods on either side.

At this morning's session of the College of Physicians and Surgeons an attempt was made to pass a resolution to the effect that an annual examination be held in London, but failed.  
An elephant at the Zoo, valued at \$300, died suddenly this morning. It is suspected to have been poisoned maliciously, and an anatomical examination of the body will be made.  
Archbishop Lynch has addressed a letter to the Moderator of the Presbyterian General Assembly, charging that certain members uttered calumnies against the Roman Catholic Church in speaking in reference to French evangelization, and appealing to their sense of fair play and reason.

At the High Court of Canadian Foresters to-day the following officers were elected for the year—H. R. E. Elliott, Listerow; H. V. C. R., John Tweed, London; Hon. Sec., A. E. Gammage, Brantford; H. Treas., John Neelands, Lucknow; H. Registrar, A. MacIntyre, Lucknow; H. Chaplain, Rev. J. Pritchard, Manchester; H. S. W. G. G. Bryant, Sherbrooke, Quebec; H. I. W. J. Kennedy, Peterboro; H. S. B. J. H. Dyson, Richmond, Quebec; H. J. B. George Selwood, Guelph; medical board, Drs. Young, Rodgetown, and Stanly, Watford. Peterboro was selected as the next place of meeting. The High Court will probably adjourn *à sine die* to-morrow.

PALMERSTON, Ont., June 11.—Mr. Mathew Donnelly, one of the most highly respected citizens and ex-Mayor of this town, died suddenly to-day at noon.  
LONDON, June 11.—The lawyer for the defence in the Salvation Army cases to-day issued subpoenas for the Mayor and aldermen as witnesses on Friday. A large meeting of citizens is also to be called, who will testify if they considered the street music no nuisance. The fine imposed upon Capt. Hall was paid by a Toronto gentleman. She was discharged from goal.

### THE MARITIME PROVINCES

The York Election Petitions Withdrawn—An Important Enquiry—The New Halifax Refinery—Supposed Child Marriage—An Advertiser.  
ST. JOHN, N. B., June 11.—An employee of Hall & Fairweather, who was sent to the Intercolonial Railway station to pay a bill, cleared out with \$164.  
The petition in the York County election case and the counter petition were withdrawn from the Supreme Court to-day by mutual consent.  
FREDERICTON, June 11.—A very important investigation is proceeding before the Audit-General in the name of the expenditure of money in Sunbury county under the late government. The evidence produced so far shows that several hundred dollars were paid by the Board of Works to Mr. Perley, M. P. P., which, it is said, he appropriated to his own use. Checks were given him by the Board of Works Department during Mr. Colter's administration in the name of one or more persons who had no claims whatever, the checks being payable to bearer, so that Mr. Perley could draw the amounts.

HALIFAX, N. S., June 11.—The Woodside refinery is almost completed. The work of building has been completed with the exception of finishing the erection of the machinery. It will probably go into operation about July 1st. To-night it was lighted by electric light, which is to be used on the premises for night work.  
Two police officers to-day found a woman considerably under the influence of liquor in a room of a house on South Brunswick street. Learning that she had a sick child, which was not observable in the room, search was instituted, which resulted in the finding of the dead body concealed beneath the bed. The woman was taken to the station and the body of the child removed to the morgue, where an inquest will be held. The woman had considerably sobbed this afternoon, and denied that the child had been ill, that a dispensary doctor had been tending it and that there yesterday, but the little one died during the night, and she was worn out from nursing it, and had placed it where found until she secured some needed rest. She gives her name as Ellen Rolland and does not bear an enviable character.  
Hiram Wier, of the Halifax Herald, was united in marriage at Georgetown to-day to Miss Fanny Gordon, daughter of Hon. D. Gordon, of the Prince Edward Island Government and a prominent merchant and shipowner of Georgetown.

### THE ENO CASE.

The Lawyers Still Fighting—Another Advertisement.  
QUEBEC, June 11.—This afternoon the Eno case came up before Judge Caron when Mr. Fitzpatrick, for the private prosecution, raised the question of the lack of time to argue the point of transfer of the case from Montreal where the last warrant was issued to Quebec. After a short discussion the case was adjourned till Monday afternoon.  
ENO INDICTED IN NEW YORK.  
New York, June 11.—John C. Eno was indicted to-day by the United States Grand Jury on a charge of embezzlement and misappropriation of money belonging to the Second National Bank.

### PRESBYTERIAN ASSEMBLY.

Proceedings at Wednesday's Session of the Toronto Meeting.  
From Our Own Correspondent.  
TORONTO, June 11.  
The General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church resumed its sittings this morning and the common fund question was taken up. On motion of Mr. McLennan, Q. C., to adopt the report and appoint a committee to consider the re-arrangement of the distribution of the fund, the matter was discussed at great length, and finally the report was adopted. Mr. John Charlton, M.P., made an apt suggestion in favor of one great central university similar to Princeton College, New Jersey, which met the approval of Principals Owen and Grant. Warden was continued as secretary of the urgent fund, and the committee on unification of the mission work of the church was as follows: Dr. Wardrop, Dr. McLaren, Principal Grant, Dr. Moore, Dr. Jardine, Dr. J. B. Fraser, Revs. T. Lowry, J. K. Smith, J. B. Edmondson, S. Lyle, A. H. Scott, J. Gray (Windsor), R. Campbell (Montreal), A. D. McDonald, W. A. McKay, J. Ferguson (Chesley), J. Smith (Toronto), D. D. McLeod, J. S. Burnet, J. B. Duncan, J. L. Murray, S. H. Eastman, J. M. Cameron, G. Burson, Hugh McKay, and Messrs. W. B. McMurrich, J. Y. Reid, Dr. MacDonald, Chas. Davidson, Hon. A. Morris, James Watson, A. MacMurray, J. Gordon, J. Hawrie, (Hamilton) Cassels, Mr. Alex. McLean, Dr. McGregor, Dr. McCulloch, Dr. Burns, Messrs. D. B. Blain, A. McL. Sinclair, E. A. McCurry, E. Scott, W. Donald, W. Stuart, T. C. Jack, John McLeod, and Messrs. D. C. Fraser, John Miller and Andrew Walker, with Dr. McLaren, convener.

### AFTERNOON SEDERUNT.

The committee on the distribution of the college fund was appointed as follows: Jas. McLennan, Q. C. Convener, Principals Owen, McVicar, Grant, McKnight and King, Drs. Reid, Jardine and Moore, Revs. D. J. MacDonald, R. H. Warden, W. D. Armstrong, and Messrs. Mortimer, Clark, David Morrice, J. Charlton, M.P., Hon. A. Morris, Dr. Sherburn, Dr. MacDonald, W. Drysdale, W. B. McMurrich and John Sterling. The committee appointed to draft CONGRATULATIONS TO THE METHODIST CHURCH  
on the union reported and Hon. A. Morris and Dr. Laing were appointed to tender the same at the coming conference. The standing committee of the church were announced, among others the Presbyterian College, Montreal, Board of Management—David Morrice (Chairman), Principal MacVicar, Prof. Campbell, Coussirat and Principal Dawson, Messrs. G. C. Heine, A. B. MacKay, J. Stuart, R. H. Warden, J. R. McLeod, R. Campbell, Montreal, G. D. Beane, John Ferguson, J. McGill, J. F. McMain, James Rowat, M. H. Scott, J. Cluck, W. J. Day, W. T. Herring, T. Fleming, and Justice Torrance, Messrs. Warden King, A. S. Ewing, James Crowl, W. Yule, W. Darling, Jr., A. C. Hutchison, J. Murray Smith, John Stirling, A. Macpherson, Hugh Mackay, Robert Anderson and Jonathan Hodgson. Senate, Principal McVicar (chair), the professors the lecturers of the college, Messrs. J. Coull, W. McGibbon, John Munroe, A. B. Cruchet, J. Barclay, G. Burnfield, D. Peterson, C. A. Doudiet, R. Campbell (Montreal), W. R. Cruikshank, J. B. Muir, Principal Dawson, Professor Murray, Justice Torrance, Dr. Kelley. Finance Committee for the Montreal session—Rev. R. H. Warden convener, D. Murray, W. D. McLaren, A. Yule, J. Murray Smith, and J. Stirling.  
The report of the committee on the reception of ministers of other denominations was approved, also the Infirma and Aged Ministers' Fund, and the committee on the distribution of probationers.

### EVENING SEDERUNT.

A long discussion arose on the overtures respecting the establishment of a Presbyterian publishing house. Dr. Jardine and Rev. P. McE. McLeod made strong speeches in support of the same. W. M. Clarke, Barron, stated that the scheme was proposed to be limited to the ability of the company of Presbyterians only, with an advisory board appointed by the General Assembly, to start a weekly quasi-official journal and afterwards commence the publication of Presbyterian literature. There was strong opposition and the question was eventually referred to a special committee to be appointed to-morrow by the Moderator. The report of the committee on the question of marriage with a deceased wife's sister was presented by Dr. Laing (Dundas). The report was strongly in favor of making such marriages valid by the church ordinance. The report was received and strongly urged for adoption by Rev. Dr. Prout. The discussion is to continue to-morrow. The committee made out a strong case. It is probable that the Assembly will finally adjourn to-morrow night.

### BIG FIRE AT WINNIPEG.

Property Valued at Thirty-Five Thousand Dollars Destroyed.  
(Toronto Mail.)  
WINNIPEG, June 10.—A destructive fire broke out this morning in a small stable near the Lacrosse Hotel. The flames rapidly spread, everything being as dry as tinder, and a fresh breeze blowing. Notwithstanding the efforts of the firemen, the Lacrosse Hotel building, in which was Mr. McGregor's fruit store, was destroyed, along with Ems' livery stable, Mrs. Wilson's residence and grocery, a Chinese laundry, and Bowls' grain warehouse. The fire occurred in the thickly-settled part of the city, in close proximity to the market square, the Princess Opera-house, the police station, and numerous modern structures, but fortunately the flames were confined to the buildings named. Loss estimated at \$35,000; McGregor's loss \$1,500; Burridge \$20,000; Murray \$2,000; A. H. Bowls' \$7,000; \$5,000 being on stock, Ems' \$300, Mulhull hotel \$3,000, Mrs. Wilson \$1,000. Insurance

### THE PRESIDENCY.

Tilden and the Democratic Nomination.  
New York, June 11.—Orlando N. Stewart says that Saml. J. Randall has assured two Congressmen that Tilden will accept the Democratic nomination. It is said that Daniel Manning paid a long visit to Tilden yesterday. It is generally supposed that the subject was to obtain some definite statement from Tilden with reference to the latter's wishes as regards the use of his name at Saratoga. From what can be learned here the State Convention will adhere to the union rule respecting its delegates to the National Convention.

### THE NEUTRALITY ACT.

The Senate went into session on the item in the Diplomatic bill appropriating \$250,000 to cover expenses attendant upon the execution of the Neutrality Act.

### THE CUBAN CRISIS.

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AN Excursion Steamer Sunk.  
BALTIMORE, June 11.—The excursion steamer *Gazette* was sunk at 11:30 last night, 14 miles down the Patuxent River. There were 45 persons aboard, but all were saved, owing to the captain's presence of mind and the good work performed by the crew. No one on board was apprehensive in the slightest degree of danger, as the *Gazette* has the reputation of being a staunch and seaworthy vessel. The ladies and gentlemen were singing and promenading when the captain informed them that the boat was making water so fast that the engineer could not control her. The captain brought the steamer to a standstill and discovered that the steamer had sprung a leak and was rapidly filling. There was no landing near and the steamer was kept a large dredging machine and scow which were reached and half the passengers were transferred to the scow with difficulty. It was near midnight and dark, the sea was rough, and there was danger of a collision between the vessels. The ladies were taken off first, one at a time, and the gentlemen followed. The captain and crew remained on board the *Gazette* trying to keep her afloat by pumping, but she continued to settle, when she was abandoned, and went down hull first in 12 feet of water. The *Gazette* had only been off the ways a month, having been thoroughly overhauled for the excursion season.

### Alleged Kidnapping of an Englishman.

KANSAS CITY, June 11.—The disappearance of Alfred Sheldon, of Kansas City, agent of the Blue Spring, Mo., Milling Company, has become more mysterious. Sheldon is an Englishman of considerable property, and when he disappeared there were rumors of a shortage in his accounts. Mrs. Sheldon has received two letters from her husband, one dated Kansas City, the other Blue Springs, in which Sheldon says he is held in duress via by command of the members of the milling company who claim a shortage and demand a settlement. The friends of Sheldon in England have referred the matter to the British Government, and the authorities have instructed the English Consul at New York to investigate the matter. The members of the milling company deny all knowledge of Sheldon's movements.

### Temperance in Schools.

NEW YORK, June 11.—At a convention of temperance societies last night Miss Howard, principal of one of the public schools, said that teachers in some schools were afraid to speak on temperance questions for being despised by the trustees, who were put in office by the whiskey interest. The law that the children should be taught the effect of alcoholic liquors was a dead letter.

### Lillian Wants to be Free.

PITTSBURGH, June 11.—Lillian Spencer, the actress, filed a bill to-day for divorce, alleging cruelty and infidelity on the part of her husband, Edward Clayburn of New York.

### Another Cash Teller Arrested.

PROVIDENCE, June 11.—Frank Cushman, the absconding teller of the Merchants' National Bank, has been arrested at Havre. He will be extradited.

### The Sunday School Convention.

LOUISVILLE, June 11.—The International Sunday School Convention of the United States and the British Provinces began its session this morning, over 1,200 delegates being present.

### LATEST COMMERCIAL NOTES.

C. N. Eggar's Affairs.  
NEW YORK, June 11.—The liabilities of O. M. Bogart & Co., who recently failed, are \$2,500,000, and nominal assets, including equity in securities pledged for loans, \$300,000. The individual statement of C. N. Eggar shows liabilities of \$151,000, and actual assets \$9,000. That of R. W. Bogart shows liabilities \$81,000, and actual assets \$4,000. That of A. M. Wilcox shows liabilities nothing, and assets \$1,000. The value of the securities pledged for loans is stated at \$113,000. The total amount of unsecured deposits is placed at \$127,000.

### Price of Nails Reduced.

PITTSBURGH, June 11.—The Western Nail Association to-day reduced the card rate, from \$2.60 per keg to \$2.40.

### Advancing Eastbound Freight Rates.

NEW YORK, June 11.—The subject of advancing rates on Eastbound freight from Chicago, was discussed at a meeting of the Trunk Lines Committee to-day. It is probable that at the meeting to-morrow an advance to the basis of 25 cents will be agreed upon.

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### LAWS AGAINST BIGGERS.

WASHINGTON, June 11.—At a meeting of the House Committee on Appropriations to-day, the following resolutions, offered by Randall, were adopted as an amendment to the general deficiency bill by a vote of six to three, a party vote of those present, that no senator, representative or delegate in Congress, or senator, representative or delegate elect, and no officer, clerk or employe of the United States, or any department, branch or bureau thereof, or any person receiving any salary or compensation from any source derived from the Treasury of the United States or any contractor shall give or hand over to any person or persons directly or indirectly any money or other valuable, and on account or to be applied to furthering any political object whatever, and any person guilty of violating this shall be deemed guilty of misdemeanor, and shall on conviction be punished by a fine not exceeding \$500 or by imprisonment for a term not exceeding three years, or by such fine and imprisonment, or both, at the discretion of the court.

### Forfeiting Railway Lands.

During the present session the House has passed bills there providing for the forfeiture of nearly seventy millions of land granted to railways.

### A Long Session.

The Star says the idea of Congress adjourning on the 30th instant is scouted by members of both Houses. Every member of the Senate committee on appropriation is of opinion that it is altogether impracticable to adjourn on the date named. In the Senate the prevalent opinion is that Congress will not be ready to adjourn before the 30th of July.

### The Cincinnati Exposition.

The House committee on ways and means to-day agreed to report if available the bill to admit free of duty articles intended for the Cincinnati industrial exposition, their sale or consumption, however, without payment of duty is made a violation of the revenue law.

### The Government's Canal Policy.

WASHINGTON, June 11.—The House committee on the River and Harbor bill, the clause providing for the construction of the Hennepin canal, has been reached, Jones (of Wisconsin) raised a point of order that the Committee on Rivers and Harbors had no jurisdiction on the subject. After debate the point was overruled. Holman moved to strike out "Hennepin." To construct this canal reverses the continued constitutional policy of the Government. If it were carried out it carried with it inevitably the purchase of such routes, the Erie Canal and the maintenance of them by the General Government. The Hennepin canal project was pressed on the ground that it would connect the Mississippi River with the ocean. So long as New York saw fit to furnish the Government with the Erie Canal there was no argument which

### THE EGYPTIAN ENIGMA.

THE Rebel Attack on Sualima.  
SUAKIM, June 11.—English sergeants in the Egyptian army have resigned owing to the cowardice of the Egyptian officers and men during the recent rebel attacks. The rebels made another attack last evening, but the men-of-war and the forts replied.

### Turkey and the Conference.

CONSTANTINOPLE, June 11.—The Porte declines to appoint a delegate to the Egyptian Conference unless the whole Egyptian question is submitted to the Conference or previously settled between England and Turkey.

### An Important Question.

PARIS, June 11.—The *Journal des Debats*, commenting upon the agitation in England over the Egyptian question, declares that the maintenance or rupture of relations between France and England is at stake.

### The Berber Massacre.

LONDON, June 11.—The House of Commons to-day Lord Fitzmaurice, the foreign secretary, said the reported massacre at Berber was difficult to believe, and it was thought that the news emanated from an emissary of the Mahdi.

### IRISH AFFAIRS.

A Fenian Protest Against Dynamitism.  
DUBLIN, June 11.—The *Freeman's Journal* publishes a letter from John O'Leary, the Fenian, now residing in Paris, in which he curses the new and horrible decisions of the dynamiters and Invincibles. He trusts it is but a passing craze and warns the Irish people against supporting the dynamiters and Invincibles. He says if their policy is not abandoned at once the cause of Ireland will be ruined.  
The Westmeath Murder Trials.  
DUBLIN, June 11.—The trial of the Westmeath murder conspirators, 24 in number, ended to-day in failure of the jury to agree. A new trial will be held next week.  
Orange and Green at Newry.  
LONDON, June 10.—Mr. Henry Thompson, the conservative member of Parliament for Newry, Ireland, who witnessed the Orange and Green riot in that town last Sunday, was in the lobby of the House of Commons this afternoon. He attracted quite a crowd by a graphic and excited narrative of his observations and experience during the fight. According to Mr. Thompson, the Nationalists fought with the ferocity of tigers, while the Orangemen opposed to this the gentleness of lambs. He was especially severe upon the police, who, he said, took part of the Leaguers against the Loyalists, and were unnecessarily brutal all around. Mr. Thompson declares that he narrowly escaped with his own life, dodging by only a few inches a desperate lunge made at him by a constable with a sword bayonet, which was driven with such force that it was firmly imbedded in a wooden wall behind him, just as he slipped aside. Mr. Thompson proposes to question the Government next Thursday concerning the riot, and if the answers of Chief Secretary Trevelyan to Mr. Thompson, Ireland, who witnessed the riot and the other Orange leaders, will give a discussion on the whole subject. He says that the people of England do not understand the merits of the question, and that if it is fairly ventilated in Parliament he believes public opinion will compel the Government to countermand the orders given by Viceroy Spencer, which, Mr. Thompson claims, are putting a premium upon sedition and crushing the Loyalists.—Mail.

### THE PRINCE WAS "ANNÓYED."

A Prospect of Mr. Bradlaugh Being Expelled From the Masonic Order.  
DUBLIN, June 11.—The *Freeman's Journal* says Bradlaugh wrote to the Prince of Wales as a brother Mason asking the Prince to support the atheistical organ, which he said it was the duty of the English and Continental Masons to promote. The Prince of Wales greatly annoyed at the receipt of the letter and sent it to Lord Carnarvon. It is believed that Lord Carnarvon will move in the Grand Lodge for Bradlaugh's expulsion. Should Bradlaugh be expelled, other atheists will secede from the Masons.

### BISMARCK'S SCHEMES.

By Which He Hopes to Get Holland Under His Thumb.  
LONDON, June 11.—*Truth* asserts that Bismarck has arranged the betrothal of Prince Frederick William, Hereditary Grand Duke of Baden, and Princess Hilda, of Nassau, with a view to the reconciliation of the Duke of Nassau with Prussia, and the establishment of the family of Nassau as succession to the Dutch throne in case the Prince of Orange, the Crown Prince of Holland, dies.

### The Morganatic Marriage.

LONDON, June 11.—The Kalmire-Hesse affair has been finally settled. The marriage is annulled, and Mde. Kalmire is created Countess von Romrod. She receives £25,000 and an annual income during life of £1,000. She is not to reside in Germany or England.

### Train Wreckers at Work.

LONDON, June 11.—Last night a large sleeper was fastened on the railway track leading to Brighton for the purpose of wrecking the Brighton mail. The train, however, did not leave the rails.

### Dynamite Explosions at Genoa.

GENOA, June 11.—Three dynamite cartridges were exploded here to-day, two in front of the Church of the Conception and the other in close proximity to the Church of San Lorenzo.

### Result of the Belgian Elections.

BRUSSELS, June 11.—Antwerp is greatly agitated. A Bernaert, strong cleric, will probably be the new premier, and relations with the Pope will be resumed. Rioting broke out here again to-night with renewed violence. The mob demolished the shutters and windows of the Catholic Library, and tore down the Papal arms. Five arrests have been made.

### IMPERIAL PARLIAMENT.

The Franchise Bill Debate.  
LONDON, June 10.—The House of Commons presented an unusually animated appearance this afternoon, the occasion being the discussion of the amendment to the franchise bill offered by Mr. William Woodall, M.P. for Stoke-on-Trent, and which proposes to extend the suffrage to female householders. The lobby and galleries were crowded with spectators, and that portion of the gallery known as the ladies' "cage" was especially brilliant in appearance, being packed with ladies in all the bravery of spring toilettes. The discussion brought out the fact that the woman suffrage proposition has strong supporters on both sides of the House, and that it is a question upon which the party line cannot be drawn. Mr. Gladstone is, to be sure, opposed to the amendment, but his son, Mr. Herbert Gladstone, with Postmaster-General Fawcett and many other members, are in favor of it, and have signed a memorial to the Government asking that a full and free debate be allowed, and that a vote for the amendment may not be construed as a vote against the Government or a desertion of the Liberal party. Sir Stafford Northcote favors the amendment, and openly pledged himself to its support in a recent speech at Belfast. Mr. Gorst and many other Conservative members agree with the Tory leader, while his chief lieutenant, Lord Randolph Churchill, opposes him. Mr. Gladstone's own views as to the merits of the question have been ably kept in the background, for all the reason he has yet advanced for opposing the amendment is that it might endanger the success of the Franchise bill itself. Many of the Parliamentaries favor the measure, however, because they say they can trust to the patriotism of Irish women to vote for Irish nationalization; but their leader hesitates, and bases his objection upon the same fears as that expressed by Mr. Gladstone. The discussion to-day was adjourned without coming to any final result or even taking a test vote, but the leaders of the movement seem confident of success.—Mail.

### TELEGRAPHIC ITEMS.

Pere Hycynot sailed from New York for Liverpool yesterday morning.  
The German Minister Von Eisenacker presented his letter of recall at Washington yesterday.  
Daggraf, the assassin of Colonel Sudeikin, has been arrested at Berlin, and will be surrendered to Russia.

### A Missing Torpedo.

LONDON, June 11.—Ugly rumors are afloat concerning the loss of torpedo apparatus, worth £500, while in transit between London and Portsmouth.

### WEATHER REPORT.

MONTREAL, June 11, 1884.  
Temperature in the shade by Standard thermometer, observed by Hearn, Harrison & Co., opticians and mathematical instrument makers, 242 and 244 Notre Dame street—3 a. m. 51°; 2 p. m. 73°; 6 p. m. 69°; max. 73°; min. 51°; mean, 62°. By Standard Barometer—8 a. m., 30.07; 2 p. m., 30.05; 6 p. m., 30.01.  
Meteorological Office, }  
TORONTO, Ont., June 12, 1 a. m. }  
The pressure continues high over the Maritime Provinces, is decreasing in Quebec. In Ontario it remains nearly stationary. The depression still hovers to the south of the lakes.

### Probabilities.

Lake and Upper St. Lawrence—Moderate to fresh, mostly southerly, fair weather higher temperature.

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### —There is a rumor in England that the Salvation Army is about to organize a hallelujah bicycle and tricycle corps.

—Boston girls, those fair and faultless maidens, have lately taken to violin playing. Between four hundred and five hundred are now learning to draw the tuneful bow. It is infinitely better than piano pounding, and now that inflation from ponding is slow; that inflation from which the people of Boston have just petitioned the authorities of that doomed city to deliver them. There is music in the violin. There is none in the piano, at least there is not so much music as torture. The banging of its keys requires more physical strength than the light touch of the silvery violin string does. The violin, many reasons seem especially adapted to ladies. Their ears are as sensitive to sound as their eyes are to color. The subtle violin notes respond especially to their finger-touch. Yet it seems not to have occurred to the sex to learn to play this instrument to the sex to learn to play this instrument. Boston has started the fashion. There have been numerous famous women pianists, but only one noted violin player—Camilla Urso. Where is the female Paganini, Remenyi or Joseffy? Will Boston perhaps furnish her?

### CORONA CIGARS.

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TRADE & COMMERCE

Table with columns: Name, Amt., Books, Pay-able, Date. Lists various banks and their financial details.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETINGS

Table with columns: Name, Date, Location. Lists annual general meetings for various companies.

TRADE AUCTION SALE

Desmarreux & Co., Groceries, &c., June 13

FINANCIAL

THE HERALD OFFICE, Montreal, June 11.

Montreal Stock Market

The tone of the stock market to-day was a continuation of the feeling which prevailed yesterday and indicates clearly that the recent inflation in bank stocks was not of a character to maintain itself against the want of activity in business circles generally.

MORNING BOARD

Table with columns: Name, Price. Lists morning board transactions for various stocks.

AFTERNOON BOARD

Table with columns: Name, Price. Lists afternoon board transactions for various stocks.

STOCKS

Table with columns: Name, Price, Change. Lists various stocks and their current prices.

New York Stock Market

The New York stock market was weak and unsteady, and the majority of the list shows a further decline.

MISSOURI PAC. N. Y. Cent. and Reading

Missouri Pac., N. Y. Cent. and Reading have also advanced. Can. South. was unchanged at 35.

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THE HERALD OFFICE, Montreal, June 11.

Stocks

Table with columns: Name, Closing, Opening, Change. Lists various stocks and their price movements.

Money

The local money market is unchanged, funds being abundant and rates easy to good borrowers.

Foreign Exchange

The market for sterling exchange exhibited somewhat more life to-day than yesterday. Sixties were rated at 9-1/16.

Financial Notes

In the London money market British consols advanced 3-16 for money and 1/4 for the account, closing at 100 for money.

GENERAL NOTES

The latest commercial news by telegraph will be found on our first page.

RAILWAY NEWS

Work has been resumed in earnest upon the Brooklyn Elevated Railroad.

LONDON WOOL SALES

LONDON, June 9.—At the wool sales Saturday Cape and Natal scored solid at 9 1/4 @ 1 1/4.

MERCHANTS BANK OF CANADA

REPORT TO BE PRESENTED TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THIS BANK AT THE ANNUAL MEETING 20TH JUNE, 1884.

PRODUCE AND PROVISIONS

MONTREAL, June 11.

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**APPOINTMENTS.**

Royal Theatre Museum—Performances at 2.30 and 8 p.m.

Crystal Palace Opera House—Performances at 2.15 and 8.15.

Grand Central Dime Museum—Performances at 2.30 and 8 p.m.

Province of Quebec Turf Club—Summer Meeting, at Blue Bonnets, at 2.30 p.m.

**AUCTION SALES TO-DAY.**

BY THOS. J. POTTER.

Newspapers, etc.—At 26 Hospital Street, at 12 noon.

**MONTREAL.**

The position of Montreal as a commercial metropolis, thanks in part to nature, but thanks also to the ingenuity and enterprise of man, is a most commanding one.

It is a great "ocean port" in the interior of the continent. The enterprise of her citizens has channelled the St. Lawrence until such magnificent mammoth specimens of marine architecture as the *Parisian* and *Vancouver* find no difficulty in bringing cargo to and taking it from our wharves. Montreal is practically at the head of steamship and ocean navigation on the St. Lawrence, but it is also the entrepot of an immense traffic by means of small craft from the West and from the Ottawa and from along the lower St. Lawrence,—the traffic from hundreds of commercial points centering here. Hence the bustle along its miles of wharves and docks and canal frontage. It is unnecessary to speak of Montreal's equipment for the grain trade. We have from time to time shown the development of the export cattle trade at Montreal. Of the flour milling industry, which is so prominent a feature of its industrial life, all the world knows. As a manufacturing centre, whether for machine or hand work, it is unsurpassed—the advantage of cheap labor, and a population that readily adapts itself to the requirements of skilled labor, cheap water powers, moderate taxation, a central position in the railway system of the Dominion, the existence of abundant capital, intelligent appreciation of the public value of manufacturing enterprise on the part of banking men, and cheap rates for the transportation of raw material from all parts of the world, all tending to make our city and its environs a hive of manufacturing industry.

That the advantages thus possessed have been fairly well utilized does not need to be stated in terms. The visitor to Montreal finds here a great centre of commercial life and activity—all the equipment and aids to a commerce, presently active but capable of indefinite extension—the greatest banks of the Dominion, the greatest harbor accommodation of the Dominion, the largest wholesale trade of the Dominion, the most extensive manufactures of the Dominion, the most characteristic enterprise of the Dominion in all its varied forms. Here has been a market for labor of every kind, here employment for capital in any amount.

No one who has observed the advances made by Montreal in the past fifty years—not in one direction solely, as in commerce, but in every direction—in its educational institutions, its religious and ecclesiastical institutions, its civic improvements, its press, its industrial energy, its far-reaching movements for the control of trade, its homes, its people, its hotels, its embellishments of various kinds, its charities, even its amusements and its games, etc.—but must admit that the advances have been worthy of the genius of its citizens and the endowments of head and heart which were needed for such a commencement.

But great as has been this progress, there is no reason for supposing that each cycle of years will not see it expand in an ever increasing ratio. What has been accomplished is but an earnest of things to come. Given so much against great obstruction and in the face of extraordinary discouragements, what may we not hope for now that this truly metropolitan city is the centre of a population of nearly five millions; now that we have in a few years added to Canada a fertile territory of continental proportions; now that we shall, in two years hence, have direct connexion with the Pacific Ocean, over the grandest railway system in America, opening up scores of millions of acres of the richest prairie country in the world, to be covered ultimately with millions of population; now that we are presently to have direct railway connexion, by the shortest possible route, with nearly a million of commercial customers in the Maritime Provinces; now that a great network of railways, centering in this city and controlled here, is being augmented by thousands of miles of road, tapping rich territory and cities and rivers and lakes, a large proportion of whose trade must yet come to swell the commerce of a city so fully prepared as Montreal is to receive and handle it.

Those who talk of hard times and would, wittingly or ignorantly, play the "bear" in commerce, forget that throughout this Dominion the largest proportion of five millions of people are employed in creating the elements of commerce; that throughout our vast Dominion an industrious population is

everywhere making rapid progress in local improvements which add to the aggregate wealth of the country; that not only has the country's wealth increased but the average intelligence has increased, while the energy and enterprise of the masses are everywhere greater, and, being more intelligently directed, are everywhere more successful. It is impossible that this improvement can go on in every direction, in every limb and artery and muscle of this Dominion of ours without Montreal, the heart of our commercial system, being greedily the gainer. It has been so in the past fifty years; it is so at the present moment; and the advantages to accrue in this way to Montreal must be even greater in the future than they have been in the past.

**THE CUMBERLAND ELECTION.**

There will be no election in Cumberland County this year, either for Parliament or the Local Legislature, unless some event, not at present regarded as within the probabilities, takes place. The resignation of Sir Charles Tupper, who has represented Cumberland in the Nova Scotia Legislature and the Dominion Parliament for a period of twenty-nine years, leaves a vacancy in that fine county and might have brought on a very lively contest, for, although Sir Charles has never been beaten in Cumberland, another candidate on the same side of politics might not be so fortunate. Cumberland has some claims to public notice on account of its position during the contest for parliamentary representation in the autumn of 1867. Nova Scotia was then exasperated at being voted into Confederation without an appeal to the people and to avenge the passing of that measure every man who took part in it or supported it, and who offered himself for election that year in Nova Scotia, was defeated with the single exception of Sir Charles Tupper, who found Cumberland still faithful to his fortunes. We do not know whether it was due wholly to the popularity of Sir Charles, or to the fact that Cumberland adjoins New Brunswick, which was strong for Confederation, but certainly the position of the county was, at that time, unique. It is hardly less so at the present time. Political compromises are not common in Canada, but the last province where we should expect to see such a compromise is Nova Scotia, and the last county in that Province where such a thing would be suggested is Cumberland. Yet the unexpected frequently happens and despatches inform us that leading politicians of both sides in Cumberland County have come to a compromise relative to the approaching elections. They have agreed that Mr. Charles J. Townshend be elected to the Commons without opposition, and Mr. Thomas Black, of Amherst, a supporter of the Local Government, be elected without opposition to the seat vacated in the House of Assembly by Mr. Townshend. The latter, who is a supporter of Sir John A. Macdonald and the National Policy, was an opponent of the present Liberal administration in Nova Scotia. The Government of that Province have, therefore, made the advantageous bargain of getting rid of a political adversary and securing in his place an additional supporter. Moreover, Mr. Pipes, the Premier of Nova Scotia, represents Cumberland, but is at present without office. It would, therefore, be a convenient thing for him should he accept the office of Attorney-General, which he refused in 1882, to be in a position to be re-elected without a contest, and this, no doubt, is one of the conditions of the bargain, not yet made public. All this goes to show that "Wisdom is profitable to man," and that the wise Liberals of Nova Scotia have made a very good bargain.

**SEA SERPENTS.**

It is reported that the captain and entire crew of the Norwegian bark *Petrolen* have seen a sea serpent and a few particulars of the captain's observations are given. By many people the idea of there being such an animal as the sea serpent seems absurd, partly because such a reptile has never yet been caught, and partly because some of the stories told by sailors about the monster in question, have proved to be of the order of tales usually told to the marines. But because no such animal as a sea serpent is actually known to scientists, it is most illogical to assume that there is no such animal at all. Every year witnesses the discovery of new creatures in the different orders of biology, whose existences were unsuspected before. In the records of geological science too, we find examples of life whose parallels do not exist upon the earth to-day and to one or two of these extinct animals, the sea serpent appears to be somewhat related, according to such accounts as we hear about it. A very large book might be filled with the literature of the sea-serpent and some very amusing mistakes would be found therein concerning the perjuring effects of optical illusion. Tales about sea serpents are often treated as American snake stories and relegated to the limbo of disbelief with a chorus of ridicule at their improbability. But there are so many evidences as to the existence of the marine monster that there may be some excuse if certain men of science, who know more of the wonders of nature than the ordinary news readers, think there are sufficient grounds for both believing in the story of the sea serpent and hoping for a captured specimen some day. We have no belief in mermaids or mermaids, except such as are specially manufactured for the itinerant imitators of the illustrious Barnum. There is something too unnatural about the idea of a merman to warrant our belief in such an existence, outside of legends and fables, but there

is nothing at all dissonant from the requirements of nature to make us incredulous of the probability of the sea serpent's actual being. When the fossil remains of such an animal as an *ichthyosaurus* are regarded, there is little extra faith required to credit the existence of the huge sea snakes, continually spoken of by sailors. There are numerous well authenticated records of observations made when the creature has been seen. True it is very rarely seen, but so are many other animals. When the gorilla was first discovered and described there was an almost general cry of disbelief in the hairy wild man of the woods. The Brazilians of to-day speak of a gigantic animal, about fifty yards long and five yards broad, that lives under the ground and uproots large trees in the course of making its trenches. Scientific observers are inclined to believe this is not an idle tale and Fritz Muller is confident of its actual existence. With such evidences of unknown existences around us and such samples of human incredulity concerning newly discovered forms of life, it would not be surprising to hear that a sea-serpent had actually been caught some day;—though such a capture would be a most difficult performance if the animal be of those extraordinary dimensions as the majority of those who have seen a specimen aver. The records of the animal's appearances are in many cases above any suspicion, and in casting ridicule and doubt upon such reports, the good faith and honesty of men, who have no interest in stating more than they actually have seen, is impeached in a most unwarrantable manner. An evening contemporary should not make such statements in its endeavor to extract fun from a subject on which it is evidently ignorant. The term *apparition* is ill-chosen, when a whole ship's crew can testify to the actual revelation of their own senses. Our contemporary's insinuations as to the moral obliquities of Norwegian sailors is mean, uncalled for and untruthful. In the most reliable of authentic accounts the head of the monster is described as being that of a snake and not of a horse, as our contemporary mentions in its remarkable mixture of fable and fact. Again, this is not the only case in which the monster has been seen by a whole ship's crew, and the "lone man" of an imaginative editor is not the one whose evidence has induced scientists to believe in the sea serpent.

**FOREIGN LANDHOLDERS IN THE UNITED STATES.**

The ownership of lands in the United States by foreigners has become a question that is attracting the attention of members of Congress and others, and the matter has recently come up in a practical shape by a statement by Congressman Lore, of Delaware, who in his speech the other day on the Oregon Land Grant Railroad bill, gave this table of the leading foreign holders of land in the United States, with the amount of their holding expressed in acres:—

An English syndicate, No. 3, in Texas,	3,000,000
The Holland Land Company, New York	1,800,000
Sir Edward Reid and a syndicate, Florida	4,500,000
English syndicate, in Colorado	2,000,000
Marquis of Tweeddale, Scotland	1,750,000
Phillips, Marshall & Co., London	1,300,000
German syndicate, in Florida	1,100,000
Anglo-American syndicate, London	750,000
Duke of Sutherland, Scotland	625,000
British Land Company, in Kansas	525,000
William Whalley, M.P., Peterboro	500,000
England	310,000
Missouri Land Company, Edinburgh, Scotland	235,000
Robert Tennant, of London	230,000
Dunlop Land Company, Scotland	237,000
Lord Dundas, in Colorado	120,000
Benjamin Newgas, Liverpool	100,000
Lord Houghton, in Florida	80,000
English Land Company, in Florida	80,000
South American syndicate, in Kansas	80,000
Albert Pall, M.P., Leicestershire	50,000
England	30,000
Sir J. L. Esay, Colchester, England	5,000
Alexander Grant, of London, in Kansas	35,000
English syndicate	110,000
M. Ellerhauser, of Halifax, in West Virginia	600,000
A Scotch syndicate, in Colorado	500,000
A. Boysen, Danish Consul, in Milwaukee	500,000
Missouri Land Company of Edinburgh	185,000
Total	20,847,000

It will be seen by the above that by far the largest blocks of land are owned by natives of the British Islands, although the Dutch and Germans are doing pretty well in the same direction. One resident of Canada is credited with the respectable area of 600,000 acres.

**THE CAMPAIGN AGAINST BLAINE.**

The other day we referred to the campaign of slander which had been started against Mr. Blaine by his opponents, and to the fact that all the old charges which did duty in 1876 and 1880 were once more being brought forward to injure him. Usually in the case of a Presidential candidate, these charges come from papers of the opposite political party, but in the present instance, Mr. Blaine is suffering more from those who should be his political friends than he could possibly do from any other quarter. The *Evening Post*, of New York, one of the leading organs of the Republican party, months ago commenced to attack Blaine's character as a public man. Since his nomination it has renewed the warfare with greater vigor than ever, and if Mr. Blaine and his friends have any character left by November next it will certainly not be the fault of the *Evening Post*. Here is an amusing specimen of the manner in which Blaine's friends are being flattered by that journal:—

"We gave yesterday as conspicuously as we could the handsome opinions of Mr. Blaine which have been announced by Jay Gould, Cyrus W. Field, and Russell Sage. It was our expectation then that others equally important would follow soon, and we find a very precious one in the *Tribune* of this morning. It is from Colonel John A. Joyce, who is displayed as a 'leading man,' and it is herewith appended entire:

"To a reporter of the *Critic* Colonel John A. Joyce said: 'I think the Republican party has nominated the strongest man in the organization. Blaine is brave, brilliant and audacious; will draw the fire of the enemy and force the fighting until the sun sets on the idea of November.'

"What effect will *Puck's* cartoons on Blaine have on the ticket?"

"Sensible people pay more attention to principle than they do to pictures. While *Puck* is tattooing Blaine, it would be well to tattoo him properly—place on his forehead 'Union forever'—place on his right arm 'Men and money to conquer the slave rebellion'—place on his left arm 'Reconstruction and loyalty'—place on his right leg 'Civil rights'—place on his left leg 'American labor against Oriental papers'—place on both of his feet 'The Constitution and the Union, one and inseparable.' Standing on a platform of American protection he will knock out the English free-traders in the first round."

"What about the Independent opposition to Blaine?"

"There are always a lot of 'man-milliners and tailors of Tooley street' who imagine that time and the wheels of trade revolve around their balms and breaches. They are like the fly on the bull's horn, who thinks he does the mischief when the china shop is invaded, and the crockery is smashed by the bull. Blaine can lose New York and still be elected. He can carry the Pacific slope, Indiana, and Wisconsin on protection to American industries."

"The name of Joyce sounds very familiar. There was a person of pre-

cisely the same name connected with the Whiskey Ring, and in a file of the *Tribune* for 1875 we find several interesting items of intelligence about him. The first is under date of November 15, and is as follows:—

**JOYCE'S SENTENCE.**

St. Louis, November 14, 1875.—Judge Krekel, of the United States District Court, Missouri, sentenced Colonel John A. Joyce, ex-Revenue Agent, to three years and six months in the penitentiary and to pay a fine of \$3,000.

"In the editorial columns of the *Tribune* of the same date, we find an article on 'Ring Breakers,' which opens as follows:—

The sentence of a member of the Whiskey Ring in Missouri to three and a half years' imprisonment is a forcible reminder of the gratifying success that has attended Secretary Bristol's war upon this powerful clique of thieves. This success has been great just as the ring was great.

"Finally, in the *Tribune* of November 20, we find a long and interesting letter from St. Louis on the personal characteristics of the convicted members of the Whiskey Ring, in which, following a description of McDonald, there occurs this account of Col. John A. Joyce:—

His confidential associate was Colonel Joyce, the special agent, who was sentenced to the penitentiary on Saturday, at Jefferson City. Joyce was a swarthy, black-eyed Kentuckian, of more jovial humor and of more education, who could make a fiery speech of the spread-eagle sort and loved to sing a song or recite poetry. Both had a passion for political management and for fine diamonds; both cared more for power and money than for political principles, and both had plenty of audacity, Joyce leaning rather to the melodramatic in his style of heroes.

"Is this the same Joyce who is now shouting for Blaine as being, 'brave, brilliant and audacious'?" If so, his term in the penitentiary does not seem to have dampened his ardor for the "melodramatic style of hero."

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**FIRST DAY,**  
Thursday, 12th June.  
No. 1.—TRIAL PURSE, \$150; \$125 to first horse; \$25 to second. Distance, 3 mile.  
No. 2.—QUEEN'S PLATE, 50 Guineas. The gift of Her Majesty the Queen. Distance, 1 1/4 miles.  
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No. 5.—HURDLE RACE, \$250; \$200 to first horse; \$50 to second. Distance, 1 1/4 miles.

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Saturday, 14th June.  
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**RULES AND REGULATIONS.**  
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The races to be run under the American Jockey Club Rules.  
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OUR PARIS LETTER.

President Grevy's Clemency Towards Murderers—The Victims of Duty—The Poets' Picnic—England's Her Apparent in Paris—Proposed Underground Railway—The Dangers of Foreign Streets—Spread of the Lethal-Tetanus—A Commemorative Celebration—French Workmen Prefer to Stay at Home to Emigrate.

Paris, May 30, 1884. The pro and the con of the right of society to inflict the death penalty is a great question, in regard to which it is natural that there should be a difference of opinion; but all will admit that, in a community in which the last terrible infliction of the law is still a part of the law of the land, there should be a uniform and unvarying execution of that law. M. Grevy, on the contrary, not only alarms and scandalizes the public by reversing the decrees of the judicial authority with a frequency which has the effect of virtually abolishing that authority, but he still farther astounds the country by thus interfering on behalf of just the very worst of the human monsters who—despite the incomprehensible faculty of French juries for discovering the pretence of "extenuating circumstances" in cases which, to others, appear to present every character of aggravated guilt and horror—have been awarded the full penalty of the law.

THE MURDER HAD BEEN DELIBERATELY PLANNED and the preparations for the commission of the crime carefully, systematically and ingeniously carried out for several days beforehand, the room into which the unsuspecting collector was decoyed, and in which he was murdered, having been rented by this miscreant expressly for the perpetration of the intended crime, the details of which were of fiendish atrocity, and precluded all possibility, on the part of the jury, of admitting the existence of "extenuating circumstances."

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THE COMMUNISTS have had a grand celebration in honor of "the victims of Versailles," in the shape of a visit to the graves of those who fell in the deadly civil strife that put an end to their sanguinary experiment. All who took part in the demonstration were red; some of the women were in red from top to toe. All carried red flowers, and covered with these the graves of the "victims," covering with the same even the walls of the cemetery. A strong posse of mounted police guarded the entrance, and policemen were on duty throughout the cemetery. Happily, the affair passed off quietly, the spirits of the demonstrators (especially of the female ones), being evidently dashed by the ribaldry excited, on the part of the spectators, by the absurdity of their lobster-like appearance, an absurdity, which their contemplation of each other's appearance enabled each to appreciate in its full extent.

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off at the Hotel Continental, in this city, with the General Marquis de Galliffet at its head. This "dinner of King Rene" takes place yearly, and brings together all the leading people of the region over which the old post-king, mother of an ancient English Queen, formerly exercised his arduous sovereignty. The Prince of Wales, who was diligently taking the waters at Royat, and making delightful excursions in the charming region which he was visiting for the first time, to the great benefit of his health, and the satisfaction of the neighborhood, where H. R. H., as usual, had quickly attracted the sympathy of everybody by his easy geniality, has been suddenly recalled to London by the death of the Duke of Saxe-Coburg.

THE ENORMOUS overcrowding of the streets of Paris has decided the Government to proceed with the creation of a metropolitan railway, to be confined to a company with M. Douan at its head. The new line will start from Pateaux, run through the Bois de Boulogne to the Arc de Triomphe, follow the outer Boulevard to the Rue de Rome and the whole length of this street to the Place de l'Opera, thence straight to the Bourse and along the Rue de Valenciennes to the Place du Chateau d'Eau, finally joining the Ceinture (or Inner Belt) Railway after crossing the Place de la Bastille. This line will have a length of 10 miles, two-thirds of which will be underground and one-third open cutting. The cost is estimated at \$2,000,000 per mile, say a total of \$2,000,000.

TWO BRANCH LINES are to be constructed, on the completion of this main artery. Unless favored with the new outbreak of Communist violence, intensified with dynamite, &c., which the "advanced" demagogues of the capital are promising to the rest of the citizens, Paris may hope, with the aid of these new avenues of transit, for a notable diminution of the danger to life and limb at present involved in the crossing of all its principal thoroughfares. The "powers that be" have seemed to preserve their equanimity as long as only elderly people, nursemaids and babies, and other "nobodies" have been run over; but now that a daughter of the great money-king's has been killed outright, a Senator knocked down and severely injured, and a member of the Academy made an omelette of their heads, it seems to them that something must really be done to enable peaceable citizens to walk about in this beautiful capital without incurring the risk of being brought home on a stretcher. An allusion to the dangers of the street, which reminds me that the Prefect of Police has just introduced an excellent innovation, which ought to be adopted in every town and country. A set of cabs is now placed at the service of the public for the gratuitous transport of persons suffering from contagious diseases. These carriages, the property of the municipality, will be available between the hours of 8 a.m. and 6 p.m. Applications are to be sent to the Commissary of Police of the quarter.

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AN effort is being made to limit the dangerous extension of lotteries in this country, where under all names of artistic and charitable pretenses, the organizers of these mischievous seductions now screw "millions" imnumerable out of the pockets of their dupes. At the present moment petitions for "authorizations" of lotteries to the tune of 140 millions of francs are before the Chamber, which now proposes, in view of the corrupting action of the lottery mania, to limit to 50,000 francs the maximum which it shall be permitted to any artistic or charitable lottery to receive.

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Auction Sales. BY THOS. J. POTTER. THIS DAY. PUBLIC SALE OF BRITISH AND AMERICAN NEWSPAPERS, PERIODICALS, &c. For particulars see hand bills at the Merchant's Exchange Reading Room, 26 Hospital Street, On Thursday, 12th June inst. SALE AT 12 O'CLOCK. THOS. J. POTTER, Auctioneer.

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Miscellaneous. Just Received, Per SS. "CIRCASSIAN," Another Shipment of the GENUINE THOMSON PIPE! ONLY TO BE HAD OF A. ANSFELL, 1341 ST. CATHERINE STREET. May 28. LIGGET & HAMILTON'S PRESENT NUMBERS ARE FOR DRY GOODS, No. 1883 Notre Dame Street. For CARPETS, No. 1885 Notre Dame Street. FORMERLY 47 & 49 St. Joseph Street. 1883 and 1885 NOTRE DAME STREET. These are the numbers of renewed Notre Dame Street, by which our Stores will now be distinguished. 1883 was an eventful year in Dry Goods. It witnessed one of the greatest falls in the price of cottons that the trade has ever seen; but 1885 is still a sealed book. LIGGET & HAMILTON.

Miscellaneous. 1883 and 1885 NOTRE DAME STREET. One case of Carmelite and one case of Nun's Veiling, in all the different shades, opened last night. The Veil of 1885 is unopened. LIGGET & HAMILTON.

Miscellaneous. 1883 AND 1885 Notre Dame Street. Caution to Buyers—Most attractive Looking Goods in Ladies' Kid Gloves are largely advertised by some Stores and prove useless to the purchasers. They are sold no matter how many buttons at 35c to 65c. The material is cheap. Try Ligget & Hamilton's reliable Goods. Kid Gloves, 2 Buttons, at 50c. do 4 do 75c. LIGGET & HAMILTON.

Miscellaneous. 1883 AND 1885 Notre Dame Street. Cost is no object in order to clear out our stock of Erings. Through a mistake in ordering we have double the stock we intend to keep. The overstock will be sold. LIGGET & HAMILTON.

Miscellaneous. 1883 AND 1885 Notre Dame Street. Mourning—The balance of our importations of Black Cashmères, Union and all wool Barathas, Henriettas and French Merinos has just come to hand and completes an assortment. Good all-wool Cashmères at 25c. LIGGET & HAMILTON, 1883 and 1885 Notre Dame Street, MONTREAL. (Formerly 47 and 49 Notre Dame Street West.) May 1. 105

Miscellaneous. TIMBER LIMITS AND MILLS FOR SALE. Comprising about 300 miles of Timber Limits in the Counties of Joliette and Montcalm, in the Province of Quebec, bearing Spruce, Pine and Cedar, traversed by the La Maree, Dufresne and other rivers. About 25 acres of Land at Montcalm, on the La Maree River, 40 miles from Montreal, with fine Dwelling and Outbuildings. About 100 acres of land at Charlemagne, at the mouth of the L'Assomption River, 17 miles from Montreal, with a STEAM SAW MILL of large capacity, MANAGER'S HOUSE, dwellings for employes, machine shop, Bakery, store, wharves, &c. Ample facilities for loading vessels, a very complete establishment. BOOMS AND DAMS on the various rivers. The whole in running order offers a capital opportunity for doing a profitable business. Will be sold on favorable terms at a low price. Apply to THE LIQUIDATORS of the EXCHANGE BANK, Montreal. April 30. wfm 104

ROOFING! Roofing Cement, many of which have stood 25 and 30 years, test. Genuine old fashioned kind Gravel Roofing; also Slate, Metal, in all their different branches. Materials and workmanship first class. GEORGE W. REED, Slate, Metal, and Gravel Roofing, 783 and 785 CRAIG STREET. Montreal 123

I. E. A. DUBORD, FASHIONABLE TAILOR, 19 -St. Lawrence Main Street—19 (LATE NO. 22 ON SAME STREET.) LATEST PATTERNS IN French, English and Scotch Tweeds. May 14. 117

Auction Sales. BY THOMSON & GOWDEY. Thomson & Gowdey, COMMISSION MERCHANTS, Real Estate and General Auctioneers, Nos. 241 & 243 ST. JAMES ST., Opposite Ottawa Buildings. Liberal advances on consignments. Fire Losses adjusted, valuations made for Estates, etc., etc. Sales conducted in French when required. THOMSON & GOWDEY, May 7. 110

Miscellaneous. The Sydney & Louisburg Coal and Railway Company's RESERVE COAL. For the use of Locomotives, Stationary and Marine Engines, the Reserve Coal is unrivalled. Free burning, no clinkers, and leaving third less ash than any Lower Port Coal. Testimonials from Steamship Companies, Railway and Manufacturing Companies can be obtained. Prices for Fueling Steamers at Sydney, or to be at the Mine, or for the use of Quebec, Montreal, or any place in the interior, will be named on application to F. W. HENSHAW, Agent S. & L. Coal & Railway Co. April 18. 6m 89

Miscellaneous. LONDON SADDLERY EMPORIUM. Just Received a Full Line of BEST LONDON STYLES. LADIES' RIDING SADDLES, LADIES' HUNTING SADDLES, GENTS' RIDING SADDLES, GENTS' HUNTING SADDLES, AND BRIDLES, MARTINGALES, &c. Also, LADIES' AND GENTS' HUNTING CROPS AND DRIVING WHIPS. HARNESS. Made from Best English Oak Tanned Leather, in SINGLE, DOUBLE, TANDEM. Made in the Latest London Style. Printed lists on application. JOHN C. McLAREN, Nos. 10 and 12 ST. JAMES ST. WEST. April 15. 1191

Miscellaneous. PORTHOUS' Patent Lock-up "Pop" Safety Valve FOR LOCOMOTIVE, STEAMBOAT AND STATIONARY BOILERS. This cut represents one of the best and most reliable Safety Valves in the market, and is made in every respect according to the requirements of the Steamboat Inspectors' Acts and Rules. It never fails to open at the pressure to which it is adjusted, and prevents any accumulation of pressure greater than that which it is set to guard against. It will lift more than two pounds while opening and shutting. These valves are all tested under steam, and are correctly and plainly marked to the required pressure at which the valve is wanted to pop. Manufactured by R. MITCHELL & CO., Montreal, P.Q. May 10. 113

Miscellaneous. CUMBERLAND Railway and Coal Company. SPRING HILL COLLIERIES. There is no necessity to lay out a large amount of money in the summer for coal, as the new company, will contract to deliver their coal. FRESH MINED SPRING HILL COAL at any season of the year in quantities to suit the purchaser. Nos. 4 & 5 Chestersfield Chambers, ST. ALEXIS STREET. J. B. COWANS, Secretary. N.B.—Fresh Mined Coal is TWENTY PER CENT better than coal that has been piled and exposed to the weather during the winter. April 28. 3m 102

Miscellaneous. Molasses! Oils! Fish! Puns. Choice BARBADOES MOLASSES. Puns. Choice DEMERARA MOLASSES. Puns. Choice TRINIDAD MOLASSES. Jamaica COFFEE, GINGER and PIMENTO. Bbls. Pure Newfoundland COD OIL. Bbls. Pure Newfoundland COD LIVER OIL. (very superior quality). Bbls. Steam Refined SEAL OIL. Bbls. Straw SEAL OIL. Bbls. No. 1 Large CAPE BRETON HERRING. Half-Bbls. No. 1 Large CAPE BRETON HERRING. Casks and Bbls. No. 1 GREEN CODFISH Cakes Canned LOBSTERS and MACKEREL. Our Oils are imported by ourselves, and warranted pure. J. & R. McLEA. N.B.—We are now booking Orders for the well-known Caledonia Mine Coal. This Coal is clean well screened and suitable





ENGLISH MAILS.

The following are the dates and hours of closing of the mails for England during the month of June:—

Friday, 13th, 12.30 p.m.
Tuesday, 17th, 12.30 p.m.
Wednesday, 18th, 12.30 p.m.
Friday, 20th, 12.30 p.m.
Tuesday, 24th, 12.30 p.m.
Friday, 27th, 12.30 p.m.

LOCAL NEWS.

PILLAR extension dining-tables, leather covered chairs, marble and wood-top sideboards in great variety at H. J. Shaw & Co., 726 Craig street.

CORPUS CHRISTI.—To-day being the fête of Corpus Christi, the City Hall, Court House and the French places of business generally will be closed. The grand procession will take place next Sunday.

THE COURT OF REVIEW will sit on the 21st, 23rd, 24th and 25th days of June instant at half-past ten a.m. Country cases to be heard on the 23rd instant.

REPAIRING PIANOS.—The N. Y. Piano Co. have fine facilities for repolishing and repairing pianos and organs, apply at their stores, 325 St. James street.

A NEW METHOD OF LEARNING ENGLISH.—A correspondent writes that Prof. Jordan, the well-known short-hand teacher, has invented a system of teaching the speaking, reading and writing of English in the shortest time yet known and with the greatest success.

CALL to H. J. Shaw & Co's., 726 Craig street, and examine the beautiful bedroom suits in malagasy, cherry, walnut, elm, white ash, and chestnut, from \$18.00 to \$300.00.

ANOTHER ACTION AGAINST THE CITY.—Acting on behalf of Thomas O'Connor and wife, Mr. Donald Downie yesterday instituted an action against the city for \$1,000 for damages resulting to Mrs. O'Connor for falling in St. Joseph, near west Notre Dame street, owing to the disgraceful bad state of the sidewalk there, causing her an illness of several months' duration, and marking and injuring her for life.

By a peculiar process of manufacture, Hyman's celebrated cut plug tobacco is always in a moist condition, thereby avoiding dry dust so common to smoking tobaccos. It is free from all impurities, smoking sweet to the end and not biting the tongue or making the mouth sore. Sold only by S. Hyman, 1702 Notre Dame Street (next to French Cathedral).

THERE was no meeting of retail grocers at the Mechanics Hall last evening, as the advertisement calling the same should have read Thursday, June 12, at 8 p.m. The business to be brought before the meeting will be to consider the advisability of arranging for an excursion and picnic as in former years, and to elect new officers and executive committees.

DEATH OF FORTIN.—Last Friday, at 3 p.m. Joseph Fortin, aged 24, shot himself in the centre of the frontal bone at the house of ill-fame kept Philomene Dickey, No. 79 St. Constant street. He was removed to Notre Dame Hospital, where he lingered in a semi-comatose state till 11.30 yesterday morning, when he died, his decease being preceded by convulsions. The remains were unclaimed at the hospital last night. An inquest will be held to-day.

NO QUORUM.—A meeting of butchers was to have been held yesterday afternoon in the Mechanics Institute, for the purpose of electing a board of directors to the new Union Abattoir Company, but as a quorum could not be obtained the meeting adjourned. The following gentlemen were spoken of as likely to be elected—Messrs. Edward Chartres, George Nicholson, P. Versailles, F. Bayard, L. Barre, Joseph Quessillon, L. Derome, Mr. Macduff Lamb and E. Lavigne.

THE CARTIER MEMORIAL.—The statue of the late Sir George E. Cartier, ordered by the Department of Public Works, has been completed by Mr. Hebert, of Montreal, to whom the work was entrusted, and all that now remains to be done before it is put in place on Parliament Square. It is the intention of the Department to have the statue mounted before September. The work is said by those who have seen it to be well executed and in keeping with the beauty of the model.

A LARGO supply of the popular and beautiful Bell Organ, just received at the stores of the N. Y. Piano Co. Full descriptive catalogue and price list on application.

THIS steamship Fernwood, of London, is receiving a cargo of grain at the Long Wharf. She is the first steamer to take such a cargo this season outside of the regular lines. The bark Bulie, of London, is taking in deals for a port in the English channel. She is in the lower canal basin, with the Austrian bark Ariste and the steamship Pansher. The steamship Ashbrooke will probably return to Hartlepool. Bark Norway goes to South America with lumber. The Polino began loading for the Gulf ports at the Island Wharf yesterday.

NEWSLETTERS.—Warm weather and getting warmer.—Father Labelle is getting his lottery into shape.—Look out for a vicious dog when going through Chaboille street.—Dr. Laroque when squabbling with Dr. Bessey in the corridor of the City Hall yesterday called him "an old fool" and the other retorted in kind—"which of the medicos was right?" The Victoria Rifles had a fine parade last night with band. Commanding officers inspection to-night.—The opening Bonnet Hop of the season was given by the Montreal Yacht Club at Longueuil last night, and was a very successful affair.

FIRE.—At 6.45 last evening an alarm was sent in from box 36, corner King and Common streets. Some sparks from the chimney had set fire to the roof of Thomas Scanlan's foundry. The blaze was extinguished by a stream from reel No. 3. The salvage wagon and reels 1, 3, 4 and 9 responded to the alarm. At 11 o'clock p.m. the entire central section of the brigade was called out in response to an alarm from box 18, Beaver Hall Hill. Smoke was seen issuing from the store No. 60 Bagelton street, occupied by E. J. Deltes as a confectionery store, and a smouldering fire in a chimney was extinguished by a babcock without any damage being done.

DISMISSED MEAT.—Narcisse Tanguay, of 125 Notre Dame street, was before the Recorder yesterday on a charge of offering for sale diseased meat on the 26th of last month. The charge was laid by the Health Committee, and evidence was given by Dr. Bessey, Dr. Bell, Mr. Clements and Mr. Radford to the effect that the meat was covered with pus and unfit for consumption. Alfred Letourneau, butcher, gave testimony as to the general character of the defendant, Mr. George Fallum, meat inspector, said that he had sold meat results with tubercles and no meat results had occurred. The case was taken en delibere.

CAUGHANAGA.—Things are booming at the Indian village of Caughanaga. About sixty men are at work on the foundation of the new exhibition building. The lacrosse teams have matches on hand for several weeks to come, and the men will be encouraged to keep up their practice. They have begun the season well, and some excellent play may be expected from them.

FINE PICTURE.—An excellent oil painting of Reverend A. Campion, of Notre Dame church, by Henry Carey is now on exhibition in the window of Messrs. C. W. & J. E. Ray, corner Craig and St. Urban streets. The picture, the dimensions of which are 32x52, is a life-like portrait of the reverend gentleman, and was painted at the request of St. Bridget's Temperance Society. It is to be disposed of by raffie by that Society. The framing of the painting is a marvel of the gilder's art, being a seven inch gilt moulded frame of splendid workmanship and design.

THE CANADIAN PRESS ASSOCIATION.—A meeting of the executive committee of the Canadian Press Association was held in the Rossin House, Toronto, on Tuesday. There were present: James Somerville, M.P.; Dundas Banner; James Innes, M.P.; Guelph Mercury; H. Hough, Cobourg W.P.; J. B. Pense, Kingston Whig; J. D. Barr, Lindsay Post; G. Blackett, Montreal Free Press; W. H. Clime, Bowmansville Sun; J. B. Traves, Port Hope Times; W. Watt, Brantford Express; George Tye, Brantford Times; H. E. Smallpiece, Toronto World. The committee decided to make an excursion this year to Yellowstone Park, Wyo., on the Northern Pacific Railway, in the last week in July.—Toronto World.

OCEAN PASSENGERS.—Among the passengers by the Inman Line steamship City of Chester, from New York, for Liverpool, June 7th, are the following:—Rev. John Barry, Rev. Jas. T. Barry, Mr. James Clark, Mr. Arthur Colby, Mr. Chas. Munday, Rev. O. P. Gifford, Mr. Wm. Ball, Mr. Wm. Johnson, Mr. Wm. R. N. Lyne, Professor Moffat, Rev. John M. Canley, Mr. David Prince, Mrs. David Prince, Mrs. O. P. Gifford, Professor John Reynolds, Rev. James Stevenson, Dr. J. C. Whinnery, Prince Yamachina and suite, Mr. Wm. Barnett, Mr. Jas. Murray, Mr. Wm. Marshall, Dr. B. Newton, Rev. E. Wachter.

A LARGE stock of new and second hand pianos are now on sale at the N. Y. Piano Co's stores, St. James street. Among them may be mentioned the celebrated N. Y. Weber, Decker & Son, Vose, Dunbar, Hale, and other first class makers.

PERSONAL. Mr. A. W. McLean, Minister of Marine, and his wife, were in the city yesterday, and returned to Ottawa in the evening.

AMUSEMENTS. Grand Central Dime Museum. The two performances at the Grand were crowded yesterday afternoon and evening. The show is a good one, and is worthy of patronage.

Royal Theatre Museum. There was another good house at the Royal last night to witness the opera of the Mascott. This afternoon and evening Olivette will be the attraction.

CRYSTAL PALACE OPERA HOUSE. The Pirates continue to draw well at the Crystal, good houses greeting each performance. Billee Taylor will be presented to-morrow (Friday) night.

NOTES. A San Francisco telegram says:—Nat Goodwin, the actor, has been sued by Australian parties for \$30,000 damages for breach of contract.

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ST. JEAN BAPTISTE CELEBRATION.—The costume of the King of the Cavalcade has just been finished, and consists of a coat of mail made of cloth of gold, with polished steel greaves and elbow pieces. The surcoat is of white satin with fleur de lys, with the red cross of the crusaders in the center, the whole being adorned with an embroidery of gold and precious stones. The belt is of crimson velvet with golden fleur de lys, and supports the sword, which is of steel, with golden hilt and velvet scabbard. The regal robe is of blue silk velvet with gold fleur de lys, and is lined with ermine, being fastened at the shoulder by a gold cord finished with a heavy gold tassel. The king will also wear a splendid gold collar, ornamented with precious stones and the crown. The arch to be erected by the citizens at the corner of St. Catherine and Victoria streets will cost \$2,000, and will be 60 feet high by 80 feet wide, and will form a square facing on both sides of each street. The structure will be Gothic, with four turrets and a large dome in the centre, on the top of which will be placed a large statue of St. Jean Baptiste.

RECORDED'S COURT.—The following cases were disposed of before the Recorder yesterday morning:—Frederick Moise, Joseph Kernan, Calixte St. Denis, William O'Meara, Joseph Dooly and Alfred Belleville, carters, were arraigned for driving without licenses and fined each \$1 or 8 days. Margaret Clark and Margaret Lawler, two drunks, were discharged. Emile Garripy, a hackman, charged with careless driving and running over a child, had his case remanded till Friday. Elie Belair, a servant, drunk and disorderly on Craig street, \$5 or one month. Antoine Barrette, who described himself as a "dealer" from Napierville, was fined \$1 for the offence of getting drunk. Benjamin Cunningham was found lying drunk in a shed of Union Avenue; \$1 was the cost of this indulgence. John Montgomery and his wife, Amelia Ash, were called upon to answer a charge of keeping a disorderly house. The man had his sentence suspended and his wife's trial comes off tomorrow. Emma and John Codagan, inmates of Montgomery's house, were also remanded till Friday. It cost David Sim \$1 or four days for being drunk.

LEONARD vs. BARNETT.—In regard to the action taken by Miss Leonard against Mr. Barnett, lessee of the Crystal Opera House, Mr. Arnold, the business manager, says that Miss Leonard arrived some three days late for her engagement, and scarcely attended any rehearsals, although it was understood that she was to under study Miss Edmundson's parts. She was cast by Phyllis, and new dresses prepared for her. Three days before the performance, she sent word that she had a severe cold, and would not be able to sing. Thereupon Mr. Barnett wrote her a note saying that as she had broken her engagement she must consider herself discharged. Miss Leonard afterwards came to a rehearsal, when Mr. Barnett offered to allow her \$25 for whatever expenses she had been put to since her arrival, and to continue her engagement as second lady at a salary of \$30 per week. Miss Leonard replied that the matter was in the hands of her lawyer, so the arrangement fell through. Miss Leonard has sued for three weeks' salary, whereas at the time the suit was taken the opera house had only been open two weeks. Mr. Barnett feels indignant at being accused of an intention to leave the country to defraud his creditors, and will enter a counter charge of perjury.

IF you want a parlor suite, go to H. J. Shaw & Co., 726, 728 Craig street, where you will find the largest assortment, and every variety of styles and coverings to be found. Carved frames in ebony, walnut and mahogany. Wire frames in all styles, covered in plush, satin, ruffled, brocade, spun silk, raw silk, cashmere, hair cloth, Rini, at prices that cannot be beat.

CHURCH OF SCOTLAND. Meetings of the Synod Yesterday. The Synod assembled in the basement of St. Andrew's Church at eleven o'clock yesterday morning, and proceedings were opened by religious exercises conducted by Rev. C. B. Ross.

An application was received from the congregation of Eldon to set 180 acres for their glebe, retaining 20 acres for a manse and graveyard. The application was referred to a committee consisting of the Rev. Messrs. McDonald, Dobie and Hill.

The case of the Galt congregation was submitted. In a lawsuit recently the congregation received the right to take possession of the church, but the manse and glebe are not their possession, and they apply for assistance to recover them. After some discussion the question was referred to a committee composed of the Rev. Messrs. Hill and Dobie, and Mr. McLean.

The afternoon session was opened at half-past two o'clock. A letter was read requesting the Synod to have an interview with Mr. Hickson and Mr. Macmaster with regard to some items in the Temporalities case.

Rev. J. Edgar Hill made a verbal report on certain weak and vacant charges and Rev. Mr. Ross moved, seconded by Rev. Mr. Gillies, that the presbyteries be enjoined to appoint committees forthwith to visit all weak and vacant congregations within their bounds and to send a report to the next Synod concerning the condition of these congregations. Carried.

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