

Notice of Births, marriages and deaths necessarily must be published with the name and address of the party, or otherwise no notice can be taken of them.

DECEASED. HARMON—At St. John's, P.Q., on the 20th inst., the wife of F. Harmon, of a daughter.

MARRIED. MILLAN—At Holywell, Que., Scotch Consulate, English River, on the 7th inst., the wife of John Millan, of a son.

MARRIED. MYLES—WALKER—On the 19th inst., at St. Ann's Church, by the Rev. Father Hogan, P.P., Michael Myles to Mary Walker, both of this city.

MARRIED. GRAHAM—DAMON—On the 13th inst., at the residence of the bride's father, Grenville, by the Rev. James Wilson, Mr. Alexander Graham, of the Township of Arrows, to Euphemia, daughter of Mr. Lachlan Cameron.

MARRIED. CROSSBY—FERRIGO—On the 20th inst., at Trinity Church, by the Rev. W. L. Mills, P. A. Crosby, to Winnie, adopted daughter of Mr. John Ferrigo.

MARRIED. WURTELE—GIBB—In this city, on the 21st inst., at the Church of St. John the Evangelist, by the Rev. Edmund Wood, Rector, assisted by the Rev. Arthur French, J. G. Wurtele, son of Christopher E. Wurtele, of Sherbrooke, to Augusta Mary, youngest daughter of the late James Campbell Gibb.

MARRIED. RAPHAEL—THOMPSON—On Wednesday morning, the 20th inst., at the Dominion Square Methodist Church, by the Rev. J. C. Garrett, John F. Raphael, to Helen Ogilvie, eldest daughter of George Thompson, Esq., of this city.

MARRIED. ODELL—SEYBOLD—On the 21st, in Sherbrooke street Methodist Church, by the Rev. Dr. Potts, Walter S. Odell, of Ottawa, to Sara J. Seybold, only daughter of C. Seybold, Esq., of this city.

MARRIED. McCULLOCH—At 158 Wellington street, on Tuesday, the 19th inst., Francis R. McCulloch, eldest and beloved son of Francis McCulloch, Assistant Chief Montreal Fire Department, aged 25 years.

MARRIED. NEILL—On the morning of the 20th inst., William Neill, native of Tranent, Scotland.

MARRIED. HANNAH—At 129 Forfar street, Point St. Charles, on the 19th inst., Wm. D. Hannah, aged seven years and 3 months, third son of Wm. D. Hannah, G. T. Railway.

MARRIED. ROSS—At Renfrew, Ont., on Sunday, June 10th, at congregation of the lungs, Helen, eldest sister of the late William Ross, Esq., forwarder, Montreal.

MARRIED. JALABERT—At Lyons, France, on the 25th of May, 1883, in the 90th year of her age, Marcelline Blanc, widow of Etienne Jalabert, uncle maternal of the Rev. J. A. Vernon.

MARRIED. "God will redeem my soul from the power of the grave, for He shall receive me."—Ps. xlix., 15.

ADVERTISEMENTS. CITY BEDDING HOUSE—When you want to buy pure and healthy bedding, bedroom furniture, parlor furniture, sofas, easy-chairs, lounges and furniture of every description, good and cheap, go to Jas. Steele, furniture upholsterer and bed manufacturer, 72 and 74 St. Joseph street.

MARBLE Mantel Clocks, Opera and Field Glasses, Ladies' and Gents' Dressing Cases, Brass Writing Sets, Girandoles, Electro Plate of every description, Spoons and Forks, &c. Wholesale and retail. Watson & Pelton, 53 St. Sulpice street.

DURING JUNE make a point of using for the laundry, the bath room and the toilet Strachan's "Gilt Edge" soap, and during all the other months in the year do the same thing!

JET JEWELLERY. One case ex SS. "Parisian," containing the latest patterns. See our window.

J. PALMER & SON, 361 Notre Dame street. THE CARPET WAREHOUSE. ESTABLISHED 1850.

\$25—HENRY J. SHAW & CO.'S Ass and Walnut Bedroom Sets (7 pieces), at \$25 net each, are still having a big run. Call and see their \$45 Walnut Sets, Queen Anne style. They are, without doubt, the best values to be found anywhere.

THE FAMOUS FULLOVER HATS. Are acknowledged by the public to be the best. Christy's in Soft and Hard Hats are not excelled.

CARSLEY'S COLUMN.

RUBBER CIRCULARS! The sale for Ladies' Rubber Circulars is still going on at S. CARSELYE.

SILK UNDERWEAR! SILK UNDERWEAR! SILK UNDERWEAR! SILK UNDERWEAR!

GAUZE UNDERWEAR! GAUZE UNDERWEAR! GAUZE UNDERWEAR! GAUZE UNDERWEAR!

MERINO UNDERWEAR! MERINO UNDERWEAR! MERINO UNDERWEAR! MERINO UNDERWEAR!

COTTON UNDERWEAR! COTTON UNDERWEAR! COTTON UNDERWEAR! COTTON UNDERWEAR!

CASHMERE UNDERWEAR! CASHMERE UNDERWEAR! CASHMERE UNDERWEAR! CASHMERE UNDERWEAR!

OTHER UNDERWEAR! OTHER UNDERWEAR! OTHER UNDERWEAR! OTHER UNDERWEAR!

GOOD UNDERWEAR! GOOD UNDERWEAR! GOOD UNDERWEAR! GOOD UNDERWEAR!

LADIES' UNDERWEAR! LADIES' UNDERWEAR! LADIES' UNDERWEAR! LADIES' UNDERWEAR!

GENTLEMEN'S UNDERWEAR! GENTLEMEN'S UNDERWEAR! GENTLEMEN'S UNDERWEAR! GENTLEMEN'S UNDERWEAR!

Children's Underwear! Children's Underwear! Children's Underwear! Children's Underwear!

WHITE SHIRTS! WHITE SHIRTS! WHITE SHIRTS! WHITE SHIRTS!

BOYS' JERSEY SUITS! There is not in the City of Montreal as large, varied and attractive an assortment of Boys' Jersey Suits as is now on display at S. CARSELYE'S.

SEE S. CARSELYE'S WEST WINDOW, 307 ST. JOSEPH, ON FRIDAY AND FOLLOWING DAYS.

WHY DO COLORS FADE? Many would suppose that the fault lies with the dyeing, but this is not the case in all instances, especially in that relative to the product of colors in Carpets.

THE REASON IS THIS—The unreasonable demand for low prices during the past few years has led to the introduction of materials into the manufacture of these goods in which the best dyes can only be fugitive, and, unfortunately, this has not limited itself to the great centres of manufacture in Europe, but has extended into nearly all the carpet producing districts of Eastern countries.

S. Carsey having received an importation of Eastern Goods, such as specimens of Persian Carpets from the districts of Parahan and Bahaksh, Turkey Carpets purchased at the seat of manufacture, Oushak, Asia Minor; Ghivordes Carpets, fully illustrating the beautiful low-toned colorings of Antique Persian Goods, will be pleased to have them shown to any of his clients or the public generally, to whom it may be interesting, and showing where the purchasers of these Eastern products are often misled as to the intrinsic value of the article bought. The genuineness and durability of all these goods guaranteed by S. CARSELYE.

BEIDING, PAUL & CO. The Sewing Silks manufactured by Beiding, Paul & Co. are the best. Their name is on every spool.

S. CARSELYE, 393, 395, 397 and 399 Notre Dame street, MONTREAL.

CHEAPER THAN EVER!

Hundreds of Knitted Wool Shawls were sold at nearly half their value at JOHN MURPHY & CO'S.

CHEAPER THAN EVER. A large lot of Watered Ribbons in all widths, reduced to half price at JOHN MURPHY & CO'S.

CHEAPER THAN EVER. Offered at a low price in quantities, to be sold in lengths of 15 yards for 50 cents, JOHN MURPHY & CO'S.

CHEAPER THAN EVER. A large lot of Lace Scarfs to be sold at half price at JOHN MURPHY & CO'S.

CHEAPER THAN EVER. Unbleached and White Cottons, all marked at extra low JOHN MURPHY & CO'S.

CHEAPER THAN EVER. Crompton's Celebrated Corsets at low Cash Prices at JOHN MURPHY & CO'S.

CHEAPER THAN EVER. A large lot of Chemise Capes and Dolmans at greatly reduced prices at JOHN MURPHY & CO'S.

CHEAPER THAN EVER. Dozens of Ladies' White Shirts are now being sold at half price at JOHN MURPHY & CO'S.

CHEAPER THAN EVER. Ladies' Linen Underwear in all sizes at 95 cents, worth \$2.00 at JOHN MURPHY & CO'S.

CHEAPER THAN EVER. The balance of our Paisley Shawls are marked down to very low prices at JOHN MURPHY & CO'S.

CHEAPER THAN EVER. Ladies and Misses' Rubber Waterproofs in the best qualities and newest shapes, are being sold at the lowest prices at JOHN MURPHY & CO'S.

CHEAPER THAN EVER. All Silks are marked down to unheard-of prices at JOHN MURPHY & CO'S.

For all kinds of new and fashionable Dry Goods at lowest prices, be sure and come to JOHN MURPHY & CO'S.

TERMS CASH, AND ONLY ONE PRICE.

"THE BEAUTIFUL RESTS ON THE FOUNDATIONS OF THE NECESSARY."

says Emerson, and when beauty and utility are combined in one and the same article such a state of affairs is most gratifying. This is the case with all the

GENTLEMEN'S HABERDASHERY sold by R. J. TOOKE, of 177 St. James street. Though, in all instances, our prices are most reasonable, the quality of the goods we keep cannot be surpassed ANYWHERE! From our

PERFECT-FITTING SHIRTS, at from 50c to \$1.50 each, and UNDERSHIRTS of all weights and at all prices, to our SOCKS at 30c and 35c a pair, or \$1.50 and \$1.75 a dozen, our TIES, in Silk, French Cambric and other material, our Kid and Plush Cape GLOVES (Bent's very best makes), our UMBRELLAS and WATERPROOFS, our four-ply COLLARS of all shapes and in every size, and, in fact, to our GENTLEMEN'S FURNISHINGS of all sorts and kinds, everything is characterized by a combination of

USEFULNESS AND STYLE that cannot fail to give the most entire satisfaction. It is really a duty every gentleman owes to society to be dressed in a becoming and suitable manner, and nothing enhances his appearance so much as we fitting linen, gloves and neckties of first class quality.

to Laertes (as Shakespeare has it) was fraught with a considerable amount of wisdom:—"Costly thy habit as thy purse can buy, But not expressed in fancy; rich not gaudy. For the apparel oft proclaims the man!" and to obtain "rich not gaudy" haberdashery of every possible description go to

R. J. TOOKE'S, 177 ST. JAMES STREET, MONTREAL.

COAL OIL CHANDELIERS. Come and see COLE'S grand display of Chandeliere, Brackets, &c. Selling at greatly reduced prices. Come quickly and secure a bargain. Lamps fitted specially for Country Houses and packed with care. COLE'S First Prize Oil packed for the country. 41N Notre Dame Street.

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED BY JOHN M. DUFF, 118 St. James street (opposite the Post Office). Also Houses Let. Rents collected and Trust Estates carefully managed.

CENTS FOR SALE, At the WITNESS OFFICE.

JAMES OGILVY'S

SALE OF GINGHAMS AND COTTON GOODS. Are still pleasing Customers.

Ladies have told us over and over again that the goods we are showing at 15c per yard, are far more handsome than those selling elsewhere at 27c per yard, and the quality is the same.

We are bound to clear out all the Small Pattern Goods, therefore have marked them at 12 1/2c per yard. The same goods as were sold last season at 25c per yard!

LACE GOODS. CREAM SPANISH LACES. BLACK SPANISH LACES. COTTON LACES.

HONEY OF ALL KINDS. CANADIAN SEAMLESS GOODS. Full sizes from 17c per pair.

JAMES A. OGILVY, 199 ST. ANTOINE STREET.

The Daily Witness.

THURSDAY AFTERNOON, JUNE 21. COMMERCIAL.

FINANCIAL. Money is easy and plentiful at 5 to 5 1/2 percent for call loans on stock, and 7 percent on good commercial paper.

The market for Sterling Exchange is very dull. Little or no disposition is shown by bankers to trade, the majority looking for a further decline in the New York rates. The demand there for foreign exchange is rapidly falling off. Rates here today are about 8 1/2 percent premium for round amounts of 60-day bills, and 10 1/2 percent for demand. Counter rates about 1/2 percent higher. Currency drafts on New York quiet, at par to 1/2 percent premium.

The Stock market remains dull. Only a few transactions took place at former values. Morning sales—100 Montreal at 198; 8 at 187 1/2; 50 at 198; 25 Ontario at 111 1/2; 25 Merchants at 128 1/2; 2 Township 119; 17 Loan and Mortgage.

There was no afternoon meeting of the Stock Exchange today, the Board having adjourned over for the races. Business is so dull that brokers are glad to seize any reasonable opportunity to take a holiday.

LIVERPOOL, June 20. 5.00 p.m. Flour... 11 0 to 11 6 Spring Wheat... 8 0 to 8 6 No. 2 California... 8 0 to 8 6 No. 1 California... 8 0 to 8 6 Corn (old)... 6 0 to 6 0 Corn (new)... 5 1/2 to 5 0 Barley... 5 0 to 5 0 Oats... 5 0 to 5 0 Peas... 11 0 to 11 0 Lentils... 11 0 to 11 0 Beans... 11 0 to 11 0 M. & A. 11 0 to 11 0 Cheese... 58 0 to 58 0

CHICAGO, June 21, 1.02 p.m.—Closing—Wheat, \$1.04 1/2 nom. June; \$1.05 1/4 July; \$1.07 Aug.; \$1.09 Sept.; \$1.11 to \$1.14 Oct.; \$1.04 1/2 nom. 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draughts in such cases. The child may recover, but it is still in a very precarious condition. A word of caution here to mothers may serve some good end. Never leave young children in the house alone, but if it is unavoidable to do so, leave no fire or poisonous drugs of any kind accessible, because, no matter how well children are trained, they will naturally run into mischief when left by themselves.

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SHERBROOKE STREET METHODIST CHURCH.

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MATHUR SPORTS.

COTE ST. LAURENT. Family Race will take place on FRIDAY, 22nd June, at Mr. A. Bosc's Grove, Back River.

DOMINION DAY

EXCURSION TO STE. ROSE. The Corporation of St. Roch's Church will hold their ANNUAL PICNIC at STE. ROSE on DOMINION DAY, 22nd June.

GRAND EXCURSION

TORONTO AND NIAGARA FALLS. On MONDAY, June 25th. Special train on the Grand Trunk leaving at 8.30 a.m. on Monday, June 25th.

W. S. WILLIAMS, J. STEPHENSON.

Man. of Exchange. Gen. Pass. Agent G.T.E. PERSONAL. Mr. O. Gauthier, M.P.P. of Charlevoix, is in town.

CIRCULATION OF THE WITNESS during the week ending June 16th, 1883, and the corresponding week of last year:

Table with columns for DAILY, June 1883, and June 1882. Rows include Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday, and Totals.

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The Daily Witness.

THURSDAY, JUNE 21, 1883.

IT IS A UNIVERSAL rule with journalists to refuse responsibility for the return of unused manuscripts.

The most of these are mere scraps which would cost much less trouble to keep copies of than to return and the writers have no thought of getting them back. To keep a registry office for the docketing away of manuscripts would be too much to ask of us.

CORNERED.

A prominent Milwaukee speculator named McGeoch has been trying for some months past to corner lard, and his attempt has not been an unqualified success; in point of fact it has ended disastrously for him and his associates.

Instead of cornering the lard, the lard has cornered him, and he has failed to save his bacon; he has been, in the expressive language of speculation, cleaned completely out. When this year's crop of lard commenced to come forward McGeoch, who is one of the most experienced of provision speculators, and who has made millions by his operations, came to the conclusion that as the receipts were very light considering the relative prices as compared with the receipts of the same time last year, that the crop would be a short or at least a small one.

Under the circumstances, that is, that he could buy up all the lard that offered and control the price, so that he could by advancing the price, make a great profit. He commenced operations, and all went well for a short time, but very soon, under the stimulus of high prices, the receipts commenced to grow. Of course he had to buy it as fast as it offered on the market. He began to get pretty well loaded up, and still it came on faster than ever. He found himself in the position of the poor fellow in the nursery myth who ordered his mill to grind salt and could not stop it, and who had to cast his mill into the sea for fear it would sink his ship and so made all the sea salt. He had prestige however, and he used this to induce a number of other large operators to go in with him, and help him to carry the load which was piling up. The supply was kept up as if it were inexhaustible and the load threatened to become too large for all. Their means were too small for their operations, their corner was too limited for the supply that offered, and it began to crowd them. Then, like rats caught in a close place, they began, in the language of their kind "to squeal." McGeoch wanted to refuse the lard on the ground that it was "adulterated." There is little doubt that the lard was adulterated, but probably not any more adulterated than lard always has been. He failed, however, to repudiate on these grounds and so there was nothing else for it, he was forced to give up the game, and go down, he and all his company. Just how much he and his colleagues have lost it is hard to say. It is stated that McGeoch has lost over one million of dollars, three of his associates about half a million, and others from fifty to one hundred thousand apiece. The losses of those who have come out because they have failed, and how many more have suffered severely who have not failed, it is hard to say. New York has had its victims, and it is said that there are sufferers nearer home. These men have been severely punished, but not more severely punished than they deserved. What the law has been unable to do in this way has been done far more effectually for this time, as a New York journal points out, by another kind of law, that of supply and demand.

They have been caught in a "trap" set by themselves for others. It seems impossible to make laws which will do anything material to discourage speculation in stocks, grain and provisions, so bound up speculation with business. On the walls of

the building in which the speculation which has ended so disastrously was done, there is, if we mistake not, but one ornament—a single cartoon. It is a picture of a fine bunch of tall, nearly ripe growing wheat, amidst which and twining around the stems of the plants are flourishing tares. Beneath are the words, "Let both grow together until the harvest." This may be intended for a plea for speculation, and in some sort no doubt it is, but the pleaders are reminded very forcibly on occasions when the harvest comes that "the tares are gathered and burned in the fire."

THE SYNOD MEETING.

CONTINUATION OF YESTERDAY'S REPORT—THE WIDOW OF THE LATE MAJOR MILLS—TEMPERANCE AND DEACONS.

MR. WOLFFSTAN THOMAS said that the late Major Mills was an American who came to Montreal years ago and settled here. During his lifetime he endowed the Western Hospital and displayed a vivid interest in many charities. He was an old man at the time of his death and believed that his widow had been simply provided for. He left \$45,000 to the McGill College, \$20,000 to the General Hospital and \$30,000 to the Anglican Bishop. When the executors and lawyers came to look into his affairs they found that his widow had not been provided for. McGill College thereupon granted her an annuity of \$300 a year. "Sturdy" said Mr. Thomas, "a purely educational institution should not outdo a synod which pretends to be actuated by much higher motives, and he hoped the sum would be unanimously granted."

Mr. L. H. DAVIDSON arose and begged to enter his protest as a matter of principle against this appropriation, and his protest was recorded. The appropriation of \$150 to the widow of Major Mills was made on the 15th of May. Mr. Archdeacon LINDSAY brought up the matter of a loss of money that had taken place in the Post Office. Several other similar complaints were also made by several clergymen.

Mr. THOMAS WHITE said that a great many complaints had been made about the management of the Montreal Post Office. He believed that an investigation was now going on, and the Government was doing its utmost to discover the guilty parties. He would recommend, as a means of stopping the matter, that the Post Office orders in the future.

Mr. STRACHAN BETHUNE moved, seconded by Canon CARMICHAEL, that the Treasurer's report, as printed, be accepted.

Mr. THOMAS WHITE brought up the fact, which he considered of great importance, that while the receipts of money for the support of the clergy had largely increased in the city it had fallen off rather than increased in the country. In one rural deanery, out of 570 families 170 only contributed \$1 a year. He thought that greater efforts should be made to increase their contributions.

The Rev. W. R. BROWN suggested that a committee of laymen should place this matter before the people of the diocese. Mr. Archdeacon LINDSAY, in defence of the rural parishes, said that it must be remembered that in the country they had their church buildings to erect, their parsonages to build, and moreover the figures as to the families could not be so readily ascertained.

Rural Dean LINDSAY rose to say that the statement quoted by Mr. White was as correct as it could be owing to the want of several reports. This question had a history in the financial records of the diocese. The churches in the Eastern counties the ministers were supported by the S. P. G. Society; for fifty-five years this had been going on, and thus they had educated two generations rural dean were entirely incorrect.

Mr. WHITE wished to explain that it was only the contributions of the mission stations he referred to. Mr. BROWN, continuing, wished further to state that the reason more was not given by the farmers was that they considered the clergy man received a great deal of money, and that the reason they did not give more, was because they did not understand matters, not because they were liberal.

After some further discussion the motion passed. Mr. L. H. DAVIDSON then moved, seconded by Rev. Canon CARMICHAEL, that the Diocesan Council be authorized to pass resolutions in relation to the Temperance Society, and that a committee be named to carry out the motion. The original motion had included making more temperate acts. Mr. Davidson requested that all such resolutions be referred to the Synod, year by year.

The application of the Bishop of Algoma was on motion of Mr. Hutton referred to the Committee on the Widows and Orphans Fund. Contingent Fund in the statements presented to the shareholders and sent to the Government; the statement presented, therefore, gives a clear view of the position of the bank.

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The deposits, although larger than last year, have not increased to the extent which was expected by the directors. This has arisen from the fact that during the last six months other monetary institutions have paid higher rates of interest for deposits than we were willing to pay, and we have lost from this cause a very considerable sum.

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THE DEAN then moved, seconded by the Rev. Canon NORMAN, recognizing the great importance of the Temperance Society, and the necessity that existed for its speedy accomplishment in order that the Authorized Translation might more faithfully represent the original intention to meet all the desires to express to the English and American Bishops of their most earnest and valued services, and while not committing itself to the approval of every individual alteration, accepts the results of their labors, and in triumph of professional recognition of their most earnest and valued services, and while not committing itself to the approval of every individual alteration, accepts the results of their labors, and in triumph of professional recognition of their most earnest and valued services.

It was moved by Canon CARMICHAEL, seconded by T. WHITE, and Resolved, That the system of collecting money for the Mission Fund by means of envelopes be endorsed and recommended.

That the Lord Bishop be requested to set apart a special service, to be held on Mission Sunday, when special offerings may be made, and that a committee be appointed to report as to the means by which this day may be best observed.

In accordance with this resolution the Bishop of Algoma, Rev. Dean Baldwin, Rev. Canon Carmichael, Ven. Archdeacon Lindsay, Rev. T. W. Mussen, Messrs. Thomas White and L. H. Davidson a committee.

Mr. S. BETHUNE, M.P.C. moved, seconded by Canon CARMICHAEL, that the report of the report of the Committee on Canons.

Rev. J. FULTON moved, seconded by Mr. C. GARTH, that the financial year be from the 1st of May to the 30th of April, and that the payment of stipends be made on the 1st of May.

Moved by Rev. J. FULTON, seconded by C. GARTH, and resolved, That the clergy be admitted to the use and privileges of the library free of charge.

Moved by Rev. T. W. MUSSEN, seconded by Canon CARMICHAEL, and resolved, That a committee be appointed to take into consideration the subject of French work. His Lordship named the following committee:—Very Rev. Dean Baldwin, Ven. Archdeacon Evans, Canon C. GARTH, Mr. D. N. White, Rev. J. Roy, R. Lindsay and B. P. Lewis.

Mr. T. WHITE moved the adoption of the resolution expressing the appreciation of the worth and character of the Synod's late meeting, and that Mr. D. N. White, Rev. J. Roy, W. Simpson, Esq., and M. H. Sanborn, Esq., be carried.

Mr. L. H. DAVIDSON moved, seconded by Mr. T. WHITE, and it was resolved:—That no subscriptions towards local mission work be so made as to allow the receipt of any particular parish or mission intended to benefit thereby without the express authorization of the diocesan synod previously given, based upon urgent necessity, established by accurate statements in writing, and that the report be presented to you, I have only one or two remarks to make. As to the profits of the year, the books of the Bank show an amount considerably in excess of what is shown by the figures before us, the directors having adopted the system of omitting from the Contingent Fund in the statements presented to the shareholders and sent to the Government; the statement presented, therefore, gives a clear view of the position of the bank.

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BANQUE VILLE MARIE.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING. The annual general meeting of the shareholders of the Banque Ville Marie was held yesterday afternoon, the President, Mr. W. Weir, in the chair. Mr. Usald Garand, cashier, acted as Secretary.

The Chairman read the annual report of the Directors as follows:—GENTLEMEN:—The Board of Directors has the honor to submit to you the following report, showing the result of the business of the Bank for the year ending the 21st of May last:—

Table with columns for Balance at credit on profit and loss account May 31, 1882, and various financial figures.

The general statement which is submitted by the Cashier shows the actual condition of the Bank, a sufficient amount having been retained for all doubtful debts; and in consequence the Directors have been able to put aside \$20,000 to form a reserve fund, and to leave at the credit of the profit and loss account \$6,641.40. The Directors have again to bear witness to the fidelity and ability with which the Cashier, Agents and other officers have discharged their respective duties.

W. WEIR, President. Montreal, June 20, 1883. GENERAL STATEMENT. ASSETS.

Table with columns for Special, Dominion notes, Notes and cheques on other banks, and various financial figures.

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MERCHANTS' BANK OF CANADA.

ANNUAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS. The annual meeting of the shareholders of the Merchants' Bank of Canada was held in the Board Room of the Institution at noon yesterday. There was a very large attendance of shareholders.

The following is the REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS:—The net ordinary profits, after deducting charges and interest on deposits, have amounted to \$85,911.92. Profit on bonds, \$17,000.00. (Provision for the losses of the year is made in Contingent Account) Add:—Profit on sale of securities, 13,701.24.

This sum has been disposed of as follows: Dividend No. 28, at 3 1/4 percent, \$199,958.89. Dividend No. 29, at 3 1/4 percent, 200,007.67. Written off bank premises and furniture account, 20,000.00. Transferred to Officers' Guarantee Fund, 4,000.00. Transferred to Contingent Fund, 65,000.00. Added to the "Reserve" 409,000.00. Balance carried forward to next year, 8,148.60.

The Directors in presenting the above statement, which they trust will be accepted as satisfactory, beg to report that during the year the bank sustained a severe loss in the decrease of its late lamented President, Sir Hugh Allan, by whom the bank was originally founded, and who had sustained the responsibilities as a Director continuously for a period of nearly twenty years.

The energy, enterprise and ability of the late President in connection with the great shipping and commercial enterprise of the Dominion are so well known that no special mention of them is necessary here. His death, which was unexpected, took place in Scotland, shortly after he had spent some time in negotiations connected with the English arrangements of the bank, so that he may be said to have passed away in the midst of active service in the institution.

After a fitting interval, during which the duties of the President were carefully fulfilled by Mr. Robert Anderson, the Vice-President, Mr. Andrew Allan, was appointed to the vacant office, under the provisions of the Bank Act, the Dominion. Mr. Benny, who was elected at the last annual meeting, having declined to serve, the Directors appointed the Hon. J. C. Abbott in his stead. The vacancy created by the death of the President was filled by the appointment of Mr. John Duncan, who was elected at the last annual meeting, having declined to serve, the Directors appointed the Hon. J. C. Abbott in his stead. The vacancy created by the death of the President was filled by the appointment of Mr. John Duncan, who was elected at the last annual meeting, having declined to serve, the Directors appointed the Hon. J. C. Abbott in his stead.

Symptoms of unhealthy expansion were general amongst last year, both in the extension of buildings for manufacturing purposes and also in the imports of the products of other countries. Your Directors have carefully watched the course of commercial affairs, and have taken such measures from time to time as were necessary to protect the interests of the Bank.

They have endeavored, amidst increasing monetary pressure, to discriminate carefully between the various transactions brought before them, and to note the first indications of an inflated or speculative style of business in the operations of their customers. Their object has been to build up a sound and safe connection, and they believe the business of the Bank has withstood manifestations of unsoundness in various quarters and the commencement of what may prove to be, unless care is exercised, a process of commercial deterioration in the country generally.

Special attention has been devoted to the branches in the North-West where a severe reaction set in during the winter. Notwithstanding the financial embarrassments that ensued it is gratifying to report that very few causes have been created, and that the business has had no set back. The country is being rapidly opened up by the Canadian Pacific Railway and its connections. A large immigration of a highly satisfactory character is taking place; and it is believed that a more permanent and satisfactory rest on a more satisfactory basis than formerly.

During the year the Bank received, with great regret, an intimation from Mr. MacArthur, of Winnipeg, that he had decided to retire from the position he had occupied as manager of the Branch there from its commencement. Your Directors have marked their sense of the great value of his services, by the presentation of a suitable testimonial; and they have pleasure in stating that Mr. MacArthur has been elected to accept the position of a local Director of the Bank for the business of the North-West generally, and has for some time been acting in that capacity.

The annual review of the overdue bills, accounts in liquidation and properties of the bank has been made, and large sums written off for such items as had assumed a determined position by the winding up of insolvent estates, the discharge of debtors, or the sale of properties. These amounts were charged as necessary to the Contingent Fund.

Full provision has been made for the casualties of the year, and for all remaining doubtful assets, by setting apart from the profits a sum sufficient to make up the Contingent Fund again to \$25,000.

The Board has steadily kept in view the importance of clearing the books of all real estate matters, and, with the energetic co-operation of the officers of the bank, they have succeeded in disposing of properties during the year to the amount of \$186,000. This leaves the item of real estate account for the last three years as follows: Balance 31st May, 1881, \$441,748. Sold during the year, 69,016. Balance 31st May, 1882, 372,732. Sold during the year, 136,500. Balance 31st May, 1883, 236,232.

Your Board thought it desirable some years ago to form a supplementary Guarantee Fund for the officers of the Bank, and voted small sums from time to time as a foundation for it. The fund has, so far, been sufficient to purchase 67 shares. This year the sum of \$4,000 has been set aside, so as to enable the holding to be increased to 100 shares. The Directors trust this will meet with the approbation of the stockholders.

Experience having proved that the funds of the Bank could be employed with as much net profit in New York as in Chicago, and with diminished risk, the branch in the latter city has been closed.

New branches have been opened at Regina, the seat of government of the new territory in the North-West, and at Sherbrooke in the Eastern Township. The business in both these places is being conducted with much satisfaction. In consequence of the desire to express the satisfaction they have had in the zeal and energy with which the various officers of the Bank, from the highest to the lowest, have performed their duties, and to state that, as an incentive to more energy, they have appropriated a sufficient sum from the profits of the year to provide for a bonus on their salaries. The whole respectfully submitted.

Balance due to other Canadian banks	890,395 49
Balance due to other Canadian banks in daily exchange	34,015 78
Balance due to banks in Great Britain	170,950 07
Dividends unclaimed	5,665 35
Dividend No. 29, payable 1st June	200,007 07
Total liabilities to the public	\$13,053,307 00
Capital paid up	5,714,566 80
Reserve fund	1,100,000 00
Contingent fund	1,255,000 00
Balance carried forward to credit of profit and loss account of next year	8,146 60
Assets	\$20,130,939 26

Gold and silver coin on hand	\$398,703 95
Domestic notes on hand	\$17,064 00
Notes and cheques of other Canadian banks on hand	\$23,284 01
Balance due by other Canadian banks in daily exchange	70,279 93
Balance due by agencies of the Bank in the United States and by United States National Banks	998,923 70
Total available assets	\$2,876,857 59
Loans, discounts and advances on current account	\$18,202,178 63
Loans, discounts over-due and not specially provided for	275,028 18
Loans, discounts over-due, secured	107,921 46
Mortgages and other interest-bearing securities	\$16,955,128 27
Real estate	143,105 40
Real estate—improved	51,913 03
Real estate—unimproved	107,784 09
Bank premises and furniture	150,982 12
Other assets not included in foregoing heads	410,040 55
Total	\$20,130,939 26

G. HAGUE, General Manager.

The Directors' report having been read, it was moved by the Chairman, and carried unanimously:

"That the report of the Directors as submitted be and the same is hereby adopted and ordered to be printed for distribution among the stockholders."

Moved by JOHN CRAWFORD, Esq., of Verdun, seconded by G. M. KINGROEN, Esq., and unanimously resolved:

That the thanks of the stockholders are due and are hereby tendered to the President, Vice-President and Directors for the manner in which they have conducted the business during the past year.

On the motion of ALEX. ST. DENIS, Esq., seconded by W. W. COWIE, Esq., it was unanimously resolved:

That the thanks of the stockholders are due and are hereby tendered to the General Manager for his efficient management during the year.

On motion of HECTOR MACKENZIE, Esq., seconded by WILLIAM DARLING, Esq., it was resolved:

That Messrs. W. B. Cumming and John Crawford be appointed scrutineers of the election of directors about to take place, that they proceed to take the votes immediately after the close of the poll at three o'clock p.m. this day, but if an interval of ten minutes elapses without a vote being tendered, that the ballot shall thereupon be closed immediately.

It was finally moved by D. MCCARTHY, Esq., seconded by MURDOCH MACKENZIE, Esq., and carried.

That the thanks of this meeting are due and are hereby tendered to the Chairman for his efficient conduct of the business of the meeting.

The meeting then adjourned, and the scrutineers shortly after reported the following gentlemen to be duly elected as Directors for the ensuing year:

ANDREW ALLAN, Esq.,
ROBERT ANDERSON, Esq.,
HOB. J. J. C. ABBOTT,
JOHN CRAWFORD, Esq.,
WILLIAM DARLING, Esq.,
JOHN DUNCAN, Esq.,
JONATHAN HODGSON, Esq.,
ADOLPHE MASSON, Esq.,
HECTOR MACKENZIE, Esq.

A special meeting of the Directors took place immediately thereafter, when Andrew Allan, Esq., was elected President, and Robert Anderson, Esq., Vice-President.

By order of the Board,
G. HAGUE, General Manager.

MERCHANTS' BANK OF CANADA,
Montreal, 20th June, 1883.

LIVE STOCK MARKET—JUNE 21,
There were about 250 beef cattle offered on the Vigor Market to-day, but much the greater number were leanish animals scarcely half fattened. Prices of choice butchers' cattle continue high. Some superior steers were sold at \$12 per lb, but leanish stock are decidedly lower priced, and sales were made at a sales ranging 4c to 7c per lb, while a number of the fattest would bring 4c per lb. There were about 200 calves and 300 sheep and lambs on the market and prices were generally higher for all small stock. A few good calves were sold at from \$6 to \$11, and small ones at \$2.50 to \$4 each. Several lots of pretty good lambs were sold at \$2.50 each, and common lambs at \$2.50 to \$3 each. Live hogs sold in small lots at from 7c to 7 1/2c per lb.

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EMPLOYMENT.—Wanted, situation as Cook; willing to go to the country; no washing. Apply at Registry Office, No. 525 Dorchester street.

EMPLOYMENT.—Wanted, by a Young Man, situation as Bookkeeper. French shorthand. Address S. M., "Witness" Office.

EMPLOYMENT wanted by a good Cook, Housemaid and Nurse. Apply at 65 St. Antoine street.

EMPLOYMENT.—Wanted, a situation to go home to England with a lady as Nurse. Apply to Mrs. McROBIE, 22 St. Antoine st.

EMPLOYMENT.—Wanted, immediately, by a respectable young person, a situation to go to the seaside as Nursery Governess; first-class references. Address ELISE, "Witness" Office.

EMPLOYMENT.—Wanted, situation by a young Gardener of good experience; first-class references. A. W., Mr. Bain's, 124 Bonaventure street.

EMPLOYMENT.—Wanted, a situation as Book-keeper by a middle-aged person, who is a practical mechanic, writes a good hand and has considerable experience in keeping and auditing accounts. Address MEGHIANIC, No. 7, "Witness" Office.

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ADVERTISEMENTS for Miscellaneous Wants, inserted under this head at the rate of ONE CENT PER WORD each insertion, prepaid.

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WANTED, General Servant; no washing. 355 St. Antoine street.

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WANTED, for a Wholesale Dry Goods Office, a Young Man, quick and correct at figures, and a good penman, one not afraid of work, and with good testimonials. None others need apply to A. H. & CO., "Witness" Office.

WANTED, a Resident Laundress. No. 30 McGill College Avenue.

WANTED, a small Girl, to wash soda water tumblers, at the Medical Hall, St. James street.

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MONTREAL GENERAL HOSPITAL.—Wanted, a Carpenter and two Orderlies. Apply to the Medical Superintendent.

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WANTED, by 1st July, a General Servant for family of two. Must wash and iron and be a good cook. Apply any evening at 11 Lorne Crescent.

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WANTED.—A Smart Lad of 12 to 14 years of age. Should write a good hand and must have a knowledge of French. Address, Ottawa, "Witness" Office.

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WANTED.—To Blacksmiths—Immediately, a young man as Blacksmith; one who is a good house laborer and has a general knowledge of country work. Address Box 104 St. O. Hamilton.

WANTED, Night Nurse, at the Home Hospital, 25 University street. Good wages to a competent person; no other need apply.

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SHAW & GOWDEY, Auctioneers.

SALE OF BUILDING LOTS ON PARK AVENUE, late Upper Bleury St., at our Rooms.
FRIDAY MORNING NEXT, FOR CASH.
The lots are 104 feet deep, with lane in rear and are nicely situated.
Sale at 10.30.
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ON THURSDAY, JUNE 21st INSTANT. Plan on view, particulars at my office.
Sale at TEN o'clock.
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NOON ADVERTISEMENTS.

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1 Fancy English China Tea-set, 44 pieces	\$3.05
1 Covered Bowl, Glass	30c
1 " " " "	50c
1 " " " "	50c
1 Quart Jug	25c
1 Half-Gallon Jug	25c
12 Water Goblets	50c
12 Tall Tumblers	50c
12 Favourite Comports, Glass	30c
1 French China Tea-set, 44 pieces	\$5.70
1 Butter Fluted Glass	15c
1 Hand Lamp, complete, Glass	15c
3 Baking Dishes, oval	35c
12 Tea Plates	37c
12 Breakfast Plates	45c
12 Dinner Plates	50c
12 " " soap	50c
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Not any greater quantity than that mentioned in list above will be added to any one person.

The crush of orders last week being so great has prevented our delivering goods as promptly as we would wish. We have made arrangements to overcome that and consequently all orders for above taken on Saturday will be delivered on Monday.

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Auction sale at "The Lawlands Farm," Richby, County Down, P. O., for account of estate of late HENRY JUDAH, Esq.
On WEDNESDAY, the 27th inst., BY ORDER OF THE EXECUTOR.

The sale includes:
FIRST—One imported Hereford Bull, six ditto Cows and five calves; also Grade Cattle, Oxen, Sheep, Pigs, &c. 3 Bays, 2 Bay Horses, pair Standard Pointes, Farming Implements, Waggons, Carts, Bushboards, &c. Furniture, Carpets, &c. Furniture and personal effects. These to be delivered on day of sale or day after.

SECOND—The Furniture of the house at Richby; also Farming Implements and Tools, subject to 15 months' lease of same and delivery to take place then, and the right of the estate to 1 pair Working Horses, 1 Mare, 2 colts of Oxen, 17 Steers, 3 Calves, & 1 Cow, 30 Sheep and Fodder at end of lease. Terms CASH.

Sale at TEN o'clock.
THOMAS J. POTTER, Auctioneer.

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AUCTION SALE OF GOLD AND SILVER WATCHES, AND PROOF ENGRAVINGS, &c. &c.

The Subscribers will sell at their rooms, Nos. 447 and 449 Notre Dame street, on FRIDAY AFTERNOON, June 22nd, 40 Gold and Silver Watches; also about 50 Proof Engravings, beautifully framed.
Sale at TWO o'clock.
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The Subscribers will hold their last Auction Sale for this season of a large assortment of Household Furniture and Furnishing Goods at their warehouse, Nos. 447 and 449 NOTRE DAME STREET.
On Friday Afternoon, June 22.

Comprising Parlor and Bedroom Suites in every style Easy Chairs, Fancy Chairs, Couches, Lounges, Sideboards, Dining-Tables and Chairs, Bookcases, &c.
NEW CARPETS AND LACE CURTAINS.
Cutlery and Platedware, China, and many other goods for home furnishing, too numerous to mention. Also a large quantity of SECOND-HAND FURNITURE.
The whole to be sold without reserve, in order to clear store.
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Weekly sales of Household Furniture and General Merchandise. Consignments received.
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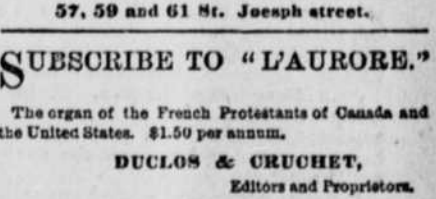
The Warrior Mower is the lightest of draft and most easily managed of Mowers, and is recommended by all who have used them as being superior to all others. Letters of reference from a few out of the large number who have purchased them can be seen at the Agricultural Warehouses of
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READABLE PARAGRAPHS.

HE REMEMBERED.

They were talking about the Black Friday of Grant's administration, and finally some one addressed the man in the corner, and asked: "Do you remember the day?"

"Well, I rather think so," he replied, "Very exciting, eh?"

"I didn't notice much excitement."

"Maybe you lost heavily?"

"Well, no."

"Then you gained?"

"I don't think so."

"Well, then, for what special reason did you remember it?" persisted the interrogator.

"Why, that was the day I married a widow who had been keeping up a \$200,000 show on an income of twelve hundred a year!" sighed the speculator as he fell back.—Wall Street News.

"OUIDA" AND THE DIPLOMAT'S WIFE.

A good story is told of the wife of an American diplomat, who is fond of calling upon the celebrities in every place which she visits.

One day she expressed her intention of calling upon "Ouida," the well-known novelist.

Her friends attempted to dissuade her, saying that "Ouida" had a violent prejudice against Americans.

Undeterred, the female diplomat called at the novelist's house and was met by "Ouida," who said: "I must tell you that I exceedingly dislike Americans."

"I am very much surprised to hear that," was the reply, "for they are the only people who read your nasty books!"

A WELL-ADDRESSED LETTER.

The Bradford Courier has the following specimen of a "very much addressed letter": "A letter was received in this city from York (Eng.) by the last English mail, and the recipient was astonished to see the following address:—Mr. —, Bradford, County of Brant, Province of Ontario, near Toronto, Upper Canada, the Dominion of America, New World."

THE SMALL BOY ON ERRANDS.

Where is the small boy going? The small boy is going on an errand.

How do you know that the small boy is going on an errand? Because the small boy is in such a hurry.

How can you tell that the small boy is in a hurry? I can tell by the thoroughness with which he examines everything about him.

Is this exercise very exhausting? Exceedingly; you see that he has to sit down and rest before he has half completed his survey.

But what is the small boy doing now? In order to get to his destination quicker he has jumped upon the passing wagon.

But the wagon is going in the direction from which he came.

It makes no difference. All roads lead to Rome you know, and all directions are the same to the small boy.

What is the small boy doing now? The small boy is playing marbles with another small boy.

Then he has forgotten his errand! Oh, no; he is only exercising his memory. He is trying to see how long he can remember his errand amidst distracting circumstances.

Will the small boy ever get to his destination? He will if he keeps on in the direction in which he is now crawling.

I cannot say; but I once heard of a man who went round the world in eighty days.—Boston Transcript.

HE WAS TAPERING OFF.

"I don't feel well, doctor," exclaimed the tall man, who looked a little pale. "I think something's gone wrong with my innards or my head."

"I guess it's only the spring fever," smiled the doctor, "I don't think there's much out of the way with you. Where do you feel badly?"

"In my stomach," replied the tall man, somewhat reassured by the doctor's manner. "And I'm pretty nervous. Have been ever since I came east."

"Where do you belong?" asked the doctor, examining the patient's tongue.

"I come from Montana," said the tall man. "Do you smoke?"

"I was a powerful smoker, but they told me to quit, so I kicked off a month ago."

"I think that's where the trouble is. I was well once that habit, but the doctor told me I'd got to give it up, and I've been breaking off gradually."

"Could it be you give it up all at once?" asked the doctor gravely.

"They told me I'd better not. Said it might kill me, so I've been tapering off, and I think I am tapering too fast. If I drank more it would be better for me."

"How much do you drink now?"

"Yesterday I had a quart of vitriol, and to-day I've stowed about a pint of Prussian acid. Perhaps I ought to take more!"

A LADY living near London, whose lord and master goes up to town every day, was not a little puzzled by a telegram from him recently telling her that he should "bring Sal out for dinner."

She was not quite easy in her mind until he arrived, and proved to her that the postal officials had made a mistake, and ocularly convinced her that his only companion was a fine salmon.

WHY HE DOWNCAST?—TINA, you may be in a miserable condition—you may be weak, pallid and nervous. You cannot sleep at night, nor enjoy your waking hours; yet, why lose heart! Get a bottle of Burdock Blood Bitters. It will restore you to health and peace of mind.

AT OMAN the authorities placed a steamboat at our disposal to visit Iona and Staffa. Among our few fellow-passengers—for it was not of grace to admit him—was a substantial Scottish grazer.

On our return his friends met him on the quay, and in reply to their natural question, "And what did you think of Staffa?" his answer was, "Well, ye ken, they led me to believe there was only grass for one cow, and I saw three cows feeding on it."

AN EXCELLENT REPORT—The Hon. Jos. G. Goodridge, of Brooklyn, N.Y., writes: "I cannot express myself in sufficiently praiseworthy terms of Burdock Blood Bitters which I have used for the past two years with great benefit."

"SIT DOWN," said a handsomely-dressed vivacious young lady at a fashionable watering place—"sit down! It's about the only thing you can do here without paying for it."

BE WISE, young man, and use Johnston's "Field Beef" as a beverage instead of a lot of intoxicating liquors which may do you a great deal of harm physically and morally. The latter cannot possibly do you any good, while the former can and will!

AT A YOUNG ladies' debating club the following question was lately discussed—"Which gives a girl most pleasure—to hear herself praised, or to hear another girl run down?" No decision was arrived at.

WHAT EVERY PERSON SHOULD KNOW.—The grand outlets of disease from the system are the skin, the bowels and the kidneys. Burdock Blood Bitters is the most safe, pleasant and effectual purifier and health-restoring tonic in the world. Trial bottles 10 cents.

"THERE is one thing connected with your table," said a drummer to a Western landlady, "that is not surpassed even by the best hotels in Chicago."

"Yes!" replied the pleased landlady; "and what is that?" "The salt."

COMMERCIAL MEN, (and these gentlemen are generally shrewd in making purchases), often buy a nice hat, bonnet or other article of ladies' millinery at Dawson's, 230 St. James street, as they can rely on getting full value for their money in anything they get from him.

ETIHA: The fact that you do not know what "rock salt" is shows that you have never kept house. Rock salt comes in little bags labelled "best family able salt." It has to be pounded with a flatiron before you can get any out.—Philadelphia News.

DIPHTHERIA—a that terrible scourge of the present day—attacks chiefly those whose vitality is low and blood impure. The timely use of Burdock Blood Bitters forestalls the effects of impure blood, and saves doctors' bills. Sample bottles 10 cents.

A COUNTRY COUSIN visiting her society aunt was asked if she was fond of the opera. "Oh, yes," said she passionately, "I am always perfectly carried away with delight when the lady rides round the ring and jumps through the hoops!"

"POOR RICHARD'S SAVINGS" are many of them very good. "Oh," "I take care of the pence and the pounds will take care of themselves" is a most sensible maxim, and by dealing exclusively at T. J. Dawson's, 230 St. James street, for all their hats, bonnets, laces and other millinery, ladies can act up to the precept above quoted.

A PREACHER remarked last Sunday that it was said that liberalism is creeping into all the churches. "If that is so," he continued, "I hope it will soon strike the contribution boxes."

The high standard of purity and excellence which Hoeker's preparations have always maintained and their experience of over thirty years in the manufacture of Baking Powder for use in making self-raising flour, warrants them in offering their Baking Powder as perfect. Get a sample tin—gratis—from your grocer and try it.

CHEVILAR now lives alone in the Barglar. His profession is that of the night errand.

A BROKER has named his horse "Coupon," because he has been passed so many times this season.—Com. Bulletin.

Mr. R. C. WINGLO, Toronto, writes: "Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery is a valuable medicine to all who are troubled with indigestion. I tried a bottle of it after suffering for some ten years, and the results are certainly beyond my expectations. It assists digestion wonderfully. I digest my food with no apparent effort, and am now entirely free from that sensation, which every dyspeptic well knows, of unpleasant fullness after each meal."

HOST (really in anguish about his polished inland floor): "Hidin' you better come on the carpet, old fellow! I'm so afraid you might slip, you know." Guest (with a wooden leg): "O, it's all right, old fellow—thanks! There's a nail in the end, you know."—College Journal.

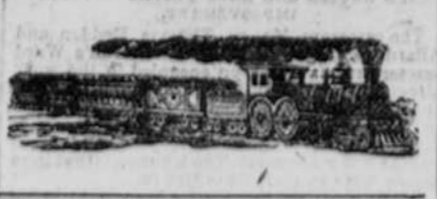
IN HIS EAR she whispers gaily "If my heart by signs can tell, Harry, I have watched thee daily, And methinks, thou lovest me well." He replies, "Oh yes! I love you, Dearly, fervently, my Grace." Cries she quickly, "Sir, I'll prove you—Get me some of Dawson's lace!"

AN OBSERVING PERSON says: "Some men are like an umbrella with a crook handle. They are always bending around in out-of-the-way places, and are never to be found when they are wanted."

THE PROS AND CONS as to the reliability of weather prophets, and the relative value (or worthlessness) of their "predictions" are often discussed, but in the case of the value of Johnston's "Field Beef" as a strength-giver and strength-preserver there is never any "con," as all persons, medical and non-medical, entirely agree as to its sterling worth.

RENTS of middle-class houses are high, but the same houses sell for low prices. Doesn't that mean that middle-class people are living fully up to their incomes, and paying rent for houses that are better than they expect ever to be able to buy!

THERE ARE CHEAP PANACEAS for various human ailments continually cropping up. Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery and Dyspeptic Care has no affinity with any of these. Unlike them the article is derived from the purest sources, is prepared with the utmost chemical skill, and is a genuine remedy and not a palliative for biliousness, constipation, kidney trouble, impurity of the blood and female complaints.



GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.

CHANGE OF TIME.

On and after MONDAY, June 25th, trains will leave Montreal as follows:—

GOING WEST. For Toronto, Hamilton, Buffalo, London, Detroit and Chicago, 7.40 a.m., 10.20 a.m., and 10.00 p.m. For Lake and St. Lawrence, 4.30 p.m. For Cornwall—6.00 p.m. For Montreal—6.15 p.m. Retaining from St. Hyacinthe at 7.05 a.m., arriving at Montreal at 8.15 a.m.

GOING EAST. For Quebec, Gorham and Portland—7.30 a.m. and 10.15 p.m. Local for Island Pond—3.30 p.m. Local for St. Hyacinthe—5.10 p.m. Retaining from St. Hyacinthe at 7.15 a.m. and arriving at Montreal at 8.55 a.m. Mixed for Quebec, Island Pond and intermediate points—7.00 a.m.

JOSEPH HICKSON, General Manager. Montreal, June 19th, 1883.

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Four Express Trains daily to New York, with Pullman and Wagner Sleeping Cars attached. Express trains daily to Boston, with Pullman Elegant Parlor and Sleeping Cars attached.

TRAINS LEAVE MONTREAL. 7.15 a.m.—DAY EXPRESS for Troy, Albany, New York, Springfield, and Boston via Pittsburg. 9.00 a.m.—Limited Express for Boston via Concord, Manchester, Nashua and Lowell, arriving in Boston at 7.05 a.m., New London, 9.55 p.m., New York via White River Junction and Springfield, at 11.50 p.m.

3.40 p.m.—For Waterloo and Magog. 3.40 p.m.—Night Express for New York, via Troy, arriving in New York at 6.45 a.m. the next morning. 6.30 p.m.—Night Express for Boston, via Lowell or via Pittsburg, for Greenfield, Northampton, Holyoke and Springfield, without change; to New London, Hartford, New Haven and New York.

The Night Express via Troy leaves New York at 6.30 p.m., arriving in Montreal at 8.25 a.m. Day Express leaves Boston via Lowell at 9 a.m., arriving in Montreal at 10.15 p.m. Day Express leaves Boston via Pittsburg at 8 a.m., and Troy at 1.30 p.m., arriving in Montreal at 10.15 p.m.

Night Express leaves Boston at 7 p.m., via Lowell, 6 p.m., via Pittsburg, and New York at 4.30 p.m. via Springfield, arriving in Montreal at 6.35 a.m. For Tickets and Freight Rates apply at Central Vermont Railway Office, 133 St. James St.

A. C. STONEGRAVE, Canadian Passenger Agent. J. W. HOBART, S. W. CUMBERG, Gen. Supt. Montreal, June 19th, 1883.

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2.00 p.m.—(Saturdays only)—Local train for Newbury, Concord, and intermediate points. 6.30 p.m.—NIGHT EXPRESS for Boston and New England points, with Pullman Palace Sleeping Car attached to the train. This train will stop only at principal stations, except on Saturdays, when it will make all stops. Passengers for Springfield and Connecticut River points leave on SATURDAYS by the 2.00 p.m. train. For Waterloo, Bedford, St. Cyrille and Fredericton at 6.30 p.m.

Trains for Sorrel leave St. Lambert at 9.40 a.m. and 8.50 p.m., and Longueuil at 10.00 a.m. and 6.40 a.m. daily. Baggage checked through, and passed by the Customs at Bonaventure Station, thus saving all troubles to passengers at the border line. For tickets and all information apply at 302 St. James Street, Montreal, or at the following Agents: W. A. BACHTON, BRADLEY BARLOW, Asst. Manager. Front & Genl. Manager.

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Carrying the United States Mails. NOTICE.—The steamers of this line take Lieutenant MAURY'S life routes at all seasons of the year. CITY OF CHESTER, Saturday, June 23, 6.30 a.m. CITY OF RICHMOND, Saturday, June 24, 6.30 a.m. CITY OF BERLIN, Saturday, June 28, 11 a.m. CITY OF PARIS, Saturday, July 7, 6.30 a.m. Intermediate Passage \$40. Rates of passage, \$50 and \$80, according to accommodations. No extras, except those for extra meals. Children between 2 and 12 years of age half rate. Additional, \$50. The Inman Line are now booking storage passengers from Montreal to Liverpool for \$25.00. This includes railway fare from Montreal to New York. They are also booking storage passengers from Liverpool to Montreal for \$22.50. Saloon, staterooms, smoking and bathrooms and ship's stores do not carry cattle, sheep or pigs. JOHN G. DALE, Agent, 31 and 33 Broadway, N.Y. Or J. Y. GILMOUR & CO., 354 St. Paul st., Montreal.

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RAILWAY TIME TABLE.

Trains Arrive at the Bonaventure Depot as follows: WEST—Chicago, Detroit, Toronto, &c., at 8.30 a.m. and 8.30 p.m. Montreal, 8.00 a.m. and 8.00 p.m. OTTAWA via Canada Atlantic, 7 a.m., 11.45 a.m. and 8.30 p.m. Lachine, 7.50, 8.45, 10 a.m., 1.25, 4.25, 5.55, 7.25 p.m. EAST—Portland, Boston, Sherbrooke, Quebec, St. John and Halifax, 6 a.m., Quebec mixed, 10 p.m., inland, 10 a.m. and way stations, 12 noon, and 9 a.m., St. Hyacinthe 8.50 a.m. SOUTH—New York, Troy, Rutland, St. Albans, 8.25 a.m., 10.15 p.m. Via Springfield, 8.25 a.m. Boston, via C.V.R.R., 8.25 a.m., 8.00 p.m. New York via Boston, 7.00 p.m., 8.00 a.m., 10.00 a.m., 11.00 a.m., 9.20 a.m., Boston's Point 1.15 p.m. Montreal, via Waterville, 8.25 a.m. Boston and Portland 8.10 p.m. Richmond, Knowlton and way stations 8.45 a.m. and 3.30 p.m. Via Springfield, 9.00 a.m. and 12.30 p.m. Brockville mixed, 12.30 p.m. Cornwall, 9 a.m., Vancouver, 6.15 p.m. Ottawa via Canada Atlantic, 9 a.m., 4.30 p.m. Lachine, 7.50, 8.00 a.m., 12 noon, 2.30, 5.15 p.m. Montreal, via St. Hyacinthe, 5 p.m. Quebec, mixed, 7.30 a.m. SOUTH—New York, Troy, Rutland, St. Albans, 7.15 a.m. and 3.30 p.m. Via Springfield, 9.00 a.m. and 6.30 p.m. Boston, via C.V.R.R., 7.15 a.m., 3.30 and 6.30 p.m. New York via Boston's Point, 7-15 a.m., 6.30 p.m. Hemmingford, 4 p.m. Boston's Point, Waterloo, Granby and Hazy at 8.30 p.m. Boston and Portland, via St. Hyacinthe, 9 a.m., 9 a.m. Boston and New England Points, 6.30 p.m. Suburban Train Service between Montreal

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CALVARY SUNDAY-SCHOOL PICNIC POSTPONED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE. AMERICAN INDUSTRIAL ART HONORED. (By Telegraph to the Tribune.) BOSTON, May 10.—Edward King telegraphs as follows to The Journal under date of London, May 10:—"American industrial art has secured a great triumph in the appointment just made of Messrs. Tiffany & Co., of New York, as special jewellers and gold and silver smiths to the Queen of England, the Prince and Princess of Wales, the Emperor and Empress of Russia, the Grand Duke Vladimir of Russia, and the Kings of Belgium, Italy, Portugal and Greece."

MONTREAL BRIGADE GARRISON ARTILLERY. The Brigade will parade in the Armory at 8 p.m. sharp on FRIDAY, 22nd instant. Every man must be present. Drum and Pipe Band will attend. Uniform—By Order, T. ATKINSON, Major and Adjutant.

MONTREAL RIFLE ASSOCIATION. The first Match will be fired on SATURDAY next, 23rd inst., at 2.30 sharp. D. C. R. A. Medal and 15 Prizes. Queen's range and position. D. T. FRANKS, Sec. M.R.A.

ANNUAL PICNIC. AMERICAN CHURCH SUNDAY-SCHOOLS. SATURDAY, 23rd June, 1883. TO STE. ROSE. Trains will leave Dalmenie Square Station at 9 a.m., and returning will leave Ste. Rose at 5 p.m. The 11 a.m. train will also take picnicers who may not be able to go at 9 o'clock.

CITY OF MONTREAL CONSOLIDATED FUND. THE SEMI-ANNUAL INTEREST on the above registered share of persons who will be due and paid to Shareholders on and after the 1st of July next. The Transfer Books will be closed from this date to the first of July. JAMES F. D. BLACK, City Treasurer.

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THE CITY ASSESSMENT. AGED HOUSES AND AGED PEOPLE—A SLIGHT IMPROVEMENT. The assessors, Messrs. Thomas, Rodden and Allard, yesterday completed St. Ann's Ward assessment, having been occupied in the work together the month and ten days. They report finding a slight improvement in rentals with the exception of the vicinity of Pillow & Hersey's mills. They found very few tenements vacant and no houses. The tenements that were empty were scarce of the kind that are remarkable for the number of aged persons, of Hibernian origin, resident in it, and the experience of the assessors in their rounds is fully sustained. On a recent street they found an antique couple in full vigor of intellect, and by no means feeble in body, the husband 108 years old, and the better half 102. In other streets they found some very old people—in every case Irish. The assessors will commence St. Louis Ward to-morrow, and will push forward the work with all possible vigor.

TERRIBLE DROWNING ACCIDENT. THE ORA DISASTER—THREE AND PROBABLY FOUR LIVES LOST—A STEAMER RUNS DOWN A BOAT AND DROWNS THE OCCUPANTS. Yesterday morning two men, named Pierre Ponselle, and his brother-in-law, Andrew LeCopp, with a young Indian woman named Hannah Dion and her child, a boy of thirteen years, named Salsin, left the village of Oka in a boat for a visit to Hudson's Bay. They were carrying a quantity of goods and provisions, and were proceeding to the village of Oka in a boat for a visit to Hudson's Bay. They were carrying a quantity of goods and provisions, and were proceeding to the village of Oka in a boat for a visit to Hudson's Bay. They were carrying a quantity of goods and provisions, and were proceeding to the village of Oka in a boat for a visit to Hudson's Bay.

THE ALLEGED COUNTERFEITER. THE PROCEEDINGS AGAINST W. C. PHELAN FOR EXTRADITION. The proceedings for the extradition of W. C. Phelan, late of the Legal Commercial Agency, were continued this morning before the Chief Justice, Mr. C. P. Davison, Q.C., Greenhalgh & Busted for the prisoner. Mr. C. J. Stearns, Consul General of the United States, was the first witness examined. He testified that he was a member of the bar of the United States Circuit Court. He was cognizant of the existence of a bank which was referred to in the deposition of Detective McGraw. He said it looked like an imitation of one of the genuine notes of the same bank. He thought it was a counterfeit. The Circuit Court of Massachusetts had jurisdiction to try the prisoner for the crime of counterfeiting. He was examined—Could not give a definite opinion as to the genuineness of the note. Could not state whether the prisoner could be tried in the States for any other offence than for which he was extradited. He was not certain that the prisoner could not state positively whether the note was a forgery.

LAST EDITION. THE DIOCESAN SYNOD. MORNING SESSION—APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEES—A MOTION OF CONDOLENCE. The third day's session of the Annual Synod of the Diocese of Montreal opened this morning at 10 o'clock. His Lordship the Bishop presiding. After opening devotional exercises, conducted by his Lordship, the clerical secretary read the minutes of yesterday's meeting, which were approved. On the suggestion of Mr. RICHARD WHITE, it was decided to add to the minute recording the protest of Mr. L. H. Daudin against the grant voted yesterday to Mrs. Mills, a note setting forth the reasons which led the Synod to make the grant in order that no future misunderstanding might arise. His Lordship appointed the following committee to carry out the canon on the subject of deaconesses: Van. Archbishop Lindsay, Canon Carmichael, the Rev. Robert Lindsay, Canon Norman, and Messrs. Richard White, Charles Garth, Charles Bethune, William Sater and the Very Rev. the Dean and Mr. L. H. Davidson. Canon NORMAN presented the report of the committee appointed to suggest the names of trustees—members of Council of Lennoxville College. The following names were submitted: Trustees—The Rev. R. Lindsay, Canon Robinson, Mr. F. W. Thomas, Mr. E. P. Hanford, Mr. F. Grant and G. Macrae. Members of Council—Judge Ramsay, Canon Norman, L. H. Davidson, Thomas White, Canon Davidson and Rural Dean Musson. The report was laid over. Canon NORMAN gave notice that he would move the adoption of the report of the Hospital committee.

TWO WIRE PULLERS. MIND READING—MR. WHITE, M.P., AND MR. CUMBERLAND HAVE A STEEL-CLASH—THEY SURPRISE A FAMILY CIRCLE—THE COMMITTEE OF OBSERVATION. Last evening, by special request, a number of ladies and gentlemen, among whom were the Rev. Canon Ellwood, Rev. J. Kerr, Rev. J. Loy, Col. Stevenson, Mr. H. J. Shaw, Mr. Arch. Baker, Mr. R. White, Mr. T. White, M.P., Mr. James Stevenson and others met, in one of the Windsor parlors, Mr. Stuart Cumberland. After Mr. Cumberland had done all in his power to make his guests comfortable, he explained that the reason he had brought them together was to see if he could not repeat the feat performed in Toronto a short time ago of finding an object thought of by a number of persons, and hoped to do so now, but it was necessary that he should have a good subject, one who could concentrate his thoughts for a long time. In order to find one he selected the thinking power of several of the gentlemen present, logging one of them over all one end of the room, and by means of another discovering a letter in a gentleman's pocket. Three gentlemen were pronounced competent. They selected from their number Mr. Thomas White as the most suitable subject. Mr. Cumberland then retired to don outside garments, and Mr. White's friends began to console with him. One gentleman remarked that this was a different species of wire pulling to what he usually indulged in. This remark turned out to be entirely true before the close of the evening. Mr. Cumberland returned, first handcuffed himself to Mr. White with a piece of wire, and then bandaged his eyes. For an instant he stood irresolute, then went off like a steam tug with a large tow. Through the corridors rushed the mind reader and his victim, followed by a self-elected committee of observation. Down the stairs without a halt and straight out of the main door. Without the slightest hesitation Mr. Cumberland turned toward Dorchester street; and all the loungers in the rounds, the bootblacks, the boys who loaf outside and the errand boys, joined the committee. Mr. Cumberland did not hesitate in the slightest, but walked straight along with his hands outspread, and of course, Mr. White's also, and a most intense expression on the mind-reader's upturned face. Mr. White did not look so intense, and he was prisoner struggling to keep his mind fixed. Mr. Cumberland never faltered, walking straight on ahead until he stopped in front of Canon Carmichael's door, and tried to climb the steep bank, but without success. As soon as the steps of St. George's church were reached he ran up and tried to open the door, and in the same manner tried the three doors fronting on Windsor Square. By this time the committee of observation had a hundred strong and with each minute Mr. Cumberland had a grip on Mr. White's hand like a vice. When he could not open the door he seemed slightly "sat upon," but revived enough to take the back track like a deer, and stumbled across the street into the law. Prisoner was committed for trial, and a true bill was also brought against him. It was not his duty. He would not recognize Mr. Phelan from the description given to him by Weber. He considered Mr. Phelan to be about 36 years of age. The man described by Weber was said to be about 42 to 43.

A CONGREGATION'S REVOLT. THE METHODIST CONGREGATION IS OBSCURE—MR. SAUNDERS MUST GO. On Monday night the President of the Conference, Mr. Williams, met an Official Board meeting of the East End Methodist Church, and stated that he had done all in his power to effect a change that would allow the Rev. J. B. Saunders to remain in the charge of the church, but had failed to be successful. He would, however, meet the Chairman of the Stated district and the trustees of the College next day, and do all in his power to allow Mr. Saunders to remain. The Official Board in the district, the Rev. W. Galbraith, that no change could be effected. Mr. Hagar, the incoming minister, is expected to arrive this evening and take charge of the congregation. The majority of the congregation believe in Mr. Williams, the church and scatter to other churches. A member of the Board objects that the Conference conducted entirely by the ministers themselves giving no representation, and says that while in his discipline he is in a thankful tone of mind, that he has three years with a congregation that does not object to him before the close of the first year of his term. The Rev. Mr. Saunders is being removed at the end of two years, and this simply to be a matter in connection with the present. Three-fourths of the Board, if not all, resent this mode of procedure, and are determined to leave the church.

DROWNED WHILE BATHING. A TORONTO MAN TAKES CRAMPS AND IS DROWNED IN THE HARBOR. A man named L. W. Pratt, who had arrived from Liverpool by the S.S. "Lake Haron," having acted as steersman toward the harbor, was drowned last night while bathing beside the ship at the Long Wharf. It appears from the statement of the first officer, that Pratt had gone into the river in company with some six others of the crew to have a swim, and had struck out some yards from his comrades, when, after a few spasmodic motions with his hands, he suddenly sank and never appeared again. From the actions of the man it would seem that he was swimming with cramp in the legs, and he swam vigorously just before he went down, and in a manner that must certainly have kept him up if he had had the use of his legs. Every effort was made to recover the body, but up to this afternoon without success. Pratt was 36 years of age, and was to have left this morning for Toronto, where his relatives reside. The statements abroad that he plunged from the deck into the water, and acted otherwise in a manner that indicated suicide, are incorrect, and the ship's officers wish it corrected in justice to the unfortunate man, who was strictly steady. He also had severed his connection with the ship a day or so previously.

MRS. SMYTHE ARRESTED. Messrs. Burland and Thompson took a warrant against Mrs. Smythe, of St. Denis street, yesterday, and she was arrested by the High Constable at her residence and locked up. The cause of her arrest is alleged conspiracy with her carrier to remove her furniture during the night before last. She is at present confined in the cells of the Police Station, whence she will be taken this morning to undergo the preliminary examination before His Honor Mr. Justice Desjardins.

THE LACROSSE TEAM. A cablegram from Mr. H. P. Dwight, General Manager of the Great North-Western Telegraph Company, Toronto, says, under date London, June 21, that the Lacrosse team has left London and are all well. They played in Nottingham yesterday, and the game was much appreciated by all who witnessed it.

ACCIDENTS. John Colhurst was brought to the General Hospital yesterday, suffering from a wound in the right arm caused by falling from a farmer's wagon on to the prongs of a stable fork. Bernard McGraw, residing at No. 83 Donald street, fell out of a window yesterday and was badly cut about the head. Eliza Dillon, 87, was admitted on Tuesday, suffering from a fall which resulted in a broken thigh. At 3.30 this afternoon, a man named Alden McDonald, who acted as a janitor of the revivement wall, at the foot of St. Peter street, fell over on to the wharf below. He was picked up by a Government policeman on duty, placed in a cab, and taken to the General Hospital, where he was found to have received some very severe injuries about the head. A young man driving brick cart No. 500 fell from his cart this afternoon on McGill street at 2 o'clock, and narrowly escaped being run over by his horse. The cart grazed his back and the horse's hoof grazed his chin.

COFFEE HOUSES. The desirability of establishing a coffee house at the east end of the city is daily more apparent, so much so, that this week tangible steps have been taken to really carry out the plan. At a meeting held on Monday, it was decided to open a coffee house as soon as a suitable building could be obtained directly adjacent to the Quebec Gate Barracks. Deposited the meeting has been further decided to open another coffee house on Commissioners street, in the vicinity of the foot of St. Sulpice street.

SCALDED TO DEATH. A little boy five years old, son of Mr. Phyllis Robinson, met with a fatal accident yesterday at his father's residence, No. 25 St. Mary street. By some mischance the boy fell into a tub of boiling water. A doctor was summoned immediately, but he was unable to do anything, and the child was so severely scalded that he died a few hours afterwards.

FAST TRAINS ON THE G. T. R. The fast train service instituted by the Grand Trunk Railway between Montreal and Toronto makes the trip in something over ten hours. The train is an additional one and leaves Montreal at 10.50 a.m.

CITY ITEMS. The St. Joseph Society intends holding its annual excursion to Quebec on the 30th inst. Parties leaving town can have the Daily Witness mailed regularly to their address for 25c per month.

The Ladies' Association of St. Bartholomew's Church has a moonlight excursion this evening to Varennes and return per steamer "Pillgate."

A meeting of grain merchants took place last night at No. 36 Jacques Cartier square in order to complete arrangements for the approaching celebration of the St. Jean Baptiste Society.

A young man named Howe, a printer, from Dublin, has been missing for some days. Having left his clothes and effects behind at his boarding house, his friends have fears for his safety.

Two convicts named Hurteau and Spruwe managed to escape last morning from St. Vincent's Penitentiary. Search has been instituted, and a reward offered, thus far without result.

The picnic of Calvary Church has been unavoidably postponed owing to an accident to the wharf at Ile Bonaventure, which prevents the possibility of landing at the grove. Efforts to have the picnic elsewhere on Saturday next were made, but without success.

At a meeting of the Letteiler Club last evening, Mr. A. Farvean in the chair. The question debated was—"Would it not be better that the Federal Government should help the Harbor Commission in order that they might continue to improve the system of navigation on the St. Lawrence?"

A meeting of the Council of the Royal Society was held yesterday in the Natural History Society's building. Arrangements are being made for the publication of the annual report and the papers contributed by the members during the year. The other business transacted was simply of a routine nature.

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