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NO MONEY FOR THE QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY.

City Will Neither Contribnte Anything Nor Will a Private Subseription be Started by the Aldermen.

The city will not contribute anything to the military parade on the Queen's Birthday nor will a subscription list be started among the aldermen. The Mayor announced this morning to a civic sub-committee and a couple of military gentlemen who met at the City Hall this morning that there was no method by which the city could legally grant any money for that purpose. Col. Roy thereupon said that the plan for a subscription list among the aldermen would not be acceptable to the military authorities. If it was found, he said, that the City Council could not give financial assistance, the officers of the militia would get along as best they could.

There were present at the conference Mayor Prefontaine, Ald. Stevenson, Paquette and Ekers, Lieut.-Col. Roy and Lieut.-Col. Labelle. The Mayor, at the opening, repeated that the law prevented the city from rendering the financial aid asked by the militia. The only alternative, he thought, was to start a subscription list, circulating it first among members of the Council and afterwards among private citizens.

Ald. Ekers asked if the money on hand from the snow removal account could not be used for that purpose.

The Mayor was afraid that it could not. Money voted at the beginning of the year might be varied, but it would be difficult to find an account from which anything could be varied.

Ald. Paquette said that the Finance Committee, of which he was a member, could not vary a dollar from any of their appropriations.

Ald. Stevenson remarked that he would be in favor of the subscription list idea, but for the fact that the aldermen already had so many calls upon them.

Lieut.-Col. Roy settled this question by stating that the military men would not allow the aldermen to subscribe. If the Council could not vote the money, the military officers would go ahead with the demonstration themselves.

The probability of deriving a revenue from the grand stand privileges was then discussed. It had been proposed to grant the right of erecting a grand stand on Logan's Park and charging an admission fee on condition that 400 or 500 free tickets be given for invited guests.

Ald. Ekers suggested that numbers of men could be found who would be willing to pay $500 for the grand stand privileges, which would include permission to open refreshment booths.

Ald. Paquette drew attention to the fact that the St. Jean Baptiste celebration would be held in Logan's Park on June 24, and the proprietor of the grand stand would derive a large revenue from it on that day.

The Mayor added that the St. Jean Baptiste celebration would be particularly attractive this year owing to the presence in the city of the members of the Grand Army of the Republic, who would join in the parade.

The Mayor was authorized to advertise at once for tenders for the grand stand privileges, which would include the admission fee and the refreshment privileges on May 24, and on June 24. Tenders must be in by Monday noon, and the committee will meet again at 2 p.m. on Monday.

ALD. AMES' SCHEME TO REPAIR STREETS

Proposes That $145,000 be Raised Forthwith by a Special Tax on Realty.

HOW IT WILL BE SPENT

City Surveyor St. George to Prepare a Plan of the Streets Needing Repairs.

BUT THE PLAN MAY NOT CARRY

When the question of raising money for street cleaning, watering and repairing comes before the special meeting of the City Council to-morrow, Ald. Ames will have an entirely new proposition to submit regarding the apportionment of the money among the various wards. His new plan is in the nature of a compromise, and it is thought that it will meet with the approval of the majority of the Council.

Ald. Martineau proposes to raise $300,000 by loan, payable by special taxation in five years. But as a large proportion of the money would be devoted to repairs, it will be contended in Council that the money cannot legally be borrowed for that purpose. The details of Ald. Martineau's plan have not been worked out, but it is understood that he proposes to make the members of the Roads Committee the sole judges as to how and where the money shall be spent. The aldermen, representing the central, and taxpaying, wards of the city, will not agree to this. The Roads Committee is composed of aldermen representing the extreme north, the extreme east, and the extreme west. Such wards as St. Antoine, St. Louis, St. Lawrence East, Centre and West are without representation, and consequently would not receive much consideration when the time of distribution and apportionment came.

Ald. Ames proposes to raise $145,000 by immediate special taxation, which could be levied without the consent of the ratepayers, by a majority of Council. His first plan contemplated the division of the money among the various wards, according to the area of macadam pavement and wooden pathwalk in each. This plan would not have met with the approval of a majority in Council, as the representatives of the south wards would have opposed it. Ald. Ames has abandoned this plan, and now proposes to apportion the money according to the needs of the various wards. City Surveyor St. George will be asked, if Ald. Ames' motion is adopted, to prepare a statement of the area of walks and macadam pavements in each wards urgently requiring repair, and an estimate of the cost of the work. This will be made the basis of the division.

After referring to the undesirable condition of the streets and wooden pathworks in the city, and the consequent danger to public health, Ald. Ames' motion proceeds as follows:

"Be it resolved that this Council hereby approves of the appropriation of the sum of $145,000 for the ends herein below mentioned, and of the imposition of an additional assessment upon realty, not exceeding one-tenth of 1 per cent., payable during the current year, subject, however, to the strict observance of the following conditions as to apportionment and distribution of the amount raised by the aforsaid special tax:

"The amount thus raised shall be devoted only to the following purposes:

"a. A sum of $30,000 for street cleaning and watering for the balance of the current season shall be added to the regular appropriation of the Road Department for that purpose.

"b. A sum of $115,000 shall be set aside and used exclusively for repairing pavements and sidewalks, the same to be divided as follows:

1. Repairing permanent pavements .$15,000
2. Repairing wooden pathwalks ... 40,000
3. Renewing macadamized roads 60,000

"The amounts set forth in article B of this resolution shall be divided in the following manner:

"The City Surveyor shall cause to be prepared, keeping the figures for each ward separate, a detailed statement and estimate setting forth the following:

"1. The area and location of all permanent pavements, or portions thereof (viz., stone, asphalt, brick and wooden block), in defective condition, with an estimate as to the cost of repairing the same. This shall apply, however, only to permanent pavements laid by the city or to those whereon the guarantee of the contractor has expired.

"2. The area and location of all macadamized streets or parts thereof, owned by the city, in urgent need of immediate renewal or repair, with an estimate as to the cost of preparing the same.

"3. The area and location of all wooden pathwalks or parts thereof, laid by the city, in urgent need of immediate renewal or repair, with an estimate as to the cost of repairing the same.

"The aforesaid detailed statement and estimates shall be laid before the Council and a copy thereof furnished to each member before the by-law giving force to this resolution shall be read a second time in Council."

EAST END LIBERAL CLUB.

Senator Dandurand Addresses It Last Evening on Provincial and Dominion Affairs.

The East End Liberal Club held an enthusiastic meeting last night, under the presidency of Mr. D. A. Lafortune, at 1515 St. Catherine street. Senator Dandurand was the principal speaker of the evening. In opening his address, which treated principally upon provincial politics, Senator Dandurand alluded to the recent appointments of Messrs. Poirier and Weir as Joint Recorders in Montreal, appointments which, he said, had received the approval of both Liberals and Conservatives. He reminded his hearers that May 11 was the second anniversary of the downfall of the Conservative regime in Quebec, and it would be well to recall the important changes which had been introduced since the advent of the Marchand Government. Two features presented themselves above others in the reforms brought about; they were an equilibrium in the finances of the province and improved educational facilities. When the Flynn Government had left office they had left behind them as a legacy a deficit of some $900,000. This enormous deficit, in the short space of two years, during which the Marchand Government had held office, had been reduced to less than $200,000. When the fiscal year would end, on June 30, it was probable that this deficit would be wiped out. It was by the strictest economy that Mr. Marchand and his colleagues had kept the promises which they had made when the Liberals were given power.

The two educational bills introduced in the Legislature had been passed by the Government, thus assuring to the poor man the facilities of educating his children, as heretofore only the wealthier class had been able to do. Canada, he said, was enjoying an era of prosperity, and the work of colonization was being carried out with vigor, especially in the northern part of the province.

Turning to Dominion politics, Senator Dandurand quoted from Mr. Fielding's budget speech, and showed that the entire country was enjoying prosperity. Senator Dandurand spoke of the Redistribution Bill as an act of justice which would bring back each county in its proper influence. The bill, he said, would little affect Quebec, but Ontario would benefit greatly by it.

Mr. Charles Marcil also addressed the meeting. He referred to the Brockville success, and remarked that half that once Conservative city had accompanied Mr. Comstock to Ottawa. That itself was a fitting reply to the Conservative charges of mismanagement in the Yukon and the untruths told of Major Walsh.

Speeches were also made by Mr. L. A. Lefebvre, who briefly stated that the Conservatives' argument was resumed in the pretention that all that was good was Conservative, and all that was Liberal was bad.

IN FINE QUARTERS.

The Bank of Nova Scotia Moves to the London and Lancashire Building.

The manager of the agency in this city of the Bank of Nova Scotia, Mr. Frank Kennedy, and his staff, are now comfortably ensconced in their new and handsome quarters in the splendid building of the London & Lancashire Assurance Company. There is no handsomer or more complete bank premises in the city, the appointments being of the most substantial and at the same time ornate character. The counter is of heavy oak, beautifully carved and finished, while the railings, counters and other fixtures are chaste and handsome. The vault is a remarkable structure in steel, standing on its own foundation, and apart from the surrounding walls. The entire interior of the bank conveys an impression of blended strength and beauty that is most effective, and that speaks highly for the skill and artistic taste of the architect and designer, Mr. Maxwell.

The Condemned Galicians.

Winnipeg, Man., May 11.—(Special)—Sheriff Inkster is conferring with Attorney-Genral Cameron concerning the arrangements for the execution of Guszczak and Czuby, the condemned Galicians. Radcliffe, the official hangman, will carry out the execution, which is fixed for May 26.

COSTIGAN HAS QUIT THE CONSERVATIVES

Hon. John Will Have Nothing to Do With them As the Party Now Stands.

LEADERS ARE WRECKERS.

Tariff of the Liberals Is Satisfactory to the Business People and Country Generally.

MORE SO THAN FOSTER'S TARIFF

Ottawa, May 11.—(Special.)—Hon. John Costigan made the following important statement to a Herald representative to-day:

"You may say that I have entirely severed my connection with the Conservative party as it stands to-day.

"You may go further and you may state that I do not consider that the leaders of that party represent the party or the ideas which I have always supported. Indeed, I may say that, in my opinion, they are the men who wrecked the Conservative party. Their tactics and their principles are entirely at variance with my own, and for that reason I have voted against them.

"As to the tariff, I am convinced that the changes made by the Liberals are more satisfactory to the business people and the country generally than the changes read in the last Foster tariff. I am prepared to support the Liberal Government on its policy so far as it agrees with my own views. Measures may come up where I shall be compelled to differ from them, but I need not anticipate these.

"The Liberals have the confidence of the country. I have already voted for their measures, and shall do so excepting in such cases as I have mentioned."

ONE VICTIM OF HULL'S FIRE

Robert Rumsby Died at His Home Last Evening.

The Ottawa Civic Mess and Other News From the Capital

Ottawa, Ont., May 11.—After an illness of about a day's duration, Robert Rumsby, a respected employe of the E. B. Eddy Co., died last evening at his residence in Hull. He was one of the members of the Eddy fire brigade, who did valiant service in the disastrous fire in that city on Tuesday afternoon, and fought until he became so exhausted that he had to be carried home. He had been subject to kidney trouble, and a heavy cold, contracted by getting wet at the fire, caused a sudden attack of Bright's disease, to which he succumbed after a few hours illness, despite all that medical aid could do. The deceased was 35 years of age and leaves a wife and one child.

Jacques Bolieau and his wife Josephine were again arraigned before Recorder Champagne, Hull, yesterday morning on a charge of murder. Owing to the continued absence of Mr. J. P. Foran, Q.C., who will defend the prisoners, the case was given a further enlargement of a week.

At the annual meeting of the St. Jean Baptiste Society, Hull, held Tuesday evening, reports were presented showing the organization to have a membership of 125. The assets are $938, and the amount paid out in benefits $211. The following officers were elected for the year: Hon. president, L. N. Champagne, M.P.; president, T. Labelle; vice-presidents, George Racine and Francis Gavard; recording secretary, ex-Ald. Caron; assistant secretary, P. Marchand; corresponding secretary, D. J. A. Grondin; treasurer, T. P. Sabourin; collectors, T. P. Desjardins and L. Raymond; librarian, J. B. Bellemaire; executive committee, F. Lanctot, D. St. Martins, H. Masia, H. Plant and Aubin Enright. The society is arranging plans for a large excursion to be run to Plattsburg, N.Y., on June 15th.

The annual meeting of the Methodist District of Ottawa will open in Dominion Church on Wednesday of next week, and will be in session at least two days.

City Treasurer Kirby had not much to say yesterday regarding the disclosures made by Ald. Morris in reference to the discovery of cheques for which there are no corresponding entries in the books of the department. "You may say," said he, "that I have never appropriated one cent of civic money to my uses. I have never utilized civic money in my private business. The only thing that can be brought against me is the fact that I mixed private and public funds. To that extent there is an irregularity. I admit that I should not have done so, but, further, not one word can be said to impugn my honesty. When I left my private funds in with those of the corporation. I did not suppose that any one thought me dishonest. There is no doubt I should have been careful; I should not have done so much on my own motion. As a matter of fact, however, I can explain every cheque that was ever paid out."

Accountant Lindsay was also seen. "The difficulty," said he, "is that Mr. Neff does not understand our principle of keeping books. For instance take the 2nd of July last year. There was in the bank on that day $14,166.55. This is shown by Mr. Kirby's cheque book. You see that my cash book shows a balance on the same date of $8,279.72. The difference between these two amounts, $5,881.83, belonged to Mr. Kirby; was in fact his private money. I admit that Mr. Kirby should not mix his private affairs with those of the city in this fashion, but that is no affair of mine." Mr. Kirby says he often has a balance of as high as $10,000 mixed up with the funds of the city.

Four Men Killed.

Newcastle, Pa., May 11.—A construction train on the Pittsburg & Western Railroad went through a trestle near here this morning, killing four men and injuring a number of others. The train went over a seventy-foot trestle into Spangler's Run. Five of the injured may die.

MINING STOCKS SELLING WELL.

How They Are Taking Hold of Some of the Big Properties Up in Rossland.

A FLURRY IN DEER PARK

An Old Montreal Man Strikes it Rich Out West in Various Properties.

HERALD CORRESPONDENT'S WIRE

(Special to The Herald from John B. Kerr, Editor of the Rossland Miner.)

Rossland, B.C., May 10.—The past week has been a fair one in the local stock market. There has been no great rush at any one time, but still the week's business will average up well. The principal flurry was in Deer Park. This stock has advanced in the past four days from 4c and 4 1-2c to 6 3-4c. There are so many offerings at this price that it has kept the price down. Work was resumed yesterday on the property of the Deer Park. It is expected that there will soon result a considerable improvement in the market.

On the exchange yesterday there were 7,500 shares of Deer Park sold at from 6 to 6 1-2c. There were sales at these figures outside of the exchange.

There has been considerable trading in Morrison during the week, and the price ranged from 17c to 17 1-2c. The property is reported to be in good condition, and the development work is being carried on energetically.

There has been some movement in Evening Star owing to the recent strike of three feet of shipping ore in the upraise between the tunnels. The fact that work is to be resumed on the property of the White Bear Company has caused a renewed demand for its shares. This is shown by the fact that 4,000 shares were sold on the local board yesterday.

Tamarack continues to be sought for, and there has been considerable dealing in it during the past week. Yesterday, on the local board, 3,000 shares were sold at 16 1-4c.

Homestake has been dealt in, and 2,500 shares sold yesterday at 3 3-4c. There has been some dealing in Fairmount at 10c.

For Dundee, on the local board, 21 1-2c was bid, and 24c asked.

There has been quite a demand for the shares of Similkameen copper. and 20,000 shares changed hands during the week at 10 cents.

John B. Kerr.

Montreal Capitalists.

Toronto and Montreal capitalists have secured almost a control of the Aberdeen in Camp McKinney.

Local Man's Luck.

Spokane Spokesman-Review: Another evidence of wealth accumulated by investments made in mines tributary to Spokane came to light yesterday, when O. G. Laberee, the well-known mining man, formerly of Montreal, closed a deal for the purchase of property opposite Coeur d'Alene Park, for $18,000. On this property he will immediately erect a $50,000 home, for he has decided to make Spokane his permanent residence.

Mr. Laberee is a Canadian, who has operated for several years in the mines of the Pacific Northwest, making Spokane his headquarters. He has made considerable money in properties in the Boundary Creek country of British Columbia, and the Baker City district of Eastern Oregon.

The Payne Mine.

Fox & Ross received a letter yesterday from their correspondent in reference to the Payne. The property is looking splendid. The engineer's report states there is enough ore in sight to pay dividends for at least three years. The letter says that the ore will easily pay $35 per ton in dividends.

Sensation in Atlin.

They had a real live sensation in Atlin camp on the 15th of April, eclipsing in interest the rich placer strikes of the month. It was the arrival of the first white baby born in the district, and the miners celebrated the event in true Western style. Nuggets were showered upon the little native, and at the request of a deputation of miners the happy father consented to call the new boy "Athlto," in honor of the now famous gold diggings.

Fifty-One Dollars to the Ton.

Recently fifteen inches of ore, assaying $51 per ton, was encountered at the 300-foot level of the Iron Horse.

A Rich Strike.

A rich strike is reported on the Swansea claim, in the Windermere country, which is being operated by the Darby Mining Company. The Rossland Miner of the 2nd inst. says: "The shaft is now down a depth of ninety feet, and crosscutting has been commenced at that point, for the purpose of tapping the ledge, which is supposed to be only a short distance away from the shaft. There are ample funds in the treasury, and the intention is to carry on work uninterruptedly during the coming summer and fall."

Interment of Chief McArthur.

The interment from the vaults of the late S. J. McArthur, past chief of Clan Gordon, No. 70, Order of Scottish Clans, took place yesterday afternoon. Among the members present, in regalia, were Messrs. Peter A. Taylor, chief; Charles Robertson, Royal deputy chief; Thomas Murdoch, C. G. Black, James Knox, Robt. Slater, and James Black. Leaving the vault were Mrs. McArthur's father, Alfred Clarke, and her brother, Allan Clarke. At the grave, the funeral service of the clans was taken charge of by Clansmen Peter A. Taylor and James Knox.

STATION EXTENSION IN OSBORNE STREET

Erection of the C.P.R. New Offices to be Proceeded With Immediately.

FIVE STOREYS IN HEIGHT.

Greatly Increased Baggage and Train Accommodation and Splendid Quarters for Officials.

THE ARRANGEMENT OF OFFICES.

The enlargement of the Canadian Pacific Railway station, and the extension of its frontage on Osborne street, particulars of which were published in The Herald some time ago, will be proceeded with almost immediately. The architect is Mr. Edward Maxwell, who has prepared the plans for the new structure, which will be of a striking and imposing character, and will be a welcome addition to the architectural amenities of the city. The new extension will be five storeys high, with a basement, and it will have a frontage of 150 feet on Osborne street, in addition to the 70 feet the depot now has. Another storey will be added to the Windsor street side, and as Montreal limestone will be the material used in the masonry work, the building will be uniform all round.

Substantiality and durability will be the characteristics mainly kept in view, but due attention will be given to external appearances. Two new entrances for passengers, both of them on Osborne street, will be provided, and the roof-covered train area will be enlarged, so that the platforms and tracks under the station roof may be increased. Instead of the present four tracks there may be nine. The officials, during the past few years, have been greatly in want of additional baggage room, and this has no doubt influenced the authorities in their determination to proceed with the extension forthwith. At present the baggage officers have to content themselves with a small corner on the right hand of the entrance to the train yard for this work, but the extension of the depot will give them 130 ft. by 77 ft. Under the new arrangement passengers will be able to have their baggage checked within sight of the ticket office. The position of this, too, will be improved, and instead of two wickets, as at present, there will be four.

The baggage and customs departments will find their location on the ground floor. The baggage master will have his room there, and quarters will be provided for five telegraph operators. The office area will be increased by 150 feet by 84, and there will be a new elevator and wide staircase. On one side of the building will be a commodious and handsome lunch room, and on the other a splendidly fitted up restaurant. When the rearrangement of offices takes place, it will be somewhat after this fashion: On the first floor will be the general manager and his staff, the telegraph office, the superintendent of car service and his staff, the superintendent of hotels and his staff, the paymaster and treasurer and his staff, and the cashier, whose office will be furnished with one of the heaviest and most perfect burglar proof safes that can be procured. On the second floor will be the quarters of the general superintendent and his staff, and the accountant's office. Here also will be the board room, the offices of the president and vice-president, secretary, comptroller, the general passenger department and the general traffic manager, the solicitors, the superintendent of steamboat lines, the freight and traffic manager, the general freight superintendent, and the general freight and claim department; and there will be accommodation for two large fire proof vaults. The third floor will be occupied by the comptroller's staff, and by the staffs of the auditors of passenger and freight traffic receipts. Part of the fourth will be similarly occupied, and the remainder of the apartments for the chief engineer and draughtsmen, and the chief engineer's assistant. On each floor large lavatories will be provided. The walls of the corridors on each floor will be finished in marble; the floors will be in mosaic, and the structure will be fireproof from basement to roof.

The Bakers' Picnic, August 8th.

The first meeting of the Master Bakers and Bread Drivers, to make arrangements for their annual picnic was held last evening, in Mr. C. R. Willis's hall, 1839 Notre Dame street, and was a very representative one, being largely attended. The following officers were unanimously elected:—Chairman, Mr. W. Fraser; treasurer, Mr. George Hoult; secretary, Mr. W. Hawkins. Committee—Messrs. A. Seeds, F. Stevens, D. Ferguson, W. Damant, F. H. Hodgson, Geo. Shea, George Sinclair, J. Cunningham, T. Cleland, C. Morgan, H. Sampson, W. Ford and H. Gaffney. It was decided that the annual picnic would be held on Tuesday, August 8. A committee was named to see the officers of the G.T.R. and C.P.R., and find out the rates for several places on their routes. Mr. Fraser and Mr. Hoult were appointed collectors The meeting was adjourned till next Wednesday evening at the same place.

Miss Craig's Lecture.

Miss Craig will give an illustrated lecture, "Love, Lore and Laughter of Old Ireland," in the lecture hall of St. James Church, this evening on behalf of the Ministering Children's League.

TO ADVERTISERS.

Advertisers in THE HERALD will serve their own interests by sending in their copy the night before publication. It is difficult to give preferred positions when copy comes in at a late hour—on the day of issue. All available space in to-day's twelve page HERALD was taken by ten o'clock this morning, and copy received after that hour had to be refused.

LITTLE DOUBT THAT IT WILL REASSEMBLE

But Whether or Not the Joint High Commission Will Do Any Good is

QUITE ANOTHER QUESTION.

Secretary Hay Does Not Expect to See an International Treaty.

SENATOR FAIRBANKS AT WORK.

(From the Resident Correspondent of The Montreal Herald.)

Washington, May 11.—If one is to judge by the feeling manifested among officials of the State Department and leading officers of the administration, it is only a technical violation of the truth to say that the negotiations of the Anglo-American Joint High Commission will never be resumed. No one seriously doubts that the members of the commission will re-assemble at Ottawa in August, according to the arrangement agreed on last February, but the belief here is that the new meeting will be a mere formality, and that no good result will be accomplished.

Your correspondent reported some time ago the disappointment, not to say irritation, felt by the Washington officials on account of the failure of the Dominion Government to agree to the establishment of a modus vivendi regarding the Alaskan boundary. In that despatch the opinion was expressed that inasmuch as the Dominion had not seen fit to agree to a modus vivendi, the fact did not lend much encouragement to the permanent settlement of the boundary question by the Joint High Commission. Since the date of that writing, there have been new evidences of the state of feeling existing, at the State Department. So strong was this feeling that a report was published on Tuesday to the effect that the negotiations of the international commission would not be resumed at all. It is learned on undoubted authority that this statement was too strong. The United States would certainly not refuse to allow its commissioners to proceed to Ottawa next August, for officially there is no reason to believe that the Canadian Government is not eager to reach a settlement of the questions at issue between the two countries. But there is the gloomiest sort of apprehension as to the outlook. Secretary Hay, for one, certainly has little confidence in further negotiations with the Dominion on the subject of an international treaty.

What the President's views are it is by no means so easy to say, but he doubtless is guided to a large extent by the opinions of the State Department, especially at a time when matters of more immediate importance in the Philippines are engaging his attention.

Senator Fairbanks, president of the American Commission, has gone to Alaska with the sincere purpose of learning as much as possible about the disputed boundary matter, and of devising some remedy for the disagreement between the Canadian and American members of the Joint Commission. He is not altogether hopeless of a successful result at Ottawa this fall, or he would not have made the trip to Alaskan territory. Friends of the senator deny that he had made up his mind before starting on his trip that the negotiations of the commission were about to end in failure.

The most discouraging feature of the present situation, as viewed here, is that the Washington Government is irritated extremely on account of two or three acts of the Canadian Government. The most serious offence was given, of course, when the Ottawa Government failed to agree to the establishment of the modus vivendi, but there is also a great deal of feeling on account of the action of the Ontario Provincial Legislature, which was not disapproved by the Dominion Government, in passing prohibitory legislation against the export of logs to the United States. Rightly or wrongly, the United States views these acts as distinctly adverse to the promotion of cordiality and good feeling between the two countries. There was a good deal of hope that there would be nothing during the spring and summer to disturb the cordiality of the relations which have existed for some time, and which continued throughout the negotiations of the Joint High Commission in Washington last winter.

In the failure of the proposition for a modus vivendi and the unfriendly legislation in Ontario, the Government officials recognize two elements of disturbance which are hard to overlook and the effect of which is bound to be unfortunate when the Joint High Commission reassembles.

Walter E. Clark.

Good Stock For the West.

Toronto, May 11.—(Special.)—The Dominion Cattle Breeders' Association will send three carloads of thoroughbred stock, mostly shorthorn bulls, to the Northwest Territories. The trade this year is ten times what it was last. The cattle being taken out are mostly for the purpose of improving the quality of the Northwest beef for export.

Another West Elgin Arrest.

St. Catharines, Ont., May 11.—(Special.)—There was considerable excitement in the city yesterday morning when Detective Thomas Flynn, of Toronto, arrived and in a short time had caused the arrest of a young man named Martin Cahill, of this city, on a charge of forgery in connection with the West Elgin election in January last.

Women's Club Meetings Suspended.

After completing a very successful season's work, the Montreal Woman's Club have decided to discontinue their gatherings for the summer months, the work to be resumed next autumn.

HE TRIED TO SHOOT HIS SWEETHEART.

Miss Lepine, at 72 Beaver Hall Hill, Has an Unpleasant Experience With a Love Sick Youth and Police Now Want Him.

The city detectives are to-day looking for a young man who, about five o'clock last evening, attempted to shoot a young lady, Miss Lepine, employed in the branch office of the Metropolitan Cleaning and Dyeing Company, 72 Beaver Hall Hill.

The young man's name is Elveray Lanois a tailor, working in a St. Lawrence street shop.

About five o'clock last evening two young men drove up in a buggy to the Metropolitan office. One of them, apparently greatly excited, jumped out and ran into the office where Miss Lepine was. Without saying anything he whipped out a 32-calibre revolver and placed it on the counter in front of the young lady.

"Will you be my wife?" he said, but before Miss Lepine could answer Mrs. Ryan, wife of the proprietor came in, and the fellow hid his firearm away. It appears that the young man and Miss Lepine have been keeping company together for a number of years, and that the young lady's mother is greatly opposed to their marriage.

While the young man's attention was drawn to Mrs. Ryan's entrance Miss Lepine ran out of the place and sought protection in the office of Mr. Wm. Seale, undertaker, 782 Dorchester street, just around the corner. She found Mr. Seale in his private office and told him that a man wanted to shoot her. She had just finished saying so, when the young man rushed in and said "Yes, I will shoot you!"

Then addressing Miss Lepine in French, he again asked her, "Will you be my wife?" Miss Lepine screamed hysterically, "No, no!" and the fellow then put his hand to his hip pocket to get his revolver.

Quickly Miss Lepine sprang at him, and while Mr. Seale held him, she took the revolver from his pocket. "I'll get another revolver," he said, and he went away. Mr. Seale immediately telephoned to No. 5 police station for the patrol. Instead of that wagon coming hurriedly to the scene, three policemen were detailed about, and according to the statements of people who were there, they did not arrive for over half an hour. In the meantime the young man had got into the buggy with his companion. They drove around by St. Catherine street, down University street and along Dorchester. When at the corner of Brunswick street, the young fellow fell out of the rig and under the feet of a horse just passing. His face was badly cut and bruised, but he got up again and drove past the Metropolitan office. The police had not yet arrived, and when they did come it was all over. Detectives went to see Miss Lepine this morning, but it is said she refused to tell the young man's name. His arrest may be expected at any moment.

CHIEF MUST TAKE UNIFORM MONEY

Police Committee Forces Him to Take it, Although He Said He Didn't Want a Uniform.

HOW MANY OFFICERS?

After Much Investigation it is Decided There Are 58—The Hand Organ Nuisance.

TO MAKE FIVE-POUND LOAVES

Chief of Police Hughes must have a new uniform whether he wants it or not, and whether he wears it or not. This was the decision of the Police Committee yesterday. The Chief sought to persuade the committee not to vote him money for a uniform, and he was not at all pleased when the members of the committee, with the exception of Ald. Jacques, refused to vote as he wanted them to.

The committee spent half an hour with the Chief, endeavoring to ascertain how many officers, exclusive of the Chief and three inspectors, there are on the force. When the clothing contracts were awarded it was stated that there were fifty-six, and contracts for that number of suits were awarded. The first count yesterday placed the number at fifty-five, and Ald. Ames wanted to know what would become of the extra uniform. Chief Hughes made a second calculation, and this time he concluded that he had fifty-seven officers under him, in addition to the three inspectors. This did not improve the situation, as it left one officer without a uniform. The Chief and Ald. Clearihue went into the former's private office and returned with a new list and the number at fifty-eight. The discovery of the additional officer complicated matters still more, and the committee discussed the advisability of reporting to Council in favor of voting money to Chief Hughes, three inspectors and two subordinate officers for the purchase of their uniforms. Then the Chief suddenly remembered that one of the subordinate officers, the drill instructor, had been included among the men when the contracts were called for, and that his uniform was already provided.

Then began a discussion as to the amount to be allowed each of these officers for the purchase of these uniforms. One hundred dollars was agreed upon as the sum to be allowed to the Chief. Ald. Lareau and Jacques wanted to give the inspectors the same amount each. Ald. Ames thought $75 should be enough for the inspectors and $57.50 for the subordinate officer.

Mr. Hughes Objects.

The Chief asked the committee not to vote him anything, as he didn't want it. He then went to Ald. Marsolais, Jacques, Roy and Lareau and whispered something to each. Ald. Lareau and Jacques were for acceding to the Chief's request, but Ald. Roy protested vigorously against it. He thought that the Chief should have a uniform, and that, moreover, he should be compelled to wear it when on duty.

Ald. Ames also objected to letting the Chief have his way about it. It was the committee's duty to provide him with a uniform, and they should do their duty whether the Chief wanted a uniform or not. It was a question for the committee to decide and not for the Chief.

Ald. Jacques argued that as the Chief did not want the money for a uniform, it would be folly to ask him to take it.

Ald. Lareau accepted Ald. Ames' view, and made a motion to ask Council to vote $400 for uniforms for the Chief and three inspectors and $57.50 for a subordinate officer. This carried. Ald. Jacques dissenting. The money will be taken from the balance of the $20,000 voted some time ago for uniforms.

It was also decided that $57.55 in money be allowed each of the eight detectives instead of uniforms.

Ald. Lareau gave notice that he would, at the next meeting of the committee, introduce a motion for the appointment of a man to the vacancy caused in the License office by the resignation of Mr. Gaston Hughes.

The Chief of Police said he had been communicated with by taxpayers of the western part of the city complaining against the hand organ nuisance. Chairman Marsolais replied that the Council was now dealing with this matter.

Ald. Jacques gave a notice of motion that he would propose that by-law No. 30, concerning loaves of bread, be amended so that the weight of each loaf be fixed at five pounds.

The chairman produced a letter from ex-Recorder DeMontigny, and Joint Recorders Poirier and Weir, recommending that, owing to the increase of work, Mr. Alfred Bienvenu be formally appointed by Council as second deputy clerk of their court. It was decided to recommend the appointment.

Ald. Gallery appeared before the committee and said that certain proprietors on St. James and Notre Dame streets were complaining that there was not enough police protection on those thoroughfares, which prevented them from renting some of their houses. Formerly there were 26 men at No. 6 Police Station, on Chaboillez square, whilst now they only had about 17. The chairman said that there was no money for increasing the police force this year.

A letter from proprietors on St. Catherine street, complaining of the presence of cabmen at the corner of that thoroughfare and St. Charles Borromee street, was referred to Ald. Clearihue and Chief Hughes.

The account of $175 presented by Dr. A. T. Brosseau, for attendance to Detective Picard at the Notre Dame hospital, when Picard was shot in the arm some time ago, next came in for a little criticism; but as the committee did not seem to understand the matter they resolved to submit a copy of the bill to the authorities of that institution, and ask for more details.

The Dryden Protest.

Toronto, Ont., May 11.—(Special.)—The particulars in the South Ontario protest against the election of Hon. John Dryden were filed at Osgoode Hall yesterday. The document is of a very voluminous character, containing no less than 257 paragraphs. The charges are nearly all of the usual kind ,such as threats, bribes, bribing money, intimidation, supplying drink, and kindred acts.

Recorder Poirier is Commissioner.

Notification from Quebec was received by Recorder Poirier yesterday of his appointment as a license commissioner in the place of Recorder De Montigny, resigned.

This Evening.

Academy—Pudd'nhead Wilson."
Francais—"My Partner."
Royal—Australian Beauties.
Liberal Club.

Fine To-morrow.

Probabilities—Fresh southerly, shifting to westerly winds, showers and thunderstorms to-day, clearing to-night; fair on Friday.

Montreal, 70 above to 48 above.
Kamloops, 66 above to 42 above.
Edmonton, 54 above to 26 above.
Qu'Appelle, 56 above to 34 above.
Winnipeg, 58 above to 42 above.
Port Arthur, 60 above to 32 above.
Parry Sound, 76 above to 44 above.
Toronto, 71 above to 52 above.
Ottawa, 74 above to 54 above.
Quebec, 70 above to 40 above.
Halifax, 60 above to 38 above.

Readings by Hearn and Harrison's Standard Barometer—At noon yesterday, 30.08; at 8 a.m. to-day, 29.70; at 11 a.m. to-day, 29.63. Temperature to-day, maximum 70, minimum 44; yesterday, maximum 66, minimum 42.

Births.

COOLIN—On the 8th inst., at 28 Guilbault st., the wife of E. G. Coolin, of a son.

Marriages.

McHARRIE-ADAMS—On Wednesday, May 3, at Washington, D.C., in the Church of the Covenant, by the Rev. Dr. Hamlin, Dr. William McHarrie, to Lurella G. Adams, both of Montreal.

O'BRIEN-McALLISTER — At St. Patrick's Church, by Rev. Father Quinlivan, James J. O'Brien, son of Edward O'Brien, of this city, to Miss Annie McAllister, second daughter of John McAllister, of Hemmingford, Que.

ROSS-BOND—At Emmanuel Congregational Church, in this city, May 9, by the Rev. Dr. Warriner, M.A., Edith Blanche Bond, to the Rev. Arthur Basil Ross, B.A. No cards.

Deaths.

QUINN—At Bedford, May 4, George Edward, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Quinn, aged 19 months and 15 days. 109*

WATERS — At Cambusmore House, Outremont, on the 9th inst., of pneumonia, Jemima Dunbar (Ima), aged 9 years, second daughter of George Waters. Funeral from the father's residence, on Thursday, 11th inst., at 4.30 p.m. Toronto and Carleton Place papers please copy. 112*

GRAY—In this city, on the 9th inst., Jeanie Paterson, eldest daughter of the late Geo. L. Heron, and dearly beloved wife of Geo. A. Gray. Funeral will take place at 2.30 p.m., Thursday, the 11th inst., from her late residence, 224 St. George st., to Mount Royal Cemetery. 111*

DYMENT—On May 9, after a long and lingering illness, Thomas Dyment, in his 58th year.

GRAY—In this city, May 9, Jeanie Paterson, eldest daughter of the late Geo. L. Heron, and dearly beloved wife of George A. Gray.

MARSHALL—In this city, on May 10, at the age of 6 years and 10 days, Ruby Gladys, youngest daughter of the late Alexander Graham Marshall.

DEGUISE—On the 9th inst., at the age of 3 months, Joseph Oliver Theodore, son of Mr. Oliver Deguise, contractor, 220 Montana st.

HELLIWELL—In this city, May 10, of pneumonia, John Bloor Helliwell, aged 71 years.

LESPERANCE—On May 9th, Julie Petit, widow of J. Baptiste Lesperance, in her 76th year.

MACIVER—On May 9th, at Montreal, Mary MacIver, youngest daughter of the late John MacIver, Strathcona, Ross-shire, Scotland.

MONTREAL'S DIRTY LANES AND STREETS

The Provincial Board of Health Warns the City Council of Impending Danger.

SMALLPOX IS ABROAD.

The Abattoirs Company Receives Permission to Build at Point St. Charles,

THE POLLUTION OF RIVERS.

The Provincial Board of Health has at last taken alarm at the condition of the streets and lands of Montreal. At a meeting yesterday the matter was fully discussed, all the members agreeing that the putrid dust which is now flying about so freely and in such large quantities, is a real poison, specially efficient in causing all kinds of diseases. The following resolutions were therefore adopted:—

Resolved—That the Provincial Board of Health draws the earnest attention of the City Council of Montreal to the responsibilities which it incurs in neglecting or in not bringing about with more despatch the cleaning of the streets and lanes of the city, and enjoins it to put an end to this nuisance and advises it, at the same time, to take the necessary precautions to render impossible in the future the repetition of such a deplorable state of affairs as that now existing since last autumn.

Resolved—That the Provincial Board of Health submit to the City Council: 1st. That the rigorous enforcement of a by-law forbidding the throwing of sweepings and papers on the streets would greatly contribute to cleanliness. 2nd. That owing to the lenient course of the city families have transformed the lanes into dumping grounds, which is a practice as disgraceful as it is dangerous to the public health. 3rd. That the cleaning of the lanes is not sufficiently thorough, so that garbage accumulates, raising the level of the lane and rendering the soil unhealthy. 4th. That in order to keep the lanes clean it is necessary that the sorting of garbage should not be permitted elsewhere than on the dumping grounds, and that the city exact the use of a strong and uniform recipient for garbage; that a systematic inspection of lanes and yards should be carried on in order to assure the enforcement of municipal by-laws. That the best means to purify the lanes and to prevent permanent accumulations, which gradually gather therein, would be to pave them all in asphalt, and that in consequence the municipal authorities are invited to consider the means of bringing this about gradually. For the information of the municipal authorities, which is the sole competent authority to consider the matter, the Board of Health transmits to it the following suggestions regarding the paving of lanes: (a) That in future no lanes be allowed to be opened unless they are paved by the proprietors bordering thereon; (b) each time that two-thirds of the proprietors bordering on a lane already open will make the request the city would undertake to pave said lane at the cost of the proprietors, the reimbursement to be made to the city pro rata by each proprietor in several annual payments; (c) the moment a lane is paved it would become the property of the city, which would undertake thereafter to keep it in repair at its own cost.

The Montreal Abattoir Company, having applied to the Provincial Board for their consent to the rebuilding of the Western Abattoir in close vicinity to the stock yards at Point St. Charles, the board, after discussing fully the matter, reached the following conclusion:—

"Whereas, the Montreal Abattoir Company declares itself ready to equip an establishment, and to carry its operations in such a way as to satisfy all the requirements of hygiene, and to always give complete satisfaction to the local sanitary authorities;

"Whereas, the said company declares itself to design its establishment, and equipment from the model establishment which the 'United Dressed Beef Company' possess in a populated section of the city of New York, which latter establishment, the inspector of the Provincial Board has found to be as reported, in very good sanitary condition, and, having, to the testimony of the Health Department of New York, never occasioned a nuisance either by its buildings and apparatus or by its operations.

"The Provincial Board takes note of the declaration and of the premises of the said Montreal Abattoir Company, and as far as it is concerned, consents to the erection of the abattoir proper, and the other necessary buildings and equipment for the operations associated with the killing, maintaining the conditions previously communicated to the said company, regarding a settling tank for the decantation of the waste waters at their exit from the premises, the board reserving, moreover, the right of the sanitary authorities to require further purification of said waste waters at any time later, if they deem it necessary."

The board refused to entertain the petition of the municipality of Verdun to be allowed to throw its sewage in the St. Lawrence without previous treatment, on account of the danger to the intake of the Water and Power Company's works.

The board discussed at length a report of the secretary calling attention to the increase of pollution of water courses by sewerage systems for which no previous treatment of the sewage was provided. In fact, the only two exemples in the province of sanitary treatment of sewage, the St. Laurent and Montreal St. Denis Ward sewage farms (the latter to be established this summer), were only decided upon because there was not in the vicinity a convenient stream to pollute as usual. The little help given to the health authorities by civil engineers in this matter was commented upon.

How long should this pollution be allowed without interference, and what might be the consequences? To mention only the case of Montreal, the census taken within the last forty years give the following figures of population:—

	Inhabitants.
In 1851	57,718
In 1871	107,225
In 1891	216,650

which means that every twenty years Montreal doubles its population, and that therefore the following figures must be expected for the future:—

	Inhabitants.
In 1911	450,000
In 1931	900,000

Should the "Montreal of 900,000 inhabitants" empty its sewage in the St. Lawrence without previous purification treatment?

In view of the extreme importance of this subject of the pollution of rivers, the board decided to give close attention to all the details of the question and to consider it further at a subsequent meeting. In the meantime it was decided to call the attention of municipalities to the seriousness of the question, in which they are all interested, to urge them to give more attention to the modern systems of sewage disposal—the sewage farm being considered the best—and also to ask engineers generally to give more attention to this side of the question than they have done up to this time.

A motion of regret at the death of Dr. Lemieux, a leading practitioner of the city of Quebec, and formerly a member of the board, was passed. The board also decided to express its satisfaction at the creation recently of a department of public health in the Government offices at Ottawa and to congratulate Dr. Montizambert on his promotion to the direction of said department.

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THE GIBSON PICTURES.

Representative Montreal Audience Saw Them Last Evening.

A Successful Entertainment in Her Majesty's Theatre for the Benefit of the Day Nursery.

An exceedingly interesting and novel entertainment was given in Her Majesty's Theatre last night for the benefit of the Day Nursery, one of the most deserving of the many deserving charities of the city.

A large committee of ladies has worked untiringly to make the affair a success, and it was greatly to their credit that they succeeded.

It was certainly an ingenious idea to have the Gibson pictures as the main feature of the programme, and it was gratifying to the promoters to view one of the most representative and fashionable audiences that Her Majesty's Theatre has yet held.

The pictures were without exception, splendidly arranged, and the ladies and gentlemen who posed in them deserve the greatest credit. In connection with each scene, a number of highly enjoyable musical selections, vocal and instrumental, were rendered as nearly as possible, in accord with the spirit of the incident depicted.

For these the Zingari Banjo and Glee Club, Miss Atwater and Messrs. Wilkes and Burke were chiefly responsible; Mr. Burke's singing of "Gypsy John," and "Calm was the Night," given as an encore, being particularly acceptable. The musical programme was arranged by Mr. Otto Zimmerman, musical director at Her Majestys' Theatre. As one of the incidental numbers, the theatre orchestra played Sousa's latest march, "Hands Across the Sea," which was much appreciated.

The Pictures.

The following is a list of the pictures presented:

1. Picture. The Story of the Hunt.
2. Picture. This Can Happen.

The American Father may be amazed at finding his English son-in-law not an undesirable article.

3. Picture. They don't even know Tommy Atkins, from "Soldiers of Fortune."

4. That delicious moment when you find that you are to take into dinner the girl who yesterday refused you.

5. The Night Before Her Wedding.

6. Picture. The only Pebble on the Beach.

7. Is this a case for the S.P.C.A.? It is now 6.45 p.m., and this dog has been kept out here since ten in the morning.

8. The trials of a Bud running the gauntlet among her rivals.

9. The Pipps dine at the Ambassador's. "The order of precedence as heretofore observed by the Pipps holds good while the family is abroad."

10. Parting between Rudolf Rassendyll and Princess Flavia, from "Rupert of Hentzau."

11. Picture. Is a Caddy always necessary?

12. Picture. All's well that ends well.

It's a love-song and sung with deep feeling as her thoughts are with Tom in a far-away land.

The pictures were posed by Miss May Reynolds.

Those Who Took Part.

The ladies and gentlemen who took part in the pictures were as follows:—Ladies—Miss P. Allan, Mrs. Baumgarten, Miss Burnett, Miss P. Burnett, Miss Boulter, Miss Blackwell, Miss M. Bond, Miss Clay, Miss Cassils, Miss Boyd, Mrs. A. J. Brown, Miss Bond, Miss E. Cassils, Mrs. Colonel Caverhill, Mrs. Duhamel, Mrs. M. Davies, Miss A. Ewan, Miss L. Graham, Miss Greenshields, Miss Haswell, Miss Henderson, Miss S. Judah, Miss A. Kingston, Miss Lyman, Mrs. Laing, Miss E. Marler, Miss E. Molson, Miss Lorne Macdougall, Miss G. Clarke Murray, Mrs. Null, Miss O'Brien, Miss Oswald, Miss Riddell, Miss Reford, Miss B. Rawlings, Miss Ramsay, Miss Savage, Miss Sicotte, Miss Stephen, Miss Thibaudeau, Miss M. Ward, Miss Wheeler, Miss F. Watt.

Gentlemen—Mr. Bellhouse, Mr. Bogart, Mr. Barber, Mr. W. Bond, Mr. F. L. C. Bond, Mr. Clarke, Mr. N. Barclay, Mr. Ross Crawford, Mr. H. Drummond, Mr. Drury, Mr. D. Ewan, Mr. H. Ewan, Mr. H. Eadie, Mr. Fleming, Mr. H. Gordon, Mr. Humble, Mr. Hunter, Mr. R. A. King, Mr. F. Meighen, Mr. H. Marler, Mr. Macoun, Mr. D. Oliver, Mr. P. Rae, Mr. C. Sise, Mr. J. Stevenson, Mr. G. W. Stephens, jr., Master Ross Sims, Mr. M. Scott, Mr. Savage, Mr. Wotherspoon, Mr. H. Wotherspoon, Mr. R. B. Van Horne.

The committee of ladies who had charge of the arrangements, and to whom the thanks of the Day Nursery are due for the success of the undertaking, was made up as follows: Mrs. J. B. Learmont, Mrs. D. H. McDunnough, Mrs. E. Holton, Mrs. A. Haig Sims, Mrs. W. B. Mathewson, Mrs. C. DeForrest Smith, Mrs. J. T. Hagar, Mrs. W. S. Barnes, Mrs. A. Clarence Lyman, Mrs. R. S. C. Bagg, Mrs. R. A. E Greenshields, Mrs. J. S. Shearer, Mrs. H. A. Lindsay, Mrs. Frank Bond, Mrs. Turpin, Mrs. Wainwright, Miss E. Thomas, Mrs. Jas. Williamson, Mrs. Lansing Lewis, Mrs. Frank Caverhill, Mrs. Ellis, Mrs. Marling, Miss M. N. Evans.

The accompanists were Mrs. A. J. Brown, Mr. A. Winter and Mr. J. H. Campbell.

The Musical Programme.

Orchestra—Overture to Raymond.....A. Thomas

(a) Instrumental—"The Zingari Galop".....Glovet
(The Zingari Banjo Club.)

(b) Dialect Solo, "Only just a little yaller Coon".....Thatford
(Dr. H. J. Stewart Nichol.)

Accompaniment and Chorus by the Zingari Banjo and Glee Club.

1.—Hunting Song from "Dorothy".....
2.—International Airs.....
Song—Mr. Wilkes—"Off to Philadelphia in the morning."
4—Love's Dream Waltz.....
5—She's a Jolly Good Fellow.....

Part II.

Orchestra—Geisha Selections.....

(a) Vocal—In Absence.....Burke
(The Zingari Glee Club.)

(b) Instrumental—The Belle of New York.....Clarke
(The Zingari Mandolin and Guitar Club.)

6.—The Only Pebble.....
7.—Old Dog Tray.....
Song—Miss Atwater—"Nymph and Fawn".....Bemberg
8—There's Just One Girl.....
9—Two-Step—With the Colors.....Meredith Heward
10—"How can I bear to leave Thee".....
Song—Mr. Burke—"Gipsey John"....Clay
11—Two-Step.....
12—"My Lover will come to-day".....DeKoven
13—"Jewel of Asia".....

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FAVORS THE BELT LINE.

Chambre de Commerce Asks the Council to Allow It to Carry Passengers on Davidson Street.

The Chambre de Commerce yesterday afternoon declared itself in favor of competition in street railways by unanimously adopting the following resolution:

"Whereas the Montreal Island Belt Line Railway Company made application to the City Council of Montreal for permission to operate an electric passenger railway service on Davidson street, in Hochelaga Ward.

"And whereas the said application was submitted to the Road Committee of the City Council for the purpose of investigating the matter and obtaining the opinion of the City Attorneys as to whether the Council could grant such privileges without violating its obligations towards the Montreal Street Railway Company;

"And whereas the City Attorneys have reported that the Montreal Street Railway Company does not possess a monopoly or an exclusive franchise in the streets of the city; and that the Council could grant the said Montreal Island Belt Line Railway Company permission to operate its railway on said Davidson street, without violating in any sense its obligations towards the Montreal Street Railway Company;

"And whereas the Road Committee of the Council unanimously recommended that the Montreal Island Belt Line Railway Company be permitted to operate a passenger service in said street;

"Be it further resolved, that this Chamber considers it in the public interest that the Montreal Island Belt Line Railway Company should be permitted to extend its line on Davidson street in the city of Montreal, and hereby endorses the recommendation of the Road Committee of the City Council that the said permission be so granted, and prays that the City Council shall, without delay, confirm the recommendation of the said Road Committee.

"And that the president, accompanied by a delegation of this Chamber, be requested to present this resolution to the Council of Montreal at its next regular meeting."

The balance of the meeting was taken up by routine business. Mr. D. Masson occupied the chair, and among those present were Messrs. G. Boivin, A. Lalonde, D. C. Brosseau, L. J. Tarte, C. H. Catelli, L. J. A. Surveyer, J. L. Coutlee, N.P., Jos. Contant and Jos. Fortier.

DR. CODERRE'S RED PILLS FOR PALE AND WEAK WOMEN

BOX OF 50 PILLS 50 CENTS

A PEMBROKE SENSATION.

High Constable Millar Set Upon by Two of His Men.

Doctor Fears That He May Die—Both Assaulters Were Arrested.

Pembroke, May 11.—(Special.)—In a row which occurred early yesterday morning between the constables of the town, High Constable Millar was very seriously and perhaps fatally injured.

Millar has been repeating very grave and unsavory charges concerning his pals, and as a result feelings of antagonism have existed for some time between himself and Constables Dickson and Valois.

Yesterday morning at two a.m. Millar was lured from his home under the pretext that he was needed to help to quell a row in a distant part of the town. He had only reached a few blocks when Constables Dickson and Valois sprung on him, and Millar was soon overpowered. The two constables must have given Millar most brutal treatment, for his face is most unsightly, teeth were kicked out, and his body is a mass of bruises. Dr. Josephs, who attended Millar after the row, said this morning that Millar was in a precarious position, and the treatment meted out by the two constables was most inhuman.

The two constables were arrested this morning and placed in jail. Shortly after bail was obtained for both.

A TEMPERANCE RESOLUTION.

Committe at Ottawa Prepares a Statement Which Is Soon to Go Before the House.

Ottawa, May 10.—The committee of members favorable to the cause of prohibition, which has been charged by the Dominion Alliance with the preparation of a resolution to be laid before Parliament to gain the sanction of that body to whatever recognition may be gained for the result of the recent plebiscite, has fixed upon the following, which will be moved by Mr. Flint, seconded by Mr. Bell (P.E.I.), on the earliest opportunity:

"Whereas, it is desirable that legislation should be enacted having in view the further restriction of the liquor traffic in Canada, and that such legislation should be uniform in all the provinces and territories of the Dominion;

"Therefore, resolved that in the opinion of this House it is expedient to enact:

"(1) That subject, and except as hereinafter mentioned, the sale of intoxicating liquors in every province and territory of Canada should be prohibited.

"(2) That the act prohibiting such sale should not come into force in any province or territory unless and until a majority of the qualified electors therein, voting at an election, shall have voted in favor of such act.

"(3) That upon such vote in favor of said act being duly certified to the Governor-in-Council, such act shall be brought into force in said province or territory, and shall remain in force therein for four years and thereafter until the same shall have been repealed in such province or territory. Such repeal shall not take effect therein until a majority of the qualified electors of such province or territory voting at an election shall have voted for the repeal thereof, the proceedings for such repeal to be similar in all respects to those for bringing the act into force.

"(4) That in order to avoid unnecessary expense and to secure the largest possible vote, the voting provided for in the said act shall take place at a general federal election.

"(5) That this act shall, in coming into force, suspend the operation of the Canada Temperance Act in any part of the province or territory where the same may be in force at the time, and such suspension shall continue so long as this act is in force in such province or territory.

"(6) That while the said act is in force in any province or territory, the sale of such liquors may be permitted for medicine or sacramental purposes, or for bona fide use in any art, trade or manufacture; such sale to be made by vendors appointed for such purpose, and to be subject to such regulations as will procure the due observance of the act.

"(7) That while said act is in force in any province or territory, no brewer or distiller therein shall be permitted to sell his products except to vendors for the purposes of the said act or for export from the said province or territory to some place beyond the same where the said act is not in force, such manufacture, sale and export to be subject to stringent regulations.

"(8) That while the said act is in force in any province or territory, no such liquors shall be permitted to be brought into such province or territory from any other province or territory in Canada or from abroad, except for sale for the purposes of the said act, such importation and sale to be subject to such conditions and restrictions as will ensure the due observance of the act.

"(9) That due provision be made in said act for the enforcement of the same and for the proper application of all fines and penalties imposed thereby."

Royal Military Tournament.

At the recent royal military tournament at Islington all the cooking for 1,000 men was done by gas. The English and French are certainly in advance of us in the use of gas as fuel. In Paris there are over 291,000 gas ranges in use, and the same is the case in all European and American cities. The coal range is being supplanted by the gas range the world over on account of the economy and cleanliness of the latter. Proportionately, however, Montreal is not far behind, there being over 8,500 gas ranges in use.

The Horse Association Case en Delibere.

The prosecution in the case of the Montreal Horse Assurance Association concluded its evidence yesterday afternoon before Judge Desnoyers. Mr. H. J. Cloran, for the defence, said he had no witnesses to call for the preliminary hearing. The case was therefore taken en delibere.

At St. Thomas Church.

To-day being Ascension Day, there will be divine service at 8 o'clock in the evening in St. Thomas' church. Dr. L. H. Davidson, Q.C., will give the address. All are welcome.

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NICE CORNER FLAT, LIGHT ON THREE sides, 6 rooms, bath and w.c., newly painted and tinted, $9.00. Nice lower flat, 6 rooms, bath and w.c., $7.50. 167 Roy st., near St. Denis st. 109*

TO LET — A SUMMER COTTAGE BETween Strathmore and Valois, land 70 by 180 feet, with fine beach; rent low. L. A. Boyer, 99 St. James st. 113*

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ROOMS — NICELY FURNISHED, AUER light; good accommodation for single gentlemen and married couples; with first-class board; terms moderate. 100 Shuter st. 109

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TO LET — TWO NICE, FURNISHED OR unfurnished rooms, 616 St. Antoine st., near Atwater ave., St. Henry. *

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PERSONALS.

PERSONAL — PARTIES GOING TO THE Old Country would do well to engage berths from City Ticket Office, Canadian Pacific Railway, 129 St. James Street. W. F. Egg, Agent. 108*

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SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE

WANTED—Energetic young man, willing to work at anything, wants a living chance. Address H 17, Herald. 111*

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WANTED—By young man, situation; has had five years' blacksmith helping; would like work of any kind. D., 182 St. Antoine st. 111*

WANTED—Intelligent young man, of good appearance and address, desires position as junior reporter on country paper. R. Todd, 134 Farley ave., Toronto. 110*

WANTED—A situation as coachman or a gardener or all round man. Apply 136 Vitre street. tf

SITUATIONS WANTED- FEMALE

WANTED—By a middle-aged woman, work of any kind by the day. Apply to 2945 St. Charles Borromee st. 112*

WANTED—A situation as a general servant, by an elderly person in a small family; is a good plain cook, could help with one or two young children, good references, 64 Mayor street.

WANTED—By experienced pastry cook, situation in hotel or restaurant, in city or country; good references. Box H 19, Herald. 112*

WANTED—Position by an experienced young lady, in the retail boot and shoe business. Apply R., Herald Office.

WANTED—Work by the day, washing, ironing, or house cleaning. Apply 172 St. Urbain st., upstairs. 111*

WANTED—Situation by elderly woman, as housekeeper or general servant in small family; references. No. 2 Bannockburn ave., off Seigneurs st. 111*

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LOST.

LOST — YESTERDAY EVENING, A BLACK cocker spaniel dog, with address, 243 Drummond st., on collar. Anyone finding and returning dog to above address will be rewarded. 112*

LOST—ON VICTORIA ST., OR ON SHUTER st., or on Sherbrooke, between the above streets, a pair of steel-framed eye-glasses. Will finder kindly return same to 112 Shuter st. 109

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS.

Births.

WOODWARK—At Butternut Grove, Ste. Rose Que., May 8, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. T. Woodwark.

WHITE—At 475 Dovercourt Road, Toronto, May 8, the wife of Frederick J. White, of a daughter.

WIGHTMAN—At St. Mary's, Ont., May 6th, the wife of R. Wightman, of a son.

ST. GEORGE—At 168 Gloucester st., wife of Geo. E. St. George, of a daughter.

Deaths.

GORDON — Suddenly, at Franklin Centre, Que., April 24, Merritt Gordon, aged 73 years, 6 months and 25 days.

RIDE—At Hatley, May 3rd, Annie Norton wife of John Ride, aged 24 years, 1 month and 10 days.

HARMAN—At 366 Huron st., Toronto, May 9, Florence Emily Harman, aged 16, beloved daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Harman.

BROUGHTON—At Bradford, Monday morning, after two days' illness, Ellen Jane Walker, beloved wife of H. S. Broughton, postmaster, aged 49 years.

WORLEY—At the residence of her daughter, 132 Curzon st., Eliza Ann Worley, in her 58th year.

ROGERSON—On May 7th, at his late residence, in the Township of Innisfil, County of Simcoe, James Rogerson, in the 68th year of his age.

WELSH—On May 8th, at 533 Lisgar st., Ottawa, Joseph Welsh, aged 40 years.

ENGLAND—At Kingston, May 7th, Willie, second son of Thomas and Eliza England, aged 18 years and 4 months.

GATES—At Kingston, May 7th, of convulsions, Kenny, second son of Joseph and Martha Gates, aged 5 years and 11 months.

McGOWAN — At Kingston, May 8th, Jane French, beloved wife of Tromas McGowan, aged 71 years.

Wanted a Donkey

who doesn't like lady charlotte gelatine.

CARD SHARPERS ARRESTED.

Men who, It Is Alleged, Make a Practice of Playing "Draw" on Ocean Steamships.

New York, May 11.—(Special.)—Many travellers by the ocean liners are wont to relieve the tedium of the nights aboard ship with a little "draw" in the smoking room. The limit is usually "ten bobs." There was the usual "ten-bob" game on every night of the voyage of the White Star liner Teutonic, which got in yesterday from Liverpool and Queenstown. Conspicuous among the players were three voyagers, who appeared to be comparative strangers to one another. They were on the passenger list as Dr. J. Owen, W. R. Torrance and C. R. Brackett. Just after the three came down the gang-plank to the White Star pier last night they were arrested by Headquarters Detectives Reidy and Armstrong.

All that the detectives would say about the arrests was: "The men are card sharps and have been swindling passengers on transatlantic steamships. The story may be given out at Police Headquarters."

The passengers say the three men were always present when a game was in progress, though one never played. They attempted to have the limit raised to $10, but other players objected.

It is said the three prisoners have been travelling on the big ships since the beginning of the season and that their arrest is due to complaints made to the British consul here.

A MURDERESS DEAD.

Body of Mrs. Boutet, Who Poisoned Her Husband in 1886 Shipped to Beauport.

Kingston, Ont., May 11.—(Special.)—The body of Mrs. Felix Boutet, who died in the penitentiary on Sunday, was shipped to Beauport, Que., on Wednesday. She was a life prisoner and had served about fourteen years.

Mrs. Boutet was sentenced to be hanged for the murder of her husband in 1884, but the sentence was afterwards commuted to imprisonment for life.

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Keewatin, 2,250 bbls. per day; Portage la Prairie, 750 bbls. per day. Elevators at all important wheat points in the Northwest. All grades of hard wheat flour in barrels and bags. Quotations and other information can be had on application. Office, Board of Trade Building, Montreal.

Eastern Townships Bank.

ANNUAL MEETING.

Notice is hereby given that the ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the Shareholders of this Bank will be held in their Banking House, in the City of Sherbrooke, on

Wednesday, 7th day of June next.

The chair will be taken at 2 o'clock p.m. By order of the Board,

WM. FARWELL, General Manager.

Sherbrooke, 6th May, 1899.

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Photographer and Engraver, 2264 St. Catherine Street, Will open MARTIN'S Old Studio, Cor. ST. PETER and CRAIG STS., as a Branch, in a few days.

Factory is now practically shut down for the season—the machines being all employed turningout the samples for our New Line for 1899–1900.

We are ready to fill your orders, though—Stock is not large, but the assortment is good. We have a limited quantity of the "active sellers" that we knew would be wanted for replenishing stock for the Summer and early Fall trade.

They won't last long—write quickly for samples.

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Montreal Wall Paper Factory

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Every woman should know that there is a great home medical book that tells all about the reproductive physiology of women, and all about the home-treatment of diseases peculiar to the sex. This book contains 1008 pages and over 700 illustrations. It is called Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser. It used to cost $1.50. Over seven hundred thousand people purchased it at that price and over 1,200,000 people now own copies of it. For a limited time copies will be given away free.

This great book contains the names, addresses, photographs and experiences of hundreds of women who were once hopeless invalids, but who have been restored to robust womanly health by the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. This marvelous medicine acts directly on the delicate organs distinctly feminine. It makes them strong, healthy, vigorous, virile and elastic. It fits for wifehood and motherhood. It banishes the usual suffering of the expectant months, and makes baby's advent easy and almost painless. It robs motherhood of its perils. It insures the robust health of the little new-comer and a bountiful supply of nature's nourishment. It transforms weak, sickly, nervous invalids into healthy, happy wives and mothers. For a paper-covered copy of Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser, send 21 one-cent stamps, *to cover cost of customs and mailing only*, to World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y. For elegant French cloth binding, 50 stamps.

Miss Edith Cain, of Clinton, Allegheny Co., Pa., writes: "After two years of suffering, I began taking Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and am now entirely cured. I had been troubled with female weakness for some time and also with a troublesome drain on the system, but now I am happy and well."

In cases of constipation and torpid liver, no remedy is equal to Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. They regulate and invigorate the stomach, liver and bowels. They never fail. One little "Pellet" is a gentle laxative and two a mild cathartic. They never gripe. An honest dealer will not urge a substitute upon you.

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Nature meant women to be plump, rosy and well developed, and it is the laudable ambition of every woman to strive for this ideal. Thinness denotes disease. It is the thin, bloodless girl that becomes the pale, nervous, faded woman, who suffers from nervousness, headaches, backaches, pains in the sides, sleeplessness, irritability and despondency.

When the nerves are weak, digestion is impaired, the blood becomes thin, watery, and diseased, and woman suffers all the misery caused by the irregularities of her peculiarly feminine organism. You can supply nourishment to both the blood and nerves by using

DR. A. W. CHASE'S NERVE FOOD.

It makes women plump and rosy by revitalizing the wasted nerve cells and putting into the blood the very ingredients required to make it rich and pure.

Pale, weak women, and thin, bloodless girls find themselves steadily gaining in health and strength while using DR. A. W. CHASE'S NERVE FOOD, the greatest spring restorative. 50 cents a box, at all dealers, or by mail, along with a copy of Dr. Chase's new Book, "The Ills of Life and How to Cure Them," on receipt of price by Edmanson Bates & Co., Toronto.

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JOHN MURPHY & CO.

Summary of BARGAINS for Friday and Saturday!

Print Wrappers

We have another big lot of Ladies' Wrappers, all fast colored prints and good styles, To-morrow and Saturday, 59c, sold everywhere at 95c and $1.00.

Ladies' Shirt Waists

This department is a "Bee Hive" every day. It cannot be otherwise, as we show the prettiest and choicest Ladies' Shirt Waists in Montreal, and it is also well known that our prices are the lowest.

Another Big Purchase

Which enables us to place before our customers for FRIDAY and SATURDAY choice lot of Stylish Print Shirt Waists, in all sizes. Price 49c, worth $1.00.

Separate Skirts

Fine Serge, full width, new style. Price only $1.79.

REMEMBER WE ARE HEADQUARTERS FOR ALL KINDS OF READY-TO-WEAR GARMENTS.

Ladies' Cotton Underwear

Everything here at lowest prices. "SPECIAL" for To-morrow and Saturday:

25 doz. Night Dresses, full sizes, tucked and trimmed lace, sold regular 55c. To-morrow and Saturday, 35c.

Muslin Department

Fancy Linen Dress Crash, assorted colors and patterns, worth 25c, for 10c per yard.

Fancy Dress Muslins, assorted colors and designs, worth 17c to 25c, for only 9c per yard.

Linen Department

Bleached Linen Tea Cloths, hem-stitched and fringed, cheap at 45c, choice for 25c each.

Bleached Linen Damask Table Cloths, 3 yds long, cheap at $2.25, choice for $1.49 each.

Dress Goods Dept.

2,000 yards All-Wool Dress Goods, Colored Serges and Nun's Cloth, cheap at 30c, for 15c per yard.

French Henrietta and Debeige, 40c for 25c. BLACK ALL-WOOL DRESS SERGES.

This lot cheap at 33c. For this sale 19c per yard.

Silk Department

300 yards Black and White Striped Silks, assorted stripes, worth 75c. Choice for 50c.

100 yards Fancy Colored Broche Silks, handsome patterns and new colors, worth $1.50 for $1.00.

Extra Fine Black Broche Silks, beautiful patterns, cheap at $2.00 and $2.25. Choice for $1.50 per yard.

Fancy Goods and Notions.

1,000 yards accordion-pleated Chiffon, in black and assorted colors, worth 10c, 15c, 25c, and 35c yard. To clear, 10c for 5c, 15c for 7½c, 25c for 12½c and 35c for 17½c.

75 dozen Ladies' Swiss Embroidered Handkerchiefs, worth 15c each, for 7c each.

GROUND FLOOR.—Men's Furnishings, Gloves, Hosiery, Chiffons, Handkerchiefs, Smallwares, Perfumes, Jewelry, Umbrellas, Toilet Soaps and Powders, Stationery.

FIRST FLOOR.—Muslins, Linens, Dress Goods, Silks.

SECOND FLOOR.—Mantles, Untrimmed Hats, Parasols.

THIRD FLOOR.—Wrappers, Shirt-Waists, Skirts, Cotton Underclothing.

BASEMENT.—Ice Cream Freezers, Garden Tools, Kitchen Requisites.

Undernoted will be found details of the above special offerings for Friday and Saturday.

Special.

50 dozen strong Curling Tongs, worth 4c each. To clear at 1c each.

20 dozen Atomizers, worth 25c, for 10c each.

50 dozen Key Rings, worth 4c and 5c, for 2c each.

200 cards Linen Buttons, extra quality, for 3c card.

100 Needle Cases, all kinds and sizes, slightly damaged, regular price, 50c, for 10c ea.

500 ends Elastic, ¾-yd. in each, assorted colors, worth 10c, for 5c for each end.

20 dozen Black Silk Dress Shields, worth 40c, for 25c pair.

TOILET POWDER SPECIAL.

100 packets Carlton's Toilet Powder, worth 10c, for 7c.

25 packets fine Toilet Powders, worth 7c, for 4c.

TOILET SOAP SPECIALS.

900 boxes Golden Beauty Soap, worth 12½c, for 9c box.

800 boxes John Murphy & Co. Bouquet, 2 boxes for 25c.

100 boxes Colegate & Co. White Wing Soap, worth 25c, for 20c.

15 cases Pure Olive Oil Soap, worth 40c, for 32c.

25 cases Virgin Castile Soap, worth 25c, for 22c doz.

Perfume Department

150 bottles of 40c Florida Water. To-morrow, 19c.

100 12-oz. bottles of Witch Hazel, 25c, for 10c.

200 bottles of Glycerine or Glycerine and Rose Water, 20c, for 10c.

Jewellery Dept.

SPECIAL 25C TABLE TO-MORROW AND SATURDAY.

Containing Rolled Plate Chain, Bracelets, worth 60c each; Cuff Links, worth up to $1.00; Brooches, regular 75c and $1 ones; Blouse Sets, jewelled, 60c ones. YOUR CHOICE, 25C.

Gloves

200 pairs Ladies' White (washing) Doe Skin Gloves, with 4 large pearl buttons. These Gloves are just the thing for walking, wheeling, driving, etc. Worth $1.00, for 68C.

Umbrellas

50 only, Ladies', with beautiful Dresden handles, strong frames, steel rods and durable covers. Sold most places at $1.35, for 95C.

Men's Furnishings

WE ARE DOING A ROUSING SHIRT TRADE.

300 Men's and Boys' White Dressed Shirts, open back, reinforced fronts, hand-made button-holes, etc., the kind of Shirts that sell for $1.00. To-morrow, 65C.

600 Men's Collars, samples and odds and ends of lines, to clear in this way, 25c Collars for 10c, 20c ones for 5C each.

100 Boys' Wool Sweaters, navy or white, worth 60c and 65c. To-morrow, 47C ea.

Hosiery

BUSY, BUSY, BUSY, IN THIS DEPT.

400 pairs of Ladies' Good Quality Black Cashmere Hose, seamless feet, double heels and toes; these are really good Hose, and were bought to sell at a much higher price, 30c, for to-morrow, 18C.

Clinchers on Main Floor

FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY.

8,000 sheets of Music, Vocal and Instrumental, 20c, 30c and 45c, for 1c each.

200 Indian Baskets, nice little ones, worth 5c and 7c, for 1½c each.

50 only, Fancy Photo Frames, formerly 15c, for 3½c each.

1,000 doz. Faber's Lead Pencils, worth 5c ea., for 7½c doz.

30 only, Boys' Caps, to clear, for 1c ea.

3,000 National Buttons, regular 5c each, for 4½c doz.

300 cards of Dress and Coat Buttons, worth 15c and 25c doz., for 1c doz.

700 boxes containing 100 envelopes, worth 35c, for 13½c box.

300 packages of Writing Paper, 4 quires, regular 35c ones, for 17c.

Ladies' Jackets

75 Ladies' Stylish Jackets, in Black and Colors, offered at the following reductions:

Black Jackets, $8.50 for $4.75, $11.50 for $7.50, $15.00 for $10.75, $18.50 for $13.00, $21.00 for $14.75, etc.

Colored Jackets, $4.90 for $2.95, $9.50 for $3.95, $10.50 for $4.95, $11.75 for $5.90, $12.00 for $6.75, etc.

Parasols

Nowhere in Canada can you get such value, and nowhere else can you see such pretty styles. A large assortment of Parasols, at $3.75, $4.00 and $5.00. Choice at only $2.00.

Untrimmed Hats

Black and Assorted Colors. About 25 dozen in the lot. The prices were 60c, 80c, 90c, $1.00 and $1.20. Choice, for only 20c.

BARGAINS IN THE BASEMENT.

ICE CREAM FREE TO ALL ON FRIDAY.

To demonstrate our Lightning Ice Cream Freezers we will make ice cream in 3½ minutes. Patent dasher, drawn steel cans, pails made of best Virginia white cedar, with electric welded wire hoops, which never come off. A book of recipes by Mrs. Rorer given away with every Freezer. Prices are: 1-quart size, $1.75; 2-quart size, $1.95; 3-quart size, $2.35; 4-quart size, $2.70.

1,000 POT CHAINS, worth 6c, 10c and 12c each. Your choice, Friday, 3c each.

50 LADIES' GARDEN SETS, for hand use, 1 rake, 1 fork and 1 trowel, all in box, worth 10c, for 5c each.

GARDEN RAKES—12 teeth, worth 40c, for 25c each.

700 WHITE ENAMEL PUDDING DISHES—1st quality, cheap at 18c. Price for Friday, 10c each.

1,000 STEEL TIPPED HATCHETS—Cheap at 25c. Our price only 13c each.

1,500 GOOD TACK HAMMERS—Worth at least 10c. Our Friday price, 5c each.

IMITATION CUT GLASS BERRY BOWLS—5 patterns to select from, worth 30c. Your choice, 15c.

100 GLASS JUGS, ½-gallon size, cheap at 25c, 2 patterns. Your choice for 15c ea.

LA BELLE REFRIGERATORS—All sizes.
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SCREEN WINDOWS—All sizes.
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DINNER SETS for the country.
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ROUSING SCENE IN THE COMMONS.

Mr. Comstock Introduced—Hon. Mr. Foster Made a Request Which Was Quickly Granted---A Good Days' Work Done.

Ottawa, May 11.—(Special.)—Seldom has any new member of the House received such an enthusiastic welcome on taking his seat as did Mr. William Henry Comstock, the new member for Brockville, yesterday. The Liberals of that town organized an excursion for the occasion, and brought their member up in great state. When the House met the galleries were filled with people to their utmost limit. Ladies were in the majority, and their bright spring costumes gave color to the scene. There was also a full attendance of the members in town.

It was twenty minutes past three when the Postmaster-General and Hon. D. C. Fraser escorted Mr. Comstock into the Chamber. A great cheer went up as the man who won Brockville entered to claim his seat, and even the people in the galleries broke into applause. The cheers lasted for over a minute, and when they ceased Mr. Foster cried "encore." At once the cheers and applause broke out anew, and it was some time before Mr. Mulock could perform his duty of presentation. After it was over Mr. Speaker admonished the crowd in the gallery that they were only there on sufferance, and that no demonstrations whatever were allowed from strangers.

During the afternoon His Excellency Kang Yu Wei and his suite were taken up to the Speaker's gallery by the Premier, who afterwards conducted them through the building. Later in the afternoon the visitors witnessed the taking of a division.

The chief business of the day was a discussion of Mr. Charlton's bill to raise the age of consent to eighteen, which was adopted by a large majority.

Imitation of Postage Stamps.

Mr. McGregor (Essex) asked whether the British American Bank Note Company, formerly contractors for supplying the Government with postage stamps, had during that time reproduced facsimiles of any stamps.

The Postmaster-General replied that the only information which had come within his knowledge of what might be considered a reproduction or fac simile of postage stamps was in connection with a perpetual calendar on which were printed, among others, what very much resembled the one-half and two-cent Canadian stamps, which seemed to have been printed from the 1-2 cent die of 1882 and the 2 cent die of 1868-9.

Representation of Yukon.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier, in reply to Sir Hibbert Tupper, said that it was not the intention of the Government at this session to ask Parliament to provide for the representation of the Yukon Territory in the House of Commons.

Help for Farmers' Sons.

The Minister of the Interior assured Mr. Rosamond (North Lanark) that it was the intention of the Government to give to sons of farmers or others in Ontario who might wish to take up farms in the Northwest, the same privileges and advantages as were given to the Doukhobors and other aliens.

The Premier stated that no claim of any kind had been made upon the Government by the British Yukon Mining, Trading and Transportation Company as damages.

Motions for Papers.

There were fourteen motions passed for papers, none of which elicited any debate. Mr. Pope (Compton) will get documents referring to Mr. A. H. Harris' engagement as traffic manager of the Intercolonial. Mr. Quinn (St. Anne's, Montreal) wants to see the lease of property on Isle Aux Noix, in the River Richelieu, under the control of the Department of Militia. Mr. Monk wishes to have a return of the amounts spent on the new wharf at Pointe Claire, and information as to how far the works have progressed.

The High Commission.

Sir Charles Tupper, on the order of the day, asked if the Premier had any information regarding the statement in that day's papers that the Joint High Commission would not meet in August or at any time.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier—I have not yet heard anything with regard to the report to which my hon. friend refers, and may say, so far as my information goes, that there is no foundation for it.

The Winnipeg Vacancy.

Mr. Wallace asked if the statement in the Montreal Witness that the Winnipeg election was to be held on the old lists was correct.

The Premier replied that the Witness was not as well informed as usual when it published that, because, as every one knew, an officer had been appointed to revise the lists in Winnipeg.

Lobster Fisheries.

Mr. McInerney asked the Minister of Marine what the Government proposed to do in the matter of the lobster regulations.

Sir Louis Davies replied that so far as the proposed regulations were stricter than the old regulations, they would not be enforced this season, but where they enlarged existing rights, the probability was that the enlargement would be granted at once.

Mr. Bergeron questioned the powers of the Government under the inland waters section of the Privy Council.

Sir Louis Davies replied that the Government had executive rights to make regulations, but not to issue licenses.

Mr. Charlton moved the third reading of his bill to raise the age of consent from 16 to 18.

Sir Hibbert Tupper opposed the principle of the bill, and pointed out that it would open the door to blackmail on a large scale.

Mr. Craig seconded the motion for the second reading, because the change was asked for by the women of Canada.

The Solicitor-General remarked that the age of 16 had been fixed in England in 1885 and adopted in Canada in 1892. If any material change were asked in any legislation the case should be carefully considered. People with little or no experience came to the House and asked for a change in the laws, which those who had experience in criminal matters, such as judges and Crown prosecutors, did not consider were needed. The effort to make people moral by act of Parliament might be overdone. Legislation should have a character of permanence, too, and this was more important and desirable than to have these spasmodic attempts to give people the impression that in this country we require to be hedged around by acts of Parliament.

Mr. Charlton was allowed, by unanimous consent, to speak in reply, and urged the adoption of his bill. He could see no reason why the age should not be extended two years.

The Solicitor-General—May I ask my hon. friend if he has in his mind a single case that the law has failed to meet.

Mr. Charlton—I have not in my mind a single case that the law has failed to reach as far as it goes, but there are cases which the law does not cover.

Lieut.-Col. Tisdale (South Norfolk) declared that it was a serious proposition to make a crime what was not a crime now. He considered such a law as this would be a slur on Canadian women, placing them in the position of not being able to take care of themselves before an age which was quite satisfactory to the women of England.

Mr. D. C. Fraser supported the bill, as did also Mr. J. H. Bell (West Prince.)

At 5.30 a division was taken, resulting in the adoption of the bill by a vote of 68 to 29. The division was as follows:

Ayes—Bain, (Beith, Bell (Prince), Bethune, Blanchard, Bostock, Britton, Burnett, Campbell, Cargill, Casey, Charlton, Christie, Clancey, Clarke, Cochrane, Copp, Craig, Dechene, Desmarais, Douglass, Dyment, Earle, Ellis, Ferguson, Fielding, Fraser (Guysboro), Frost, Gibson, Godbout, Graham, Guillet, Hale, Henderson, Heyd, Holmes, Hurley, Joly, Kaulback, Kloepfer, Laurier, Lewis, MacDonald (Huron), MaDonell (Selkirk), McLaren, McClure, McGregor, McGugan, McHugh, McInnes, McMillan, McMullen, Martin, Maxwell, Moore, Morin, Oliver, Pettet, Richardson, Robertson, Rogers, Rosamond, Snetsinger, Somerville, Sproule, Tolmie, Tyrwhitt, Wallace—68.

Nays—Angers, Bazinet, Beausoleil, Bell (Picton), Bergeron, Bernier, Blair, Bourassa, Carroll, Champagne, Davies, Ethier, Fitzpatrick, Haggart, Ives, Lariviere, Laverne, Logan, Macdonald (Kings), Mackie, McCarthy, McDougall, McIsaac, McLennan (Inverness), McNeill, Prior, Savard, Tisdale, C. H. Tupper—29.

Drainage Across Railways.

The Minister of Railways moved that Mr. Casey's bill respecting drainage on and across railway lines be referred to a special committee consisting of Messrs. Casey, Haggart, Tisdale, Russell and Bourassa.

Dr. Sproule raised the point of order that Messrs. Haggart and Tisdale were disqualified by reason of having expressed their opposition to the principle of the bill, and the Deputy Speaker upheld his contention.

In the evening Mr. Casey resumed the discussion on his bill, quoting from Hansard in support of his contention that Messrs. Haggart and Tisdale were disqualified from sitting on the committee. He would not have raised the point of order himself, but since the point had been raised he thought it well to let the House know where the two gentlemen stood.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier thought that though technically a member who had expressed his opinion against a bill was debarred from sitting on the committee which considered it, in fairness he should be allowed to do so. He suggested to the promoter of the bill that it would be better to send the bill to the General Railway Committee.

Deputy Speaker Brodeur ruled that both the member for South Norfolk and the member for South Lanark had declared against the principle of the bill, and he did not consider that they could serve on this committee.

Mr. McMillan and Mr. Campbell spoke strongly in favor of the bill, which, with some amendments, would meet the wishes of the House and the people and be an excellent bill. They commended the bill to the Government as one of the most important before the House.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier moved the adjournment of the debate, and the bill now stands over until next Thursday.

Columbia and Western Railway.

The hour devoted to private bills in the evening was taken up on the third reading of the Columbia and Western Railway bill, which allows the C.P.R., the owners of the road, to bond it for $35,000 a mile of the main line and of all branches which may hereafter be built.

Mr. Oliver (Alberta) moved in amendment to the motion for third reading that the bill be referred back to the Railway Committee for further consideration. In this he was supported by Messrs. J. Ross Robertson (East Toronto), McCarthy (North Simcoe), Sproule (East Grey), Bostock (Yale and Cariboo), and Richardson (Lisgar). Lt.-Col. Tisdale supported the bill as it stood.

A division was called for on the amendment, resulting in its defeat by 14 votes to 61. The members who voted for the amendment were Messrs. Bostock, Burnett, Casey, Christie, Clarke, Douglas, Fitzpatrick, McCarthy, McMillan, Oliver, Richardson, Robertson, Rogers and Wood.

The House rose at 10.05 p.m.

Kipling Regaining Strength.

Lakewood, N.J., May 10.—Rudyard Kipling and his party left here yesterday for Morristown. Kipling walks briskly, and has gained fifteen pounds during his three weeks' stay among the pines.

Unequalled.—Mr. Thos. Brunt, Tyendinaga, Ont., writes: "I have to thank you for recommending DR. THOMAS' ECLECTRIC OIL for bleeding piles. I was troubled with them for nearly fifteen years, and tried almost evrything I could hear or think of. Some of them would give me temporary relief, but none would effect a cure. I have now been free from the distressing complaint for nearly eighteen months. I hope you will continue to recommend it."

CORNWALL PARAGRAPHS.

Preparations For a Visit to the Hogansburg Prize Fights.

An Aged Winchester Resident is Dead—Many Personal References.

Cornwall, Ont., May 10.—(Special.)—S. J. Rayside and Miss Mary and Janet Rayside, of Lancaster, are in town today.

Rev. Father Corbett was in Montreal for a few days this week.

Much sympathy is expressed for Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bonnibear, Augusta street, whose eight-year-old son, John T., died yesterday. He will be buried to-morrow at Woodlawn Cemetery.

Mrs. Jas. Stilmser died to-day after an illness of only a few days. Her maiden name was Catherine Sheets, and she was 54 years of age.

Miss Lillie Fournier, of Kingston, is visiting Cornwall friends.

Chief of Police Cameron received word from Mr. Hurley, of Buffalo, N.Y., asking if either of the men who were killed in the accident at the G.T.R. here some time ago answered the description of his 23-year-old son, who has been missing for several months. The chief, in reply, said that the men who were killed were both on the shady side of middle life, and did not answer the description.

Q. Brady and Miss McDonald, of Lancaster, were in town on Monday.

Jos. Derochie, who has been spending a few months in Colorado, and latterly in Southern California, has started for home.

G. H. Weagent has returned home from Denver, Col.

It is expected that quite a number from Cornwall will go to Hogensburg on Monday evening, May 12th, to attend the sparring exhibition which will take place there. Among the contestants will be Chas. Martin, of Montreal, vs. Jas. Kenny, of Cornwall; Jas. May vs. Michael Caul, both of Cornwall, and the bout of the night will be between Jas. Dwyer, the Montreal lightweight, and Jas. Dowling, of Hogensburg.

Thomas Garry was called to Coburg on Monday night by the death of his only sister, which took place after an illness of only a few days.

Several of the local societies are getfrom Cornwall will go to Hogansburg ting a tug of war team in shape for the contest for the beautiful trophy offered by the Cornwall Lacrosse Club at the Queen's Birthday celebration.

Geo. Irving, one of the most highly respected residents of Winchester Township, died on May 1st after a very short illness. He was born in Dumfrieshire, Scotland, Feb. 17th, 1836, and came to Canada with his parents two years later, settling first in Glengarry County, and removed to Winchester in 1851, and was six years afterward married to Mary Christy. The remains were interred at Maple Ridge Cemetery.

Mrs. J. G. Harkness, of Cornwall, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Feader, Iroquois.

Leslie Baker has removed his family from Cornwall to Iroquois, where he is employed by the Shernan carriage factory.

Alfred Berry and Miss Evangeline Carrier, daughter of J. B. Carrier, proprietor of the Russell House, Crysler, were married last week by Rev. Father McDonald at St. Mary's Church.

A petition is in circulation for a sewerage system in the village of South Finch.

Winding-up Order.

Mr. Justice Mathieu has granted a winding up order for the DeWitt Langlois Milling Company, at the instance of Mr. Frederic Lapointe, furniture dealer, who has been appointed provisional liquidator. A meeting of parties interested has been called for May 19.

A demand of assignment has been made upon A. P. McLaurin & Co., lumber merchants of Lachine, by Harris Wener. The demand is being registered by Messrs. Cross & Barnard on behalf of the defendants.

NEW MERCHANTS BANK.

The Present Structure to Be Re-constructed and Four Storeys Added to It.

The ex-construction of the Merchants Bank of Canada is about to be commenced under the architectural direction of Mr. Edward Maxwell. While the work is in progress the officials will take up quarters in the Banque du Peuple building, which has been leased for the purpose for the period of a year. The result of the reconstruction for which tenders are to be invited within the next few weeks will be the transformation of the structure into one of the finestbuildings in Montreal. From the plans it appears that thepresent roof is to be removed and four storeys added to thebuilding, raising it very nearly to the height of the Canada Life Building on the opposite corner of the street. The quality of the stone will be the same as in the existing building, and uniformity of structure will, as far as possoble, be preserved. The present long hallway will disappear, and instead of a banking room measuring 44 feet by 54 there will be one of 72 feet by 54, and the space available for the public will be 54 feet by 20. It is the desire of Mr. Thomas Fyshe that the new banking room shall not only be the best in Canada but the best on the American continent; and this desire it is Mr. Maxwell's intention to gratify to the fullest extent. There will be new stairways, new elevators, new and richly upholstered and embellished board room and management offices. The bank wil loccupy the basement and ground floor and the first floor above, while the remainder of the building will be divided into upwards of 100 offices which will be rented to whoever may require them.

Seizure of a Piano.

In the case of Dame J. S. Walker vs. Henderson and Henderson et al. opposants, Judge Pagnuelo yesterday maintained the opposition filed to the seizure of a piano and piano stool seized from defendant. The opposition was based upon the ground that the opposants' late mother, wife of defendant, was separated from him as to property, and had purchased the piano with her own money. No costs were allowed opposants, however.

A Good Investment.

No one remaining in town during the warm summer months should be without a book of family tickets issued by the Montreal Park and Island Railway. There are fifty tickets in a book and are good on any line of the Park and Island. Three dollars and fifty cents is the sum asked for these books, and which are good until October next. Family tickets are good for the transportation of any one accompanying the bearer of the tickets.

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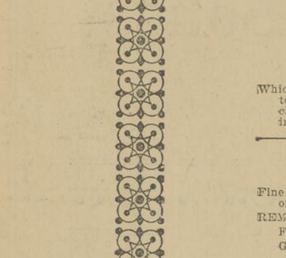

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THE INTERCOLONIAL MAKING MONEY.

It is seldom indeed that a business policy involving large expenditure and the need of radical changes and improvements is so quickly justified by results as has been Mr. Blair's reorganization of the Intercolonial Railway. It is less than two years since the proposal to take over the Drummond County road and extend the Intercolonial to Montreal was laid before Parliament, and only a little more than a year since that extension was actually effected. But already, according to Mr. Blair's statements to the House on Tuesday, the road has passed out of its old-time status as a maker of deficits, and has actually begun to make money for the Government. Mr. Blair informed the House that for the eight months between July and March 1 last the road had not only paid its own way, but had come out ahead by $36,409, and that by the first of July the surplus would be larger than the combined surpluses of the whole history of the road. If that is not justification of the Government's policy in taking over the Drummond County line and obtaining an entrance to Montreal over the Grand Trunk, it would be interesting to have Sir Charles Tupper, or some of his colleagues, inform the country what would constitute a justification. Sir Charles tells Mr. Blair he is guilty of a monstrous folly in venturing to compete against the Canadian Pacific, but the very least that might be said in reply, on behalf of the country, is that it is better for Mr. Blair to dare to run the Intercolonial at a profit than for the Conservatives to have assisted in the diversion of traffic from the line. Sir Charles may marvel at Mr. Blair's rashness, but not more, we believe, than most plain business men will marvel at the course taken by the late Government in tying the hands of the officials of the I.C.R. to give an advantage to the road's competitor.

When Mr. Blair became Minister of Railways and set out upon the task of making the Intercolonial pay, he found the officials were not masters of the most productive part of their own line, the 350 miles from St. John to Halifax. The Canadian Pacific had obtained an agreement governing that valuable section a few years before, despite the protests of the Deputy Minister, the general manager and the chief engineer. He found the officials of the road prohibited from soliciting business in their own territory, leaving that privilege to the Canadian Pacific officials. The agreement containing these and other provisions, which subverted the interests of the Intercolonial and of the country, was to run for seven years and could only be terminated then on a year's notice. Mr. Blair, upon taking office, lost no time in giving the notice. It is not at all to be wondered at that under the late Government's management the Intercolonial should have been a perennial money loser. It could not well have been otherwise. At the same time the utmost credit is due to the Minister of Railways, whose sagacity has been the means of giving the Canadian public the gratifying surprise contained in the news that the Intercolonial is at last making money, and likely, under present conditions, to continue to do so.

Sir Charles Tupper and Mr. Clarke Wallace yesterday began to obstruct the business of the House as a protest against the inability of the Minister of Railways to bring down partial accounts showing the proportion borne by the earnings of the Drummond County line to the earnings of the whole system. Mr. Blair in vain answered that as the Drummond County is a part of the whole line, there is no separate account kept of the earnings derived from that any more than from any other section of rails. The fact is, however, that even if there were no local earnings whatever the wisdom of the Government's action would not necessarily be prejudiced, for the principal motive of that action was to bring the Intercolonial to Montreal. For example, the Canadian Pacific road from Sudbury to Port Arthur passes for many hundreds of miles through country that is utterly unproductive, and yet if it were not for that section the eastern winter terminus of the Canadian Pacific would be at Port Arthur, a state of things only a little more absurd than was the termination of the Intercolonial at Levis. The local earnings derived between any two points on a railway do not, therefore, necessarily constitute a fair test of the utility of that section of the road, and there is no good reason why the management should go to the expense of needlessly subdividing the accounts in the way Sir Charles Tupper suggests. But if such a statement could be made out The Herald believes, and has reason for believing, that the earnings of what was the Drummond County Railway have just about doubled since the road became a part of the Intercolonial System, so that Mr. Blair would be amply justified if the information asked for could be officially brought down. Altogether Mr. Blair's statement of the affairs of the Intercolonial is about as effective a vindication of the policy of the Laurier Administration as could be desired by its warmest admirers, and the presentation more than ever justifies the confidence of the public in the capacity of the Minister of Railways and the Government of which he is a member.

IMPERIAL GOVERNMENT WILL RECONSIDER.

The news that the Imperial Government have, in consequence of the representations made to them on behalf of Canada and other parts of the Empire, decided to reconsider the question of contributing a share towards the construction of the Pacific cable, shows that Sir Sandford Fleming was right in his belief that the Imperial Government had not said its last word on the question, even although it was the eleventh hour. The fact that the subject will be again opened up at Whitehall is considerably more than half the battle. We may now look forward with hope and confidence to the result of these further deliberations on the part of Her Majesty's ministers. The probabilities on the side of a state-constructed cable owned by the Governments of Great Britain, Canada and Australia will be stronger than they have been at any time since the question received its set-back at the Diamond Jubilee conferences. The Eastern Extension Company, with their American allies, will very likely be taught the lesson that there are limits even to the richest and most powerful monopoly, and that patriotism is a stronger potential force than wealth.

A curious light is thrown upon the effects of cable monopoly by the experience of India; and as it is transmitted through the medium of Lord Curzon, the Governor-General of India, it cannot be doubted that it has penetrated the Colonial Office. It certainly comes at an opportune moment, in view of the critical stage reached in the Pacific cable negotiations. The cable to India is owned by the Eastern Company, which is really the Eastern Extension Company that has played such a sinister part in the history of the Pacific project, under another name. Lord Curzon, in the recent debate on the Indian budget, described the tariff for telegrams from India to Great Britain as "inimical to trade, a barrier to the ever-growing intercourse between India and the Mother Country, and obsolete and anomalous in itself." Strong facts are required to justify such words from an Indian viceroy, and strong facts have been forwarded to England in justification of them. It is shown that not only is the charge in excess of the reasonable price of the service rendered to the Indian public, but that it is out of all proportion greater than the corresponding service rendered through India to Australia. It is no exaggeration to say that the cable charges have proved prohibitive to extended telegraphic communication and ruinous to Indo-European trade. The Madras Chamber of Commerce, in a letter to the Government of India, summarizes the facts in this way: It states the charge for telegraphing between England and India at 4s a word, and the charge for double the distance between England and South Australia, via India, at 4s 9d a word. That is to say, a telegram is charged 4s a word for the first or lesser half of the distance—i.e., to India—and only 9d for the second or greater half of the distance on from India to Australia. This statement is subject to certain modifications according to the route and destination of the telegram in Australia, but it fairly represents the position and amply justifies Lord Curzon's application of the term anomalous to the existing tariff. The effect of that tariff in the use of the telegraph is highly instructive. In 1891 the charge per word from Australia to the United Kingdom was reduced from 9s 4d to 4s, or less than one-half, although afterwards slightly raised to, say, 4s 9d. During the next seven years an enormous development took place in the "Trans-Indian" telegrams, by which is meant the messages from the United Kingdom through India to Australasia. The number of transmitted words, which amounted to under 2 1-4 millions in 1891-92, rose to just under four millions in 1897-98. The disproportionate Indian charge for half the distance precluded, on the other hand, any material development in telegraphic communication between India and England. The number of words has during the same seven years remained almost stationary at under 2 1-2 millions in 1891-92 and just over 2 1-2 millions in 1897-98.

A clearer case of the natural course of development being arrested by excessive charges was surely never presented. While the general use of the telegraph in India increased from 3 3-4 million paid messages in 1891-92 to five million in 1896-97, the number of words from India to the United Kingdom has almost stood still. The explanation is, as the Madras Chamber of Commerce points out, that the high rate between India and England compelled Indian merchants to resort to code messages to an extent inconvenient and often unsatisfactory to themselves. "The condensation of messages" under the pressure of an excessive tariff has been carried to such perfection by banks and mercantile firms in India that, unless under the impulse of some special and usually fleeting activity in trade, "no great expansion of traffic is likely to ensue." In short, the Indian mercantile community has fought by its telegraph codes the high rates to England against which it protests in vain. A disheartening feature of the case, and it certainly justified the plain speaking of the Viceroy, is that all this has been long realized, but the efforts made to escape from the situation proved vain so long as Sir John Pender was alive. The present rate, which has been practically in force for the past fifteen years or more, was perceived to be obsolete as clearly by Lord Lansdowne and Lord Elgin as by Lord Curzon. In 1893 the Government of India declared that "the reduction of the tariff to India is a measure of Imperial importance." In 1896 it instructed its delegates to the International Telegraph Conference at Budapest to urge a reduction, and in 1897 it expressed "its great regret that some reduction had not been secured." At that conference, as at many another, the advocates of progress found vested interests too strong for them. They reported that their efforts had failed because the Eastern Company declared that it could not consent to any abatement unless the Government of India would guarantee it against possible loss. The Secretary of State for India had already intimated that he was not prepared to press such a guarantee on the Indian Government, and in spite of a running fire of protests from the Indian Government, the grievance has remained unredressed. One of the strongest arguments in favor of the construction of the Pacific cable is that it will break up the monopoly of the Eastern and Eastern Extension Companies and reduce the cable rates to the Far East. It is interesting to observe what effect the reduction of cable rates has had upon the revenues derived from business. When the tariff to Australia was cut down to one-half in 1891, the Colonial Governments gave a guarantee that they would share the loss to the company. During the first year of the new scale the loss amounted to £55,000, but it fell down to £12,000 in the third year, and in the fourth year it disappeared altogether. Since then the loss has been turned into profit from the impulse given to the use of telegraphic communication by the low rate. The Indian mercantile experts believe that a similar reduction in the tariff would lead to similar results there. During the past seven years the total net value of the Australian telegrams via India rose from £231,427 to £512,017, while the value of messages between India and the West practically stood still. The result was attained, not by any timid curtailment of a sixpence or a shilling a word, but by a bold reduction of 50 per cent. The Madras Chamber of Commerce urges an equally vigorous course on the Indian Government, and maintains that telegrams between Great Britain and India could be carried at a profit for 2s instead of 4s a word. It may be that the construction of the Pacific cable will induce the Eastern Company to reconsider its policy of non-progressive resistance in India; certainly the Indian episode is an excellent argument in favor of breaking the powers of the Pender monopoly, and that can best be done by a British state-owned cable.

THE GERRYMANDER EVIL.

No one will argue, great as was the provocation given by the Conservatives in their redistribution acts, that it is sufficient warrant for, or that anything could warrant, the Liberals in repaying in kind the treatment then meted out to them. But it must be admitted, human nature being as it is, that if the Liberals do not now take advantage of their opponents, they will be entitled to some credit for adhering to sound principles. Sir Richard Cartwright accurately defined the responsibility of the party in power and the necessity for moderation when the gerrymander of 1882 was under discussion. "Every man who has paid the slightest attention to our system of representation," he said, "especially when it is carried out under the very perfect municipal system we possess, knows that where the constituencies are, as in Ontario, closely divided, the difference not exceeding 100 or 200 voters between the two sides in politics, it is always possible for an unscrupulous man to so gerrymander the constituencies that one-third of the voters may be able to return, under cover of the law, two-thirds of the representatives. Up to the present, not only in Great Britain, but in every British colony, the trust of the people has been that their representatives will be too honorable and high-minded to avail themselves of this blot on the constitution, or to attempt, by such unjust and unfair means, to prevent the will of the people from being expressed on the floor of Parliament."

The English people, Sir. Richard added, depended on a sense of justice among the legislators, reinforced by the weight of public opinion, to keep any party from wanton abuses of power for their own benefit. And it is worthy of remark, as indicating the high state of political development in the Old Country, that notwithstanding the violence of the controversies that have been maintained between the parties since the reform of Parliament in 1832, both parties in the House of Commons have studiously kept faith, in this vital matter, with the people whom they represented.

Mr. Blake urged the same considerations with his wonted force. "The operation in which we are engaged," he said, "requires the exhibition on our part of some of the great tests which exist for the capacity of a people for self-government under our system. It requires, in the minds of those who are to exercise this power, a sense of moderation, of justice, of fair-play. There is no right on the part of the majority, outside or inside of Parliament, to pass laws designed to oppress a minority, or to pass laws designed to do injustice."

Without doubt these principles were not new to Sir John Macdonald, nor was he ignorant of the high obligation resting upon the party in power to be just in the treatment meted out to its opponents in this as well as other particulars. That he took a course, the very opposite, was in all probability due to the tremendous pressure brought to bear upon him by supporters fearful of losing their seats, added to his innate tendency to use power ruthlessly where he could see his way to political advantage at the end of it. These considerations explain, while they do not mitigate, the great crime which was committed in 1882 against British parliamentary usage. But whatever may have been his excuse, the wrong was perpetrated, and the permanency of parliamentary institutions was to some extent threatened by a resort to one of the most unscrupulous and discreditable campaign tricks ever practised in the United States. The late Mr. Dalton McCarthy, who was a party to the measure, as were so many other thick-and-thin supporters of the old chieftain, afterwards apologized for the offence into which his party loyalty had carried him, just as Sir John Thompson, on another occasion, condemned that other piece of political assassination, the friendless Dominion Franchise Act. But the Conservatives, long as they were in power, never had the courage or the grace to repeal the Franchise Act or to undo the mischief caused by the gerrymander of 1882. It has been left to the Liberals to effect these and many other reforms, to set right these and other wrongs. The last session saw the end of the Franchise Bill. This session, let us hope, will see the final suppression of the gerrymander as a political weapon in Canada.

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SHIPPING NEWS.

Arrivals and Departures of Ocean Liners at Montreal and Other Ports—Vessel Reports.

Steamship Arrivals.

Trave, Southampton, from New York, May 10.
St. Louis, Southampton, from New York, May 10.
Maesoe, Queenstown, from New York, May 10.
Waesland, Queenstown, from Philadelphia, May 10.
Marquette, New York, from London, May 10.
Teutonic, New York, from Liverpool, May 10.
Lahn, New York, from Bremen, May 10.
Spaerndam, Boulogne, from New York, May 10.

At This Port.

Arrived—May 10.
Steamship Netherholme, Wilson, Rotterdam, McLean, Kennedy & Co., general.
Steamship Malin Head, McKee, Dublin, McLean, Kennedy & Co., general.
Steamship Oceana, Turner, Hamburg, McLean, Kennedy & Co., sugar.
Cleared—May 10.
Steamship Sedgemore, Waite, Liverpool, W. Johnston & Co., general.
Steamship Devona, Tait, London, R. Reford & Co., general.
Steamship Kastalia, Webb, Glasgow, R. Reford & Co., general.
Steamship Fremona, Murray, Newcastle, R. Reford & Co., general.
Steamship Turret Bell, Blenkarn, Sydney, Kingman & Co., light.

Montreal Sailing Dates.

Sarmatian, Allans, Glasgow, May 9.
Mayflower, Furness, Antwerp, May 10.
Kastalia, Donaldson, Glasgow, May 10.
Devona, Thomson, London, May 10.
St. Marnock, Thomson, Leith, May 13.
Lord Charlemont, Lord, Cardiff, May 10.
Montfort, Dominion, Bristol, May 11.
Sedgemore, Johnston, Liverpool, May 11.
Canadia, Thomson, London, May 12.
Fremona, Thomson, Newcastle, May 11.

New York Sailing Dates.

King Wilhelm der Grosse, for Bremen, May 9.
Aurania, for Liverpool, May 9.
Paris, for Southampton, May 10.
Britannic, for Liverpool, May 10.
Friesland, for Antwerp, May 10.
Marquette, for London, May 13.
Champagne, for Havre, May 13.
Etruria, for Liverpool, May 13.
Furnessia, for Glasgow, May 13.
Amsterdam, for Rotterdam, May 13.
Pretoria, for Hamburg, May 16.
Lahn, for Bremen, May 16.
Tartar Prince, for Naples, Genoa, May, 16.
Tartar Prince, for Azores, May 16.
Brasilica, for Hamburg, May 16.
Teutonic, for Liverpool, May 17.
St. Paul, for Southampton, May 17.
Southwark, for Antwerp, May 17.
Barbarossa, for Bremen, May 18.
Mesaba, for London, May 20.
Scale, for Genoa, May 20.
Campania, for Liverpool, May 20.
Bretagne, for Havre, May 20.
Patria, for Hamburg, May 20.
Statendam, for Rotterdam, May 20.
King Friedrich, for Bremen, May 23.
St. Louis, for Southampton, May 24.
Cymric, for Liverpool, May 24.

Port of Quebec.

Quebec, May 10.—The steamship Campana left at 3.30 a.m. for Montreal and the steamship Beeswing at 6.15 a.m. for Sorel.

The Dominion Government cruiser Constance, Capt. May, arrived at 7 a.m. from the Gulf. On this trip the Constance captured and brought to Rimouski the schooner Marie Adele, Capt. Parent, which was held for false clearance last fall. The required amount was deposited, and the vessel allowd to go awaiting further investigation.

The steamer Hatasu, consigned to Carbray & Routh, and reported yesterday from Father Point, has gone to Chicoutimi to take a cargo of pulp wood.

The Elder-Dempster steamship Montenegro sailed at 4 a.m., after completing her cargo of deals.

The Lord Charlemont sailed at p.m.

The steamship Bonavista passed down from Montreal at noon.

The steamship Start left Dobell's booms, Sillery, at 5 p.m. for Three Rivers, where she will complete cargo.

The Helen Rickmers from Hamburg for Montreal, passed up at 7 p.m.

Notes.

The Allan line steamer Corean, from Philadelphia for Glasgow, arrived out Wednesday afternoon.

The Allan line steamer Mary Parke sailed from London for the St. Lawrence on Wednesday afternoon.

The Allan line steamer Rosarian, from London, passed Cape Rosier inwards at 3.30 p.m. on Wednesday.

The Donaldson line steamship Tritonia, from Glasgow for Montreal, on the 29th ult., passed Fame Point on the 10th inst.

The steamship Campana, arrived from Pictou at 6 o'clock last night, and will leave again this evening with a general cargo for gulf ports.

The steamship Nether Holme, from Rotterdam, with 50,000 packages of gin, arrived in port yesterday. The cargo is consigned to John Hope & Co.

The Virginian, the first of the Leyland line boats to arrive this season, came into port on Tuesday, with 16,000 bags of sugar and a general cargo.

The vessel A. B. Cook was the first vessel to pass through the new lock opened at Iroquois on May 6. Navigation is expected to be in full swing by to-morrow.

The Thomson line steamship Bellona, from Mediterranean ports, on the 22nd, ult., with a cargo of fruit and wines, for Montreal, passed Father Point inwards on the 10th inst.

The Leyland line steamer Almerian sailed for Montreal on Thursday, May 11th, from Liverpool.

The Leyland line steamer Georgian passed Father Point at 4.45 p.m. on Thursday, the 11th May, from Liverpool.

A Floating Sawmill.

There arrived last evening in port from Vercheres a floating saw-mill, which is the first ever seen in this port. It was built during the past winter at Vercheres by Mr. J. H. Dansereau, who is the owner of the strange craft. Mr. Dansereau will equip the vessel with machinery in Montreal, which will cost about $6,000. Afterward the mill will be taken to Grenville, where it will be utilized in the lumber business.

Will be Convoyed.

When the former Gloucester fishing schooner Frederick Gerring, Jr., leaves Halifax Friday next for her lightship station off Miramichi river, she will be accompanied by the Canadian cruiser Curlew. The Curlew will tow the Gerring to the north coast of New Brunswick and will act as a convoy in case trouble should occur. The Canadian authorities apparently believe that there is a possibility that the former owners of the condemned vessel might be disposed to make an attempt to seize her when she leaves port, and to guard against this the Curlew was ordered to accompany the craft.

A Workman Badly Hurt.

Cascades Point, Que, May 11.—(Special.)—John Stevens was badly hurt yesterday by being thrown off a wall onto a pile of stones It is not likely he will recover.

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THE ANNUAL MEETING of the Corporation of the Montreal General Hospital,
for receiving the annual report and for the election of "Elected Governors," will be held on TUESDAY, the 16th of May, 1899, at 3.30 p.m., in the Governor's Hall of the Institution.
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An Indian Disappears.

Frank Beauvais, of Caughnawaga, disappeared from his home last Saturday and has not been seen since. Beauvais was married and about twenty-eight years of age. When last seen, it is said, he was walking towards the C.P.R. bridge on the Lachine side. Beauvais wore black trousers and a blue shirt. He is 5 feet 6 inches, and weighs about 140 pounds. The figure of a woman was tattooed on his right arm.

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THE DEAF HEAR, AND DUMB SPEAK.

The Examination of Inmates at the Mackay Institution Yesterday—Wonderful Display of Proficiency in Speaking by the Deaf and Dumb.

The annual examinations of the Mackay Institute for Protestant Deaf, Dumb and Blind took place yesterday when the inmates of the institution to the number of about sixty displayed their proficiency before the examiners—Rev. Principal Hackett, of the Diocesan Theological College; Rev. Dr. A. B. Mackay, and Rev. Dr. T G. Williams. These examinations were not of the character usually understood by the term. They were rather demonstrations of the attainments of the pupils than tests of proficiency, and there are no classifications for awards. But they were none the less interesting on that account.

Principal Hackett, who was just on the point of leaving for Beaconsfield, where he will take charge of the church during the summer vacation, gave a graphic description of the acquirements of the pupils to a Herald representative to-day.

"It is certainly a wonderful thing," said he, "to see dumb speak, the deaf hear, and the blind see. Some of the developments were perfectly new to me, although I have been present at similar displays in Ireland. I certainly was surprised to see that such a stage of development had been reached."

"These children are, some of them, deaf and dumb. Some of them became deaf from scarlatina and other maladies and diseases, and some of them—three, I believe—are blind. Some are idiotic or feeble in mind from the fact that their intellects have never been developed, and the results of the training they receive are astonishing. They are taught by a process known as "Melville Bell's visible speech." They brought out a boy who had been born deaf and dumb, who never heard a word in his life, and Mrs. Ashcroft, the lady superintendent, wrote certain characters upon the blackboard, and the boy looked at them and pronounced the words they represented, and did so in every case perfectly distinctly.

"Remember he was dumb as well as deaf and I will explain presently how he spoke. I gave out some difficult words. The first word I gave out was in Arabic. I cannot spell it to you in English, for the simple reason that we have no exact English equivalent for the Arabic letters; but he reproduced the sound perfectly. We gave him some other words, amongst them being irreproachable; and the boy looked at a strange character—a sort of hieroglyphic written on the board by Miss Ashcroft and reproduced it. The figure drawn on the board represents a character which the boy is taught by the use of his tongue and his teeth to represent or reproduce. By the mechanical use of these organs the pupils are taught by careful training to do this.

"This struck me as the most wonderful thing I saw there. Of course, the children were in different stages of development—some mastering the elements, some advanced to a high standard. One finished pupil gave a recitation from Tennyson, "Break, break, on thy cold grey stones, oh sea." She did not recite this in audible language, but she went through the motions with her face and hands, so that the deaf and dumb people could easily understand.

"There was a delightful kindergarten class and I was greatly interested in the carpentry work. The institution does its own furniture making, its own shoemaking and its own printing. The aim is to teach these children, who are so severely handicapped by nature, to become useful citizens."

Principal Hackett will present a report on the examination.

Messrs. S. H. Mills and J. L. Mackay, of Montreal, are at the Rossin House, Toronto.

Mr. R. G. Angus, one of the best ad. writers on the continent, and who for several months past has been doing the ad. writing for a large dry goods house in New Haven, has been engaged by the Abbey Salt Company to write their ads. for both Canada and the States. Mr. Chas. Allen, who has been the advertising manager of the company, will hereafter be located in New York, in the interests of the company. A strong company has been organized to push the Salt in the States.

COACHMEN MEET.

The New Association Holds Its Half Yearly Gathering Last Night—The Objects of the Organization

The first half-yearly meeting of the newly-formed Coachmen's Association was held last night at the rooms of the association, in the Veterinary College building, Union avenue. This organization, whose history dates from Christmas last, has been established for the purpose of elevating the standard of coachmen employed in the city and its environs. In pursuance of this object a reading room has been established at which the members can obtain instruction and recreation, and meetings have been held fortnightly for mutual intercourse and the transaction of business. Another purpose for which the association has been formed is to assist bona fide and reliable coachmen to obtain situations. These various objects have thus far been admirably filled. The reading room has been well furnished with periodicals, papers and magazines by gentlemen and lady donors, and situations have been found for desirable persons who could be safely recommended to employers. The honorary presidents are Dr. Chas. McEachran and Dr. Baker, and the organization has the warm support of the veterinary association.

The chair was occupied at last night's meeting by Mr. Maxwell, and between forty and fifty members were present. The by-laws which have been framed by the secretary (Mr. Roberts) and the committee were approved, and it was reported that contributions had been received to the amount of upwards of $100. The financial standing of the association was regarded as satisfactory, and satisfaction was expressed with the manner in which the association had taken root. It was decided that the ordinary meetings during the summer months of June, July and August should take place once a month instead of once a fortnight.

DISGRACED—HE SUICIDED.

Remarkable Manner in Which Dr Laforest Died.

Talked With His Wife as He Slowly Became Asphyxiated.

Paris, May 10.—The suicide at Choisy-le-Roi, six miles south of Paris, of Dr. Laforest, a prominent and wealthy physician, has caused a sensation. Dr. Laforest was accused of disgraceful conduct, and his arrest was impending. He discussed the position with his wife, and they concluded that, whether he was acquitted or convicted, he was ruined.

The doctor then resolved to kill himself. He made his will, bade farewell to his wife, shut himself in his bedroom, papered the cracks of the door and windows, and then turned on the gas. For two hours he conversed with his wife through the closed door, and then his voice gradually became feebler and feebler until it could not be heard.

Mme. Laforest then informed the police, who, upon entering the room, found Dr. Laforest dead.

MINING EXCHANGE.

Over 17,000 Shares Were Traded in on the Market This Morning.

Ther was a fair amount of trading on the Mining Exchange this morning, the sales being as follows:

5,000 shares Payne at $3.91.
1,500 shares War Eagle at $3.73.
1,000 shares Big Three at 24¼.
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500 shares Republic at $1.31.
100 shares Virtue at 72½.
2,000 shares Monte Cristo at 12.
500 shares Montreal-London at 63.
150 shares Montreal Gold Fields at 20½.
4,500 shares Morrison at 18½.
600 shares Decca at 27.
250 shares Golden Star at 57.

The bid and asked prices were reported as follows by R. Meredith & Co.:

Stocks.	Sellers.	Buyers.
Payne	$3.95	$3.88
War Eagle	3.75	3.72½
Republic	1.32	1.30½
Virtue	.75½	.73
Montreal-London	.63	.60¼
Big Three	.23¼	.23
Brandon and Golden Crown	.29	.26
California	.08	.06¼
Can. Gold Fields Syn.	.06	.05
Cariboo Hydraulic	1.45	1.39
City of Paris	.70	.64
Evening Star	.10	.09½
Fern	.46	—
Gold Hills Dev.	.08	.04¼
Iron Colt	.14	.12
Iron Mask	.69	.14
Knob Hill	.95	.90
Monte Cristo	.12	.11
Montreal Gold Fields	.21	.20¼
Noble Five	.31	.27
Novelty	.05	.04
Old Ironsides	1.15	1.09½
Virginia	.23	.20
Rambler Cariboo	.31½	.28½
Bullion	.65	—
Summit	.04½	.03
St. Elmo	.06	.02¼
Burley	.20	.17¼
Decca	.27½	.26¼
Morrison	.19	.18
Golden Star	.61	.57
Slocan	.26½	.24

Tete-a-Tete.

Mrs. Rigby, of Toronto, lady principal of St. Hilda's College, received lately a very kind letter from Lady Aberdeen, congratulating her on the fact that the new College of St. Hilda's is being built, and expressing a hope to hear further tidings of St. Hilda's prosperity.

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The meeting of the National Council of Women at Lady Edgar's, which took place Tuesday in Ottawa, commenced at 10 a.m., and continued until 6 p.m., with an adjournment for luncheon, at which the ladies were all Lady Edgar's guests. The luncheon table was very pretty. It was in the shape of a broken square, the acting president and the officers sitting at the cross table. Down the centre of the snowy cloth was stretched a broad red satin ribbon, and red and white carnations in slender specimen glasses were grouped along it. While the menu was excellent there was no wine, lemonade and ginger ale being considered more in harmony with the sentiments of the majority. Her Excellency the Countess of Minto paid a visit to the council, spending a couple of hours there in the morning.

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In Christ Church Cathedral, Ottawa, Tuesday, 1.30 p.m., the marriage was celebrated of Miss Winifred Dawson, daughter of Dr. S. E. Dawson, and Mr. Charles A. Lewis, of the Merchants' Bank, Ottawa. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Dean Lauder, assisted by the Rev. Mr. Loucks. The bride, entering on her father's arm, was preceded by the white-robed choir of the cathedral, walking two and two before her She wore a gown of white duchess satin, the front of the skirt embroidered in flowers of white silk applique, the bodice made with a tucked front, appliqued also on the silk, with bolero effect of Honiton lace. She carried a shower bouquet of white roses. The bridesmaid, Miss Fielding, wore white silk organdie over pale green silk. Her hat was white, with pale green tips, the bouquet carried being of pink roses. The best man was Mr. Fred. Lauder, the ushers being Mr. Burritt, Mr. Edward Taylor, Dr. Fry and Mr. Arthur Fry, of Montreal.

A reception was held at the residence of the bride's parents on the conclusion of the ceremony. Among the guests were Professor and Mrs. Knight, of Kingston; Mr., Mrs., and Miss Burritt, Hon. Mr. Foster and Mrs. Foster, Mrs. Sedgwick, Mr Justice and Mrs. King, Miss Roma King, Mr. Justice and Mrs. Burbidge, Miss Burbidge, Mr. and Mrs. Newell Bate, Sir Louis and Lady Davies, Miss Davies, Miss Ursula Davies, Miss Magee, Hon. Mr. and Mrs. Fielding and Miss Fielding, the Misses Sparks, Mrs. Remon, Mr. Donaldson, Rev. Mr. Loucks, Miss Lewis, Mr. Wilson and Miss Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Calderon, Mr. and Mrs. Carleton Monk, Dr. Howard Church and several other friends and relatives from Montreal, including Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dawson, Mr. and Mrs. Trenholme, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fry, Dr. Morley Fry, Mr. Arthur and Mr. Ernest Fry and others. Mr. and Mrs. Lewis left Ottawa by an afternoon train, and will sail on Saturday for England.

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Dr. Thayn and family have gone to their summer residence at Shawinegan Falls.

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Wednesday night Mr. Justice Gwynne and Mrs. Gwynne gave a charming dinner in Ottawa. The table looked exceedingly pretty decorated with deep yellow roses and ferns. The guests were Mr. Dobell and Mrs. Dobell, Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper, Col. Prior and Mrs. Prior, Mr. and Mrs. Bergeron, Mr. and Mrs Belcourt, Sheriff Sweetland and Miss Sparks, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Anderson, Mr. Gill and Mr. Guise.

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The engagement of Miss Alice Wilson, daughter of Zachariah Wilson, Esq., to Mr. Charles Brennan, is announced in Ottawa, and the wedding is fixed to take place on the 5th June.

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The engagement is announced of Mr. Henri Sauriol, of the reportorial staff of La Presse, to Miss Bernadette Griffard, of Dorchester street. The wedding will take place on the 27th of this month in Notre Dame de Lourdes church.

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To-day will be the fiftieth anniversary of the marriage of Rev. Dr. Gregg and Mrs. Gregg, of Toronto. During the afternoon, from 3 to 6 o clock, they will receive visits from any of their friends who may call upon them at their residence, 3 Washington avenue.

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Miss Elsie Forbes, Peel street, who has been enjoying a pleasant visit to Atlantic City, has returned to town.

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Mr. and Mrs. Applegarth have taken a pretty cottage at Dorval, where they will spend the summer months.

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Miss Florence Ferrier will shortly take her departure for England, where she will spend the summer visiting friends.

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Mrs. George R. Nimmo, St. Catherine street, gave a delightful children's party on Saturday afternoon in honor of her little daughter, Miss Gertrude Nimmo.

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Mrs. George Fry, Dorchester street, Westmount, has returned home from a pleasant visit to North Carolina, where she was the guest of her sister, Mrs. John Rowlands.

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The many friends of Mr. D. M. Sexton, insurance broker, of this city, will regret to hear that while returning from England he contracted a severe attack of inflammation of the lungs, which has confined him to a Boston hospital. From latest reports Mr. Sexton is progressing most favorably towards recovery, but will be unable to return home for some days.

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The Queen and the Prince of Wales have each established a record. The Queen has now reigned longer by about a year than any sovereign who ever occupied the English throne, and the Prince of Wales has been Prince of Wales two days longer than any of his predecessors since the title was established. George IV., who comes next in length of tenure, was Prince of Wales for fifty-seven years and one hundred and seventy days. The Princess is also a "record." Thirty-five years have elapsed since her marriage, whilst Princess Caroline became Queen after twenty-five years.

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There is to be celebrated at Munich, to-day, a royal festival, in which the best feeling of the world will participate in a sense different from that usually associated with such occasions. It is the silver wedding of Duke Carl Theodor, the royal oculist, of Bavaria, who never put a uniform on, and has devoted all his life to the alleviation—mostly gratuitous—of suffering. It is no uncommon thing for him to be knocked up in the dead of night like a parish priest for a sick call, on a summons taking him, as often as not unnecessarily at such an hour, into the poorest quarters of the city. Part of his own palace of Tegernsee he has fitted up as a free hospital, where he himself operates—his duchess assisting—at the operating chair itself occasionally, for cases of great delicacy; and the princesses, their daughters, nurse the patients to recovery. The Duke is a man of sixty.

Over £3,000 has already been subscribed towards the £30,000 which is required for the celebration of the millenary of the death of King Alfred. The subscribers include Lord Strathcona, who gave $500.

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King Humbert's visit to Garibaldi's home and tomb in Caprera had several noteworthy features, and in one respect, at least, may yet prove politically memorable. All the Liberator's surviving children, together with their children, received the King and Queen at the cottage, which is preserved in the same patriarchal simplicity cultivated by Garibaldi, and surrounded by this interesting group their Majesties traversed the pathway flanked by tall red geraniums—the general's favorite flower—to his tomb. Here a striking and almost pathetic incident occurred. Garibaldi's daughter Teresita, the wife of Gen. Canzio, his comrade in arms, turning suddenly to the King, spoke as follows in earnest tones: "Sire, standing here, in presence of this tomb, I appeal to you for mercy to the political prisoners. Grant my petition, for my father's sake." The King was clearly moved, and he replied: "My heart responds to your appeal, and at the first propitious moment it shall be granted." There will be joy in Milan when the slow methods of the Italian Press carry this little dialogue so far.

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Lady Randolph Churchill has made her maiden speech, and acquitted herself with remarkable effect. There must be something in a name, after all, for her husband was a man of rare mental ability, and her son, another Churchill, it is thought, will be a coming power in English politics, unless all signs of his great talents fail.

FRATERNAL SOCIETY BILL.

It Is Not Yet Satisfactory to All Bodies, so a Deputation Will See Mr. Fielding.

Toronto May 11.—(Special.)—The legislative and executive committees of the Canadian Fraternal Association met at the Rossin House yesterday afternoon, and as a result decided to send a deputation to Ottawa to urge the Hon. Mr. Fielding, the Minister of Finance, to withdraw the bill he has introduced referring to benevolent societies and hold it over for another session. Owing to the fact that the societies interested are not prepared to accept the bill in its present form, they desire time to submit it to their grand and supreme bodies in order to have the measure properly considered in all its bearings.

'TWAS SLOAN'S DAY.

His Mount Finished First Three Times To-day. One of Them a 6 to 1 Shot.

London, May 11.—Tod Sloan finished first on Mr. J. J. King's Florio Rubatino, 2 to 1, in the race for the Flying Handicap of 200 sovereigns and 10 sovereigns each, at the third day's racing of the Newmarket second spring meeting to-day. Rose Tree was second and Canadense third. Twelve horses ran.

The Breeders' Plate of 300 sovereigns was won by Sir R. Waldie Griffith's Vain Duchess, 13 to 8 on, ridden by Sloan. Tiresome was second and Papdale was third. Six horses ran.

Lord Wm. Beresford's Caimano, 6 to 1 on, ridden by Sloan, finished first in the race for the Payne Stakes of 400 sovereigns and 15 sovereigns each. Footpad II. was second and Sinopi was third. Five horses ran.

THE WESTERN SYNOD.

Yesterday's Session Brought an Interesting Gathering to a Close.

Toronto, Ont., May 11.—(Special.)—The Presbyterian Synod of Toronto and Kingston concluded its labors last evening. The afternoon conference opened with a discussion on the decline of family worship, led by Rev. J. Hay, of Cobourg, in which Rev. Mr. McLeod, of Barrie; Rev. Dr. Somerville, of Owen Sound; Rev. Mr. Young, Rev. Mr. Hamilton, of Mimico; Rev. Dr. McLeary, and Rev. Mr. McGillivray took part.

Rev. R. P. Mackay read an earnest paper on "The Ministry of Intercession." It was a plea for more faith in and greater practice of prayer. In the evening the report of the committee appointed to deal with the Lord's Day act was submitted and approved of.

The annual report on Sabbath schools was presented. There was a large increase in teachers, officers and attendance during the year.

A resolution expressing hearty congratulations of the Synod to Rev. Mr. Gregg and Mrs. Gregg on the occasion of the celebration of their fiftieth wedding anniversary was unanimously carried, and after passing the customary votes of thanks, the Synod adjourned.

MR. G. B. DECARRY HONORED.

Lachine Residents Present Him With Substantial Tokens of Their Esteem on His Promotion.

The friends of Mr. G. B. Decary, of the City and District Savings Bank, met at his house at Summer Lea, Lachine, last night, and presented him with a handsome secretaire bookcase and writing desk and silver tray, on the occasion of his leaving Lachine to take up the position of manager of the East End branch of the savings bank, which is situated in Notre Dame street east. Mr. Decary is a young man who has risen rapidly in the bank, and as he was brought up in Lachine and has been a householder there since his marriage, he was known to a large circle, who took this opportunity of giving practical expression of their regard for him. The guests who were courteously received and hospitably entertained, sat down under the presidency of Mr. Schtagne, notary. They included a number of the principal residents, amongst them being Mr. Robert Bickerdike. Mr. Schtagne in an appropriate speech made the presentation, and expressed the very general regret that was felt that Mr. Decary's new position necessitated his leaving Lachine. Mr. Decary acknowledged the gift in suitable terms and declared that he was sorry to have to leave the town to which he was endeared by many associations; but his interest and welfare demanded this sacrifice from him and he must bear it cheerfully. A most enjoyable evening was spent.

Mining Institute's Excursion.

Mr. B. T. A. Bell, secretary of the Canadian Mining Institute has issued a provisional programme for the ensuing meetings and excursions of the Institute to British Columbia during September. An idea of the comprehensive character of this excursion may be gathered from the following itinerary: Members will leave Montreal by C.P.R. train on Friday, September 1st, being joined at Toronto the following day by members from Ottawa, Toronto and eastern points.

The party will proceed by way of Owen Sound and the Great Lakes to Fort William, leaving there on Monday, September 4th, whence train will be taken for Revelstoke. It is proposed to spend Thursday, September 7th, at the Banff Hot Springs Hotel, arriving at Revelstoke on Friday, September 8th. Members of the Institute residing west of Revelstoke will join the party at that point.

From Revelstoke the party will proceed to Nelson, Rossland, Trail, Sanden, Kootenay Landing, Crow's Nest Pass. The party will arrive in Montreal on Tuesday, September 26th, at 6.25 p.m.

Not the Central Vermont.

In yesterday's Herald it was inadvertently stated that seven conductors had been peremptorily discharged from the service of the Central Vermont. It was not the Central Vermont, but another road from which the conductors were dismissed.

Not Changing.

The report in a city contemporary that Mr. E. A. Burke had left the choir of St. George's Church to join that of St. James' Cathedral is incorrect. Mr. Burke will continue to be a member of St. George's.

How a Man Looks

Depends largely upon his clothes. If you let us make you a suit you can rely upon looking well. Hugh Ross, 206 St. James street.

A small glass of Vin St. Lehon will diminish fatigue and increase corporal resistance.

LOOKING FOR MOULDERS

No Headway Has Been Made Towards Ending Strike.

Both Masters and Men Held Meetings Last Night—One of the Masters Reviews the Situation.

The strike situation continues unchanged. Although both the Moulders' Union and the Founders' Association held meetings last night nothing was done to relieve the situation.

The Knights of Labor Hall on Craig street was crowded to overflowing, between three and four hundred men being present. Mr. M. J. Keogh presided, and it was announced that nothing but routine business would be transacted. There was an apparent determination among the men to fight the strike out to the bitter end.

In the evening members of the Founders' Association gathered at the Windsor Hotel, but as nothing of importance had transpired the meeting was immediately adjourned, with the understanding that a meeting should be called at any moment should the situation require it.

In conversation with the head of one of the largest firms in the city, The Herald was told that the entire trouble lay in the demand for a minimum rate of $2.50. This meant that men who were acting as common laborers were to receive the wages paid to experienced moulders. There are scores of these men scattered throughout the moulding shops, said the foundryman, men who, having picked up a slight knowledge of the trade, had been admitted to the union for the sole purpose of combating the masters. But as far as workmanship was concerned there was no comparison, the work of the $1.50 man being such as any laborer could readily take hold of. And yet, he said, it was demanded that this class of workman be placed on the same footing with the skilled man who is capable of earning as much as $3 or $3.25 a day. Another demand of the strikers that it would be impossible to grant, he said, was the appointing of a committee of management for the shops from among union men. Such an arrangement would mean endless discord and trouble. The decision of the company's foreman would be questioned by this committee upon all occasions.

Asked as to what steps the founders intended to take, the reply was given that as yet they had remained passive and that in the face of many misstatements as to their actions, but that probably some definite action would be taken in a day or so, towards the procuring of a large number of non-union men from the States.

THE "DEVINE" HEALER.

A Terribe Case of Cruelty Brought to Light in New Orleans.

New York, May 11.—A New Orleans despatch says that a most extraorinary case of physical agony caused by the barbarous fanaticism of a "Divine Healer" has come to light at Waggiman, La., twelve miles from New Orleans.

A young Italian woman, Mrs. Nicoloce, yielding to persuasion, was convinced that she had a devil in her throat, and suffered a "healer," an Italian named Dicarlo, to beat her cruelly and gash her neck in the effort to drive out the demon. The woman may die. The "healer" is in jail.

Shoemakers' Excursion July 1.

The United Society of Shoemakers of Canada, for the first time in their history, are organizing an excursion on an extensive scale to St. Hyacinthe on the 1st of July—Dominion Day. The society, which has been organized about twelve months, have arranged with the Grand Trunk to run special trains to St. Hyacinthe on the date named, and it is expected that about 500 shoemakers, with their wives and families, will take part in the celebration, which will take the form of a huge picnic and demonstration. Both masters and men will be present. Speeches will be deliverd on the position and prospects of the shoe trade and those who are engaged in it.

RINGS—Admitting that a lady has a good ring or two, another one will always be welcome. There are so many styles and such varied combinations of stones that one can always procure something totally different.

Our stock is most complete at present, and prices range from a few dollars up to many hundreds.

HENRY BIRKS & SONS,
Phillips Square. Montreal.

1,400 MORE GALICIANS

Driven by Famine From Their Home land in Europe.

Up to Date There Have Been as Many of Them Come to Canada in 1898 as in Past Three Years.

Three special trains containing nearly 1,400 Galicians, brought to Halifax by the Hamburg-American steamer Brazilia, passed through Montreal this morning on their way to Manitoba, the point from which the new arrivals will be distributed over the Northwest. The immigration of Galicians to Canada has this season been exceptionally large—larger, in fact, than it has been during any of the three years that have elapsed since the members of this branch of the Teutonic family began to come here. It is due to the exception of a severe famine in Galicia. Famine is chronic in that part of the Austrian Empire, but this year it has been felt with greater force than ever before, and has driven the people away by thousands. Canada has received its full share of them. The present contingent was met at Halifax by the officials of the Dominion Immigration Department, and Mr. Kirk, the immigration agent at Halifax, had charge of the arrangements. The transportation facilities provided by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company were equal in every respect to the requirements of the occasion. The trains left the eastern port on Tuesday night and early yesterday morning. The first special arrived at Outremont Junction at 1.30 a.m. to-day and left at 2.05 a.m. Mr. Ch. Shamshorn was in charge; 478 Galicians on board. The second special arrived at 3.15 a.m. and left at 3.35. It was in charge of Mr. Bernstein and it contained 403. The third special arrived at 9.50 a.m. and left at 10.15 with Mr. Anderson in charge. It carried 481.

LONDON CAR TROUBLE

There Seems to be a Prospect of More Open Hostilities.

This Afternoon will Probably See Some Decisive Action Taken.

London, Ont., May 11.—(Special.)—Up to this hour, 1.30 p.m., the expected street railway employes strike has not materialized. The company's directors claim that they have carried out their agreement with the men, and profess to know of no grievances that their employes have suffered. The men are endeavoring to obtain an interview with Mr. T. H. Smallman, the principal London shareholder in the company. Failing to secure a satisfactory reply, they will present an ultimatum to the company this afternoon. Manager Carr says he has received no official notification from the men in the matter, but he has heard that it is their intention to run the cars into the barn at 3 p.m. As a matter of fact, this is only a rumor, though it has gained general currency.

Lawn Tennis at the University.

The executive of the McGill Tennis Club has been doing good work during the past fortnight. The two new cinder courts are now in first-class condition, while at least three of the grass courts are rapidly getting into good shape. The committee has decided to anticipate by two weeks the usual first day for play, and the courts will be open to members on Saturday, the 13th inst.

Accident on G.T.R.

Napanee, Ont., May 11.—About 9.30 o'clock this morning the through eastbound Grand Trunk freight overtook and crashed into the eastbound way freight about two miles west of here. Fireman W. Moone, of Belleville, who was on the rear engine, was instantly killed. Moone was a young unmarried man. The through freight was in charge of Conductor McCallum, of Brockville. The road will be clear by 2 p.m.

Murder by Wholesale.

Howard City, Mich., May 11.—Joseph Harvey last night killed his wife, his uncle, Robert Pierson, and his grandmother. He also fatally wounded his three-months baby and his father-in-law, John Logenslayer, and finally shot himself, inflicting a wound which is expected to prove fatal.

Personals.

Mr. John Patterson, late with Renaud, King & Patterson, has opened up on St. Catherine street, near St. Matthew.

Principal Hackett, of the Diocesan Theological College, has taken a cottage at Beaconsfield for the summer.

Mr. John Torrance, sr., has returned to his office after a severe and prolonged illness from grippe.

BOGUS $1 BILLS.

Several Banks in the City Report Having Counterfeits Passed on Them.

The detective department has received complaints from a number of city banks that counterfeit one dollar Dominion of Canada bills are being circulated in the city. Already four or five banks have discovered these bills, and it would appear that they have been spread freely throughout the city. The notes bear date "Montreal, June 1, 1878." The notes are printed, appear to have gone through considerable usage, and are quite faded.

The paper is thin and rather coarse. The numbers are faulty, and their impression, which was made with blue ink, seems brighter than the rest of the note. As a whole, however, the notes are fairly well made.

SIR WILLIAM TALKS.

His Retirement From the C. P. R. is a Private Matter.

Vancouver, B.C., May 11.—Sir William Van Horne, when interviewed last night, could not say as to when the fast service between the coast and Montreal would be introduced, stating that it was a matter that would be known more about in the traffic department.

With reference to his reported intention of retiring from the presidency of the road in favor of Vice-President Shaughnessy, he had nothing to say to the press with the exception that it was entirely a personal matter.

Referring to the rapid rise in C.P.R. stocks, the president attributed it only to the general good outlook for the company, and not a rally—the prosperous condition of the Dominion. He was sorry he had no news for the press, but stated that the trip was essentially a pleasure one, and had no reference to business.

SEEKING CANADIAN TRADE.

Merchants Are Coming from Bristol to Develop Business Relations.

London, May 11.—A party of eight representative merchants of Bristol will leave for Canada on May 13 by the Elder-Dempster steamship Montreagle with the view of developing trade relationship between the two countries. The deputation makes its visit at the invitation of Mr. A. L. Jones, of the Elder-Dempster line.

Returning Officer Arrested.

St. Thomas, Ont., May 10.—(Special.)—Mr. Duncan Bole, of Sault Ste. Marie, who was returning officer for Shedden division at the bye-election in West Elgin, and was arrested on several charges, was taken to West Lorne last night. He was this morning arraigned before J. C. Schleerauf, J.P., of West Lorne, before whom the information was laid, and pleaded not guilty to each charge and was remanded for trial till the 16th at Shedden. He was admitted to bail.

Nothing But the Boat,

Belleville, Ont., May 10.—(Special.)—Wm. Holgate, of Thurlow, and his hired man went fishing Tuesday about sundown in the Moira, where the water is very deep Two hours later their boat was found bottom up, a mile away. As the men have not reached home, they have no doubt been drowned, and the river is being dragged for their bodies.

Broke His Leg.

While out driving at Lachine yesterday afternoon, Mr. J. Berthier, of Mount Royal avenue, fell from his carriage and broke his leg. The accident was caused by the horses running away. Mr. Berthier was brought to the Notre Dame Hospital in the ambulance.

Fire on Versailles Street.

The house No 192 Versailles street, occupied by Mr. George H. Allo, painter, was the scene of quite a blaze this morning. The damages will amount to several hundred dollars.

Cut His Head.

Patrick Hanrahan, of 2 Dupre lane, a truck driver, fell at the corner of Colborne street this morning and cut his head. He was brought to the Notre Dame Hospital.

Chicago Markets.

Messrs. J. S. Bache & Co. report Chicago closing prices to-day as follows:

May 11.	Opg.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
May	70	70	69	69
July	71⅛	72	69¾-⅞	70
Corn—				
May	32½	33⅛	32⅛	32⅛-⅝
July	32⅞	34	32⅞	33⅛b
Oats—				
May	22⅞	26⅛	26	26
July	20⅝	23½-⅝	22¾-⅞	23⅛-¼
Pork—				
May	....	8 12	8 12	8 12
July	8 40	8 45	8 27	8 27
Lard—				
May	....	4 87	4 87	4 87
July	4 97	5 00	4 95	4 95-7
Short Ribs—				
May	....	4 50	4 50	4 50
July	4 62	4 67	4 60	4 60b

MUSICAL SALOONS.

Chief of Police Thinks the City Has No Right to Prohibit Them—The By Law

It appears that Chief of Police Hughes has an idea that the by-law now existing against music saloons should be repealed. His argument is that the new charter does not specially mention "musical saloons" in the list of institutions which can be prohibited by the city, and therefore the existing by-law is ultra vires. But while the charter does not make specific mention of musical saloons, it confers upon the city the general power of passing by-laws to safeguard public morals, and at the same time states that these general powers are not restricted, in their application, to those things of which specific mention is made. When the Charter Committee meets again to revise the civic by-laws, so as to make them accord with the new charter, an effort will be made to have retained the section of by-law thirty-six referring to musical saloons, which reads as follows:

"No person, within the limits of the city of Montreal, shall keep any musical saloon or establishment wherein intoxicating liquors are sold, and wherein instrumental music or singing, or both, are used as a means of attracting customers."

In the meantime, unless the Police Committee gives Chief Hughes special instructions, the existing by-law will be ignored.

Brockville is Alive

Brockville, May 9.—At a meeting last night of the executive and rowing committees of the Brockville Rowing Club it was decided to add a new double and a new four-oared shell to the club's equipment. It is likely Marin, of Toronto, will get the contract for the new boats, and in that event he will have a chance to show his skill in comparison with Clasper, the famous English builder. The two new crafts will cost about $400. When these are added to the equipment, the club will have two racing fours, four working fours, four singles and two double shells.

The drawing of four-oared crews for the spring regatta of the Brockville Rowing Club took place last night. The regatta will be held on June 6 and 7. Frank F. Ritchie was chosen captain. Nine crews were selected. The strokes are: F. M. Maunsell, T. G. Margins, H. Simpson, Geo. Buckman, L. Fournier, T. A. Martin, W. C. MacLaren, L. Rose and L. Leclair.

Found Dead in a Hack.

Toronto, May 11.—(Special.)—Sam Pillow, an elderly man well known about town, was found dead in a hack by Mr. Mitchell, the livery stable proprietor, early this morning. Pillow had been put into the hack by three friends. He was either intoxicated or unconscious, and being unable to find his home, was allowed to remain in the hack and taken to the stables. Some time afterwards he was found quite dead. The cause of death is believed to have been heart failure.

Not the "Diet."

The annual meeting of the Montreal Dispensary yesterday was referred to as a meeting of the Diet Dispensary.

To Nominate Cardinals.

Rome, May 11.—A Papal consistory will be held at the end of June for the nomination of ten cardinals.

Sarah Spiers' Case.

The enquete in the case of Sarah Spiers, charged with infanticide, was concluded before Judge Desnoyers yesterday.

HERALD OFFICE REMOVED.

The Head Office of THE HERALD has been removed from 141 St. James Street, to 130 St. JAMES STREET, cor. of St. Francois Xavier Street.

OUR BARGAIN MENU

for Friday and Saturday is unusually attractive this week. We believe that our Specials are unequalled for high quality and low price by any house in the city. Our business motto is never to sacrifice quality to price, and careful buyers know that they never find any trash on our counters. What can we have the pleasure of selling you this week?

Curtain Muslins

This is just the season of the year when you need Curtain Muslins for sash curtains, for the summer country house. See our special prices:

30 inch Spot Curtain Muslin, worth 12c, for 9c yard.

42 inch Frilled Curtain Muslin, worth 35c, for 27c yard.

54 inch Frilled Curtain Muslin, worth 53c, for 39c yard.

Lace Curtains

For both the city and country houses. A large assortment to choose from. Special lines, worth 45c for 29c pair, 75c for 59c pair, $1.00 for 75c pair, $1.25 for 98c pair, $1.50 for $1.19 pair, $2.00 for $1.60 pair, $2.75 for $2.15 pair.

Skirts

Black Skirts—Two lines of Ladies' Good Black Mohair Dress Skirts, extra well made, lined and finished. Regular prices, $3.00 and $3.75. All sizes, while they last, at $1.95 and $2.50 each.

Crash Skirts—We are showing a large variety of Pique—White Duck, Colored Duck, Crash, etc., at all prices. See our special Fawn Crash Skirts, all sizes, at $1.00 each.

Dress Muslins

We have two special lines of Dainty Swiss Spot White Muslins to offer you, small and large dots. Worth 18c for 12½c yard, and worth 20c for 15c yard.

Cotton Hosiery

In Ladies' and Children's sizes. The largest and best assorted stock we have ever shown.

Ladies' Lisle Thread Hose, 39c, 40c, 50c pair.

Ladies' Fast Black Cotton Hose, 15c, 18c, 20c, 23c, 25c pair.

Silk Hose, in Black and Colors, 63c, 75c, 90c, to $1.50 pair.

Lace Hose, from 37c and 45c up.

Children's Cotton Hose, plain and ribbed, from 10c pair up.

Lace Bargains

Lace is always coming in useful, and a careful housewife is always on the lookout for lace bargains. We have placed a large lot on sale at exactly half price, Cream, White and Ecru, mostly wide widths, 12c for 6c, 18c for 9c, 22c for 11c, 36c for 18c, etc., etc. Don't miss this lot.

BLOUSES.

39c Each — Good Print Blouses, with detachable collars. Sizes 32, 34, 36, 38 and 40 in. Pink, Green, Hello and Blue.

49c Each — We took all a manufacturer had of these Blouses, and got them at our own price. All sizes, detachable self collars, in almost any color you can think of. Regular prices are from 75c to $1.25 each. Your choice at 49c. There are Muslin, Print and Silkoline Blouses in this lot.

69c Each — Extra quality fast color English Print Blouses, the choicest of this season's designs, and worth regularly from $1.00 to $1.50 each. All sizes, at 69c each.

69c Each — Black Sateen Blouses, fast color, self or white collars and cuffs. Worth $1.00 to $1.75 each. Your choice, if you come early, at 69c each.

$1.25 Each — Metallic Printed Blouses, very fashionable, Black ground, with White, Helio and Green Stripe. Worth $1.95. For $1.25 each.

Try our Mail Order Dept. Send for our Mail Order Catalogue.

HAYCOCK & DUDGEON, 2401-5 St. Catherine St., and 166-8 Peel St.

Our Drawing Card

Men's American made Tan Lace Boots, Goodyear welt. The balance of several lines which formerly sold at $4 and $4.50. We have marked to clear at the low price of

$3.00.

These are good shoes and bear our stamp which is a guarantee of FIT and WEAR.

W. H. STEWART,
2295 ST. CATHERINE ST.

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE

AFTERNOON BOARD SALES.

100 shares Pacific at 97⅝.
50 shares New Street at 318½.
100 shares New Street at 319.
100 shares New Street at 320.
56 shares Merchants at 174.
35 shares Electric at 187⅝.
100 shares Gas at 203¾.
25 shares Street Railway at 322.
100 shares Street Railway at 323½.
100 shares Street Railway at 324.
40 shares D. Cotton at 111.
30 shares Telegraph at 175.
1,000 shares Republic at 131.
75 shares Twin City at 70¾.
75 shares Twin City at 70½.
75 shares Toronto at 117¾.
100 shares Toronto at 117¼.
1,000 shares Republic at 131.
25 shares Richelieu at 112¾.
25 shares Richelieu at 112½.
115 shares Montreal-London at 60.
200 shares Montreal-London at 61.
1,000 shares War Eagle at $3.68½.
1,000 shares War Eagle at $3.68.
500 shares War Eagle at $3.67½.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

The following quotations were received by Mr. C. D. Monk, by private wire, from J. S. Bache & Co., New York:

DESCRIPTION	May 10. Op.	May 10. Cl.	May 11. Op.	May 11. Cl.
Am. Cotton Oil	....	....	....	....
do. do. pref	....	....	....	....
Am. Tobacco	202	212	107½	102½
do do. pref	....	....	....	....
Am. Sugar Rfg. Co	149	150	150¾	148½
do. do. pref	116½	116½	....	....
Am Spirits Mfg. Co	11⅝	11¾	12	12
do. do. pref	....	....	....	....
Atch., Top. & St. F.	17¾	18½	19¼	18⅝
do. do. pref	54½	55⅜	56½	55
Baltimore and Ohio	....	....	....	....
Bay State Gas	....	....	....	....
Canadian Pacific	97½	97¾	98½	98
Canada Southern	....	54	....	....
Ches. & Ohio	25½	25¾	26¼	25¾
Chicago, Burl. & Quincy	131	133¼	134	132
Chicago Gas	119	121¾	122⅜	121
Chicago & North Western	153	154	....	153½
Chicago, R. I. & Pacific.	112½	112½	113½	112¼
Chicago, Mi. & St. Paul.	123¾	124¼	125	123¾
Consolidated Gas, N.Y.	185	187	187	184½
Cleveland C. C.& St. L.	....	54¾	55½	54½
Delaware, Lack & West.	165	166	....	163½
Delaware & Hudson	118	118½	118¾	117½
Denver & Rio G. pref	75½	77½	77¼	76⅝
Duluth, Sth., Sn. & Atl.	....	....	....	....
do, do pref.	....	....	....	....
General Electric	116¼	117	118¼	118¼
Hocking Valley	....	....	....	....
Jersey Central	....	114½	114½	113
Laclede Gas Co	....	....	....	...
Lake Erie & Western	....	....	....	....
do. do. pref	67	67	....	...
Lake Shore	....	....	....	....
Louisville & Nashville	64⅜	65¾	65¼	65¼
Manhattan Elevated	111	111¼	111	111
Missouri Pacific	43	44	44¾	44⅛
Michigan Central	....	....	...	....
National Lead Co	....	32½	....	32⅝
do. pref	....	....	....	....
North American	10⅞	11½	11½	11¼
Northern Pacific, com.	49	50⅝	50¼	50⅛
do. pref	77¼	77¾	77⅝	77
N.Y. Central & Hudson	132¾	133½	133¼	132½
N.Y. Lake Erie and W.	....	....	....	13
do do. II. pref	....	....	....	....
do do. I. pref	....	34½	....	....
N.Y. Ontario & Western.	24½	25⅛	....	24½
N.Y. Chicago & St. L.	....	....	....	....
Omaha com	....	....	....	....
Pacific Mail	48	49½	50¼	50⅛
Pac. C. C. & St. L. com.	....	....	....	....
Phil. & Reading, all paid	20	20¼	20⅜	20½
Pullman	....	158	....	....
Southern Railway, com.	11¾	11¾	12¼	12¼
do. do. pref	51	52	52⅛	51½
Standard Rope & Twine	....	....	....	....
Tenn. Coal & Iron	59	59¾	59¾	58
Texas Pacific	19½	20⅛	....	19¾
U.S. Leather, com.	....	6	....	6⅛
do. do. pref	69⅜	70¾	70¼	70
U.S. Rubber, com	49½	50⅜	50½	50
do. do. pref	....	....	115	115
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IS IT A CASE OF GLASS ARM?

Ashley Pounded for Fifteen Hits by Hartford in the Game Yesterday.

CHAMPIONS LOST 7 TO 3.

Particulars as to How Dan Brouthers Bunted the Ball and Then Beat it Out.

TORONTO PLAYS GOOD BALL,

Montreal seems to be playing see-saw ball these days, winning one day and losing the next.

If the team, however, arrives home with an equal number of games won and lost it will be doing well, as no team away from home and rooters, is paid to do much better.

The game yesterday shows that Souders is the only man on the Montreal pitching staff who is in any kind of form.

Both Dugglеby and Abbey have been unmercifully pounded, and the wise boys tell us that they will not be able to get into condition until the warm weather comes to stay and thaws their arms out.

The team seems to be hitting a little better, and Johnston and George Bannon are looming up like the Liberal majority in the House of Commons.

An interesting little piece of news comes our way from Springfield this morning.

It tells us that in the last game there Dan Brouthers bunted the ball down the thirdbase line, and although Souders fielded it like chain lightning, little Dan, speeding on the wings of the wind, crossed the bag ahead of it.

The Springfield Union volunteers the thrilling details, as follows:

"The feature of the game, and the thing worth the whole price of admission was Mayor Brouthers' bunt in the eighth. And it phazed the visitors and encouraged the Ponies so much that they immediately scored three runs. Souders had fooled Big Dan sadly on those slow under-hand curves of his in the fifth—so badly that Dan struck out ignominiously with two men on bases and a dead cinch to score runs on any old thing. So in the eighth Souders fed Dan some more underhand, and Dan picked out one choice article, which he bunted slowly along thirdbase line, then sped towards first on the wings of the wind—in a dead calm. Souders captured the bunt with a rush, and fielded it perfectly, but Dean beat it out by a step, and everybody woke up. It was the sensation of the current week."

THE GAME.

Hartford, Conn., May 10.—Hartford won to-day's game from Montreal by heavy hitting and good all-round play. Score:

Hartford.

	AB.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Kilroy, r.f.	5	2	0	0	0	0
Shindle, 3b	5	0	0	3	4	0
Bonner, 2b	5	3	4	3	2	0
Kelly, 1b	4	0	3	8	0	0
McCarthy, l.f.	5	0	1	3	0	0
Gatins, s.s.	4	0	1	0	3	0
Reisling, c.f.	3	2	1	3	0	1
Urquhart, c.	4	0	0	7	0	0
Crate, p.	4	1	3	0	3	0
Totals	39	7	15	27	12	1

Montreal.

	AB.	R.	1B.	PO.	A.	E.
Schiebeck, s.s.	5	0	1	1	2	0
T. Bannon, l.f.	4	1	0	4	0	0
Shearon, r.f.	4	1	2	0	1	0
Johnson, 2b	4	0	3	0	5	0
Dooley, 1b.	4	0	0	12	0	1
Jacklitz, 3b.	4	0	2	1	2	0
Moran, c.	4	0	0	3	0	1
G. Bannon, c.f.	4	1	2	3	1	0
Abbey, p.	3	0	0	0	3	1
Totals	36	3	10	24	14	3

By innings—
Hartford .....01131100x—7
Montreal .....110000010—3

Summary—Earned runs, Hartford, 4; Montreal, 1. Two base hits, Crate, Gatins, Bonner, G. Bannon. Home run—Shearon. Wild pitch, Abbey. Base on balls, off Crate, 2; off Abbey, 1. Base on hit ball, Kelly. Struck out, by Crate, 6; by Abbey, 1. Left on bases, Hartford, 8; Montreal, 7. Double plays, Gatins to Bonner to Kelly. Time, 1.45. Umpire, Doescher. Attendance, 750.

TORONTO WON.

Worcester, Mass., May 10.—Toronto outplayed Worcester at all points to-day, and won easily. Sudhoff kept the hits well scattered. Lampe pitched well, but Worcester was guilty of much stupid work. Score:—

Toronto.

	AB.	R.	1B.	PO.	A.	E.
Bannon, r.f.	4	1	1	4	1	1
Hamivan, c.f.	5	1	2	4	0	0
Gray, l.f.	5	0	0	2	0	0
J. Smith, 2b.	4	1	1	2	2	0
Wagner, s.s.	4	1	2	4	2	1
Bemis, 3b.	2	2	0	1	3	0
Beaumont, 1b	3	0	2	8	0	0
Rothfuss, c.	3	0	0	2	1	0
Sudhoff, p.	4	0	0	0	4	0
Totals	34	6	8	27	13	2

Worcester.

	AB.	R.	1B.	PO.	A.	E.
Kuhn, 3b	4	0	1	2	3	0
Rickert, l.f.	4	0	1	2	0	0
Frisbee, c.f.	5	1	3	3	1	0
Harrington, 2b.	4	0	1	1	1	1
Yeager, 1b.	3	0	0	13	0	0
Bransfield, c.	4	0	0	4	0	1
J. Smith, s.s.	3	1	1	1	5	2
Wilder, r.f.	3	0	1	1	1	0
Lampe, p.	4	0	1	0	3	1
Totals	34	2	9	27	14	5

By innings—
Toronto .....110011110—6
Worcester .....011000000—2

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Summary.

Sacrifice hit—Rothfuss. Stolen bases—Bemis, Frisbee, Wilder. Two-base hits—Hannivan, Jud Smith, Wagner. Three-base hit—Hannivan. First base on balls—Off Sudhoff 5, off Lampe 2. Struck out—By Sudhoff, Frisbee and Lampe. Time—1.45. Umpire—O'Laughlin.

SPRINGFIELD WON.

Springfield, Mass., May 10.—The Ponies won a close game from the Stars to-day by superior base hitting. Pittenger would have whitewashed the visitors but for Springfield's only error in the ninth. Curry failed to show up to umpire. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
Springfield .....011000020—4	8	1	
Syracuse .....000000001—1	5	2	

Batteries—Pittenger and Phelps; Villeman and Williams.

ROCHESTER WON.

Providence, R.I., May 10.—Rochester tied the only run scored with two men out in the ninth inning and beat Providence in the tenth. It was a pitchers' battle and up to the tenth inning, when Braun was knocked out by being hit with a pitched ball, he kept the Rochesters well in hand. In the tenth inning he continued pitching, and three bunched hits won the game. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
Providence .....0000100000—1	6	1	
Rochester .....0000000011—2	8	4	

Batteries — Braun and Leahy; Decker and Smink.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

Club.	Won.	Lost.	Per cent.
Toronto	7	3	.700
Worcester	6	4	.600
Montreal	5	4	.555
Springfield	5	4	.555
Rochester	5	4	.555
Hartford	4	6	.400
Providence	4	7	.364
Syracuse	3	8	.273

TO-DAY'S GAMES.

Montreal at Hartford.
Toronto at Worcester.
Syracuse at Springfield.
Rochester at Providence.

WESTERN LEAGUE GAMES.

At Buffalo—Indianapolis, 3; Buffalo, 1.
At Minneapolis—Minneapolis, 2; Kansas City, 5.
At St. Paul—Milwaukee, 16; St. Paul, 4.
At Columbus—Detroit, 6; Columbus, 3.

CANADIAN LEAGUE.

At Guelph—Stratford 4, Guelph 2.
At London—St. Thomas 1, London 8.
At Hamilton—Chatham 2, Hamilton 3.

NATIONAL LEAGUE GAMES.

At Pittsburg—

	R.	H.	E.
Pittsburg .....100000004—	5	11	7
Cincinnati .....000322310—11—	13	2	

Batteries: Hoffer and Bowerman; Hawley and Peitz.

At Chicago—

Chicago .....00021021*—	6	9	2
Louisville .....00010000—	1	7	3

Batteries: Callahan and Chance; Woods and Kittridge.

At Philadelphia—

New York .....00000010002—	3	9	2
Philadelphia .....00010000003—	4	13	0

Batteries: Carrick and Warner; Piatt and McFarland.

At Brooklyn—

Brooklyn .....01030041*—	9	15	4
Washington .....02012002—	7	13	2

Batteries: Maul, Dunn and Farrell; Weyhing and McGuire.

At Boston—

Baltimore .....012110000—	5	12	2
Boston .....00000000—	0	6	2

Batteries: Nops and Robinson; Klobendanz and Bergen.

At Cleveland—

Cleveland .....000200000—	2	7	3
St. Louis .....31011312—12	14	1	

Batteries: Hill and Sugden; Jones and Criger.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

Club.	Won.	Lost.	Per Cent.
St. Louis	14	5	.737
Chicago	15	6	.714
Philadelphia	14	7	.667
Brooklyn	13	8	.619
Cincinnati	11	7	.611
Boston	11	10	.524
Baltimore	11	10	.524
New York	9	10	.474
Louisville	8	12	.460
Pittsburg	7	12	.368
Washington	4	17	.190
Cleveland	3	16	.158

CRICKET.

AUSTRALIANS CAN PLAY.

London, May 10.—The cricket match between the Australian teams and players representing the South of England was resumed at the Crystal Palace to-day. When play closed yesterday the Australians had scored 357 runs for eight wickets, the South of England men having made 246 in their first innings. The Australians were retired to-day with a total of 375 runs. The South of England team then went in for their second innings and scored 222, making the total for both innings 468. When the stumps were drawn at the close of play for to-day the Australians had made 7 runs for one wicket. The match was drawn.

HOCKEY.

O. H. A. MEDALS.

Kingston, Ont., May 11.—(Special.)—The long-delayed intermediate championship medals awarded to the Frontenac hockey team by the O.H.A. have arrived. The medal is similar in design to that given Queen's. It is made of sterling silver, a little larger than a ten-cent piece, encircled by a wreath. On the front surface is a pair of gilt wings with the letters O.H.A., and on the back the words "Intermediate Frontenacs" are inscribed. The whole is mounted on two gold-plated hockey sticks.

THE WHEEL.

CASTLE CLUB OFFICERS.

The four lodges of the Knights of Pythias have started a bicycle club with about forty members of the order, and have elected the following officers: Sir Knight Dr. Lockhart, district deputy supreme chancellor, honorary president; Sir Knight A. R. Rattray, president, Sir Knight Dr. Hamilton, vice-president; Sir Knight George Rough, captain. A large executive committee was also named. The object of the club is to keep the K. of P. boys together during the summer months, when the lodges are not very largely attended. The name of the club has not yet been selected, but is likly to be either the K. P. Bicycle Club, or the Castle Bicycle Club. It is expected the first turn out will be to Lachine on Saturday.

YACHTING.

MAY SAIL UNDER PRINCE'S FLAG.

London, May 10.—The cutter Britannia, formerly owned by the Prince of Wales, which was recently disposed of at private sale, is now the property, it appears, of Mr. W. Jameson, formerly helmsman to the Prince of Wales, and it is rumored that the yacht will again sail under the flag of the Prince.

FOOTBALL.

A SAILORS' MATCH.

A friendly game will be played between the steamship Scotsman and Point football teams, this evening, at 6.30 sharp. Judging from previous matches with the team, it should be an interesting game.

LYALL WON IN BILLIARD FINALS

Claims Amateur Championship, But Philias Michaud Disputes This, and Challenges Him.

POLICE ELECT OFFICERS

Four Favorites Were Beaten at Morris Park Yesterday Afternoon.

SEAGRAM OUT OF HUNTER'S FLAT

Lyall won out in the billiard contest yesterday, and now claims the title of amateur champion of Canada. All the interest centred in the contest last night between Lyall and McDougall. Both were in good form and made some very creditable scores. McDougall made the biggest run, but Lyall played a good steady game. The scores were:

	H.R.	Av'rge.
Lyall 250	16	3 1 2
McDougall 201	20	2 1-2

In the afternoon Marcotte defeated Richard 250 to 164. This made Marcotte third.

The prizes were presented after the match by Ald. Lyall, Mr. J. L. Gardiner and Mr. A. W. R. Brunet.

Championship Disputed

But the title of amateur championship is claimed by another, who was not in the tournament. Here is his side of the case. To the winner of the contest for the amateur billiard championship of Canada, taking place at the Royal A.A.A. Hall, 148 St. Lawrence street, Montreal, and which is advertised to close this evening, May 10, 1899:

I, the undersigned, hereby challenge you to play for the amateur billiard champion ship of Canada, 1,000 points, 14-inch balk line, time and place to be arranged at your earliest convenience.

I contend that a contest for the championship should be open to all-comers. I further contend that the above contest is not a bona fide contest for the championship of Canada, as O. Rochon, the ex-amateur champion of Canada, was also denied entrance to the above contest. Mr. Rochon, two years ago, won the amateur championship of Canada in the same hall that the present contest is taking place in, it was then conducted by Stanley Forget, under the name of the Stanley Billiard Hall, Mr. Rochon also won the trophy presented by E. L. Ethier & Co., for the said contest. It was a silver cup, one of the conditions governing the contest was that the winner should, for three months after winning it, be open to meet all comers. As there was no further contest for the cup, it became his property.

Later on I challenged Mr. Rochon to play for a prize and the amateur championship of Canada. The outcome was that, commencing January 15th, 1889, I played Mr. Rochon 1,000 points 14-inch balk line: four nights, 250 points each night. On February 3rd the contest closed, the score was Rochon, 972 points; and Michaud, 1,000 points. The contest took place in Stremensky's Billiard Hall, St. Catherine street, and was open to the public.

I think I have made myself sufficiently clear, and take great pleasure in signing myself, Philias Michaud,

Amateur Billiard Champion of Canada.

P.S.—I am a member of the Cercle St. Pierre, Visitation street, Montreal, and the St. Mary's C.Y.M. Society, letter to either of the above of the above two organizations addressed to me, or to my private address, No. 1062 Notre Dame street, will reach me.

FOUR FAVORITES BEATEN.

The Morris Park Board Was an Exciting One—The Contest for the Bouquet Stakes was the Best of the Day.

New York, May 10.—Four favorites were beaten at Morris Park to-day. The best race on the card proved to be the Bouquet Stakes. At the start Misericordia was first to show, but she did not stay long there, as Kitchener shot to the front, attended by Prince of Melbourne and Fiuke, and they ran that way to the dip. There Kitchener took a longer lead and won eased up, although he had to be driven a bit in the first part of the last furlong to forestall the rush of Odom on Fiuke. All through the race Dr. Riddle, who had been a hot favorite, was in the rear, swerving from side to side, trying to climb fences, instead of racing.

First race, 6 furlongs—Warrenton, 126, Taral, 15 to 1 and 5 to 1, won by a length; Blarney Stone, 113, H. Martin, 15 to 1, and 6 to 1, second by a neck; L'Alouette, 115, McCue, 6 to 1 and 2 to 1, third. Time, 1.14 3-4. Nautch Girl, Cesarion, Sir Christopher, Klepper, Jeanett, and Hanwell also ran.

Second race, 1-2 mile, selling—Dear Heart, 100, McCue, 5 to 1 and 2 to 1, won by a length; Maharajah, 99, Clawson, 7 to 2 and 7 to 5, second by a head; Decimal, 96, J. Slack, 30 to 1 and 10 to 1, third. Time, 49 1-4. Mattie Bazar, Toluca, Jamaica, Magic Light, Cariboo, Mrs. C., Midmento, Urchin, Fleeting Moments also ran.

Third race, Bouquet, five furlongs, selling—Kitchener, 102, H. Martin, 7 to 2 and 6 to 5, won by a length; Fiuke, 94, Odom, 40 to 1 and 10 to 1, second by a head; Prince of Melbourne, 103, Everett, 8 to 1 and 3 to 1, third. Time, 1.01 1-4. Misericordia, Prestidigitator, Petruchio, Prestige, Rubelite, West Baden and Dr. Riddle also ran.

Fourth race, 7 furlongs—Sky Scraper, 93, Odom, 7 to 1 and 2 to 1, won by one length; Saccharine, 93, Mitchell, 8 to 1 and 3 to 1, second by a length; Rose O'Lee, 93, O'Connor, 10 to 1 and 3 to 1, third. Time, 1.28 3-4. Maid of Erin, Bardella, Prosaic and Caoutchouc also ran.

Fifth race, mile, selling—Tyrshena, 85, Pehlan, 8 to 5 and 3 to 5, won by two lengths; Bettie Gray, 96, Evans, 12 to 1 and 5 to 1, second by one length; Miss Patron, 91, O'Connor, 3 to 1 and 6 to 5, third. Time, 1.41 1-2. Egbart, Knight of the Garter, Islington and Wolhurst also ran.

Sixth race, St. Nicholas hurdle, 1 1-2 miles—Challenger, 161, Hogan, 9 to 10 and 1 to 3, won by 6 lengths; Moslem, 161, Veitch, 2 to 1 and 1 to 2, second by one-sixteenth mile; Waltzer, 161, Heider, 2 to 1 and 1 to 2, third. Time, 2.49 3-4. Brandywine, Aurolian and Komurasaki also ran.

MORRIS PARK ENTRIES.

New York, May 10.—Following are the entries for to-morrow at Morris Park:

First race, last six furlongs of the Withers mile—Him-Tine, 114; Handcuff, St. Lorenzo, Cormorant, Caoutchouc, Jack Land (formerly Frohsinn), 109; Half-Time 106; Theory, El Mido, Gold Car, Great land, 104.

Second race, Harlem Selling Stakes; the Withers mile—Danforth, 110; Estaca, 109; Charentus, 108; Peat, 106; Linstock, Nosey, 103; El Mido, Athamas, 101; Roysterer, 93.

Third race, selling, last five furlongs of Eclipse course—Cupid, Maharajah, Helmman, 105; The Laurel, Eileen Daly, Belle of Orleans, Statir, Lottie Sheville, 102; Cinles, 100; Bombay, Maie Hanlon, 97.

Fourth race, last five furlongs of Eclipse course—Garterless, Orthea, 114; Affect 109; Ena, Beverage, Gold Wing, Brusquerie, Dangerous Maid, Star Chime, Nanine, 107.

Fifth race, Crotona high weight handicap, last five furlongs of Withers mile—Octagon, 136; King Don, 122; Warrenton, 121; Teluca, High Degree, 118; Boney Boy, 117, Armament, 114; Trillo, 112; Blarney Stone, 111; Murrillo, 107.

Sixth race, Withers mile—Don De Oro, George Keene, 122; Imp, 116; Buela, Alpena, 111; Larva, 109; Tamora, Charentus, 107; Half Time, 103; Twinkler, 93; Sensational, 92.

SEAGRAM CAN'T RACE.

Canadian Hunt Association Has Refused to Admit Members of Twin City Hunt Club of Waterloo in Hunters' Flat.

Toronto, May 10.—The Twin City Hunt Club, of Waterloo and Berlin, has been squelched by the Canadian Hunt Association, and, consequently, Mr. J. E. Seagram will not have a starter in the Hunter's flat. The officials of the club were told that no entries would be recognized until some proof of the permanency of the organization was forthcoming. The members of the club think that they have been treated unjustly, and say that they have as much right to qualify horses for the Hunter's flat as the Toronto Hunt or the Montreal Hunt. They had a membership of 26, and held runs in the regulation manner, using a dozen hounds which they purchased from the Hamilton Hunt. Haytedder has been trained especially for this race, and the stable is disappointed at his not being allowed to start.

WAS SLOAN'S DAY.

Newmarket, May 10.—An all-aged selling plate of 100 sovereigns was won by Mr. H. Barnato's Sweet Story, ridden by Sloan. Dargas was second and Wiora third. Eleven horses ran. Sloan rode Sir R. Waldie Griffith's six-year-old bay horse Eileen Aigas (9 to 2) in the second welter handicap of 150 sovereigns, but was unplaced. The winner was Mr. Leopold D. Rothschild's Priloe, by Crafton-Szenta. Eleven horses ran.

The spring two-years-old stakes were won by Sir R. Waldie Griffith's Bettyfield (7 to 4) with Sloan up. Lord Stanley's Redy was second, and Sir J. Blundell Maple's St Millicent third. Eight horses ran. The betting was 7 to 4 against Bettyfield.

O. J. C. OFFICIALS.

Toronto, May 10.—At a meeting of the executive committee of the O.J.C., held yesterday, the following slate of officials for the coming race meeting was decided upon:—

Judge—A. S. Post, New York.
Stewards—J. J. Burke, of Louisville, and two O. J. C. directors.
Starter—C. H. Pettingill, of New York.
Clerk of scales—J. W. Russwurim, of Nashville, Tenn.

The handicapping will probably be done by the committee with the assistance of Mr. Nelson.

ATHLETICS.

POLICE ELECT OFFICERS.

The annual meeting of the A.A.P.A. was held yesterday afternoon at No 5 Police Station. The secretary's report was of the most satisfactory character, and the association have reason to congratulate themselves on the substantial balance of one thousand dollars shown by the treasurer's statement.

The election of officers for the ensuing year resulted as follows:—

Hon president—Ald. Marsolais.
President—Lieut. Holland.
First vice-president—Capt. Love.
Second vice-president—Constable Vincent.
Secretary-treasurer—Fred. W. Miller (address Y.M.C.A. building.)
Committee—E. Roberts, G. Brown.

Mr. L. Cushing was chosen as track captain, and Mr G. Reid as field captain. The club has secured the use of the Montreal Baseball grounds for Monday and Friday evening during the season. A good turn-out is expected for next Monday evening, when the year's work will be commenced. Address all communications to the secretary.

THE GUN.

DURYEA'S CHALLENGE.

New York, May 10.—Louis T. Duryea, of the Carteret Gun Club, who finished second to G. S. McAlpin, in the amateur championship shoot last February, yesterday issued a challenge to meet any five amateur trap shooters in Greater New York, in five successive matches, at 100 five birds each, thirty yards rise, and thirty yards boundary, for $100 a side on each event. Duryea is also willing to wager $500 that he will win at least three out of the five contests, all of which are to take place within the same week. He further stipulates that he will shoot a race on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, resting on Friday, and finishing the fifth event on Saturday.

A BEDFORD CLUB.

Sweetsburg, May 11.—(Special.)—Some of the sportsmen of this district are considering the advisability of forming a District of Bedford Fish and Game Protection Club, with the objects that the name implies. Such an association would find plenty of work on which to expend its energies. A meeting may be called in the near future.

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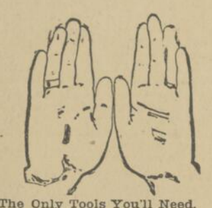

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GAUDAUR TALKS.

Winnipeg, Man., May 10.—Gaudaur, the champion oarsman, says he will not accept the challenge of Wray, the Australian, unless he visits Rat Portage, where he will be ready to meet him for $2,500 a side.

A BRIDE BY PROXY.

Scarano Could Not Go to Italy so His Mother Stood at the Altar for Him.

New York, May 11.—Husband and wife, who had parted as sweethearts, met yesterday for the first time since their separation. The bride landed at the Barge Office from the steerage of the steamship Tartar Prince.

She was Rosie d'Allesandro, a strikingly pretty girl from the Province of Salerno, Italy. Three years ago, when only 13 years old, she became engaged to Genoro Scarano. Genoro emigrated to this country and prospered. He fitted up a modest little flat in which to receive the bride, and then wrote to her to come to him, enclosing money for passage.

The girl was willing, but her parents were not. She would first have to be married, they said, and Scarano was so informed. Sarano pondered. He had saved money enough to pay his sweetheart's way here, but not enough in addition to pay his way to Italy and back.

Going before a notary, he gave power of attorney to his brother to take his place in a marriage by proxy. The papers were sent to Italy, and after the ceremony had been performed the little bride crossed the Atlantic to join her husband. They met at the Barge Office, and later were married in due form, the Rev. Father Zaboglio performing the ceremony in the Church of Our Lady of the Rosary.

Sure Regulators.—Mandrake and Dandelion are known to exert a powerful influence on the liver and kidneys, restoring them to healthful action, inducing a regular flow of the secretions and imparting to the organs complete power to perform their functions. These valuable ingredients enter into the composition of Parmelee's Vegetable Pills, and serve to render them the agreeable and salutary medicine they are. There are few pills so effective as they in their action.

PERSONAL.

Mr. John Morron, of Hawkesbury, is at the Hall.

Mr. J. Lindsay arrived at the Windsor yesterday.

Mr. J. Austin Smith, of Toronto, is at the Windsor.

Mr. R. W. Gordon, of Pembroke, is at the Place Viger.

Hon. A. Sharples, of Quebec, is registered at the Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Brittain, of Ottawa, are at the Windsor.

Mr. A. A. Davis, of Brockville, arrived at the Hall yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Lewis, of Ottawa, are at the Place Viger.

Mr. H. M. Cummings, of Magog, is registered at the Carslake.

The Misses Thompson, of Fredericton, are guests at the Windsor.

Messrs. E. and H. E. Baker, of Three Rivers, are guests at the Hall.

Mr. T. A. Lesueer, of Ottawa, was registered at the Queen's yesterday.

Mr. Alex. Desmarteau left last evening for Chicago on a business trip.

Messrs. W. Poirier, A. A. Charlebois, and L. J. Demers, of Quebec, are at the Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. George R. Locker are registered at Haddon Hall, Atlantic City, N.J.

Mr. F. A. McCrea and daughter, of South Durham, are registered at the Queen's.

Mr. C. E. Colson is residing with his son, Mr. C. H. Colson, at 956 Dorchester street.

Miss C. A. Roberts, of Ashcroft, B.C., arrived from the West last evening, and is staying at the Hotel Carslake.

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Riding the tire too soft diminishes speed and increases liability of puncture.

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Messrs. C. S. Spencer, W. H. Burr, H L. Meyer and G. A. Newman, of Toronto, are guests at the Windsor.

Mr. J. J. Willis left Tuesday evening for Amherst and Pictou, N.S., where he will spend the summer months.

Mr. Hy. Morton, who lately retired from the old firm of Morton, Phillips & Co., will leave shortly for an extended visit to Manitoba and the Northwest. The other day Mr. Charles E. H. Phillips came of age, and Mr. Morton presented him with a beautiful gold watch. The recipient is a son of Mr. Charles S. J. Phillips, now senior member of the firm.

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White Bath Towels, all sizes.
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The special cheap tables advertised contain Plates of all sizes, Cups and Saucers, Glassware, Engraved Tumblers, &c., &c.
All these articles are on the 6 cent table. The engraved tumblers are especially cheap at 6 cents.
The prices range from 6c, 10c, 15c, 25c, 35c and 50c, up to $1.00 each. All rare values.

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The demand is for high-class goods, of which we have a large variety.
Taffetas in Helio, White, Cerise, Mauve, Royal and Black, also in China Silk Plaids, Black and White.
White Muslin and Pique Waists.
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TIGHT MONEY KEEPS IT DOWN

The Stock Market Shows Little or No Snap Owing to Stringency of Funds.

BANKS ARE VERY CAUTIOUS

Canadian Pacific Opens Higher in London and Does a Little Better Here.

GYMNASTICS IN STREET RAILWAY

The money market is the keynote of the local situation just now, and its general tightness has rather tended to put a damper to the operations on 'Change. It is hard to tell just exactly why the banks have shut down so hard on the brokers, but the fact remains that funds are really scarce, and the majority of the brokers have had no little difficulty in getting what they wanted. In some instances in fact it is understood that some have refused to buy on margins altogether. Of course the situation as it stands to-day is really forced, and is scarcely likely to maintain its aspect for any great length of time. Outside money markets do not exhibit any unusual strength, and later on it is expected that the $1,500,000 that will be paid out in dividends will in a measure assist in the easiness which is expected to rule about the time of payment—June 1st.

The listlessness of the market to-day was clearly the result of tight money, although it is seen that the feeling outside of the Street Railway shares was generally steady. Pacific opened higher in London again, and at the opening was strong here, being weaker if anything just before the close. Pacific is undoubtedly the salvation of the market, and much of the all-round steadiness is due to the manner in which Pacific has weathered the adverse conditions of the past few days.

In London Pacific opened around the basis of 101 1-4, and sold here at 98 1-4, something like 500 shares changing hands at that figure. Later on it sagged a little, and was traded in at 98 1-8, 98 and then 97 7-8. With easier money there is no question but that Pacific would see par this week in this market, but the chances of it doing so this morning looked somewhat remote. At the same time, however, the stock market is an unknown quantity, and there is a possibility of it doing a lot of funny things between now and 12 o'clock Saturday.

The gymnastics in Street Railway are quite exciting. The old sold in the early part of the session at 326 and then went off to 333, while the new went from 323 to 320. Richelieu was steady at 112 to 112 1-2, Twin City at 70 1-2 to 71, and Toronto Rails 117 1-8 to 117 1-4.

War Eagle was stronger on talk of an increased dividend being declared this afternoon. As everyone knows, War Eagle is making a splendid showing and expert opinion has told us that the prospects were never better, but it is doubtful if the time is yet ripe for an increase. Over 8,000 shares sold on the basis of $3.71 1-2, $3.71 and $3.69 1-2, the latter figure ruling towards the close. Republic went at $1.30 to $1.32 and Payne $3.88 to $3.90. A few sales were also made of Montreal-London at 60 to 61.

Montreal Street Railway earnings yesterday amounted to $4,425.37, an increase over the same day last year of $731.86.

L. J. Forget & Co.'s cable quoted Grand Trunk at 79¼, second at 53⅛, third at 22½; Pacific at 101¼, Hudson's Bay 24¾, Anaconda £12⅜.

The opening in Wall Street was quite strong, but the market was dull and heavy around noon. Mr. C. D. Monk's messages said: The market is in the hands of traders. Sell on any rally. B.R.T. earnings yesterday, $29,803. Increase, $5,594. Ten days of May increase, $61,000.

London, 2.15 p.m.—Americans strong, Atchison pfd. and St. Paul leading the list; both up one per cent. We are bullish on market, but do not buy stocks at opening, as market will open too high. We rather favor selling market at opening for a turn. Crop reports bearish on wheat and bullish on stocks. London: Tom Nickalls, the Erie king, is dead, as result of accident. Henry Raphael, head of firm of R. Raphael & Sons, of London, died yesterday; estate valued at seven million pounds sterling.

Pacific mail will declare 1½ per cent. dividend after 3 p.m. to-day. Mo. Pac., first week May, increase $4,000. Central Branch, decrease, $4,000. Denver & Rio Grande, increase, $30,000. People who bought stocks on the weak spots sold this morning.

MORNING BOARD SALES.

525 shares Pacific at 98¼.
50 shares Pacific at 98⅛.
50 shares Pacific at 98.
10 shares Pacific at 97½.
25 shares Pacific at 97⅞.
450 shares New Street at 323.
63 shares New Street at 320.
50 shares New Street at 320½.
50 shares Gas at 203.
25 shares Telephone at 180.
3 shares Telegraph at 175.
100 shares Richelieu at 112.
75 shares Richelieu at 112½.
5 shares Street Railway at 327.
1 share Street Railway at 329.
325 shares Street Railway at 326.
250 shares Street Railway at 326¼.
25 shares Street Railway at 323.
25 shares Street Railway at 324.
25 shares Street Railway at 323.
35 shares Telegraph at 175.
1,100 shares Montreal-London at 60.
50 shares Montreal-London at 61.
125 shares Twin City at 70½.
125 shares Twin City at 71.
100 shares Duluth at 4⅞.
75 shares Toronto at 117¼.
125 shares Toronto at 117⅛.
50 shares Electric at 187½.
5,000 shares Payne at $3.90.
2,000 shares Payne at $3.89.
500 shares Payne at $3.88.
14,700 shares Republic at 131.
5,000 shares Republic at 130.
100 shares Republic at 132.
6,500 shares War Eagle at $3.71½.
1,000 shares War Eagle at $3.71.
1,000 shares War Eagle at $3.69½.

LONDON STOCK MARKET.

STOCKS.	May 11.	May 10.	May 9.
Atchison	19⅜	18½	18½
Paris Rentes	.....	.....	.....
Canadian Pacific	101¼	100⅜	100⅛
Grand Trunk 1st	78¼	80	.....
Do do 2nd	52⅜	53⅜	.....
Do do 3rd	.....	.....	.....
Do do 4th	82⅜	85¼	.....
Erie	13⅜	13¼	13¼
Do pfd	36⅛	35¼	35¼
Illinois Central	117½	117	117
Louisville & Nashville	67⅛	66⅜	67⅛
Lake Shore	.....	.....	.....
Northern Pacific	80½	79	70⅞
New York Central	137½	136	137
Ontario & Western	26	.....	25¼
Reading, assess. pfd	10¼	10⅜	1¼
St. Paul	128	126⅜	127¼
Union Pacific	44⅞	.....	43¼
Wabash pfd	22⅛	.....	21⅛
Bank Rate	3	3	3
Consols	.....	.....	.....

Street Gossip

Although the increase in the Canadian Pacific earnings yesterday was not as large as expected by some, it must be remembered that they compare with very large earnings a year ago, and that it would have taken almost remarkable figures to exhibit what the street calls a "big gain." Here are the earnings for the two roads:

The Canadian Pacific Railway Company's return of traffic earnings from May 1st to May 7th:

1899	$538,000
1898	507,000
Increase	$ 31,000

Grand Trunk Railway System's earnings from 1st to 7th May:

1899	$425,361
1898	429,774
Decrease	$ 4,413

The local money market is still very firm and the banks are not inclined to lend brokers any more money than they can help. The rate, however, is unchanged at 5 per cent. for call loans.

Ex-Governor Flower thinks the Ford franchise bill is indirectly responsible for Tuesday's decline in stocks. By unsettling city traction issues it started the ball rolling, and other stocks declined in sympathy.

The difference between the highest figure reached by Metropolitan Traction in April and the lowest price in May is 39 1-2 points. This was the biggest decline on the market, B.R.T. coming next with a decline of 21 1-4, and Manhattan third with a decline of 20 1-2.

It is expected that the Street Railway's track to Verdun will be completed in about six weeks' time.

In speaking of the decline in Wall street stocks, Mr. J. R. Keene says: "The floating of too many new enterprises has been the primary cause of the pronounced reaction in share values which we have experienced of late, and unmistakably explains, in my opinion, the heavy liquidation on the part of the public in yesterday's market. I don't see anything in the situation to call for apprehension, because the country is too prosperous. Therefore, I say, why should there be any apprehension regarding the situation? I look for easier monetary conditions in the future."

London was the most active market for Canadian Pacific yesterday, there being a report that over 40,000 shares changed hands. In New York sales amounted to 1,900 shares, and in the same market sales of Anaconda were 12,065 shares. Sales of Twin City were 700 shares.

The New York Post rubs it into the "lambs" who bought stocks when they were around the highest. Says the Post: "As the stunned and bewildered petty speculator creeps out, to-day, from the ruins of his card-house, and sees values advancing merrily again, now that he has no longer any stake in them, it is possible that for a moment a clear comprehension of the Wall street game may flash across his mind. Who was it who bought "Metropolitan" at 269, "Manhattan" at 133 3-8, "Sugar" at 182, "Tobacco" at 229 1-2, Anaconda at 70, "International Paper" at 63 1-2, and "Brooklyn Rapid" at 137? This question the unhappy "outsider" is be able to answer. Who sold at and around those exaggerated figures? Suspicion certainly points to the very philanthropists who, in those palmy days of March and April, were assisting their fellow men to make their fortune on the Stock Exchange, and who, if certain oracles of the daily press could be believed, were buying for themselves and "supporting the market" against the blows of the depraved and foolish "bears."

DOMINION BANK.

The Net Earnings on the Capital Were 13 7 Per Cent. For the Past Year.

The annual statement of the Dominion Bank was issued to-day. It shows a very satisfactory result of the operations for the year ending on April 29th last, the net earning on the capital of $1,500,000 being 13.7 per cent. The statement is as follows:—

Balance of profit and loss account, 30th April, 1898		$ 32,388.05
Profit for the year ending 29th April, 1899, after deducting charges of management, etc., and making full provision for all bad and doubtful debts		205,326.09
		$237,714.14
Dividend 3 per cent., paid 1st August, 1898	$45,000.00	
Dividend 3 per cent., paid 1st November, 1898	45,000.000	
Dividend 3 per cent., paid 1st February, 1899	45,000.00	
Dividend 3 per cent., payable 1st May, 1899	45,000.00	
Written off bank premises	15,000.00	
		$195,000.00
Balance of profit and loss carried forward		$ 42,714.14

The note circulation is $1,329,038, the total deposits $15,294,042.86, of which $4,495,018 are payable on demand, and the bank has $13,524,891 in bills discounted and current, including advances on call. The annual meeting will be held at the head office on Wednesday, 31st May, at noon.

MONTREAL STOCKS.

DESCRIPTION.	May 11. Ask.	May 11. Bid.	May 10. Ask.	May 10. Bid.
Canadian Pacific Railway	98	97¾	97⅞	97¼
D.S.S.A	....	4	5¼	4¼
D.S.S. A. pfd	....	....	....	....
Commercial Cable Co	189	185	190	185
Do. Coupon Bonds	....	....	....	....
Do. Reg. Bonds	....	....	....	....
Rich. and Ont. Nav. Co	111	112½	111½	110
Cornwall Ry	....	....	....	....
M.S.R	324	323½	322½	321
M.S.R. new stock	320½	319	320	318½
Halifax Elec. Tram Co	114	....	114	....
Do do Bonds	....	....	....	....
Toronto Street Ry	117½	117¼	117¼	117
Do do Bonds	....	....	....	....
Montreal Gas Co	206	204	203½	202
Royal Electric Co	188½	187½	188½	186
Montreal Telegraph Co	175	174	178	173½
St John Ry. Co	....	....	....	....
Bell Telephone Co	185	179½	180	177½
Dom. Coal pfd	....	....	....	120
Do. Common	57	52	60	50
Do. Bonds	....	....	....	....
Montreal Cotton Co	159½	155	....	....
Canada Colored Cotton Co	....	....	....	....
Do do. Bonds	....	....	....	....
Dominion Cotton Co	113	111	113½	111
Do do Bonds	....	....	....	....
People's H. & L.	....	....	....	....
Do. do. Bonds	....	....	....	....
War Eagle	369½	368½	367	365
Bank of Montreal	....	....	....	....
Ontario Bank	....	....	....	....
Bank of British N.A	....	....	....	....
Molsons Bank	....	....	....	....
Bank of Toronto	....	....	....	....
La Banque Jacques Cartier	....	111	....	111
Merchants	174	171	174	170
Merchants' Bk. of Halifax	....	180	....	....
Bank of Nova Scotia	....	....	....	....
Eastern Townships	....	....	....	158
Quebec	....	....	....	....
LaBanque Nationale	....	....	....	....
Union	....	....	....	....
Commerce	....	....	....	....
Ville Marie	....	....	....	....
Imperial	....	215½	....	....
Hochelaga	....	150	....	150
North West Land pfd	....	....	....	....

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BUYING ORDERS FROM THE WEST

Were One of the Leading Features of the Chicago Wheat Market This Morning.

OPENS NEARLY 1ct, LOWER

Fruit Under the Hammer Brings Lower Prices Owing to Rather Wasted Condition.

THE GOSSIP OF THE "STREET."

The early prices for wheat were weak this morning, July opening 7-8c lower than last night's close, at 71 1-8c. Later on the market picked up a little and was quoted at 71 7-8c at 12.30. A wire to a local broker from Chicago says: "Charles Smith who has been so correct on wheat, says this is the day to buy. The West big buyers. Buy July corn."

Prune, in reviewing the crop situation, says: Generally speaking, we have very little to complain of with our surroundings at the end of this first week of May. Our interruptions from the weather have been only of a local character in the corn, oat and winter wheat belts. In the far Northwest there has been more or less disturbance in the shape of moisture. We have had an excellent week for ploughing for corn and the lands now are generally in excellent condition for putting in the crop. I think the coming week will see a very large proportion of the crop of 1899 in the ground. Everything points to a large acreage of corn, in excess of 1898, the acreage having been largely increased from the winter wheat lands which were ploughed up. The spring wheat crop is not yet all seeded. This situation arises from long continued heavy rains and storms, and but a small percentage of the crop has yet been gotten into the ground in the Red River Valley. In South Dakota and Minnesota the seeding is all done, the crop is coming up and promising well. There is just as much doubt to-day as there has been during the history of the winter wheat crop as to how much or how little of the winter wheat was actually killed. My opinion is that the amount that has been destroyed has not been overestimated, and the amount which is left on the ground is in all sorts of shape. We have the prospect of a late harvest.

26 MILLION ACRES.

The Amount Under Winter Wheat in the States.

About Four Millions Less Than the Area Supposed to Have Been Sown Last Fall.

Washington, D.C., May 10.—The crop report for May was issued by the Department of Agriculture to-day. It shows the acreage in winter wheat in cultivation on May 1 to have been about 259,900,000 acres. This is about four million acres less than the area estimated to have been sown last fall, but it still slightly exceeds the area of winter wheat harvested last year. For the area remaining under cultivation, the average condition is 76.2, as compared with 86.5 on May 1, 1898, and 85.9, the mean average of the last ten years. The average condition of winter rye is 86.6, as compared with 94.5 on May 1, 1898, and 90.8, the mean of the May averages for the last ten years. The average condition of meadows is 84.9, against 92.9 on May 1 of last year, and 93.4 on the corresponding date in 1897. The average condition of spring pastures is 83.5, against 91.2 on May 1, 1898, and 93.4 on the corresponding date in 1897.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

Not a Great Deal Doing in Cheese—Butter Remains About the Same.

There was a fair amount of trading at the cheese boards yesterday, at prices ranging from 9c to 9 3-8c. On spot there is very little doing, and 9c to 9 1-2c is about the range for white and colored.

Butter is without any special change. In an export way sales have been made at 15 3-4c to 16c, and boxes of creamery in a jobbing way are quoted at 16 1-2c. Dairy stock is still very quiet. An active business was done in eggs to-day, there being a good demand, and the tone of the market was steady. Sales of choice stock were made at 11c, and No. 2 at 9 1-2c to 10c per dozen.

The demand for maple product was again good, and prices rule firm. We quote: Syrup, in wood, 5 3-4c to 6c per lb.; and at 65c to 70c per tin. Sugar sold at 7 3-4c to 8c per lb.

Business in honey was quiet, and prices unchanged. We quote: White clover comb, in 1-lb. sections, 8c to 9c; dark, 6c to 7c; white extracted, 7c to 7 1-2c; and dark, at 4c to 5c.

There was no change in beans, and sales were slow. We quote: Choice handpicked, 95c to $1 per bushel, primes, 85c to 90c.

CATTLE SHIPMENTS.

Montreal in The Past Week Sent Out 3,185 Head of Cattle and 727 of Sheep.

Montreal sent 3,136 head of cattle to Europe the past week, and 727 head of sheep. The shipments in detail are shown in the following statement issued by Mr. R. Bickerdike, of the Live Stock Exchange:

	Cattle.	Sheep.
May 4—Montevidean, London	349	126
May 4—Lake Ontario, Liverpool	273	...
May 6—Numidian, Liverpool	400	...
May 6—Ikba, Liverpool	697	...
May 7—Merrimac, Bristol	561	...
May 4—Grecian, Glasgow	350	...
May 5—Amarynthia, Glasgow	246	...
May 9—Sarmatian, Glasgow	303	601
May 7—Lord Charlemont, Cardiff	157	...
Total	3,136	727

COUNTRY CHEESE.

Nine Cents and Over Was Paid at the Boards Held Yesterday Afternoon.

Picton, Ont., May 10.—The first meeting of the cheese board was held at Shire Hall here to-day. Nine factories boarded 395 boxes; 315 colored, 80 white. Highest bid, 9 1-16c; no sales; factories boarded as follows: Union Vale, 45; Ben Gill, 30; Point Traverse, 30; Cherry Valley, 40; Union, 60; Royal Street, 80; Waupoose, 50; Royal Crescent, 30; Crescent, 30.

Madoc, Ont., May 10.—Ten factories boarded 355 boxes; 150 May cheese sold at 9 cents; balance unsold. Four buyers present.

Tweed, Ont., May 10.—The Hungerford cheese board met here to-night; 190 white cheese boarded; 85 sold at 9 1-8c; 105 sold at 9 1-16c. Bird and Brintnell buyers.

Woodstock, Ont., May 10.—Cheese board met to-day for first time for season for organization, which was not fully completed, rules being discussed, but no decision arrived at. Some idea of incorporation was expressed, which will be determined later. No cheese offered on board. Aprils all sold at 9 1-4c and 9 3-8c.

Stirling, Ont., May 10.—The first meeting of the Stirling cheese board was held to-day; 255 boxes white were boarded. Hodgson Bros. bought 90 at 9 1-16c; balance unsold. Next meeting on Wednesday, 17th.

GRAIN UP WEST.

Wheat a Little Easier, But There Are no Changes of Importance in Coarse Grains.

Toronto, May 11. — Flour — Ontario patents, in bags, $3.60 to $3.70; straight rollers, $3.10 to $3.20; Hungarian patents, $3.90 to $4; Manitoba bakers', $3.60 to $3.70. Wheat—Ontario red and white easier at 68c north and west; Goose, 65c to 66c north and west; No. 1 Manitoba hard, 81c at Toronto, and No. 1 northern at 77c; prices nominal. Oats—White oats quoted at 31 1-2c to 32c west. Rye—Quoted at 54c. Barley—Quoted at 40c to 43c west. Buckwheat—Firm at 48c north and 50c east. Bran—City mills sell bran at $14.50 and shorts at $15.50 in car-lots f.o.b. Toronto. Corn—Canadian, 36c west, and American, 41c to 42c on track here. Peas—Sold at 65c west in car-lots.

BIG FRUIT SALE.

Cargo of SS, Marnock Sold Under the Hammer.

Prices Were Not Exceptionally Good For the Reason That the Stock Was Rather Poor.

The cargo of Messina, Palermo and Sorrento lemons and oranges from the steamship St. Marnock, was sold by auction by Messrs. Hart & Tuckwell at the Montreal Fruit Auction yesterday. There was a large attendance of buyers, and business was very brisk throughout the sale.

The cargo was in fair condition, only so that the prices realized were not exceptionally high. This was markedly so in the case of the oranges, all lines of which showed more or less waste. The important out-of-town dealers were not much in evidence at the sale, the principal buyers being local men.

The prices realized were: For fancy lemons, from $2.25 to $2.75; for first choice, $1.75 to $2.15, and for fair and weak lots, 60c to 1.50.

The oranges: For half boxes, 25c to $1.75, and for boxes, $1 to $3.50, were the ruling prices.

The next sale will be held on Monday, the 15th, instead of Friday, the 12th, as previously stated.

DECLINE IN STOCKS.

How Present Prices Compare With Those of Last Month.

The Break in Metropolitan Has Been Severe—B. R. T. Second and Manhattan Third.

It is interesting to note the extent of the recent decline in the Wall street list. The following table shows the highest prices for April and the lowest on the recent break:—

	High Pt. April	Low May 9	Dif. Fm. High
Atchison pfd	62½	52⅞	9⅝
Burlington	146⅜	128	18⅜
Denver pfd	80	74⅝	5⅜
Louis. & Nash	69	63⅝	5⅜
Mo. Pacific	52¼	41⅞	10⅜
Manhattan	128⅜	108⅛	20¼
Metropolitan	255½	216	39½
Northern Pacific	53⅜	47⅞	5½
Nor. Pac. pfd	79½	76½	3
Nor. & West. pfd	70⅛	65	5⅛
New Jersey	122⅛	114	8⅛
N. Y. Central	141⅝	130	11⅝
Pennsylvania	135⅞	125⅛	10⅝
Reading 1st pfd	67	55½	11½
Rock Island	118⅜	109¼	9⅛
St. Paul	129⅛	120⅜	8¾
Southern Ry., pfd	55	50⅝	4⅜
Union Pacific pfd	80½	74⅝	5⅞
A. S. W.	71¼	61½	9¾
Amer. Tin Plate	49⅛	40	9⅛
B. R. T.	135¼	114⅛	21⅛
Cent. Tobacco	65⅝	48⅜	17⅜
People's Gas	129½	117½	12
Tenn. Coal & Iron	68	56	12
F. S.	70	58½	11½
Sugar	172⅞	145⅛	27½

CAME OUT OF A TAP.

Mr. T. Desormeau of Maisonneuve Street Gets a "Blood-Snake" in a Glass of Water.

A large "bloodsucker" is what Mr. Theodore Desormeau, 135 Maisonneuve street, found in a glass of water which he drew from the tap at his house a few nights ago. Mr. Desormeau did not light the lamp to draw the water. When he turned on the water he noticed that it came as usual, at first, but in a few seconds the flow became irregular, stopped entirely, then it came as though something had burst. Mr. Desormeau says that although he found it strange, he did not take particular trouble about it, but when he placed the glass to his lips he felt a cold clammy object, and taking the glass to the light he saw the large "bloodsucker" coiled up. He didn't drink any water that night.

To Visit Canada

Messrs. Elder, Dempster & Co. have renewed the invitation which they gave last year to the Bristol Chamber of Commerce, when it was thought to be too late in the season, to take a deputation of Bristol merchants interested in the Canadian trade to Canada in one of their steamers as their guests. The council of the chamber has conferred with the Provision Importers' Association and others, and has selected a deputation of fifteen who will leave Avonmouth about May 15th, and will be absent six weeks.

Revivalists Poisoned.

Buena Vista, Ga., May 11.—A wholesale poisoning occurred at a colored revival meeting near here Monday. Among the viands provided for the delegates was a can of buttermilk, from which a dozen members drank freely. All were rendered deathly sick almost immediately, and Rev. N. Donneway died in a few hours. Two other preachers are also expected to die. It is believed the milk was poisoned from contact with the metal vessel containing it.

No person should go from home without a bottle of Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Dysentery Cordial in their possession, as change of water, cooking, climate, etc., frequently brings on summer complaint, and there is nothing like being ready with a sure remedy at hand, which oftentimes saves great suffering, and frequently valuable lives. This Cordial has gained for itself a wide spread reputation for affording prompt relief from all summer complaints.

THE STATE BALL GIVEN LAST NIGHT

A Great Social Function at Ottawa's Government House Last Evening.

WERE NEARLY 700 PRESENT

Complete List of Those Who Were Favored With Invitations to Attend.

AN OLD CUSTOM CHANGED.

Ottawa, May 11.—(Special.)—The first state ball, under the auspices of the Earl and Countess of Minto, held last evening at Rideau Hall, was an extremely brilliant affair. Almost 700 people were present, and the sight presented as the beautifully dressed ladies mingled with militia officers in their gorgeous uniforms was one of rare attractiveness.

Kang-Yu-Wei and his secretaries were amongst the lions of the hour. They were dressed in their native costumes.

Instead of their Excellencies receiving the guests in the ante-room, as is usually the custom, a new departure was inaugurated. The guests assembled in the ball room. About 10 o'clock they lined up on either side, leaving a clear space of some width down the centre. Their Excellencies thereupon entered and walked to the throne. The state quadrille was then danced.

Following is a list of the invited guests: Sir Wilfrid and Lady Laurier, Hon. A. G., Mrs. and the Misses Blair, Hon. C. Fitzpatrick and Mrs. Fitzpatrick, Hon. William Mulock, Hon. F. W. Borden and Mrs. Borden, Sir Charles and Miss Tupper, Sir Henry and Lady Strong, Sir Henri and Lady Joly de Lotbiniere, Hon. R. W. Scott, Mrs. and Miss Scott, Sir William and Lady Van Horne, Hon. Mr. Fielding, Mrs. and the Misses Fielding, Hon. Sydney Fisher, Sir Richard and the Misses Cartwright, Sir James and Lady Edgar, Hon. Mr. Tarte and the Misses Tarte, Sir John and Lady Bourinot, Hon. Geo. E. Foster, and Mrs. Foster, Hon. R. R. Dobell and Mrs. Dobell, Sir Sandford Fleming, Justice, Mrs. and Miss Lavergne, Justice King and Mrs. King, Justice and Mrs. Taschereau, Sir Louis and Lady Davies, Major-General and Mrs. Hutton, Sir Charles and Lady Hibbert Tupper, His Excellency Kang-Yu-Wei and secretaries, Sir A. P. and Lady Pelletier, Sir Oliver and Miss Mowat, Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario, Sir Hector Langevin, Sir John, Lady and Miss Carling, Hon. Mr., Mrs. and Miss Mills, Hon. C. Sifton and Mrs. Sifton, Sir A. P. and Miss Caron, Justice and Mrs. Girouard, Sir A., Lady and the Misses Lacoste, Judge and Mrs. Baby, Archbishop Duhamel, Bishop and Mrs. Hamilton, Hon. E. H., Mrs. and the Misses Bronson, Lieut.-Col., Mrs. and the Misses Prior, Hon. J. Costigan and Mrs. Costigan, Lieut.-Col. and Mrs. Irwin, Lady and Mr. A. D. Caron, Mr. Justice and Mrs. Gwynne, Mr. and Mrs. F. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Eddy and Miss Shireff, Miss Mills, Miss Pettit, Miss Nicholson, Mr. Burritt, Mr., Mrs. and Miss Fletcher, Miss McKay, the Misses Ritchie, Capt. E. F. Taylor, Dr., Mrs. and the Misses St. Jean, Mr. and the Misses Haycock, Col. Foster, Mrs. F. Brown, Major Plunket Taylor, Mr. McGregor, Mr. and Mrs. Gillies, Mr. and Mrs. Mountain, Mr. and Mrs. Philpotts, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Walsh, Mr. P. Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Howard, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Anderson, Mr. Morley Donaldson, Senator and Mrs. Poirier, Mr. W. J. Ritchie, Lt.-Col. Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. Keeley, Mr. D. Graham, Mr. and Mrs. Davin, Miss Gertrude Coates, Miss Evelyn Remon, Mr. McGugan, Mr. Frechette, Mr. and Mrs. Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. Simpson, Mr. Oliver, Mr. and Mrs. Cowan, Mr. McAlister, Mr. and Mrs. A. Pelletier, Lieut.-Col. Kaulbach, Mr. Taylor, Mr. Johnston, Miss Fitzpatrick, Mr. Henderson, Mons. Fallon, Dr. and Mrs. Beaumont Small, Miss Lilian Daintry, Mr. and Mrs. Egan, Mr. Bertram, Mr. R. G. Code, Dr., Mrs. and Miss Church, Mr. and Mrs. E. Stone Wiggins, Mr. Semple, Mrs. LeMoine, Miss Cambie, Dr. and Mrs. Coulter, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis, Mr., Mrs. and Miss Osler, Miss Cochrane, Mr., Mrs. and Miss Bethune, Mr. E. Hamilton Sharp, Mr. Morrison, Mr. Talbot, Mr., Mrs. and Miss Loucks, Mrs. Pattee, Mr. Bogert, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Beard, Mr., Mrs. and the Misses Chrysler, Mr. and Mrs. J. 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UNDER THE WINDING-UP ACT,

PROVINCE OF QUEBEC, District of Montreal. } SUPERIOR COURT —NO. 44.

Frederic Lapointe, Petitioner, and the Dewitt-Langlois Milling Company (Limited), of Montreal, a body politic and incorporate, having its place of business in the City and District of Montreal, Appellant.

An order in liquidation having been granted in this matter, a meeting of the creditors, shareholders and contributors in the said company, is hereby called for the nineteenth day of May instant, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, in the Court Room for Insolvency matters, at the Court House, in the City of Montreal, for the purpose of appointing a final liquidator of the said company.

L. H. COLLARD,
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Montreal, May 9th, 1899.

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SYNOD DEALT WITH MANY QUESTIONS

Prohibition and the Plebiscite Occupied Mnch of Their Time.

EXPRESS DISAPPOINTMENT

Rev. Dr. Robertson Delivers a Powerful Address on Christian Observance.

AN APPEAL FOR FINANCIAL AID.

Cornwall, Ont., May 11.—(Special.)—When the proceedings of the Presbyterian Synod of Montreal and Ottawa were resumed yesterday afternoon the report on Sunday schools for 1898 was presented by Col. D. Torrance Fraser, of Montreal. The presbytery returns for 1898 showed 25,068 scholars and 2,865 teachers, while those for 1897 snowed 26,602 scholars and 2,975 teachers. The contributions amounted to $14,777 in 1898, and $15,087 for 1897. Among other suggestions the report recommended:

1st. That session be asked to revise these school returns before they are forwarded, and to encourage their teachers and consult with them as much as possible.

2nd. That the instructions of the General Assembly regarding the use of its home study series of teachers' helps be followed as far as practicable.

3rd. That the systematic visitation of all their schools be recommended to all presbyteries of the Synod.

4th. That the great advantage of teachers' conventions be urged.

Col. Fraser did not think that the percentage of attendance at Presbyterian Sunday schools—twenty-four—compared well with the Methodist percentage of thirty-seven. The Rev. Dr. Armstrong presented the report on Ottawa Ladies' College. The year about to close, he said, represented a considerable improvement upon last year, and he believed that, at the present rate of increase in attendance, a new building would be required. The revenue this year had exceeded that of last year by $1,500, there being a surplus after payment of all expenses, without taking account of the guarantee fund. Attention had been paid last year to the musical department in the college, and results in the direction of the development of the institution as a Conservatory of Music had been very encouraging. The art department was also a feature. Lectures upon amateur photography, the eye, the teeth, the voice, and other subjects were given to the pupils from time to time. The reverend gentleman explained at length the work of the college as a finishing institution for Presbyterian girls. It could prepare those intending to enter the universities, but its great aim was to fit its pupils for the position to which nine women out of ten graduated, that of queen of the household. The Rev. Mr. Scott proposed a resolution expressing satisfaction with work done in the Ottawa Ladies' Presbyterian College, and took occasion to speak highly of the institution. Mr. John R. Reid seconded the motion, which was cordially agreed to with an addition expressing appreciation of the Rev. Dr. Armstrong's services. Mr. Walter Paul and the Rev. Mr. McArthur also spoke approvingly of the work of the Ladies' College.

The question of a place for the holding of next year's Synod then came up. The Rev. Mr. Scott invited the members to meet next year in Perth. The Rev. Mr. Campbell moved that Perth be selected. The Rev. Professor Ross seconded the motion, which was adopted. Discussion of the report on the church life and work was then resumed. The new report of the committee was presented favoring the following resolution, identical in terms with that of the Montreal Presbytery:

"That Court desires to record its great dissatisfaction and disappointment at the decision of the Government recently given by Sir Wilfrid Laurier, not to take any action in regard to prohibition, thereby giving effect to the will of the majority, as expressed in the vote taken by the recent plebiscite, and are not at all satisfied with the reasons given for refusal to act."

The Rev. Prof. Ross moved the referring back of the resolution. It had too political a tone. It merely found fault with the Government without showing what course the Government should have adopted. It would be sufficient for the Synod to re-affirm its position on the question of prohibition. The Rev. Mr. Cruikshank seconded the Rev. Prof. Ross' motion. He believed that the Government would not have been justified in the premises in adopting a prohibitory law. The effect on the Province of Quebec would, he believed, have been unfortunate. He was in favor of promoting the growth of temperance sentiment by every proper means, but he did not believe that much could be effected by legislation. The Rev. Mr. Scott moved that the question be referred back to a special committee, comprising the Rev. Prof. Ross, the Rev. Mr. Cruikshank, Mr. Walter Paul, the Rev. Mr. Elder and himself, with instructions to prepare a suitable resolution.

The Rev. Mr. Kenneth MacDonald seconded the motion. He did not think any motion censuring the Government could be adopted peacefully in the Synod. Great care should be taken not to bring in a resolution which might offend the political sympathies of anyone. He was an old Grit. (Laughter.)

Mr. Walter Paul declined to act on the committee. It would be no use. The Rev. Dr. Armstrong thought they should thresh the question out there and then. The Rev. Mr. Scott's motion was finally agreed to, Mr. Paul agreeing to withdraw his refusal to act. An overture was next presented from the Ottawa Assembly, favoring the adoption of the principle of freeing the Moderator of the Synod from pastoral duties during his term of incumbency, so that he could eercise a general superintendence over the interests of the Presbyterian body within the limits of the Synod. Dr. Armstrong spoke in favor of the overture. The proposal was in the direction of increasing the executive powers of the church with a view to action in emergencies. He moved the adoption of the overture and its transmission to the General Assembly. The Rev. Mr. Campbell seconded the motion, which was agreed to.

The Rev. Mr. Dewey presented the report on ecclesiastical co-operation and education. The report upon the former subject excited some discussion. The Rev. Mr. Armstrong pointed to difficulty in the way of effective ecclesiastical co-operation owing to difference in modes of church organization. The Rev. Mr. Heine believed that money should not be expended in the home field when a congregation, numbering not more than say ten families, could have its spiritual needs satisfied by attendance at the service of the local Methodist or Anglican Church. The Rev. Dr. Robertson said the question was a troublesome one, and ought to be brought before the General Assembly and definitely settled. He pointed out that missions were often established in small places when it was found that growth was rapid. It was good policy to seize strategic points and hold them. It was always well to get in early into rising centres. With failing centres it was different.

The report was finally adopted with a resolution expressing satisfaction at the good understanding between the Presbyterian and Methodist Churches, preventing duplication of work. The Rev. Mr. Dewey then read the report on education which bore the signature of the convener of the committee, the Rev. Prof. Scrimger. The Province of Quebec, it said, had long borne the unhappy reputation of being the most illiterate province of the Dominion, and there was still vast room for improvement.

Official reports spoke of inferior buildings, inadequate equipment, ill-trained and poorly-paid teachers, irregular attendance, and a sad want of interest on the part of parents. But there were not wanting encouraging signs. The total expenditure in the Province for school purposes for last year was $3,055,771, of which the Government contributed $447,650, a considerable increase.

The chief new terms in the Government grant were $53,000 in special sums to teachers and $10,000 for poorer municipalities. Under the Education Bill of last session a further appropriation would hereafter be made for free school books. This, if made effective, would remove one of the most serious hindrances to real success. The chief improvement during the year had been the raising of the standing of teachers' qualifications. Both Catholic and Protestant boards had taken steps to provide for this. The great weakness of the whole system was still the smallness of the salaries allowed to the great majority of teachers in the elementary schools. A regulation of the Catholic Board establishing a minimum of $100, had had to be withdrawn, owing to impossibility of enforcement. Until the people were ready to tax themselves more heavily than was the case at present, the schools throughout the country could never be placed on a satisfactory basis.

It might be worth considering whether the breaking up of the municipalities as they now existed into separate school sections, as in Ontario, might not have a good effect. When this report had been read and adopted, the Rev. Mr. Scott presented the resolution drafted by the special committee on temperance. "In a matter," he said, "that you placed in our hands a few moments ago, a matter on which unfriendly eyes are looking at the present time, and unfriendly persons would be very much delighted if this court of our church were turned into a bear garden, and we were to afford amusement for outsiders, and afford subject for a great many persons, and newspapers as well, who take very little interest in our work, it is to me a very delightful thing, and I hope it will be a very great pleasure to you when I present you this report."

He then moved the following resolution. That the strong temperance sentiment happily obtaining through the Synod be fostered and strengthened in every wise and Scriptural manner until the liquor traffic shall have entirely ceased, and the Synod further expresses its gratitude to God for the expression of public sentiment in favor of prohibition in the plebiscite of last September, and regrets that the Government did not feel itself warranted in giving effect to this sentiment in some form of legislation.

The Rev. Dr. Campbell seconded the resolution. He thought, however, that it would have been a more graceful thing if the Premier had stated the thing as it was and not as he had wanted to put it. All the Provinces but one had given majorities for prohibition. The Rev. Mr. McLeod said he was a Liberal, but if Sir Charles Tupper or Mr. Foster pledged himself to respect the voice of the people given in a constitutional way, he would transfer his support. He would like the Synod to affirm that the Government's reasons for not acting were not satisfactory. Constitutional usage was at stake.

When a matter was submitted to the voice of the people, the will of the majority should be carried out. The Rev. Mr. McArthur said he would be forgetful of his duty if he did not express his views. It was now time to adjourn, and the question was whether the debate should be continued after recess. The Rev. Mr. Scott thought it would not be wise to amend the resolution. The resolution had been unanimously adopted by the committee. Mr. Paul said the resolution had been the result of a compromise The Rev. Dr. Campbell thought it went far enough. The resolution was then adopted and Synod took recess.

At the beginning of the evening session, the Rev. Mr. Hastie was presented with an address on behalf of his congregation, congratulating him upon his unanimous election to the Moderatorship. The address was accompanied by a handsome gold-headed cane.

The rev. gentleman made an appropriate reply, and the Rev. Dr. Campbell also thanked the donors on behalf of the Synod which they had honored by honoring its Moderator. The Rev. Prof. Ross then read a paper on "Worship." In the course of a scholarly consideration of his subject in many of its aspects, the rev. gentleman made a strong plea for congregational singing, and hoped that efforts would be made to revive this mode of worship, at the expense, if necessary, of the choir. He examined with care the arguments pro and con, liturgy and free prayer. He showed that the latter form of devotion, full of recommendation as it was, had an inevitable tendency to repetition often wearisome. The ideal prayer would combine the freshness of the extempore with the grace and felicity of expression of the more formal style. The study of the best models might aid in the ministers striving towards this desirable goal.

The Rev. A. H. Scott read a valuable paper on "Preaching the Word," with special reference to expository preaching.

An address was next delivered by the Rev. Dr. Robertson, superintendent of North-West missions, one of the ex-moderators of the General Assembly. He spoke of the work of the Presbyterian Church in the West. He dwelt upon the need for funds to carry on mission work, and painted a glowing picture of the wealth of the western country. In the schools of Winnipeg, he said, the children spoke seventeen different languages. In the settlement of Whitewood laws had to be translated into thirteen different languages before they were fully understood. All kinds of people were coming into the country, and the question was what to do with them. Did they want Western Canada to be like the Western States with their drinking, gambling, lewdness, lynching and vileness of all kinds? Let them remember that the German loved the British flag no more out here than at home. So with the Finn, the Magyar, the Mormon and others. The only plan was to assimilate these people. The Mormons did not observe the law, if reliable accounts were to be believed. The Mormon went to Canada with his wives, the first posing as his lawful wife and the others as his servants. The average Mormon family had twenty or twenty-two children. In Ontario the average was now two to a family, less than in France. Old times were changed, old manners gone. (Laughter). He mentioned these things to show the danger which threatened, and the necessity of meeting them. The rev. gentleman concluded an interesting address with a strong appeal for financial aid. At the conclusion a cordial resolution of thanks was passed to Dr Robertson, including a pledge on the part of those present to use due diligence for the support of the work.

CHAS. ENNIS' DEATH

A Chicago Man Accidentally Shoots Himself and His Body is to Brought Home.

There arrived at Bonaventure station Tuesday night the body of the late Charles Ennis, of Chicago, who met death on Monday under very sad circumstances. Mr. Ennis was examining a revolver when it accidentally went off, and fatally wounded him. Mr. Ennis had left Montreal about ten years ago, and in his last moments expressed a desire to be buried in his old home. The remains were met at the station by relatives and the funeral is taking place this afternoon.

FELL SIXTY FEET

And Was Killed on the Rocks in the Magog River.

Sherbrooke, Que., May 10.—(Special.)—Joseph Z. Tousignant, carpenter, was drowned in the Magog river at 7.30 this morning. He was employed by G. G. Bryant and was working on the bridge crossing the Magog near the C.P.R. station. The point where he fell is fully sixty feet above water. He was crossing the trestle work with a beam, when he slipped and fell. He is said to have fallen on the rocks and to have been killed instantly. He was well known in Sherbrooke and a prominent member of several fraternal societies. He leaves a widow and three children. The body had not been recovered at noon.

Y.M.C.A. Notes.

The forty-eighth annual meeting of the association will be held on Tuesday evening next, the 16th inst., at eight o'clock, in the building, Dominion square.

Reports of the year's work will be presented by the secretary and treasurer and the various committees, and seven directors will be electd to serve on the board.

Special interest attaches to this meeting in view of Mr. Budge having recently completed his twenty-fifth year of service as general secretary of the association. A complimentary banquet is being tendered him on Thursday evening, the 18th inst., by the board of directors on behalf of the members and business men.

Rev. Dr. Theodore Cuyler, of Brooklyn, N.Y., and Mr. R. C. Morse, secretary of the International Committee, New York City, will be present. It is also expected that John R. Mott, chairman of the World's Student Christian Federation, who is well-known to many Montrealers, will also be present.

Mr. Budge leaves on the 20th for a visit to England and Scotland during the summer months.

Rev. J. Merton Smith will address the Young Men's meeting on Saturday night at 8 o'clock. Mr. Smith is an attractive and forceful speaker. All young men cordially invited.

Interments for the Week.

There were 114 interments in the city cemeteries last week 98 in the Roman Catholic, 13 in Mount Royal, and three in the Hebrew cemeteries. Among the principal causes of death were the following: Diphtheria, 4; diphtheritic croup, typhoid, whooping cough, pneumonia, gri[illegible], 2 each; croup, scarlatina, bronchial pneumonia, 1 each; infantile debility, 28; consumption, 19; bronchitis, 5; congestion of the lungs, 4.

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SIR WILLIAM ESCAPED.

He Went Out West to Get Away from the Trying Season in Montreal.

Vancouver, B.C., May 10.—Sir William Van Horne and party arrived to-night from Seattle. The president of the C.P.R. has been enjoying a short holiday in California.

Sir William stated to-night that he expected the new Boundary Creek extension of the Columbia & Western Railway will be opened on July 15.

He declares he is out here entirely on a pleasure trip. He came west to escape the trying season of the year in Montreal.

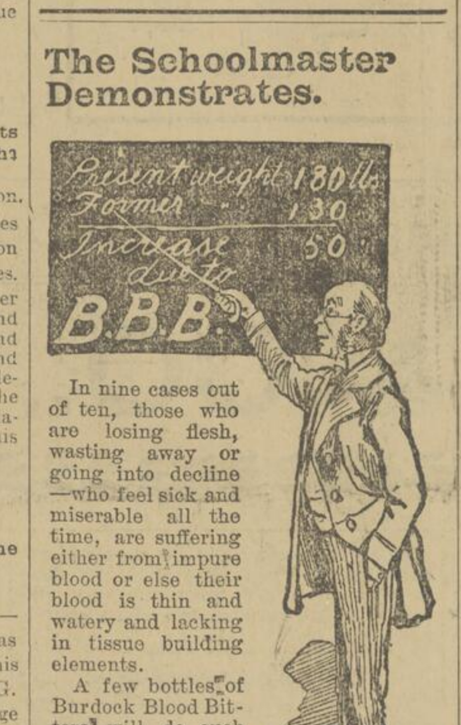
Safety in Dawson City.

The special correspondent for the Toronto Globe in Dawson writes a letter, in which a high tribute is paid to the Mounted Police. He claims that Dawson's streets are safer at night than those of Toronto. Even the saloons are closed more tightly on Sunday than those of Toronto, and there has not been a single shooting scrape and not even a street fight. Col. Steele, he says, should be given a special vote of thanks by Parliament. There is a daily postal service, for which improvement Col. Steele is partly responsible. Col. Steele promised at the beginning of the season that no man should starve to death in the city this winter, and he has kept his word. Col. Steele has located every crook in Dawson, and there are many of them there. The police have been able to accomplish this only because they are respected, and they are respected only because they are totally incorruptible in spite of the charges made against them.

Westmount Clerk Missing.

John Watson, a clerk in the shipping office of Mr. T. R. McCarthy, Board of Trade Building, has been missing from his home in Westmount since Monday night. His parents believe that he has been lured to take passage on a lumber barge which sailed for Quebec on Tuesday morning, by a fast companion. The young man's character is said to be good, his habits steady and industrious, and no reason can be given for his leaving home. He was in no difficulty that was known of. On Monday he worked as usual, and came home to supper. About eight o'clock he went out. Since then he has neither returned nor sent any word.

The Schoolmaster Demonstrates.



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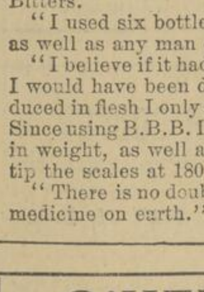

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May 18 ..	NEW ENGLAND ..	May 31, 3.30p.m.

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May 20	RUAPEHU	June 7

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TO HOUSEKEEPERS.

All housekeepers interested in this column are invited to contribute recipes. Only favorite, true and tried ones must be sent, and great care should be taken that all directions for mixing ingredients, etc., be very explicit. Mere skeletonized recipes, such as some cook books give, are not desirable. Hints on the care of flowers and household information in general will be gladly received.—Address "Cuisine," Herald Office.

What a great big beautiful world it becomes under the influence of a little kindly bit of personal encouragement, and what a dark and gloomy dungeon the globe resolvs itself into when we are allowed to struggle on day in and day out without a single figurative pat on the back or a friendly lift over some of the difficult spots on life's journey.

Women especially are like flowers in their eager hunt for light and sunshine. Take the employe in the shop or office, for instance. If she works at her daily round in a sort of gray atmosphere of unvarying monotony she soon becomes a machine, and what tasks are to be performed are done in a perfunctory, half-hearted fashion. If, on the other hand, her efforts are noted and encouraged she will almost break her neck to do more to please. She will even lie awake nights planning for the financial advancement of her employer through the medium of her own effort in his behalf.

There is not half the danger of her becoming unduly elated over praise as there is in bestowing it upon a man. She does not think that as soon as her work is commended she can demand a higher salary or seek a more lucrative position. No, indeed; she but feels the closer drawn to the one who has given her an incentive for better work and more work. Those who in this world are placed in positions where there are women in their employ would realize this feminine characteristic perhaps they would be induced from motives of self-interest, if by nothing else, to relax a little from their frigid dignity and reserve and scatter a few seeds of kindness that would grow into glorious plants of gratitude and ambition from which they could pluck the ripened fruit of devotion and interest that only reach perfection in the atmosphere of encouragement.

CHILDREN'S COUGHS QUICKLY CURED.

Hard to keep the children from catching cold—will run out of doors not properly wrapped—get wet feet—kick the bed clothes off at night.

What's mother going to do about it?

Mustn't neglect the children's Coughs and Colds—might end in Croup—and Croup end fatally or weaken the lungs for life.

Most mothers now give their children Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup.

It's nice to take, and cures all kinds of Coughs and Colds more quickly and effectually than any remedy known.

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HERE AND THERE.

The Kaiser has in his time played many parts, and has not always thereby endeared himself to his subjects. But his latest role ought to make him very popular with a large section of the community, for it is that of good fairy to poor relations. The Emperor has decreed that in future no charitable institutions are to accept legacies without first obtaining his consent. Furthermore, he has expressed the opinion that no wealthy persons with poor relations ought to leave their money outside the family circle. This practically means that irascible uncles and disagreeable maiden aunts will not be permitted to enrich institutions while their kith and kin lack means. This is, of course, very well from the poor relations' point of view, but the German nation must tremble to think what their Emperor may do next. He may possibly decide that every man shall be bound to entertain his mother-in-law for so many weeks per annum, or that no party shall be given to which all the members of the host's family are not bidden.

Sun bonnets of every description are seen in the shops and exchanges, and there is no doubt that they are to be the rage. The average outdoor girl must possess at least half a dozen of these creations. In the country they are indispensable. Sometimes she fashions them herself, but this is no small task, and requires time and taste and skill.

Nothing could be more becoming and picturesque than some of the lovely combinations of muslin, lace and ribbon which are already shown. They are in plain colors, or flowered in bright or pale colors, to suit every taste. Some are soft and drooping, and others are made on stiffened forms. They have strings, or they have not, but the strings, if there, are unlikely ever to be tied. It would seem to indicate that the summer girl intends to pay some regard to her complexion, and not go hatless in the sun, as she did last season.—New York Herald.

It would be hard to find in all Germany a Princess who is not a good cook and housekeeper. For more than a hundred years the daughters of rulers in Germany have been carefully trained in these arts. Empress Augusta Victoria took lessons in cooking when she was a young girl, and she was also so skilled as a dressmaker that even after she became Empress she had her attire made under her own personal supervision. Grand Duchess Louise of Baden told her only daughter, Princess Victoria, wife of the Crown Prince of Sweden, never to forget that "every woman, whether she lives in a palace or a cottage, should be a careful housekeeper and a perfect cook." Princess Victoria did not forget this lesson, and there are few better housekeepers or cooks than she is.

Old and Odd Sayings.

Not always the newest things are the best. Both in dress, speech and habit, many extremely old fashions, sayings and customs have a sort of staple value. The following sentences embody some of these ideas:

Never put off till to-morrow what you can do to-day.

Never trouble another for what you can do yourself.

Never spend your money before you have it.

Never buy what you don't want because it is cheap.

Pride costs more than hunger, thirst or cold.

We seldom report of having eaten too little.

Nothing is troublesome that we do willingly.

How much pain the evils have cost us that have never happened!

Take things always by the smooth handle.

When angry count ten before you speak; if very angry, a hundred.

THE CUISINE.

Some Good Recipes Specially Prepared for The Herald.

Velvet Cream.

Soak a quarter of an ounce of gelatine in just enough milk to cover it. When soft, pour over it half a pint of boiling milk, flavor and sweeten to taste; stir till dissolved; when cooled, add the beaten yolk of an egg, and beat all together; line the bottom of a glass dish with a layer of apricot preserve a quarter of an inch thick; when the cream is nearly set pour it slowly over the preserve; when set, ornament he surface with dots of jam, and serve.

Mrs. B. D. A.

Mock Cherry Pie.

One cup cranberries cut in halves, one large cup sugar, one tablespoonful flour, one scant cup boiling water, one teaspoon vanilla. Bake with two cruts. Peggy.

To preserve lemon juice—When lemons are cheap it is a good plan to preserve the juice. This is easily done. Squeeze the lemons, strain the juice, and put it into a cleaned lined saucepan. Bring the juice to the boiling point, and pour into bottles. The bottles must be perfectly clean and dry, and must be heated on the rack over the stove before the liquid is poured into them. Cork the bottles with new corks, and pour melted rosin or sealing wax to exclude the air. Keep in a dark, dry place.

Mrs. W. X.

To prepare feathers for pillows, first make a newspaper bag by tacking a whole paper round the edges when it is folded in half. Fill this with feathers, securing the end by tacking it along flat. Place this in a baker's oven every night for about a week, so that all moisture is dried out. Then pick over every big feather, and tear off the down on either side, throwing away the quill. Cut off the sharp end of all smaller quills. This is a tedious process, but one that is productive of excellent results. It should be done in an empty room without a carpet. Mrs. G. B.

Daily Hints to Housekeepers

FRIDAY—MAY 2.

Home is a gateway to a higher sphere,
Guard it with love and fill it with good cheer.

BREAKFAST — Fruit. Oatmeal and Cream. Dropped Eggs on Toast. Doughnuts. Coffee.

DINNER—Fried Pickerel. Boiled Potatoes. Spinach. Stewed Macaroni with Cheese. Apple Jelly. Oatmeal Pudding.

SUPPER—Stewed Canned Tomatoes on Toast Potato Balls. Rolls. Baked Rhubarb. Tea.

STEWED MACARONI WITH CHEESE.

Boil one quarter of a pound of macaroni in boiling water until tender, then drain. Put two tablespoons of flour into a saucepan, add one cup of milk, two tablespoons of cream, one-half tablespoon of mustard, one-half pound of grated cheese and one teaspoon of salt. Put the pan over the fire and let the mixture come to a boil, add the macaroni and cook for ten minutes.

OATMEAL PUDDING.

One cup of cooked oatmeal, one quart of new milk, one cup of sugar, two eggs, a piece of butter the size of an egg, and a little cinnamon. Bake in a moderate oven and serve hot.

Suggestions for Purifying the Streets.

The Provincial Board of Health has passed a long list of resolutions calling the attention of the City Council to the dirty condition of the lanes, and suggesting that a uniform receptacle for house refuse be adopted, and that the lanes be taken over by the city after having been paved at the expense of the proprietors directly concerned. It was decided to represent to the City Council, at its meeting on Friday, that the strict observance of a by-law prohibiting the throwing in the streets of papers and sweepings as is constantly done in Montreal would contribute very efficiently to the maintenance of its cleanliness.

St. John Ambulance Class.

The results of the examinations of the Victoria Rifles St. John Ambulance class, which were held in the officers' messroom in the armory, Cathcart street, on Saturday last, were given out yesterday. The examining officer, Gilbert P. Girdwood, M.D., M.R.C.S., late surgeon in Her Majesty's Life Guards, and the lectures for the class, Surgeon-Major H. S. Birkett, M.D., P.S., and Lieut.-Surgeon H. B. Yates, B.A., M.D., being present. The highest marks taken were eighty-seven per cent., the results being in order of merit as follows: F. Brush, H. W. Malaba, J. E. Vennor, J. McLennan, F. Gascoigne, F. A. Adams, C. Adams, J. Newton, R. Patton, R. F. Harrison, C. Richet, P. Hay, Stewart A. Thompson, S. Matthewson, J. Jeffrey, A. Guffir, A. Esdon, Hammell and G. Howell.

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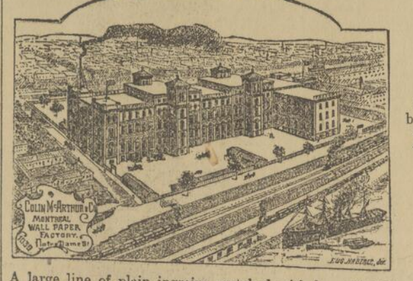

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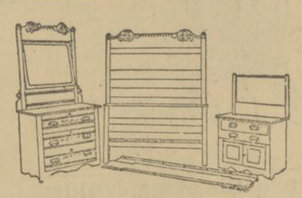

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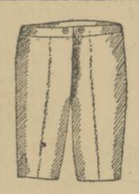

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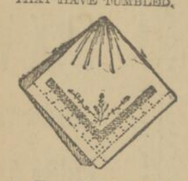

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MR. COMSTOCK'S TRIUMPHAL ENTRY

Brockville's Four Hundred Saw Him Take His Seat in Parliament.

THE GALLERIES CHEERED.

Mr. Speaker Reproved the Fair Enthusiasts and the House Laughed.

NEWS FROM THE YUKON.

(Staff Correspondence of The Herald.)

Mr. Comstock, the new member for Brockville, enjoyed the full sweetness of his victory yesterday, when, amid the cheers of the Liberal members, he took his seat in the House of Commons. Brockville's four hundred thronged the galleries, dressed in smart spring hats and suits and wearing dainty red badges. Every eye was bent upon the modest-looking man who had won Brockville for Liberalism as he shook the hand of the Speaker and proceeded to his place. Cheer followed cheer. At last there was a pause. Someone said encore, and the applause burst forth louder than ever. Indeed the enthusiasm spread to the galleries, where every eye sparkled. Several of Brockville's fair ones forgot decorum in their enthusiasm, and handkerchiefs were waved and hands were clapped. The Speaker was compelled to recite the rule of the House upon the point. The guilty ones blushed and the members on the floor laughed, and the circumstance heightened the glory of the member-elect. Mr. Comstock has cause to remember his advent to the Canadian House of Commons.

Among the visitors in the Speaker's Gallery later in the day were Kang Yu Wei and his associates in the Chinese deputation who formed part of Miss Edgar's party.

Mr. John Charlton's bill changing the age of consent from sixteen to eighteen was passed on a division of 68 to 29.

Mr. Casey was prepared to allow his bill regarding drainage on and across railways, to go to a special committee as suggested by the Minister of Railways, in the hope that it would be fairly dealt with. The discussion was still in course at recess, and the fate of the bill still hangs in the balance.

Ogilvie's Report Coming.

Further information comes daily from the Yukon, only to still further discredit Sir Hibbert Tupper's tale of woe. Yesterday Mr. Jno. L. Rees, proprietor of the Yukon Sun, and of the Illustrated Klondike Miner, arrived in the city bearing despatches to the Minister of the Interior from Commissioner Ogilvie. To the Herald correspondent Mr. Rees stated that the investigation into the alleged grievances in the Yukon had been progressing with all despatch, and that the official report might now be expected at any time. Of the fairness of Mr. Ogilvie's methods he spoke in the highest terms, emphatically stating that every opportunity had been given to the people of the district to state their cases without reserve. Mr. Rees confirmed the now accepted opinion regarding the Klondike Nugget pair, to whom so much countenance was given by the Opposition leaders. As an evidence of the scant regard in which Messrs. Semple and Allen are held by the people of Dawson City, he quoted the fact that when these two worthies had made their now notorious appeal for funds to aid them in carrying their schemes through Parliament, the request had been received with deaf ears. The people had no faith in the pair and were confident that the Government would do all that was fair and reasonable Speaking of the royalty question, Mr. Rees gave it as his opinion that the increase of the exemption to $5,000 would go far towards allaying the complaint in that matter.

Royal Society Meeting.

The programme of the May meeting of the Royal Society of Canada was issued yesterday. The meeting commences on Monday, May 22nd, and continues until May 25th. On the evening of the opening day the council will meet in the office of the honorary secretary, Sir John Bourinot, and during the following days a number of interesting addresses will be delivered on scientific and literary subjects.

For Thorough Consideration.

Sir Henri Joly de Lotbiniere is one of those who think that when a question is being presented for the consideration of the Government, it is often well that each side should be heard in the hearing of the other. Yesterday Mr. Edgar A. Wills, secretary of the Toronto Board of Trade, introduced a deputation of tanners, who waited upon Sir Henri to urge the necessity of compulsory inspection of hides. Another deputation to present the contrary view is on its way, and Sir Henri has proposed that both sides of the question be considered at a subsequent meeting. The deputation opposing the proposal is headed by Mr. Lareau of Montreal and Mr. Drolet of Quebec.

Brothers Guilty of Robbery.

Sweetsburg, May 11.—(Special.)—Henry Royen and Isaiah Royen, two brothers, and both young men, sons of worthy and respectable parents, were sent up for trial on Wednesday by Justice of the Peace Boright, on the charge of stealing a large quantity of grain from the granary of John Corey, a farmer and blacksmith of West Brome, on the night of April 4th last. High Constable Galer made the arrests last Friday, and since then the prisoners have confessed to a number of other burglaries which the High Constable has brought to light. There is a suspicion that others are implicated.

The Turn of the Tide.

The Detroit Tribune of the 9th inst. says: "Fifty good, solid-looking settlers from Ohio and Michigan left the Union depot last night for Western Canada. They had a car-load of baggage. M. V. MacInnes, the general Canadian Government agent, accompanied them.

SHE MAY LOSE HER REASON

Wife of the Unfortunate Quebec Conductor in a Sad Plight.

A Moonshiner Fined $500 and Six Months' Imprisonment—Other Quebec Notes.

Quebec, May 10.—(Special.)—Arbor Day was celebrated here to-day. All the public buildings and many private houses flew flags, and the city presented quite a gala appearance. At 10.30 the official ceremony of tree planting took place in the grounds of the Quebec jail. Lieutenant-Governor Jette and all the Provincial Ministers in town took part. In all seventy-five trees were planted. Many prominent Quebec ladies and gentlemen assisted at the ceremony. The trees were planted under the direction of Mr. Cholet, the gardener of Spencerwood.

The contracts for the construction of the Great Northern Railway line have been let, and the road is to be finished by July, 1900. The Warren Schart Company, of New York, are to build a branch line from the main line to Shawinigan Falls, where extensive electrical works will be established. These works involve an expenditure of over $300,000.

At the inquest on the death of Horan, the Q.D.R. conductor, Delaney, the motorman, was accused of carelessness. Mr. Delaney is so affected over the accident that he is likely to leave the city. The wife of the unfortunate conductor is completely prostrated, and it is feared will lose her reason. There will be a heavy suit for damages brought against the company by the brothers of the late conductor.

In the Police Court to-day a moonshiner named Edward Lapointe was sentenced to a $500 fine and six months' imprisonment.

The Globe Rubber Company robberies are being investigated. The enquiry will not conclude before Friday night.

Lady Minto will arrive at the Chateau to-morrow evening.

"Another Longueuiler."

Editor of The Herald:

Sir,—The statement which was made in your columns of yesterday at the end of the communication signed "Longueuiler," as to the reasons assigned by the Richelieu Company for not running the steamer Hosana, was owing "that to begin sooner would entail too much expense, as the traffic in the opening weeks of the season is not sufficient to warrant the running of two boats to Longueuil." This statement, made to your representative, is certainly quite aside from the facts, and must be taken cum grano salis, and wants to be substantiated. There never was a season wherein the volume of business between Longueuil and the city has been so great as "in the opening weeks of this season." It seems to be a preconcerted plan between the Richelieu Company and the Montreal Street Railway Company to put off the running of the Hosana from Longueuil to Jacques Cartier wharf as long as possible and not considering the wants of the public, who provide the dividends for the shareholders of Richelieu stock. The grand high chief of the one company is the grand mogul of the other company, and the public suffers and pays. An opposition boat, and such is proposed, would soon bring matters to a climax.

Yours respectfully,
Another Longueuiler.

Longueuil, May 11, 1899.

The City's Financial Condition.

For the benefit of financial men who may be tendering for the new civic loans, which will be placed upon the markets in a few days, City Comptroller Dufresne has prepared the following statement of the city's financial condition on May 1st:—

Total amount of bonded debt.	$23,744,400
Total amount of floating debt (cash on hand deducted)...	2,324,188
Total amount of annual interest,...	1,076,926
Assessed value of taxable real estate...	142,223,500
Assessed value of exempted property.....	36,160,845
Rate of tax existing 1	per cent.
Amount of taxes per annum from all sources.....	3,078,839
Value of city assets (besides sewers, etc.).....	17,000,000
Value of water-works.....	8,800,000
Revenue from water-works.	777,000
Present population.....	260,000
Population, 1891.....	216,650

The Nelson Monument Fund.

The treasurer of the Nelson monument restoration fund is in receipt of a subscription of $10 from Royal Rose Lodge, No. 147, Sons of England Benefit Society of Lachine Locks, Que. This is a very handsome contribution from an out-of-town lodge.

It is expected that the committee in charge of the restoration fund will be able, in a few days, to announce the beginning of the work.

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Rob Thousands of the Pleasures of Life.

Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets Cure Nervous Headaches, and Make Life Worth Living — They Remove the Cause of the Trouble Quickly and Completely.

What's the use of suffering from those terrible Nervous Headaches when you need not do so?

Who would be poor, if he could get rich for fifty cents?

Who would endure the agony of Nervous Headache, when he can get certain relief for fifty cents

Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets cost only fifty cents a box, and will cure absolutely, thoroughly, positively, permanently, the worst Nervous Headache that ever tortured poor humanity

This is no idle, baseless boast.

It is truth—plain, simple, homely, honest truth.

If you suffer from Nervous Headache, buy a box of Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets, and you will realize the happiness of relief.

How do Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets cure Nervous Headache?

Simply by removing the cause of the trouble.

In nine hundred and ninety-nine cases out of every thousand, Nervous Headache is caused by bad digestion.

Make the digestion perfect, and the Nervous Headache will vanish just as surely as a scaffold falls when its supports are removed.

Now Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets make digestion perfect. They themselves digest the food.

That's how they cure Nervous Headache.

Try a box and be convinced. To try them is to be cured; to be cured is, surely, to be convinced.

Women

We must aver, not without sadness, that this end of a century, so fruitful in every kind of discoveries, is calamitous for woman whose ailments are incessantly increasing, while she becomes weaker every day. Even our Canadian women, formerly so renowned for their beauty and their splendid complexion, an evidence of good health, are nowadays for the most part anaemic. Their features are still worth admiring, but their pallor and the pain feeling impressed on their faces appeal more to pity than to admiration.

How many young mothers are now worn out after having brought up two or three children, when our own mothers were still strong and full of energy after having settled in life twelve children or so.

And that is why high spirits are so often banished of new firesides. No appetite at meals; between meals, headaches, faintness, no more energy, no inclination for the care of the house. At the end of the month, the baker's and the butcher's bills may not be very heavy, but the doctor's and the druggist's bills are crushing.

Suffering women, bear in mind that exhaustion is most of the time caused by fatigues which have deprived you of your appetite, thus preventing the repairing of your strength. Hence all your troubles and miseries.

You must break the fatal circle in which you turn. A tonic, the marvellous effects of which are everywhere experienced, is now offered to you at a small price and in a shape that renders it easy to take. Try it. Do you doubt its power? Try it; we ask nothing else, being sure that having experienced the beneficent result of one box only you will continue using it until completely cured, when you will recommend it to your friends.

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In use in the Paris Hospitals.

Highly recommended by the most celebrated doctors in Europe.

Formula attested by the firm Auge, of Lyons, one of the most important in Europe for the manufacture of pharmaceutical products. Each box of Granules Le Moyne bears their certificate,

PRINCIPAL USES.

Anæmia, Neurasthenia, General Debility, Nervous Prostration, Lost Manhood Power, Chronic Inflammations in Women, etc., etc.

Sold by all Druggists, 50c a box of 50 pills. Three boxes for $1.25.

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SOLE AGENT.

NATIONAL PHARMACY,

216 St. Lawrence Street, Montreal.

Men.

Whose practical sense has been formed early by the struggle for life and the bustle of business, men who are troubled and uneasy about your wives' sickness, about the pains they are incessantly complaining of, and which prevent them enjoying with you all the sweetness of life; men who are looking with sadness on your children's pallor and debility; men who, perhaps, suffer yourselves with general weakness, who have lost that physical energy and that liking of work so urgently necessary for supplying to the ever-increasing wants of your families. Men, be of a practical mind. Stop and consider an instant the reasons why you must buy and try the "Le Moyne Granules."

In former times, through ignorance, people, and even physicians, trusted quack doctors which they were afraid of and took preparations very often prejudicial to their health, but which possessed in their eyes an occult power in reason of their secret formulas.

In our day, science has made such progress that it would be impossible to find a man ignorant enough to neglect Roux's serum in diphtheria. We now understand we must rely upon science. Well, now, Le Moyne's Granules are the result of long years of work, and all the medical authorities who speak with sincerity acknowledge their admiration of the formula. All agree to pronounce them a marvellous tonic. This should be sufficient to induce you to try them; that is all we ask. Try a box, one only, and you will soon see your wife's cheeks blooming with health and joy, order and abundance, will come back to your fireside.

Death of Color-Sergeant Noton.

The funeral of the late Color-Sergeant John Noton, who died at Hochelaga a few days ago, took place on Tuesday afternoon. Noton, who was 75 years of age, enlisted in the Royal Artillery in 1848, and after twenty-one years' service retired with a pension and medals for good conduct, long service and bravery. He saw service in the Crimean War and was for several months in the trenches. Major Penn (well known to old Montrealers) was his senior officer in the Royal Artillery, "D" Battery, which was in barracks at Hochelaga at the time of Noton's retirement from the service. By strict attention to his duties he was promoted to the position of color sergeant. He leaves a widow (his second marriage) and three daughters, Mrs. W. K. Roy, of Coral, Wyoming; Mrs. Davis and Miss Noton, to mourn his loss.

Death of Mr. J. P. Mowatt.

The death is announced at the Royal Victoria Hospital of Mr. J. P. Mowatt, a prominent merchant and lumber dealer of Campbellton, N.B. Mr. Mowatt, who has been in the hospital about four weeks suffering from a general break-down of the system, died yesterday morning. He was about fifty years of age. Some seven years ago Mr. Mowatt, who was always a very active man, was removing some goods from a burning I. C. R. warehouse, at Campbellton, N.B., when on rolling a barrel containing varnish, the liquid exploded, and the whole burning contents were spread over him. He was taken from Campbellton to the Montreal General Hospital for treatment. Both his ears were burned off, one eye was destroyed, and the healing skin subsequently grew over the remaining eye. His body was conveyed by rail from Montreal last night for interment at Campbellton.

THE S. CARSLEY CO. LIMITED.

Notre Dame Street. Montreal's Greatest Store. May 11th, 1899.

SILK DRESS WAIST SALE

The sale of about 320 dainty Silk Waists will form the most interesting event in To-morrow's long list of special offerings. The Silks came to us from one of the largest silk weavers in Lyons, and our Silk Waist chief had them made into a variety of Parisian styles—many of them rivalling the creations of Parisian artistes.

320 SILK WAISTS

Regular Value $4.50. FRIDAY, $2.25.

Pretty SILK WAISTS

Well Worth $4.50. To-morrow $2.25

Every one of these waists is well made in carefully chosen patterns, light and dark foundations, with pretty bright colored stripes in contrasting shades—neatly designed yoke back. The stripes run bias-ways on full pouch front. Skilful fingers have guided the conjuring of the super-elegant waists which are splendid value at $4.50. Special price to-morrow, $2.25.

Dress Linings at Mill Prices

2250 yards Special Dress Linings to-morrow at mill prices.

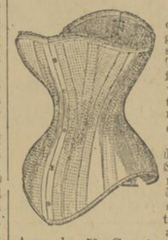
1500 yards Black Moire Linings, made to retail at 12 1-2c a yard. Special to-morrow, 8 cents.

750 yards Grey and Drab Moire Linings, 40 inches wide, regular price, 15 cents a yard. To-morrow, 9 cents a yard.

A Wrapper Bargain

Last Friday was a record day in this department, but to-morrow will excel it, if values have any say in the matter. These pretty wrappers are made of American Percale, with an accuracy of style and finish that you've grown used to, cut full Watteau back and full front, turn over collar, lined waist, full skirt. In mauve, green, blue, brown and fancy figured effects. Regular $1.35. Special to-morrow, ... 69c

Summer Corsets



Hundreds of pairs of these comfort-giving corsets were sold last Friday. The many enquiries for them during the week has tempted the management to repeat last Friday's offer.

About 2,000 pairs Ladies' Ventilated Summer Corsets, made of strong net, bones covered with strong French sateen, carefully made and perfect-fitting. Special to-morrow,

A regular 50c Corset. 28 1-2 cents.

Gas Stoves

144 Cast Iron Gas Stoves. Regular value 20c. Friday, 12½c

Toilet Sets

38 only pretty toilet Sets, 10 pieces, newest decorations, splendid value at a half more money. To-morrow, ...$1.99

FRIDAY'S SPECIAL OFFERINGS

The Bargain News for To-morrow is full of interest. There never was a time when Bargains crowded each other in such quick succession as they do now—and it is probably true that nowhere will you find as many low prices as right here. Manufacturers and importers are anxious to turn their goods into money, even at a sacrifice. They come to us, knowing our weakness for downright Bargains, and the Big Store passes them on to its customers.

Summer Skirts

These beautiful Dress Skirts are much in evidence. A new lot for to-morrow that will divide honors with the silk waists.

116 Ladies' Linen Crash Skirts, cut very full, with 6-inch hem, and box seams. Good value at $1.75. To-morrow, $1.25.

95 Ladies' White Pique Skirts, medium size cord, 4 1-2 yards wide, box seams, and 6-inch hem. Worth $1.90. To-morrow..... .....$1.39

76 Ladies' Black Figured Whip Cord Skirts, light and serviceable material, well made. Worth $3.00. Friday $1.69

92 Ladies' Plain Black Lustre Dress Skirts, full 4 yards wide, newest style. Regular $3.50 goods. Friday's price, $1.95

Photo Frames

150 pretty Photo Frames, size 8 by 10 inches, with mat back and glass. Any of them worth 50c. Some worth 75c each. Choose from the lot, for..... .....25c each

85c Silks 39c

This is the Silk story for to-morrow, and an interesting one to all Silk buyers. About 55 pieces pretty figured Silks, odd patterns, left over from qualities that sold from 80 cents to $1.00 a yard. There's white grounds, navy, brown and mixed colors, with stripes, floral and dotted designs—any one of them easily worth 85 cents a yard. To-morrow 39c

Meat Choppers

60 Genuine Enterprise No. 2 Meat Choppers, like cut. Regular value, $1.40. Friday $1.19

75c Shirt Waists 47c

There's sure to be a lively time in this section to-morrow selling

75 Ladies' Shirt Waists for 47c each. These waists are made of new American percale, and come in pretty shades of green, pink, and violet; the patterns are dainty checks cut on the bias and made with yoke back, pouch front self collar, and cuffs. Extra value at 75 cents each. Friday's price 47c

Rare Sheeting Values

Little wonder if housekeepers crowd this store on Friday; such genuine bargains as these are very rare.

Strong Plain or Twill Sheeting, 72 inches wide. Regular 18c a yard quality. Friday 11 1-2c

Heavy Twill Sheeting. Bleached, 72 inches wide, the usual 25c a yard quality. Friday 18c

Pillow Cotton, 8 cases very desirable quality pillow cotton, 40 inches wide. Worth 12c yard. Friday.. 8 1-2c

Horrocks's Long Cloth, 150 pieces, in 12 yard lengths, specially for ladies' underwear and men's white shirts. Usual value, $1.55. Friday .....$1.25 piece

Wash Fabric Specials

There's a very fine gathering of new Wash Goods here for to-morrow's Bargain selling. It's impossible to tell you about them all—come and see them. These hints of prices:

225 Pieces New Washing Prints, in a rich variety of colorings, suitable for Ladies' Shirt Waists, Children, etc. Splendid value at 7 1-2c a yard. Friday 4 1-2c

120 Pieces New English Cambrics, fast dye, 30 inches wide, in blue, brown, red and lilac foundations, with newest designs and shades. Well worth 11c a yard. Special to-morrow 8 1-2c

Pretty Flowers

Brighter, prettier, and lower priced than ever before.

1,000 Dainty Daisy Wreaths for Trimming Summer Hats, in pink and blue. Regular 10c goods. To-morrow, 6 cents.

1,500 Pretty Double Daisy Wreaths, full and long, in pink, blue and white. Worth 15c a wreath. Special, 8 cents.

1,200 Rose Mounts, 3 full blown roses in mount, all the newest shades, mounted on rubber stem...Regular 20 cent goods. Special Friday, 12 1-2c.

Dress Goods Specials

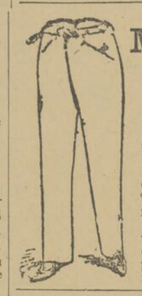
Summer Dress Goods Bargains will play a prominent part in to-morrow's great offerings. Read about them.

31 Pieces French Fancy Dress Goods, in 8 different shades and effects, rich desirable fabrics for summer wear, very serviceable for skirts or costumes. Great value at 45c a yard. Special to-morrow 30c

26 Pieces French all Wool Bedford Cord Fabrics, very fine weave, in 12 different shades, 42 inches wide. Splendid value at 60c a yard. Special to-morrow 45c

42 Pieces more of those pretty Plaid Dress Goods, specially imported for children's dresses, in 15 different combinations of colors and checks. Special value at 18c yard. Friday 12 1-2c

Men's Pants



Here's strong evidence of The Big Store's interest in the sterner sex.

125 pairs Men's Dark Grey and Black Striped Tweed Pants, well made and trimmed, sizes from 32 to 28 waist measure, splendidly worth $1.35 a pair. Special To-morrow ....84c pr

Watering Cans

Nicely Japanned Watering Cans, with tin rose.

1-quart size..... ....12c
3-quart size..... ....19c
6-quarts size..... ....24c
12-quarts size..... ....28c
Plain Tin Water Cans, 1-quart size.....9c

Summer Vests

If you are in the Big Store to-morrow stop at the Hosiery Store. There's sensation enough in the bargains displayed to make you pay a prolonged visit.

56 dozen Ladies' Ribbed Summer Vests, with crochet neck and arms, elastic stretch. Special, 5c each.

38 dozen Ladies' White Ribbed Summer Vests, short sleeves, very flexible. Special, 8 cents each.

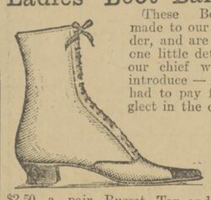
160 dozen Black and Tan Summer Hose, full fashioned legs and feet, fast dye. Worth 18c a pair. Special Friday, 12 1-2c pair.

Dining Chairs

These Chairs are splendid value at one-half more money.

An even 100 Fancy Hardwood Dining Chairs, with high back and fancy embossed carvings and turnings, good value at $1.00 each. Special, Friday.. .. ..70c

Ladies' Boot Bargains



These Boots were made to our special order, and are lacking in one little detail, which our chief wanted to introduce — the maker had to pay for his neglect in the omission.

$2.50 a pair, Russet, Tan and Black Kid Lacing Boots, with newest broche cloth uppers, splendidly made and well finished, usual $2.50 Boots. To-morrow ....$1.85 pair

Shirt Waist Sets

You'd think these pretty Sets were real silver, but they're not, although quite as good in appearance and wear.

4,000 Dainty Shirt Waist Sets, in black, white, yellow and bronze metal. Special value at 10 cts. a set. To-morrow 4 1-2c

GROCERY BARGAINS EXTRAORDINARY

This Grocery Store will win wide appreciation from the hundreds of housekeepery who have the good fortune to participate in the extraordinary bargains offered to-morrow.

CANDY SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY.

	Regular.	Friday
1200 pounds Finest Maple Sugar	12½	9½
1500 pounds English Everton Toffee	20	15

	Reg.	Friday.		Reg.	Friday.
White Beans	3	2	Finest Creamery Butter ..	25	18½
Rolled Oats	3½	2½	Granulated Sugar	5	4½
Concentrated Lye	5	2½	Fine Red Salmon	15	12½
Baked Beans, 3 lb cans...	10	8½	Fine Imported Pickles	30	20
Worcester Sauce	10	7½	Fresh Herrings, 1 lb. tin	15	10
English Sherbet, 1-2 lb. tin	10	8½	Finest Flour, 25 lb. bag	80	60
English Cured Hams	15	12½	Lime Juice, quarts	35	28
New Laid Eggs	15	12½	Fine Rio Coffee	25	15
C. & B. Marmalade	15	12½	Preserves, 7 lb. pails	55	43
C. & B. Vinegar	25	17	Fine Honey, 5 lb. cans	50	38

HUNDREDS OF OTHER BARGAINS OFFERED FRIDAY THROUGHOUT THE STORE.

THE S. CARSLEY CO. LIMITED.

1765 to 1783 Notre Dame Street. 184 to 194 St. James Street MONTREAL.

ROYAL COMMISSION.

Members Who Will Represent Board of Trade

In the Petition to Have Civic Affairs Investigated—Board of Trade Council Meets.

At the regular meeting of the Board of Trade Council yesterday afternoon, Mr. Charles F. Smith was in the chair, and there were present First Vice-President Robert Mackay, Second Vice-President Henry Miles, Treasurer Fred. W. Evans, and Messrs. C. E. Gault, Thomas Harling, A. G. Hodgson, H. Laporte, John Macfarlane, R. W. Macdougall, James McBride, M. J. A. Prendergast, David Robertson, and Hon. J. K. Ward.

Information having been received that a petition of citizens for the appointment of a royal commission for the purpose of investigating civic affairs would soon be presented to the Provincial Premier, the council appointed the following gentlemen as a deputation to attend on that occasion: Messrs. Chas. F. Smith, president; Robert Mackay, John Macfarlane, W. McMaster, M. J. A. Prendergast, Hon. J. K. Ward, and F. W. Evans.

Some resolutions passed by the Winnipeg Grain and Produce Exchange were received respecting the necessity of the erection and control by the Government of grain elevators at Montreal, the shipment of grain from Fort William to Montreal by United States vessels, and the providing of appliances to keep open navigation as late as possible in Fort William harbor. No action taken.

The council then adopted the following resolution with regard to Mr. R. Dawson Harling's letter, submitted at the last meeting, on the Manchester ship canal: "That the council of the Montreal Board of Trade, having read with great interest the communication of Mr. R. Dawson Harling relative to the Manchester ship canal and the Manchester liners, limited, hereby places on record its high appreciation of the efforts of the canal and liners companies to open up direct trade between the port of Manchester and the Dominion of Canada, and the council further expresses the hope that the efforts of those two companies may prove so entirely successful as to result in great advantage to this Domination and to the port of Manchester."

The treasurer, Mr. F. W. Evans, made an interim report on the finances of the building, which shows that, in spite of a few offices still unlet, the rental revenue at present was $1,000 in excess of what it was last year.

LONGUEUIL COUNCIL.

Railway Communication With Montreal—Taxing Real Estate — More Efficient System of Scavenging.

At a meeting of the Longueuil Council held last evening under the presidency of Mayor Perrault, the question of easy communication with the city was under consideration. The Mayor stated that, in view of the large number of persons who made Longueuil their summer residence, and also of the rapidly increasing permanent population of the town, it was of the highest importance to obtain the best possible means of communication with the city by rail. He was in a position to announce that the well-directed efforts of the committee were meeting with complete success; and that before the end of the season Longueuil would have an efficient independent service. The Council in committee decided to change the method of levying the tax on real estate, under the powers conferred by the amended charter. At present the tax is levied according to the assessed value of each lot, without special reference to the area of vacant lots. The new mode of valuation will be at so much per square foot, which is the plan adopted in Montreal. In estimating the value of buildings, the assessors will be required to make allowances for deterioration through age; and also to take into consideration the value of interior, as well as exterior, finish and ornamentation. The Council had the question of the cleaning of the streets under consideration, and decided to provide for a more efficient system of scavenging.

REV. FATHER LACOMBE.

He Will Leave Shortly to Resume Work Among the Northwest Halfbreeds.

The Rev. Father Lacombe is, by special invitation, to preach after the 10 o'clock mass at St. James' Cathedral, Dominion square, on Sunday next. His subject will be the position and prospects of his half-breed settlement near Edmonton. It is understood that the reverend gentleman will leave on Tuesday, the 16th inst., for his Northwest mission, and he would be pleased if persons having unsettled business matters with him would call and arrange before that date. The Department of the Interior have arranged a commission which will, during the coming summer, negotiate treaties with the half-breeds and Indians of Little Slave Lake, Peace River, Arthabaskaville, etc. The commission will be accompanied by the Rev. Father Lacombe, whose influence and experience cannot fail to be of great use to the commission.

IN THE TRANSVAAL.

The Uncertainty is Having a Bad Effect on the Country's Business.

Johannesburg, May 10.—While popular anxiety here is somewhat allayed on the consequences of the expected conference between President Kruger and Sir Alfred Milner, Governor of the Cape Colony and High Commissioner of South Africa, the continued tension is having a bad effect upon trade, and is accentuated by the uncertainty regarding the attitude of Great Britain.

The Equitable's New President.

New York, May 10.—At a meeting of the board of directors of the Equitable Life Assurance Society, held here today, James W. Alexander was elected president in place of Henry B. Hyde, who died recently. James H. Hyde was elected vice-president; Gage E. Tarbell, second vice-president; and Geo. T. Wilson, third vice-president.

Spain Rewards Friends.

Madrid, May 10.—The Queen Regent has conferred upon the Austrian Minister of War and the German Minister of the Navy the Grand Cross of Military Merit. It is generally supposed that the decorations have been bestowed in recognition of the friendly attitude of Austria and Germany towards Spain during the recent war with the United States.

Fourteen People Drowned.

Berlin, May 10.—Near Loebnitz, Saxony, on the river Mulde, a ferryboat, on which was a picnic party from the little town of Rosa, became top heavy with the load and upset, throwing all the passengers in the water. Fourteen persons were drowned.

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